

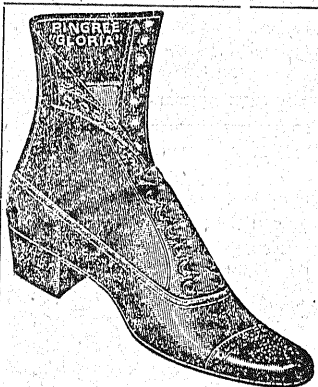
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HUNDRED YEARS AGO



Men's coats were made very long and sloped off from the waist, where they were buttoned both upward and downward. Their sleeves were moderately tight, with small, close fitting cuffs, and their collars either were high and doubled back stiffly, or were made to spread upon the shoulders. The flaps of their pockets were placed at the back close together. The flaps of the waist-band at all were short. The garment itself was made open at the throat, the frill of the shirt appearing from under it. Drop in and let us show you what a wonderful change a hundred years has made. Not only in coats, but pants, etc. Pingree & Smith, W. L. Douglass, Rindge, Kalmbach, Logie & Co's. SHOES are the best or we would not carry them. BUTTER AND EGGS SAME AS CASH.

CROSBY & SON.

Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men. Phone 6-2 rings.

T. H. AHR

Contractor & Builder

If you intend building let us figure with you.

FIRST CLASS WORK GUARANTEED

Shop on Pine st. nearly opposite council rooms.

CASS CITY. MICH.

Leslie E. Morningstar, of Caro, was in town on Tuesday.

T. H. Fritz announces the arrival of sporting goods in his new adv.

Wm. Spurgeon is entertaining Mr. Gardiner, a friend from Oxford.

Bond is still receiving new designs and colorings in wall paper. See adv.

A school of instruction was given the Lady Maccabees on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Cash Malsby, of St. Catharines Ont., is the guest of her father, Eli. Fancher.

The new hay sheds of Frutchey, McGeorge & Co. have been treated to a coat of paint.

On Saturday, Fairweather Bros. will give away 1,200 empty boxes to the boys and girls.

Rev. C. H. Morgan, Ph. D., attended an Epworth League Institute at Saginaw on Tuesday.

The Deekerville Recorder has commenced the erection of a fine brick building of its own.

The Misses Lottie Usher and Lottie Bradley visited the latter's parents in Evergreen on Sunday.

Special curtain and drapery sale at Geo. Matzen's store next Monday and Tuesday. Read his adv.

E. H. Kelly, of Bothwell, purchased a farm last fall, just south of Holbrook, and moved thereto last week.

Fairweather Bros. have an important change of adv. this week which you cannot afford to overlook.

London, Edo & Keating have the contract to erect a new house for Ross Webster, of Elmwood township.

Rev. A. Torbet, of the Presbyterian Church, will preach in the Quick schoolhouse next Sunday at 2:30.

See the new adv. for the Racket Store of C. E. Fritz & Co. They have some new washers that are dandies.

Messdames Bentley and Hatton are preparing to open a bakery and restaurant in the west side of the Wallace block.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. J. C. Laing next Wednesday. Tea will be served at the usual hour.

London, Edo & Keating have a new adv. in this issue and state that they are prepared to beat the Thumb on fancy sash doors. Give them a call.

Meisel, of Port Huron, will have a special sale of curtains and draperies at Geo. Matzen's next Monday and Tuesday. It costs nothing to look at them.

Geo. Matzen has leased the Rushbrook residence at the south end of Seeger Street, and his mother and sister, from Crosswell, will take up their residence here.

There will be a union bible reading at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Prof. Kyes next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. All interested will be welcome. Come and bring your Bibles with you.

Messrs. Robb & Coon, of Crosswell, have leased the McGillivray Building, formerly occupied by the Chronicle, and will put in a musical instrument and sewing machine show room. They expect to arrive this week.

N. Bigelow & Sons made a nice sale of paints on Monday, sixty nine gallons in all, being divided between W. A. Fairweather, W. T. Scheuck and H. L. McDermott. They have a new adv. regarding paint in this issue.

On Monday afternoon, Hugh Walters started for Spokane, Wash., in company with Mrs. Maynard and Miss Nelson, of Saginaw. Hugh's many friends wish him bon voyage and hope the change may restore him to health.

The following letters remain unclaimed at the P. O. at Cass City, Mich., for the week ending April 13th, 1901: Miss Vina Williams, Miss Jennie Blair. When calling for the above please mention "advertised". H. S. Wickware, Postmaster.

The new Fritz block is rapidly nearing completion. The boards were removed from the front last week, and a beautiful plate glass front was placed in view. The masons are giving the interior the finishing coat of plaster and the carpenters are pushing their part of the work. It is not certain yet who will occupy the building.

A. A. McKenzie has a new adv.

H. L. Hunt talks about seeds this week.

The Misses Kate Zinnecker and Anna Klump were at Caro on Sunday.

J. H. Harris, of Caro, was the guest of G. A. Stevenson last Thursday.

Don't overlook the change in the adv. of 2 Macks, on the last page.

T. Child, of Buffalo, has been the guest of Fred Meiser a part of this week.

Note the new adv. of Mrs. M. L. Moore, regarding spring and summer millinery.

Laing & Janes are making a "hobby" of shoes, as will be noticed by their new adv. on first page.

Gould & Traver have an adv. on the last page of this issue. Look it over and give them a call.

D. A. Freeman, John W. Ball and W. C. Jauks are enjoying a duck hunt in the vicinity of Bay Port.

Crosby & Son have a catchy advertisement which will interest you. So will the bargains at their store.

Rev. A. Torbet and Elder Andrew Campbell attended the meeting of the Presbytery at Crosswell this week.

Rev. Myers, of St. Clair, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church here next Sunday morning and evening.

A. E. Boulton has an Oxford Down ewe which gave birth the other day to a lamb weighing seventeen pounds.

Pastor E. Rushbrook and family are leaving for Port Huron this week. They will reside at 1029 Cyprus Street.

Mrs. Dann has returned from Cumber and has been attending Glen Marr. We are pleased to say he is convalescing.

Johnson & Seeley, the bike men, have a new adv. in this issue. They are rushed with work but would like to rush yours.

Mrs. F. C. Lee has decided to close out her millinery business and announces a sale beginning Friday of this week. See adv.

The Oddfellows of this place are making preparation to attend the anniversary of that order to be held at Vassar on the 26th, and are on the program for the exemplification of the third degree.

We were slightly in error last week in saying that the valedictorian and salutatorian of the Senior Class had been elected. They come to those positions through their standings in the class, being first and second, and were not elected.

On Tuesday, our citizens were treated to seeing an automobile on our streets for the first time. W. J. Moore of Caro, took a run over from the country seat in his auto, accompanied by Fred Slocum, of the Advertiser. The carriage appears to be built to suit the country roads fairly well and the trip was quite a pleasant one, although not as rapid as it might be if the roads were in better shape.

Dr. Carrie Edwards reports having had a very enjoyable return trip to San Francisco, going by the way of Chicago, St. Paul, Vancouver and Seattle. She says: "The scenery was magnificent through Canada. The mountains towered above the clouds and in many places it was almost impossible to distinguish the snow-capped peaks from the sky. In order for one to have any conception of their beauties they would have to see them in all their grandeur."

The exercises connected with the graduation of the Senior Class of our High School this year, will differ materially from those of any previous year. Wednesday, June 19th, will be class day, when exercises will be held in the M. E. Church in the afternoon, and the valedictory, salutatory, class history, prophecy, poem and oration will be given. The graduation exercises will be held the following evening in the Opera House, when Rev. Washington Gardner will deliver the address. His ability is already too well known to our readers to need any comment. The class colors are heliotrope and white.

On Saturday last, another change took place in our business circles. P. S. Rice sold his stock of general merchandise to George McDonald, who has owned and operated a forty acre farm four miles southwest of town. Mr. Rice gets the farm, but will probably rent it and remain in town. Mr. McDonald still holds a sixty acres a little farther west. He has had previous business experience in Winnipeg, Manitoba, and has made this change owing to a poor condition of health and inability to care for the heavy work on the farm. He will have a sale of farm stock and implements on Tuesday, the 23rd, at one o'clock. J. H. Striffler, auctioneer.

Fairweather Bros'. Big Double Store

Will be the place to buy your Dry Goods for spring and summer wear. We will receive on Saturday another large consignment of Dress Goods, Silks, and Wash Goods. All the latest novelties will be found at our store. We have no doubt the most complete line of Shirt Waists and Gents' Fancy Shirts ever shown in these parts. Just received 288 pairs of Summer Corsets, well worth 35c pair, we offer at 25c, ask to see them—you will find them all right. We are still slaughtering on Winter Goods, such as Fleece Lined Wrappers \$1.00 now 75c; Golf Gloves 50c now 15c; Golf Gloves 25c now 10c pair; Men's Fleece Underwear 25c, etc. House cleaning time is here and we are prepared to furnish you with a new Carpet, Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, Portieres in Chenille, Tapestry and Rope, Bed Spreads, Linen, etc.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Why is it that the crowd of people trade with us? Because we have what they want and always fresh and our prices are as low as the lowest, for the quantity of goods we keep. Why is it that we sell so many Garden Seeds? Because we have such a variety to select from. You can always find what you are looking for without running all over town. Why is it that we get so many Eggs and so much Butter? Because the people are convinced that our store is the place to do their trading. Try us on Salmon or Sardines.

PHONE 19.

PROMPT DELIVERY IN TOWN.

Spring Stock

Our Spring stock is now arriving. Many lines this year will be warranted as our "GIBALTAR" for men and boys. BILL & GREENE'S LITTLE GIANT SCHOOL SHOES for Girls and Boys. A new line of

Easy Rockers

just received
Good Quality is our Watchword

S. &

Ostrander.

Hammocks,

Base Ball Goods,

Sporting Goods, Etc.,

In connection with our large line of

Wall Paper and

Window Shades.

EGGS WANTED.

T. H. FRITZ,

Druggist.

Shoes our Hobby

Consequently we must give extra bargains to constantly increase our trade as WE ARE DOING. Don't buy until you see them.

Buy your Garden and other Seeds NOW.

Mangle Seeds 20 cts. lb., Sugar Beet Seeds 15 cts. lb.

Evergreen Corn \$2.00 per bushel,

and all kinds of small seeds at LOW PRICES.

We have a very large stock of

Canned Goods

Corn, Tomatoes, Peas, Lima Beans, Salmon, Pumpkin, Etc., and we will not be undersold on them.

We Want Your Trade.

LAING & JONES.

RACKET STORE.

This week we add to our Racket a new line of WASHING MACHINES. The "1900" Washer is far ahead of anything machine put on the market. We invite you to call and examine this machine before buying elsewhere. We also have Wringers, Washboards, Tubs and Boilers. We have Base Ball, Rubber Balls, and Bats, Express Wagons and Doll Carriages. Just received to-day a new supply of Confectionery, Fruits and Nuts. Our Chocolate Drops and Cream, Peanut Balls are delicious. Call and see what we have on our 5 and 10 cent tables.

C. E. FRITZ & CO

BICYCLES BICYCLES

We wish to announce that we have added to our line of wheels

THE CLEVELAND BICYCLE

It is positively the easiest and most perfect running wheel made. Also the NIAGARA made by the same company. We also have the Hudson, Webster, Safe, Rambler and Ideal, and last but not least the New Dell, made by us. Wheels from

\$18 TO \$60

And second hand wheels at unheard of prices. Do not buy until you look them over, you cannot afford to. Our line of Sundries is complete. Brazing, Enameling and all repair work done on short notice. Yours for business,

Easy terms on Wheels.

JOHNSON & SEELEY.

NEW DESIGNS NEW COLORING

WALL PAPER

Are Arriving Daily.

Don't forget that we have a line of Ingrains as well as Medium and cheaper goods. Our prices are exceptionally low, as an inspection of our stock will show.

WINDOW SHADES

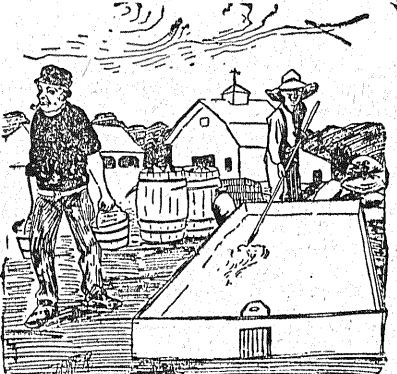
a large assortment including extra large sizes always on hand at prices that will interest you.

Eggs taken in Exchange.

AT

BOND'S DRUG STORE.

LIME, PLASTER, CEMENT.



If you are going to do any plastering or stone work or build a new side walk, it will pay you to get our prices on

Marble Head Lime and Portland Cement.

It is put up and especially tested for us, and we guarantee it to be equal if not better than any made.

Let us figure on your LUMBER BILLS; tell us what you need and we will tell you how little it costs.

THE CASS CITY LUMBER & COAL YARDS.

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

"THE UPLIFTING POWER OF RELIGION" THE THEME.

"Her Ways Are Ways of Pleasantness" — From the Book of Proverbs, Chapter III, Verse 17.—The Sunshine of the Christian Life—Self-Denial.

(Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch, N. Y.)
WASHINGTON, April 13.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage sets forth religion as an exhilaration and urges all people to try its uplifting power; text, Proverbs iii, 17, "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

You have all heard of God's only begotten Son. Have you heard of God's daughter? She was born in heaven. She came down over the hills of our world. She had queenly step. On her brow was celestial radiance. Her voice was music. Her name is Religion. My text introduces her. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace." But what is religion? The fact is that theological study has had a different effect upon me from the effect sometimes produced. Every year I tear out another leaf from my theology until I have only three or four leaves left—in other words, a very brief and plain statement of Christian belief.

An aged Christian minister said: "When I was a young man I knew everything. When I got to be 35 years of age, in my creed I had only a hundred doctrines of religion. When I got to be 40 years of age, I had only 50 doctrines of religion. When I got to be 60 years of age, I had only ten doctrines of religion, and now I am dying at 75 years of age, and there is only one thing I know and that is that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." And so I have noticed in the study of God's word and in my contemplation of the character of God and of the eternal world that it is necessary for me to drop this part of my belief and that part of my belief as being non-essential, while clinging to the one great doctrine that man is a sinner and Christ is his Almighty and Divine Savior.

Now, I take these three or four leaves of my theology, and I find that in the first place and dominant above all others is the sunshine of religion. When I go into a room, I have a passion for throwing open all the shutters. That is what I want to do this morning. We are apt to throw so much of the sepulchral into our religion and to close the shutters and to pull down the blinds that it is only through here and there a crevice that the light streams. The religion of the Lord Jesus Christ is a religion of joy indescribable and unutterable. Wherever I can find a bell I mean to ring it.

If there are any in this house this morning who are disposed to hold on to their melancholy and gloom, let them now depart this service before the farthest and brightest of the most radiant being of all the universe comes in. God's Son has left the world but God's daughter is here! Give her room. Hail princess of heaven! Hail, daughter of the Lord God Almighty! Come in and make this house thy throne.

In setting forth this idea the dominant theory of religion is one of sunshine. I hardly know where to begin, for there are so many thoughts that rush upon my soul. A mother saw her little child seated on the floor in the sunshine and with a spoon in her hand. She said, "My darling, what are you doing there?" "Oh," replied the child, "I am getting a spoonful of this sunshine." Would God that today I might present you with a gleaming chalice of this glorious, everlasting gospel sunshine!

Sunshine of Christianity.
First of all, I find a great deal of sunshine in Christian society. I do not know of anything more doleful than the companionship of the mere funmakers of the world—the Thoms, the Fords, the Charleses, the Charles Mathewses of the world—the men whose entire business it is to make sport. They make others laugh, but if you will examine their autobiography or biography, you will find that down in their soul there was a terrific disquietude. Laughter is no sign of happiness. The maniac laughs. The hyena laughs. The loon among the Adirondacks laughs. The drunkard, dashing his decanter against the wall, laughs.

There is a terrible reaction from all sinful amusement and sinful merriment. Such men are cross the next day. They snap at you on exchange or they pass you, not recognizing you. Long ago I quit mere worldly society for the reason it was so dull, so lame and so stupid. My nature is voracious of joy. I must have it.

I always walk on the sunny side of the street, and for that reason I have crossed over into Christian society. I like their mode of repartee better. They live longer. Christian people, I sometimes notice, live on when by all natural law they ought to have died. I have known persons who have continued in their existence when the doctor said they ought to have been dead ten years. Every day of their existence was a defiance of the laws of anatomy and physiology, but they had this supernatural vivacity of the gospel in their soul, and that kept them alive.

The Question of Self-Denial.
I know there is a great deal of talk about the self-denials of the Christian. I have to tell you that where the Christian has one self-denial the man of the world has a thousand self-denials. The Christian is not commanded to surrender anything that is worth keeping.

But what does a man deny himself if who denies himself the religion of Christ? He denies himself pardon for sin, he denies himself peace of conscience, he denies himself the joy of the Holy Ghost, he denies himself a comfortable death pillow, he denies himself the glories of heaven. Do not talk to me about the self-denials of the Christian life. Where there is one in the Christian life there are a thousand in the life of the world. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

Again, I find a great deal of religious sunshine in Christian and divine explanation. To a great many people life is an inexplicable tangle. Things turn out differently from what was supposed. There is a useless woman in perfect health. There is an indolent and consecrated woman a complete invalid. Explain that. There is a bad man, with \$30,000 of income. There is a good man with \$300 of income. Why is that? There is a foe of society who lives on, doing all the damage he can, to 75 years of age, and here is a Christian father, faithful in every department of life, at 35 years of age taken away by death, his family left helpless. Explain that. Oh, there is no sentence that oftener drops from your lips than this: "I cannot understand it. I cannot understand it."

Well, now religion comes in just at that point with its illumination and its explanation. There is a business man who has lost his entire fortune. The week before he lost his fortune there were 20 carriages that stopped at the door of his mansion. The week after he lost his fortune all the carriages you could count on one finger. The week before financial trouble began people all took off their hats to him as he passed down the street. The week his financial prospects were under discussion people just touched their hats without anywise bending the rim. The week that he was pronounced insolvent people just jolted their heads as they passed, not tipping their hats at all, and the week the sheriff sold him out all his friends were looking in the store windows as they went down past him.

All Is for the Best.
There are hundreds of people who are talking day by day in the sublime satisfaction that all is for the best, all things working together for good for their soul. How a man can get along through this life without the explanation is to me a mystery. What! Is that child gone forever? Are you never to get it back? Is your property gone forever? Is your soul to be bristled and to be tried forever? Have you no explanation, no Christian explanation, and yet not a maniac? But when you have the religion of Jesus Christ in your soul it explains everything so far as it is best for you to understand. You look off in life, and your soul is full of thanksgiving to God that you are so much better off than you might be. A man passed down the street without any shoes and said: "I have no shoes. Isn't it a hardship that I have no shoes? Other people have shoes. No shoes, no shoes!" until he saw a man who had no feet. Then he learned a lesson. You ought to thank God for what he does. Instead of grumbling for what he does not, God arranges all the weather in this world—the spiritual weather, the moral weather, as well as the natural weather. "What kind of weather will it be today?" said someone to a farmer. The farmer replied, "It will be such weather as I like." "What do you mean by that?" asked the other. "Well," said the farmer, "it will be such weather as pleases the Lord, and what pleases the Lord pleases me."

Oh, the sunshine, the sunshine of Christian explanation! Here is some one bending over the grave of the dead. What is going to be the consolation? The flowers you strew upon the tomb? Oh, no. The services read at the grave? Oh, no. The chief consolation on that grave is what falls from the throne of God. Sunshine, glorious sunshine! Resurrection sunshine!

A Place for Self.
And geology! What a place that will be to study geology when the world is being picked to pieces as easily as a school girl in botanical lessons pulls the leaf from the corolla! What a place to study architecture, amid the thrones and the palaces and the cathedrals—St. Mark's and St. Paul's rookeries in comparison.

Sometimes you wish you could make the tour of the whole earth, going around as others have gone, but you have not the time, you have not the means. You will make the tour yet, during one musical pause in the eternal anthem. I say these things for the comfort of those people who are bridged to whom life is humdrum, who toil and work and toil and work and aspire after knowledge, but have no time to get it and say, "If I had the opportunities which other people have, how I would fill my mind and soul with grand thoughts!" Be not discouraged, my friends. You are going to the university yet. Death will only mutilate you into the royal college of the universe.

What a sublime thing it was that Dr. Thornwell of South Carolina uttered in his last dying moments! As he looked up he said, "It opens; it expands, it expands!" Or as Mr. Toplady, the author of "Rock of Ages," in his last moment or during his last hours looked up and said, as though he saw something supernatural, "Light!" and then as he came on nearer the dying moment, his countenance more luminous, he cried, "Light!" and at the very moment of his departure lifted both hands, something supernatural in his countenance, as he cried,

"Light!" City another name for sunshine.

The Celestial Profession.
And then I stand at the gate of the celestial city to see the processions of little children, with their arms full of flowers, and then I see a procession of kings and priests moving in celestial pageantry—a long procession, but no black tasseled vehicle, no mourning group, and I say: "How strange it is! Where is your Greenwood? Where is your Laurel Hill? Where is your Westminster abbey?" And they shall cry, "There are no graves here." And then listen for the tolling of the old bellfries of heaven, the old bellfries of eternity. I listen to hear them toll for the dead, but they toll not for the dead. They only strike up a silvery chime, tower to tower, east gate to west gate, as they ring out, "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more, neither shall the sun light on them nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

Oh, unglue your hand, and give it to me in congratulation on that scene! I feel as if I could shout. I will shout. Dear Lord, forgive me that I ever complained about anything. If all this is before us, who cares for anything but God and heaven and eternal brotherhood? Take the crape off the doorbell. Your loved ones are only away for their health in a land ambrosial. Come, Lovell Mason; come, Isaac Watts. Give us your best hymn about joy celestial.

What is the use of postponing our heaven any longer? Let it begin now, and whosoever hath a harp, let her thrum it, and whosoever hath a trumpet, let him blow it, and whosoever hath an organ, let him give us a full diapason. They crowd down the air, spirits blessed, moving in calvacade of triumph. Their chariot wheels whirl in the Sabbath sunlight. They come! Halt, armies of God! Halt, until we are ready to join the battalion of pleasures that never die!

Oh, my friends, it would take a sermon as long as eternity to tell the joys that are coming to us. I just set open the sunny door. Come in, all ye disciples of the world who have found the world a mockery. Come in, all ye disciples of the dance, and see the bounding feet of this heavenly gladness. Come in, ye disciples of worldly amusement, and see the stage where kings are the actors and burning words the footlights and thrones the spectacular. Arise, ye dead in sin, for this is the morning of resurrection. The joys of heaven submerge our soul. I pull out the trumpet stop. In Thy presence there is a fullness of joy; at Thy right hand there are pleasures forevermore.

Blest are the saints beloved of God; Washed are their robes in Jesus' blood.

Brighter than angels, lo, they shine, Their glories splendid and sublime!

My soul anticipates the day, Would stretch her wing and soar away; To aid the song, the palm to bear, And bow, the chief of sinners, there.

Oh, the sunshine, the glorious sunshine!

Photographing Jewelry.
Photographing jewelry as a means of its protection is likely to become popular now that the picture of a valuable diamond brooch led to its recognition and recovery. But it is doubtful if there is one woman among them who owns costly jewelry that ever thought of taking this precaution. One photographer who takes many pictures of women of wealth in New York said the other day that few of them ever had themselves photographed wearing their jewelry, since it had become the style to wear less jewelry than formerly. He looked at random over half a dozen portraits made recently, and there was scarcely on any of their originals jewelry that amounted to more than a few hundred dollars in value. Yet the majority of these women own jewels worth thousands of dollars. In England the custom of wearing jewelry in photographs is much more prevalent than it is in New York. Pictures of English women of wealth and position usually display the entire contents of their jewelry boxes, and their tiaras, stomachers and necklaces are frequently conspicuous enough to be serviceable as a means of identification were they stolen, although thieves rarely dare to keep such things intact for even the briefest time. American women owning valuable jewelry are not likely to possess any photographs of it, unless they were especially taken. And that precaution has so far been observed in few cases.—New York Sun.

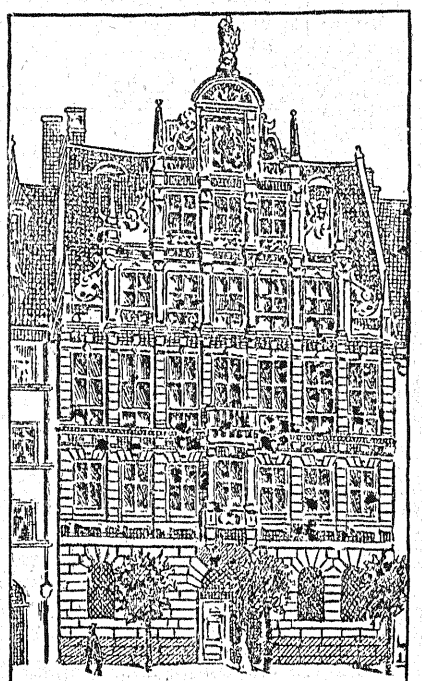
A Judge as an Inventor.
Judge Waiter of Wapakoneta, O., has distinguished himself by inventing a hydraulic disappearing safe operated on the principle of the disappearing gun. The safe, controlled by hydraulic power, is lowered into a fifteen-foot well at night. When it touches bottom clockwork mechanism starts it toward the top, which is reached about the time it is wanted for business the next morning. Judge Waiter does not think robbers could accomplish anything by tunnelling to the safe. The judge has applied for a patent, but what if the machinery should be damaged some night and the safe left at the bottom of the well?

A new military law of Peru makes every citizen liable to compulsory service from 19 to 50 years. The army has five classes, the regular, supernumerary, first reserve, second reserve and the national guard.

In Nuremberg City

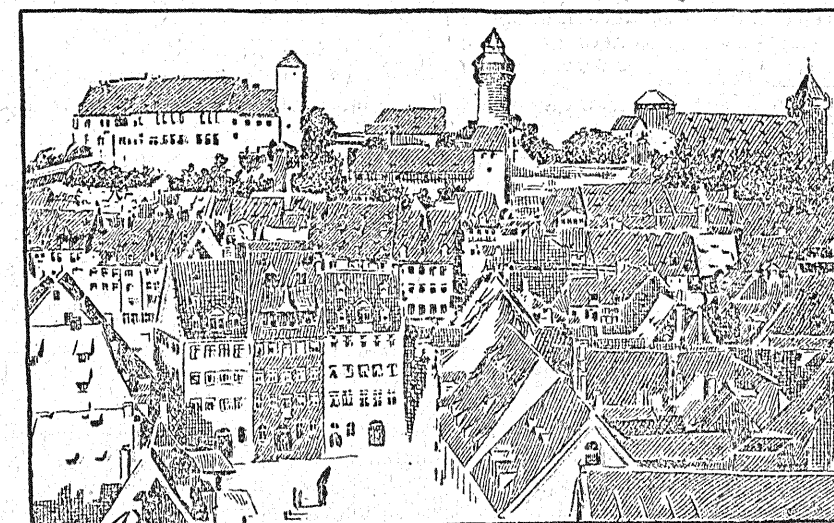
(Nuremberg Letter.)

Nuremberg is a Bavarian city with a history. It was begun 1,100 years ago and, though its development has been frequently arrested, is growing still. It is Santa Claus' workshop, for more toys are made here than anywhere else on the globe. Although 40,000 persons make a livelihood in the construction of these tiny playthings there is no big factory in which to study the process of manufacture. Nine-tenths of the output is made at home among the women, who are expert in the delicate handwork. The city has other claims to pre-eminence. It is the city "with windows in the roof," and it stands unique among European cities in this way. This peculiar kind of building has given Nuremberg a distinctive architecture familiar to lovers of the quaint. Then it bears evidence of great age, such as no other city of Europe does, in the walls and towers and castle which were reared in medieval times and which stand today defying the scepter of Father Time. The castle, 10 centuries old, still in an excellent state of preservation, is perched on an eminence commanding the city and the country for a long distance. The stone walls, for there are the outer and the inner, between which was the moat,



THE PELLER HOUSE.
(A type of some of the homes in Nuremberg.)

encircled the city and made it impregnable to attack. On the inner and higher wall towers to the number of 70, some round and some square, furnished outlooks for the garrison on the approach of an enemy. While most of these reminders of yesteryear remain, still a considerable portion has been razed. In 1806 the Prussian army of investment demolished nearly a mile of the fortifications. The old part of Nuremberg with its winding streets, houses facing the streets, with their long gabled roofs and balconies of stone and wood profusely ornamented, with carving overhanging the sidewalk, make the American feel he is indeed in a strange and ancient city. The picturesque is heightened by the bridges spanning the Pegnitz river, which cuts the town in two and which was once the outlet for the commerce which made Nuremberg rich and noted



SHOWING THE QUIANT ARCHITECTURE OF THE FINE OLD BAVARIAN CITY WITH THE ANCIENT CASTLE ON THE EMINENCE.

Manna Found in India.
A remarkable incident is officially reported from the central provinces of India in connection with the famine. The bamboos in various districts were found to be yielding "manna" of a kind and quality hitherto unknown to the natives, who have been finding it a valuable help to them in their famished condition. Samples have been analyzed by the government reporter on economic products with an unexpected result. Mr. Hooper finds it to be composed of sucrose almost identical with cane sugar, the ingredients being—sugar, 85.63; water, 2.88; ash, .96; and glucose, .75. Neither expert officials nor natives ever before heard of this product coming from bamboo, and it is not surprising that this opportune yield of "manna" is regarded under the circumstances, as an act of Providence.

The sultan of Morocco, who is not inclined to pedestrianism, has had a little line of cars built through all the rooms of his palace, ending in his bedroom. A small motor pulls a novel sort of sleigh fitted with two seats, in which the sultan is able to recline at his ease.

He Ought to "Shake" Her.
A young man in Emporia, Mo., recently received a letter from his sweetheart in another town and in it he was told to "look under the stamp on the envelope." The young man spent an hour steaming that letter and when he finally got the stamp off he read: "Was it hard to get it off?"

BAVARIAN CITY SANTA CLAUS' WORKSHOP

The commerce left the city upon the discovery of the passage around the Cape of Good Hope, which opened up channels that deprived her of her monopoly in carriage between Europe and Asia. Then the 30 years' war completed the disasters begun by the decline in her marine, as the contending armies pillaged her several times.

In 1806 Nuremberg arose from her torpor, became a free city and allied herself to the Bavarian kingdom. She came along gradually under this alliance and casting her lot with Prussia in the war of 1866 came out of the ordeal triumphant. Since then her progress has been without precedent. The extension of the railway in every direction has more than made good the losses incurred by its shipping and today she is richer, more prosperous, stronger every way, than at any time in her history. Her population of 1873—73,000—increased in 22 years until it stood at 163,000. And in the past five years it added \$3,000, or at the rate of over 16,000 a year, making the aggregate 245,000. No American city of its class can show a record like this.

Its expanding manufactures explain its rapid growth. Its men and women are dressed as well as those of New York or Chicago and its prosperity is borne out strikingly in this respect.

The original of that well known instrument of torture, the Nuremberg maiden, can be seen here in a museum within the castle grounds. This device for crushing mercilessly the life of the victim was fashioned after the figure of a woman. Within were several iron spikes, and when the luckless wretch had taken his place inside the door gradually closed and the spikes were forced into the eyes, mouth and other parts of the body until it was pierced in a dozen vital places and death speedily followed. A fee admits the visitor to this device within the castle grounds, as the instrument is private property. The old castle is surrounded by the most ancient houses of Nuremberg and from its dizzy elevation one can get a bird's-eye view of the city. Everywhere the long steep roof with white tier upon tier of windows greets the vision. At your feet is the birthplace of Albert Duer, the celebrated architect, while looming up from its surroundings are the well known Protestant churches of St. Sebald, St. James, St. Lawrence, St. Aegidius and the Holy Ghost. The monster town hall is also conspicuous.

Old Nuremberg, which was within the fortified walls, contained 50,000 people, a substantial population moving in a restricted area. During the sieges which it sustained women and girls served as defenders as well as the sterner sex, and the tradition is that the females made as heroic battle as those of the opposite sex.

From the roundness of the watches made in this Bavarian town they used to be nicknamed "Nuremberg eggs." Altogether some 100,000 were built after this style. The splendid City Hall is something the townsmen are proud of. It is immense in size and elegant in finish.

Beneath the castle are some of the subterranean passages and dungeons of the torture era. Some of the latter are only six feet square and a tall man has trouble in getting about. As late as 1800 some of the prisoners were put to the rack in the torture chambers.

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Birth of a New Geyser.
A caretaker in Yellowstone Park reports the birth of a new geyser in the Fountain geyser basin. For an hour after it first burst forth through the earth it shot a continuous stream of hot water hundreds of feet into the air. It now plays regularly every two hours.

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Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

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Is willing to treat you for rheumatism, if your credit is good or you pay his fee. But only one doctor will cure your rheumatism, and he charges nothing for advice.

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PEOPLE LIVE ON PEANUTS.

See in Vancouver That Practices New Theory Relative to Food.

A peculiar religious sect, the feature of whose singular beliefs is based upon the eating of peanuts as their principal article of food, is thriving in Vancouver, and throughout British Columbia. There are 200 members in the new church in Vancouver, and their numbers are growing daily. Six months ago the sect was first formed as a branch of the Seventh Day Adventists and now it has gone so far as to erect mills equipped with machinery for the grinding and manufacture of various kinds of food from peanuts. In abstract belief, one of the principal opinions held by the new organization is that Christ will appear on earth within a few months, and perhaps within only a few weeks. They therefore wish to be prepared, in order that they may "shuffle off this mortal coil" with no difficulty. That they might be able to do this when the time comes they made searching investigation of the most healthful and purest foods, and came to the conclusion that peanuts were the most proper diet. Their leader, James Charnan, who was formerly a minister in the Adventist church, was sent to New York and there made a contract for a large weekly shipment of peanuts to Vancouver. Suitable works have been erected and equipped with machinery and now all kinds of peanut products are being turned out. The peanuts are first boiled, and then ground into a meal, and are used to make nearly every kind of baked and cooked dishes in which flour is ordinarily employed. Brazil nuts and walnuts are used by way of variety, but these three constitute almost the entire means of sustenance of the 200 persons in Vancouver who belong to this queer sect. Several missionaries of the new movement have lately been sent out through the province and they report that they are making good headway in the conversion of people to the strange belief.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

The Wife and Mother-in-Law of Mr. Charles Keys.

CLARISSA, Minn., April 15, (Special).—No family in this vicinity is better known or more universally respected than Mr. Charles Keys, the local School Teacher, and his estimable wife, and mother-in-law. For a long time, Mrs. Keys has been in ill health. Recently, however, she has found a cure for her ailments in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I cannot speak too highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills, or of what they have done for me," said Mrs. Keys. "My life was miserable, my back always ached, also my head. I was troubled with Neuralgia in the head and face and suffered extreme pain, but thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills, all those aches and pains have vanished like the morning dew, and it now seems that life is worth living. I consider Dodd's Kidney Pills a God-send to suffering humanity. They may rightly be named the Elixir of Youth."

"While speaking of my own case and the wonderful benefit I have received, I might also add, that my mother, who is now an old lady of 74 years and who lives with me, has been troubled more or less, with aches and pains, as is natural with one of her advanced age. When she saw what Dodd's Kidney Pills had done for me, she commenced to use them herself, and she says that they have done her more good than any other medicine she has ever tried."

"This testimony is given in the hope that others who may be afflicted as we were, may see and read it, and be benefited by it."

What Mrs. Keys states in her letter can be verified by reference to any of her many friends in this neighborhood. Dodd's Kidney Pills have already a wonderful reputation in Todd County.

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If you have Rheumatism, write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., Box 105, for six bottles of his Rheumatic Cure, express paid. Send no money. Pay \$5.00 if cured.

J. Pierpont Morgan's Busy Life.
J. Pierpont Morgan is a very busy man and his time is, of course, enormously valuable, but he always manages to attend the Episcopal general convention and has not missed one for many years. This year the convention will be held next October in San Francisco. The splendid Crocker mansion there has been placed at the disposal of Mr. Morgan for use during the convention.

\$100 Reward \$100.
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the system and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Moss for Purifying Syrup.
Besides the thousands of pounds of Spanish moss sent annually from Florida and other Southern states to Northern upholsterers, the plant has various other uses. One of these, a use that has recently been discovered, is that of a strainer and purifier of cane syrup. It has been found that a finer syrup can be made by straining the cane juice through a moss than through any other material.

Are You Lovers of the No. 100?
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If a man has a dollar put away for a future trouble, a joy comes along and gets it.

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Garfield Tea has long been recognized as the greatest remedy for bowel and liver troubles; it is made from simple herbs that cure chronic constipation.

A new ordinance in Seattle, Wash., prohibits side entrances to saloons.

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. Prices 25 and 50c.

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A noiseless street piano would fill a long-felt want.

FUTNAM FADELESS DYES do not stain the hands or spot the kettle.

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PAYS FIVE TIMES AS MUCH AS CORK.
Buy Rice and in S. E. Texas and S. W. La. at 10 to 15 cents per bushel. Write N. L. Mills, Houston, Texas. Cameron & Moore, Liberty, Texas. Geo. J. McMillan, Beaumont, Texas. E. C. Brown, Jennings, La. Hiram C. Wheeler, Galveston, Texas. Geo. Smith via Santa Fe, El Paso, and So. Pac. 15 cents.

Some writers suffer from cramp in the fingers and others from cramp of the brain.

FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. King's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE \$2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kane, Ltd., 931 Arden St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Love is responsible for a lot of earthly misery by being elsewhere when wanted.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. See a bottle.

A sweetheart is a charming fancy, but a wife is very apt to be a solemn fact.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—MRS. THOMAS ROBERTS, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1901.

Cotton exports brought to this country \$119,000,000 more in 1900 than in 1899.

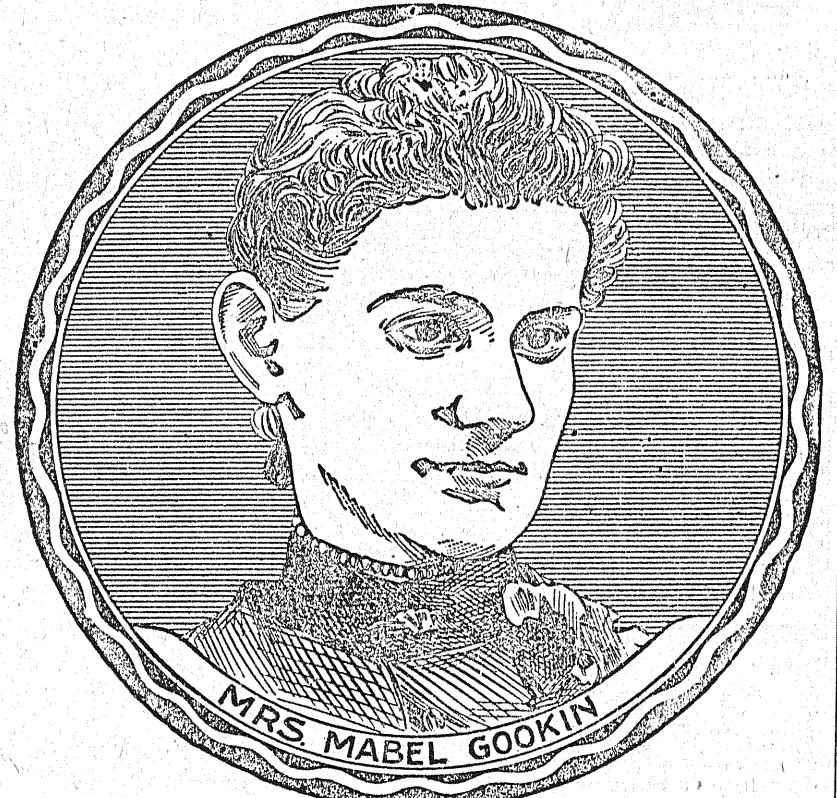
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A young man seldom believes that a girl enjoys a kiss unless he has it from her own lips.

Dr. Bull's
Cures all Throat and Lung Affections.
COUGH SYRUP
Get the genuine. Refuse substitutes.
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Salvation Oil cures Rheumatism. 15 & 25 cts.

New England Women

Have an Abiding Faith in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



After years of struggle to attain and merit public confidence, with a firm and steadfast belief that some day others would recognize in us the truth, good faith, and honesty of purpose which we know we possess, what a genuine satisfaction it is to succeed, and to realize the uplifting influence of the merited confidence of a vast army of our fellow beings.

Thus stands the Pinkham name in New England, and all over America, and nowhere is the faith in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound greater than in New England, its home. Merit, and merit alone, can gain this.

ORGANIC INFLAMMATION.
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was troubled very badly with inflammation of the bladder, was sick in bed with it. I had two doctors, but they did me no good. A friend gave me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it helped me. I have now taken three bottles of it, and I am entirely cured. It is a God-send to any woman, and I would recommend it to any one suffering as I was. I think, if most of the women would take more of your medicine, instead of going to the doctors, they would be better off. The Compound has also cured my husband of kidney trouble."

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"FOR TWO YEARS I suffered from nervous prostration, the result of female weakness. I had leucorrhoea very badly, and at time of menstruation would be obliged to go to bed. Also suffered with headaches, pain across back, and in lower part of abdomen. I was so discouraged. I had read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, and concluded to give it a trial. I wrote to Mrs. Pinkham, and received a very nice letter in return. I began at once the use of her Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and am now feeling splendid. I have no more pain at monthly periods, can do my own work, and have gained ten pounds. I would not be without your Vegetable Compound. It is a splendid medicine. I am very thankful for what it has done for me."—Mrs. J. W. J., 76 Carolina Ave., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

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LONGING.
Of all the myriad moods of mind that through the soul come thronging, which one was dear so dear, so kind, so beautiful as Longing?
The thing we long for, that we are for one transcendent moment, Before the Present, poor and bare, Can make its sneering comment.

Still, through our paltry stir and strife, Glows down the wished ideal, And Longing molds in clay what Life Carves in the marble Real;
To let the new life in, we know, Desire must open the portal— Perhaps the longing to be so Helps make the soul immortal.

Longing is God's fresh heavenward will With our poor earthward striving; We quench it that we may be still Content with merely living.
But, would we learn that heart's full scope Which we hourly wronging, Our lives must climb from hope to hope And realize our longing.

Ah! let us hope that to our praise Good God not only reckons The moments when we tread his ways But when the spirit beckons: That some slight good is also wrought, Beyond self-satisfaction, When we are simply good in thought, However we fall in action.
—James Russell Lowell.

Harry Wauchope's Reprieve.

BY WILLIAM McLEOD RAINE.
(Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.)
Harry Wauchope came briskly out of the Faculty Room, wearing on his face the boyish, defiant smile that was meant to express supreme unconcern. He stopped for a moment at the drinking fountain in the great hall and the smile died from his face as he filled the cup, emptied it absently, half filled it again, and then turned impatiently away.

Restlessly he wandered over to the bulletin board and read the students' "lost" notices, wondering wearily why people posted the loss of such trivial things as text books and society pins. He read that "if the person who stole a tennis racket marked J. M. K. from the gym. last Thursday evening will return same to 43 Elm street all will be forgiven and no reward will be required," and it did not seem to him a bit funny. Beneath that was the announcement of the football game at Travis Field which was to decide the class championship. He remembered how he had looked forward to playing in it, and talked over the chances of winning, and hoped and feared, until it had become a great thing with him and with all the team that they should win the game and the championship for the class; now it struck him sharply that the game was being played at that moment, and he was not "in it" and never would be again. He could even hear the dull yelling of the crowd on the side lines. Occasionally there came to him the short, sharp, triumphant "X, C, V—I—I," which told him that his class was winning.

Wauchope thought of all he would miss, how the strong bonds of fellowship that he had formed on the ball ground and in the societies and at class meetings would be snapped when he went away, and not a soul among them would care anything about him after the first feeling of regret that their reckless, lawless classmate had been expelled. He could imagine them saying to each other, "What? Jack fired! Poor devil! Well, it had to come sooner or later."

He had made few close friends, but he knew a good many who would be glad to see him humbled; and he resolved that they should never know how hard he was hit. He would carry himself with the same jaunty devil-may-care insouciance he had always worn, so that no man could say he wined. Involuntarily he straightened himself, thrust his hands deep into his coat pockets, and lounged over to the large western windows overlooking the Gym courts.

His restless fingers, unconsciously working, clutched a piece of cardboard Five minutes later the door opened again to let out a young man with the eager light of happiness shining from his eyes. He made straight for the great stairway which led to the gallery and the Annual office, and as he went up the steps three at a time his heart kept singing:

"Another chance, Alice, girl. Reprieved! Reprieved!"

OVERCOMING BAD LUCK.
Suggestions of Charms for the Breaking Down of a "Jinx."
William Bowerman of West Manayunk smashed an heirloom, a looking-glass, a few days ago, and now fully believes that he will have bad luck for seven years unless the spell is broken by some magic charm. He has requested the colored residents of his neighborhood to furnish him with charms, and has already received a lot of advice. One dame tells him to hire a lively horse and drive the animal until the shoe of its left hind foot falls off, and then to nail the shoe over the front door. Nelson Harrison told him to stick a three-pronged fork over the door, to take an old broom and fill it full of wood ashes, and then blindfolded, to knock the fork down with the broom. "If the fork sticks up in the floor," said Nelson Harris, "the hoodoo is gone." Another colored man told Bowerman to steal thirteen hairs from the tail of a moon-eyed spotted mare, to paste them over the back of the broken glass, and bury the glass in a cemetery devoted exclusively to colored people. "Carry a rabbit's foot," "get a horse chestnut from the tree that hangs on the top limb of a burr, and plant it in a graveyard," throw on the last day of the year and wear a woolen stocking inside out on the left foot for seven weeks." Such are the charms that have been received by Bowerman, and they will be given a fair trial until the spell is broken.—Philadelphia Record

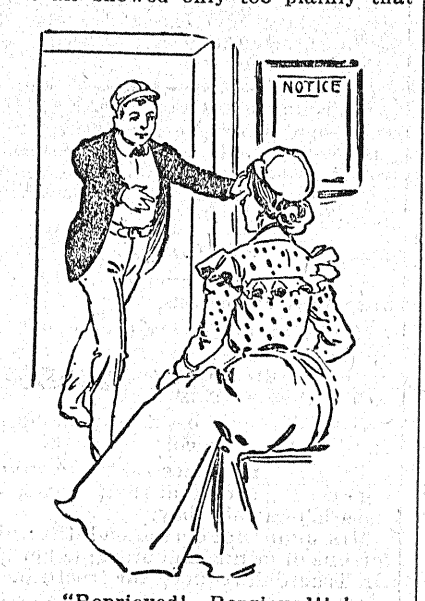
He stopped at the drinking fountain, and drew it out of his pocket. It was a programme of the last class show, and the sight of it gave a wrench to his thoughts that hurt with a sharper pain. He remembered just how Alice had looked, how beautifully sweet and serene she had appeared in that fetching light gray dress of hers, how she had seemed so much less reserved and more friendly than usual. It had swept across his mind at the time that possibly the thing he wanted most in all the world might some day be within his reach, and he had resolved that he would make such a man of himself as would be worthy of her.

But that was nothing new. Ever since he had come to thinking of her in this way he had found himself bent on high achievement. He knew his work in the classroom had steadily improved. He had surprised more than one professor by his sudden keen application. Yet he had been surprised to find how hard it was to drop his work when he had set his face steadily in the other direction. He had never taken himself seriously before. Naturally other people had accepted him

as a joke and a laughing-stock, and now refused to consider him seriously. They had thought it was some new "grind" he was getting on them. And when they saw he was in earnest they raised him about his reform, asking him how long it was since New Year's, until he was forced almost in self-defense into occasional lapses.

Why the deuce was it that he could never keep his fingers out of a bit of tempting mischief? If Gray and Tomlinson wanted to kidnap the president of the Junior class what business was it of his? He might have known that it was just his luck to come to grief over the affair.

He had known from the first that his case was hopeless. His misdeeds had been up for consideration too many times before for him to expect any mercy now. The moment he had entered the Faculty Room he had seen that he stood no chance. If they had been severe he would have felt it a hopeful sign, but this cold, business-like air showed only too plainly that



"Reprieved! Reprieved!" his hearing was a mere formality. They had galled him inexpressibly by their coldness, and he had been in return politely insolent and unconcerned. Yet he would have given anything for another chance, though his pride would not let him ask for it.

They had asked him a question or two, and he had answered them. Then they had permitted him to retire while they made their decision. Wauchope felt that he could foretell just what that decision would be. With the usual lack of perspective which pertains in youth Harry saw a long vista of hopeless years stretch before him, all full of failure and misery. That was in the distance, but the immediate future looked black enough to him. How could he face his father after having dragged their common name in the dust—that name of which they were both so proud? And his mother—ah, he dare not think of her. He might break down if he did.

A wisp of paper floated down to him from the gallery above. Wauchope looked up in time to note the swish of a disappearing skirt. A note was penciled on the scrap of paper. "I shall be in the Annual office. Come to me as soon as you know the decision." ALICE.

Harry flushed when he read it, and then he groaned. He knew that it meant she was going to stand by him, and he fought with a sudden lump in his throat.

"Oh, you splendid girl, do you think I shall let you sacrifice yourself for a disgraced man? I may be a worthless scamp, but I'm not such a bound as that," he cried to himself, and set his teeth bitterly at thought of the futility of a too-late repentance.

The door of the Faculty Room opened and a professor stepped out. "Mr. Wauchope, can we see you a moment?" he asked.

"Certainly, sir," answered the lad, and followed him proudly into the judgment chamber.

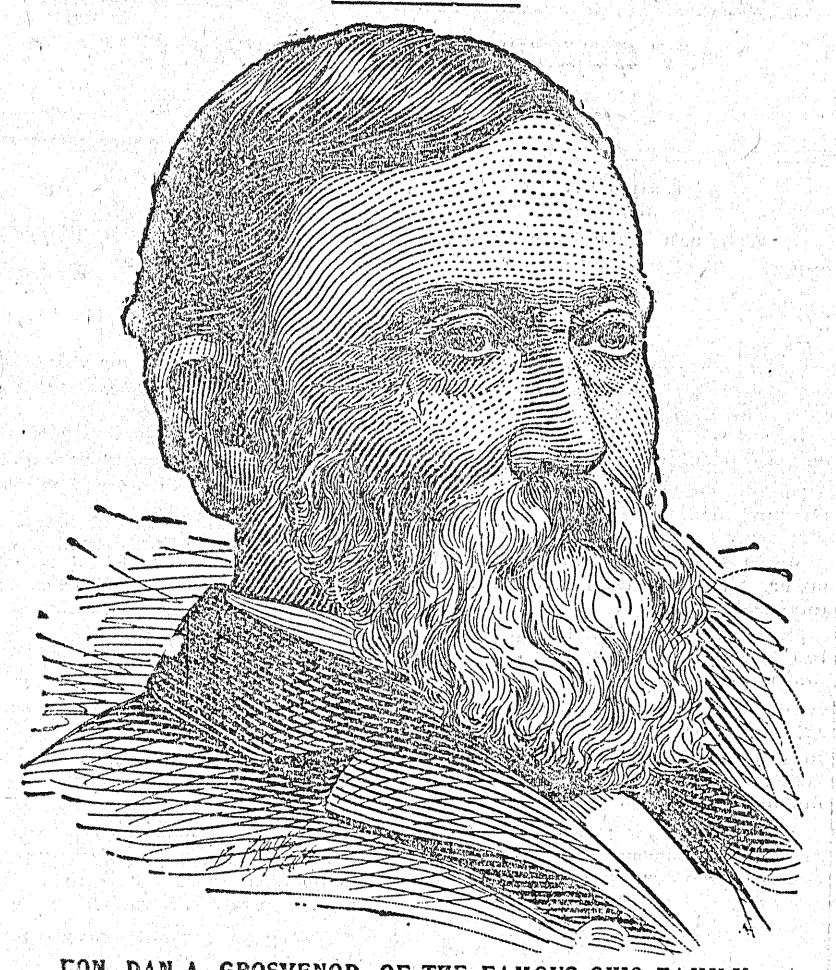
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Hon. Dan A. Grosvenor, Deputy Auditor for the War Department, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., says:
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Dan A. Grosvenor.
Hon. John Williams, County Commissioner, Duluth, Minn., says the following in his letter, of 517 West Second street, regard to Peruna: "As a remedy for

catarrh I can cheerfully recommend Peruna. I know what it is to suffer from that terrible disease and I feel that it is my duty to speak a good word for the tonic that brought me immediate relief. Peruna cured me of a bad case of catarrh and I know it will cure any other sufferer from that disease."

Miss Mattie L. Guild, President Illinois Young People's Christian Temperance Union, in a recent letter from Chicago, Ill., says:
"I doubt if Peruna has a rival in all the remedies recommended to-day for catarrh of the system. A remedy that will cure catarrh of the stomach will cure the same condition of the mucous membrane anywhere. I have found it the best remedy I have ever tried for catarrh, and I believe it worthy my endorsement I gladly accord it."

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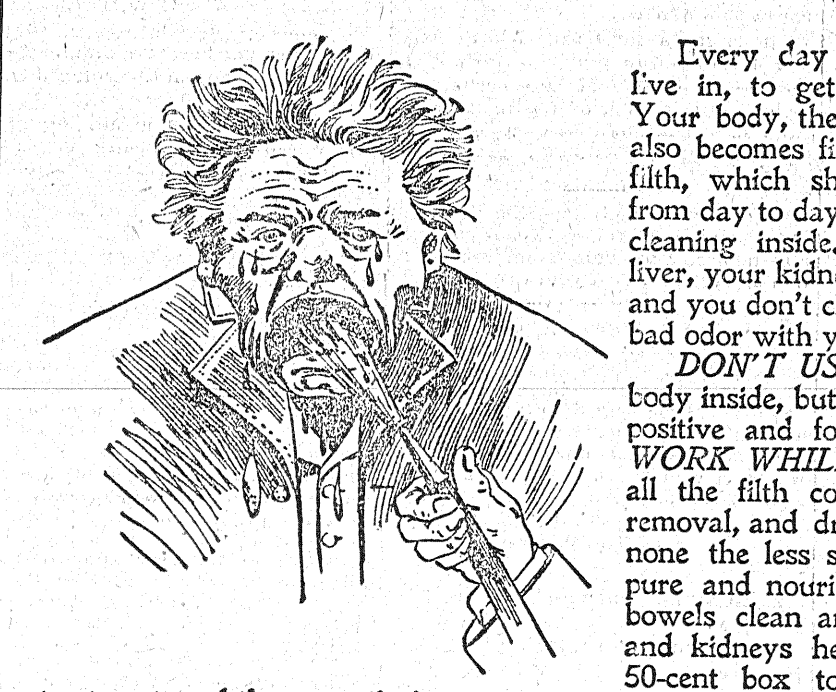
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Kingston.

Fred Clark made a trip to Marlette on Monday.

A. C. Best and family have moved to their farm near King's Mills.

Jas. VanWagoner is packing up, preparatory to moving to Oxford.

Geo. E. Hopps has commenced the excavations for his new block.

Every Lady should read the new advertisement of Dixon & Swales.

J. K. Thomas has about decided to take up his residence in Detroit.

Remember that I. A. Fritz, the dentist, is to be in town next Tuesday.

Dr. Geo. Bates has just purchased a fine new buggy from Geo. E. Hopps.

The L. O. T. M.'s had a special meeting in Burns' Hall on Friday evening.

M. A. Smith has been attending the Embalming School at Detroit this week.

David Steele, the smithy, purchased a Garland range from N. H. Burns this week.

Dr. W. J. Hanna expects to move to the Geo. C. Veit house in the near future.

M. A. Smith has purchased the store building he now occupies, from J. K. Thomas.

It is reported that scarlet fever has broken out in the family of Jesse Cooper.

Mr. Avery has moved from the Patton building to the W. H. Roy house on Pine Street.

J. B. Hartsell, of the Roller Mills, has leased the Stephenson residence on River Street.

Indian Dave and a comrade visited our village on Wednesday and disposed of a few furs.

District Deputy Duford, of the K. O. T. M., assisted the Kingston Tent on Wednesday evening.

A fine new wind mill does the pumping at the Lyman Hill residence, just placed by N. H. Burns.

Supervisors D. H. Ross and O. Harris are busy taking the assessments of their respective townships.

Andrew Osborn, of Novesta, lost another child from scarlet fever on Tuesday evening, aged three years.

Mrs. J. B. Beverley has been very ill this week, but under the care of Dr. W. J. Hanna she is reported much better.

The creamery is to start next Monday. If you haven't arranged to send milk yet it is time to do so. Hurry up!

Willis Sileet has closed his shop temporarily and is serving as engineer at W. J. Bell's mill, in Koylton township.

J. K. Thomas has sold his sixty-five acre farm, one mile west and one-half mile south of town to Henry Graves. Consideration, \$1,500.

The Easter program given at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning was unusually fine and the collection for missions amounted to \$12.

The Methodist Sunday school has decided to procure some sacred music and have the Legg brothers furnish band music for the school.

C. W. Hildie has improved his residence property greatly by the setting of a fine row of poplars along the Washington Street frontage.

Geo. Brown, who has operated a saw mill southeast of town for the past two years, has sold the same to W. J. Bell, and leaves in a few days for Montana, where he intends to remain.

Application has been made for the forming of a new school district, to effect districts No. 1, 4 and 6 in Kingston township. The new district is said to contain forty children of school age.

Our village fathers, at their meeting on Tuesday evening, decided to paint the exterior of the village hall, and to have a small door placed in the front, to obviate using the large doors so much.

Nothing definite has been given out regarding the management of our hotel for the coming year, but it is understood that a gentleman by the name of Sherman, of Detroit, has been negotiating for it.

M. R. King has received his planer and is placing it in position on his lot at the corner of Pine Street and Kingsbury alley. He has also purchased a fifteen horse power Howe gasoline engine and is awaiting its arrival.

The Farmers' Club met at the home

of James VanWagoner on Friday, April 8th. Over sixty persons were served at dinner, after which a number of different subjects were discussed with interest. Miss Ruby M. Randall furnished music which was well received. The Club decided to patronize the creamery this season. The next meeting will be held at Robt. H. King's on the first Friday in May, at 1:30 a. m. H. C. Jeffery, Cor. Sec.

Although it is true that every farmer keeps poultry to a greater or less extent, in many cases it is merely left to the women or children, and we doubt if one-half the men realize the benefit derived from the poultry actually kept on the farm, saying nothing of what might be derived from it with proper attention. E. A. Randall, one of our leading merchants, informed us this week that he was now handling about \$100 worth of eggs a week. We have three general stores which probably handle about the same, besides several other places of business where eggs are taken the same as cash. Do a little figuring yourselves and see what an important factor this is to our well being, and perhaps the good wife could give you a few pointers about how far the yield of eggs goes towards keeping the grocery bill paid. Old Biddy will hold her own with anything you can keep on the farm, if given a fair chance. Most of the eggs taken in here are sold to J. H. Hanley & Sons, of Marlette, whose wagons make regular trips here. The convenient way of handling them in crates is in striking contrast to the old laborious method of packing in barrels, etc., as by the old method it would be practically impossible to handle the present product.

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All doctors have tried to cure CATARRH by the use of powders, acid gases, inhalers and drugs in paste form. Their powders dry up the mucous membrane, causing them to crack open and bleed. The powerful acids used in the inhalers have entirely eaten away the same membrane that their makers have aimed to cure, while pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and experienced practitioner who has for many years made a close study and specialty of the treatment of CATARRH, has at last perfected a treatment which when faithfully used, not only relieves at once, but permanently cures CATARRH, by removing the cause, stopping the discharges, and curing all inflammation. It is the only remedy known to science that actually reaches the afflicted parts. This wonderful remedy is known as "SNUFFLES" the GUARANTEED CATARRH CURE, and is sold at the extremely low price of One Dollar, each package containing internal and external medicine sufficient for a full month's treatment and everything necessary to its perfect use.

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Elkton.

The creamery will begin operations next Monday.

Bert Gowan will open up the mill a mile north of here.

Wm. Fitzgerald assisted in the "Advance" office last week.

Many artistic signs are being painted by Wm. Fitzgerald.

The Franklin Stock Co. will soon appear in the opera house.

Very large fish are daily being speared in the Pinnebog River.

John Kaercher, of Sebringville, Ont., arrived here last week.

A. J. Aldrich has moved into the rooms over Aldrich's store.

Wm. McNabb is employed in the P. M. depot here as apprentice.

Emanuel Stahl is employed in the Elkton Mercantile Co's store as clerk.

Miss Florence Pomeroy, of Ann Arbor, is visiting her friend, Rev. E. I. Kaab.

Chas. Hall, of the firm of Taylor & Hall, purchased the latter's interest last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Walker, of Bay City, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Walker.

The graduating class of 1901 numbers only 3, the one boy having secured a position and discontinued going to school.

Rev. Berger, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Church, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening. Rev. Seabury is his successor.

M. Vin Randall met fifteen of his friends at a progressive cakewalk party last Tuesday evening. Wm. Fitzgerald and Miss Gertie Bauck were winners.

Mr. Hagley and family moved their household effects to Benj. Holtzman's farm, four miles south, while the latter will occupy Root, Schiele's house on Mill St.

On Wednesday evening a crowd of masqueraded ladies surprised Mrs. Wm. Stephens. You missed seeing the ladies dance, the cake walk, Scotch reel, two step and highland fling.

Boy Shot at North Branch

Last week's exchanges reported a shocking fatality at North Branch whereby Ray O. Vincent, aged 14 years, met his death. He and several associates were practicing target shooting with revolvers. Young Vincent had a new revolver of an improved pattern and while one of the others was examining it, the weapon was accidentally discharged and the bullet struck Vincent in the abdomen, pierced one of the lobes of the liver, bruised the outer coating of the stomach and passed clear through the body. A surgeon was called from Saginaw and assisted the local physicians in an operation, but the wound was so serious to permit the saving of life. The shooting occurred on the 5th inst. and he died on the 11th.

The lingering cough following gripe calls for One Minute Cough Cure. For all throat and lung troubles this is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Prevents consumption. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

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Marlette, Cass City, North Branch and Imlay City will organize a baseball circuit for the coming summer. Marlette has \$100 raised for a starter.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin aids digestion. Sold by A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The M. E. Society, of Marlette, will erect a \$7,000 church this year. Pledges to the amount of \$4,500 have already been received.

See that you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. The genuine is a certain cure for piles, sores and skin diseases. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Mayville is to have a new band.

I. W. Herbert of Uby, and John Piercy, of Marlette, have formed a partnership and have opened up a cash produce depot in Uby.

When you are bilious, use those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers to cleanse the liver and bowels. They never gripe. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The large farm house of J. Soper, three miles southeast of Marlette, burned Sunday. The family barely escaped with their lives. Loss about \$3,000 with light insurance. Mr. Soper had \$300 in cash burned in the house. —Mayville Monitor.

Whose Girl Are You?

Do you ever have the headache so you can't go to the theatre with him? Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cures headache, and if you take it according to directions you can prevent its return. Sold by A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The work of dredging the Cass river in Sanilac county will be commenced within a few weeks. The ditch will be over twenty miles long and twenty-five feet wide on the bottom. It is expected that it will reclaim 10,000 acres of good farming land and that is now covered with cat-tails. The cost of the work will be \$33,000.

Sick Headache

is the bane of women. What is wanted is not relief alone, but relief and cure. Dr. Loyd Ford's Dyspeptide will cure sick headache for all time. It makes the stomach right. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Running sores, ulcers, boils, pimples, etc., quickly cured by Banner Salve, the most healing salve in the world. A sure cure for piles. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The Postoria postoffice and millinery store, situated in the building owned and occupied by Loretta Dawson, burned at noon Friday. Nearly all government matters were saved except considerable United States mail. Mrs. Dawson had a narrow escape, her hair being quite badly burned. Insurance \$600, loss quite heavy.

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QUICK RELIEF FROM PAIN.

All who use Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism are delighted with the quick relief from pain which it affords. When speaking of this Mr. D. N. Sinks, of Troy, Ohio, says: "Some time ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism in my arm and shoulder. I tried numerous remedies but got no relief until I was recommended by Messrs. Geo. F. Parson & Co., druggists of this place, to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. They recommended it so highly that I bought a bottle. I was soon relieved of all pain. I have since recommended this ointment to many of my friends, who agree with me that it is the best remedy for muscular rheumatism in the market." For sale at Bond's Drug Store.

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FACTS FOR SICK PEOPLE.

The News-Tribune of July 30th, 1898, said: "It is no invidious comparison to say that no specialist in Detroit or in the State of Michigan, has had such a wide experience, and as an expert diagnostician there are few equals in this country."

Mrs. Edna Johnson, of Detroit, who has been seriously afflicted with a complication of diseases for years, makes the following unsolicited statement. She says: "I wish to state that for years I have been a great sufferer from heart disease, and catarrh of the stomach, with nervous debility. I would have nervous spells every few days in which I would lose consciousness. Having treated with more than a dozen different doctors, with no benefit, I determined to try the Detroit Clinic, having had a number of friends who were cured there. I placed myself under treatment at the Clinic, and am happy to say that I improved right along, and all of the distressing symptoms have left me, and I most heartily recommend the wonderful treatment to all sufferers."—Edna Johnson.

Mr. George Lancelwood, of Marquette, says: "I can never repay the Detroit Clinic for the great benefit I have received from them. When I commenced treatment I only weighed 108 pounds, and had a distressing cough and night sweats. After taking six months' treatment I have gained twenty-three pounds; cough is all gone, and I am as well as ever. After two months' treatment I was well enough to resume my work, that of a stationary engineer, and have been at work since. The treatment did not interfere with my work."—George Lancelwood.

Mrs. C. M., of Birmingham, Mich., was cured of Bronchitis and Catarrh after she had been given up by several physicians, who said she had consumption.

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CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

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The Indian natives distrust the sovereign, and will have none of it as cash. In Madras, however, they are beginning to wear sovereigns as necklaces, and goldsmiths in Calcutta are melting down the coin for clients who want their sweethearts' bangles to be made of something guaranteed by the government.

Among the newest constructions of the Russian navy to engage the energies of the ship building plant at Nicolaieff will be a new cruiser of 13,000 tons, 17,000 horse power and eighteen knots speed. Besides this, the same yards will launch a protected cruiser of 6,400 tons, 15,500 horse power and twenty-three knots speed.

An Italian medical paper describes the results of an expedition sent out by the government to study the mosquito theory of malaria. They went to one of the most malarious regions in the kingdom, but as all wore protective masks only one man out of 104 got malaria, and he, it was discovered, was in the habit of displacing the mask at night in order to smoke.

But a little more than an eighth of the sum annually paid by the government for pensions goes to the south. There are nearly 1,000,000 pensioners of the civil war, and last year 179,533 were residents of the 15 southern states, including Maryland and Missouri. The southern states themselves, however, pay not inconsiderable sums as pensions for those who fought in "the lost cause."

It is reported from St. Petersburg that the people belonging to the religious sect called Duchaoborzen have left the Caucasus and found a new home in Canada. The Molokans, another Russian sect residing in Transcaucasia, also wish to emigrate to North America. They number about 50,000, and are located in Tiflis, Jellawetopol, Baku, and Kars. They are known as industrious agriculturists and are prompted to emigrate on account of lack of land and increased taxation.

A discovery of much interest was recently made at Concord, Mass. There was found in the attic of the house in which Thoreau lived a quantity of lead pencils stamped "Thoreau and Son." It was then remembered that the great naturalist and his father once earned their bread by the manufacture of such pencils. Those that were discovered the other day are naturally in great demand, and have probably fetched higher prices than were paid at any time to the makers themselves.

"Everybody," says "The Lewiston (Me.) Journal," "has read of the splendid fittings and fine furnishings of the monster schooners built in Maine in the last three years. The sixmasted George Wells, built at Camden last summer, has a grand piano in his cabin, and there is plenty of room for it, too. Several five-masted carry planes most of them uprights, and others have cabinet organs. Not many shipmasters know how to play, but their wives and daughters do, and it is to make the women contented at sea that the instruments are put in. Some of the largest ships and barques in long distance trades also carry pianos."

A new bond of sympathy between the public school children of the United States and their newly acquired brothers and sisters of Hawaii was created by a ceremony which recently took place in that far-off group of islands. The occasion was the raising of the stars and stripes over the Kapaemahu school. The pole from which it flies is no slim staff of pine or spruce, but a towering palm tree; yet the flag is the same which flutters over the thousands of little school-houses in this country, and it was raised to the sound of the same "America" and "Star-Spangled Banner," and with the same exercises. Let us hope that it will represent the same loyalty and devotion there as here.

The approach of Arbor day prompts The Companion to offer a suggestion. There is hardly a town in the land which does not cherish the recollection of some citizen whose life was an honor to his place and generation. Is there a suitable monument to his memory? If not, what better way is there of showing that he is not forgotten than by planting a memorial tree in his name? We cannot all endow hospitals or found public libraries, but we can all do this. A tree thus planted will bless those who come after as well as commemorate him who has gone before. It will be a better monument than a shaft of granite or marble, and it will call for nothing but a few minutes' labor and a little public spirit. The boys and girls of the public schools have here a noble opportunity to render a great service.

M. Ferand, who died recently in Paris, belonged to a family closely identified with the revolutionary history of France. His great-uncle was a member of the convention which condemned to the guillotine the unfortunate Louis XVI, and shared the fate of the royal victim, his head being stuck at the end of a pike and thrust in the face of the president, Boissy d'Anglas. M. de Goulard, the minister of finance in 1871, who raised the loan of five milliards, the famous war indemnity to the Germans, was M. Ferand's brother-in-law.

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That's What Some of the State Correspondents Report.

G. A. R. STATE ENCAMPMENT

Will be Held at Flint in June—The Shortage of the Niles First National Bank is Placed at \$160,000—Depositors Will Receive at Least 90 Per Cent of Deposits

Hammond Must Stand Trial.
A jury was secured on the 8th for the trial of D. Judson Hammond, of Pontiac, who is charged with having solicited a bribe while a member of the state legislature of 1899. Hammond was indicted by the grand jury, two bills being found against him. At the opening of court on the above date Prosecuting Attorney Tuttle announced that he would ask the court to nolle prosequi the case against Hammond, which had been brought under the statute and would try the respondent on the common law counts. District Attorney W. D. Gordon, who is associated with H. M. Zimmerman in the trial of the case against the attorney, argued a motion to quash the indictment which had been pending for nearly a year, but Judge West could not see it that way and refused to grant the request.

It took the jury just 20 minutes to convict ex-Rep. D. Judson Hammond, of Pontiac, of soliciting Jas. A. Coye, of Grand Rapids, to commit a felony by offering him a bribe. Judge West concluded his charge at exactly 5 o'clock on the 10th and the jury at once retired. In 20 minutes they returned a verdict of guilty. Only one ballot was taken.

Monthly Crop Bulletin.
In the Michigan crop report for April, issued on the 5th, Secretary of State Warner says that during March the low-lands in some sections of the state were covered with water and some damage was done to wheat. Information in regard to wheat varies, some correspondents thinking that prospects for a crop are fair, while others are of the opinion that it will again be damaged by the Hessian fly. Correspondents generally agree that the crop wintered well, but in many parts of the state the plants are full of flies ready to begin their ravages as soon as conditions are favorable. Some are expecting parasites to decrease the work of the fly, but it is difficult to estimate this factor so early in the season. Warm, dry weather will favor the fly, while cold, damp weather will be unfavorable to the hatching of a spring brood of the insects. The average condition of wheat in the state is 8, or 16 better than it was last year at this time. The average condition of meadows is 93 for the state; horses and swine, 95; sheep, 73; cattle, 94. There are some reports of large losses of spring pigs, and also that sheep and lambs are dying in some parts of the state.

G. A. R. State Encampment.
Department Commander Allen, Michigan G. A. R., has issued orders relative to the state encampment to meet at Flint in June. The Michigan Postmaster has authorized a rate of one fare for the round trip from all points in lower Michigan. Tickets to be sold June 11 and 12, limited to return on or before June 14. All communications concerning the encampment should be addressed to Andrew J. Ward, Flint. Announcement is made that the executive committee awarded the silk banner offered to the postmaster during the year to Charles Martin post, Martinsville, Wayne county; the second prize being awarded to Chas. T. Foster post, Lansing.

Niles Bank Short \$160,000.
An official who stands high in Washington and whom the people there trust absolutely, makes a statement concerning the shortage of the First National bank, of Niles, which is accepted as final. He says he has learned from the comptroller that the shortage is \$160,000. In this latter event depositors will receive very nearly all their deposits. The capital stock will make good \$100,000 of the shortage, while the surplus will take care of \$50,000 more. This would leave but \$50,000 shortage, which would easily be realized from the assessment on stock. The cost of winding up the bank's affairs will be considerable. However, it is predicted depositors will receive at least 90 per cent of their holdings.

Hostile Dog Law Notices.
Secretary of State Warner's office was busily engaged on the 8th in sending out copies of the new dog law to county clerks. The law was signed by Gov. Bliss on that day, and within three hours steps had been taken to notify all county clerks of its provisions. The law takes immediate effect and supersedes the dog license law of two years ago. Hereafter the supervisors and other assessing officers will levy a tax of \$3 on every female dog and \$1 on every male dog in their jurisdiction.

Reports from Sault Ste. Marie on the 9th say that the Soo is free of ice. Gov. Bliss on the 8th issued the customary Arbor Day proclamation, naming Friday, April 26, 1901, as Arbor Day.

Bert Tibbets, convicted of murder of Hump Jackson, in Georgetown, on Dec. 31, 1900, was on the 9th sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson prison. Gov. Bliss on the 8th received a check for \$1,510 from the general land office at Washington, the amount being 5 per cent of the moneys received for the sale of public lands in Michigan during the last fiscal year. The money has been placed to the credit of the proper fund.

A Queer Religious Sect.
Supervisor W. S. Waring, of Ogden, Lenawee county, together with some residents of South Fairfield, were in conference with Prosecuting Attorney Sampson and Judge of Probate Lurwill, at Adrian on the 9th, in regard to a queer sect that have held out at South Fairfield for a year or two. The sect is made up of four or five families, the members of which formerly belonged to the United Brethren church of that place. The leader of the new religion is Gus Wagner. It is alleged that Wagner has become deranged over religion. It is said the new sect believe that its members are vested with a new life. As an example, Charles Hagadorn, one of the new sect, was asked by his brother why he did not call to see his mother, who is quite ill. "Why, I have no mother. My name is not Charles Hagadorn; he is dead. I am a new man," was the reply he made.

Wreck on the F. & P. M.
President Herald, Manager Crapo, Passenger Agent Moeller, Supt. Agnew and other officials of the Pere Marquette railroad were going to Grand Rapids by special train from Ottawa Beach on the 9th when their train struck a caboose which projected from a siding. The caboose was smashed, the special train's engine badly damaged, and the president's car was bruised, but none of the officials were more than shaken up. The engineer and fireman applied the air brakes and then jumped to save themselves. One of them escaped with a sprained wrist. The accident occurred within the city limits of Grand Rapids and the officials walked two miles to a hotel.

Disease in Michigan.
Reports to the state board of health by representative physicians in active general practice in different parts of the state indicate that rheumatism, neuralgia, influenza, bronchitis and tonsillitis in the order named, caused most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Cerebro-spinal meningitis was reported present at 2 places; whooping cough at 13, diphtheria at 21, measles at 29, typhoid fever at 40, scarlet fever at 81, smallpox at 100 and consumption at 190.

Three Deaths From Smallpox.
The total number of deaths reported to the secretary of state for the month of March was 3,488, corresponding to a death rate of 17.2 per 1,000 population. This is an increase of 343 over the number reported for March, 1900. There were 673 deaths of infants under 1 year of age, 203 of children aged 1 to 1 years, and 1,024 deaths of persons aged 15 years and over. There were three deaths from smallpox during the month.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS.
Hillsdale has 27 women's clubs. Centreville will be dry after May 1. A summer school will be held at Durand.

Indications of coal have been found near Northville, and prospecting will soon be commenced.

Owosso business men have raised \$10,000 to be used to induce factories to locate in that city.

Additional rural free delivery service has been ordered established at Ann Arbor, to take effect May 15.

Farmers in Branch county are worried over the continued drought and cold nights. The wheat crop in the county has been almost a total failure during the past two seasons.

On the night of the 8th fire destroyed the handle factory of Mitchell Bros. at Cadillac. The loss is estimated at \$60,000, with \$40,000 insurance. It is probable that the factory will be rebuilt.

Wm. Westbrook, Chas. Van Zandt and Norman T. Bisbing, the three Farmington burglars, have been bound over to the circuit court for trial on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder.

Lansing people are greatly concerned in the smallpox outbreak in Delta township which adjoins Ingham county on the west. There are a number of cases in the township and the entire population is in danger.

Byron has a curious anomaly in the shape of John Fritz, aged 19, who is the son of the Byron saloon keeper. He is president of the Epworth League, and at the same time serves as bartender in his father's place of business.

A special from St. Clair, dated the 8th, says that the St. Clair river is between three and four feet higher than usual, caused by the ice blockade at the flats. The water is creeping into the basements of some of the stores.

Ignatius Gariati, of Detroit, was the victim of a street car accident on the afternoon of the 10th. While returning home from work on his wheel he was run down by a "Crosstown" car. Death was almost instantaneous.

A baby boy about 2 days' old was found on the 12th in the creek in the city limits of Bessemer, tied in a coffee sack with its throat cut, and a stone tied to the bag to sink it. School boys found it. The body had not been there more than one day.

Chas. Van Zant, Norman Thomas Bisbing and Wm. Westbrook, the three Farmington desperadoes, have changed their plea of not guilty to guilty of the charge of assault with intent to murder. Bail was fixed at \$2,500, and they will be sentenced on the 15th.

The Houghton county street railway earned a profit despite the unusual expenses of the winter season, and the fact that only the Portage lake end of the line is in operation. The company will reach Calumet in June, and will construct an excellent system of city lines, covering Red Jacket, Laurium and all the important surrounding mining locations.

Mrs. Frank Gray, of Mills, heard a noise in the chicken coop. She investigated and discovered a large bear trying to loot the henhouse. She got her husband's Winchester rifle and killed him, emptying the magazine.

CUBA AND PHILIPPINE NEWS.

The establishment of civil government in the Philippines, which is to take place about July 1, brings up the question of who will be in supreme authority under the President. The law says that "all military, civil and judicial powers shall be vested in such person or persons as the President shall direct." The language has been weighed very carefully and the designation "person" followed by "persons" is taken to mean that the President shall name one to have supreme command under his own direction and that the "persons" shall be those acting under that command. Judge Taft, it is understood, is to be the governor of the islands, but it will be necessary to have some one in Washington to act as a medium of communication between the President and the governor.

Since the rebellion in the Philippines, 50,000 is the lowest estimate of the war department of the casualties sustained by the Filipino forces; 7,067 rifles have been captured or surrendered; 605,142 rounds of ammunition, as shown by incomplete returns, have been seized. The number of Filipinos killed cannot be accurately determined, as Gen. MacArthur, in his dispatches, states that it is impossible to be accurate on this point. It would not surprise officials should the Filipino fatalities reach 25,000, and some say that 50,000 is closer to the real figures. Adj. Gen. Corbin is satisfied that the casualties suffered by the Filipinos will in themselves form a potent reason for the abandonment of further resistance by the natives.

Instructions have been cabled by Secretary of Navy Long to Rear Admiral Remy, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic station, authorizing him to make a statement concerning Aguinaldo now. It is possible that Aguinaldo will soon be removed from the Malacanang palace to a large house, with pleasant grounds in a fashionable part of the city of Manila, beside the Pasig river, which is being renovated and prepared for occupancy. Aguinaldo is purchasing diamonds and other jewelry. He continues to receive certain visitors, but newspaper correspondents are excluded. It is believed he is reluctant to sign the manifesto he is preparing owing to the conditions attached to it.

Fifteen hundred pounds of dynamite were used on the 4th in blowing up the forward superstructure of the sunken U. S. collier Merrimack, which has long impeded the entrance to the harbor. Divers found 40 feet of clear water over the forward portion of the wreck. In a week the residue will be blown up, thus completely clearing the harbor entrance.

Although the officials are uncomfortable it is nevertheless said that Aguinaldo signed the peace manifesto on the 9th. Chief Justice Arellano drafted the document. Aguinaldo strongly objected to two clauses of the manifesto and considerable argument was required to overcome his objections.

Col. Aba, the insurgent leader of Zamboanga province, with 13 officers, 83 men and 92 rifles, surrendered to Lieut. Col. Manel C. Goorell, commanding the marines stationed at Olango, on Subig bay on the 8th. Gen. Malvar, with about 300 men and as many rifles, is expected to surrender shortly at Silang, in Cavite province.

The trial of M. Brix Hoelterman, the Belgian who was connected with the Philippine Trading Co., and whose arrest on the charge of furnishing supplies to the insurgents was announced Feb. 19, has been completed. The evidence of the Filipino colonel, Herrera, who recently surrendered, clinched the prosecution. The colonel testified that Hoelterman had furnished money and rice supplies to the insurgents.

Under the old regulations, cockpits will be re-established in Manila, the privilege of conducting them being granted to the widow of Capt. Lara, who commanded the native police of the city. Formerly the municipal revenue derived from cock fighting amounted to \$6,000 annually.

Gen. Sandico, a former member of Aguinaldo's cabinet, has surrendered to the American authorities at Cabanatuan, in the province of New Ecija. He has a bad record and may be tried.

No American Land for Britain.
Negotiations on the Hay-Pauncefote abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty are progressing, though they have not yet passed the tentative stage. A representative of the Associated Press says that they are being conducted on a quid pro quo basis and that no other method of abrogation would be considered by the British government. The foreign office hopes that a settlement, satisfactory to both the U. S. and Great Britain will be arrived at before congress is reconvened.

Nineteen cases of smallpox exist at Oak Harbor, O., and the entire town is quarantined.

Terry McGovern is matched to fight 20 rounds at 124 pounds with Oscar Gardner at the Twentieth Century Athletic club, San Francisco, April 30.

Bids for the transportation of troops and supplies between New York city and Havana, Manzanillo, Cienfuegos, Santiago, Manzanillo, Gibara and Nuevitas, in Cuba, and San Juan, Porto Rico, have been asked by Col. A. S. Kimball, U. S. A., depot quartermaster. Army transports carried approximately between Jan. 1 and Mar. 31, to Cuba, 5,321 tons of supplies and 870 passengers, and to Porto Rico, 635 tons of supplies and 400 passengers.

STATUE OF LOGAN UNVEILED

A Monument to a Hero Exhibited to Public View at Washington.

LAND SLIDE AT CRIPPLE CREEK,

Colorado, Causes the Death of a Whole Family—Recent Snow Storms Softened Dump and Caused Same to Slide—Boutelle's Successor has Been Elected.

Monument to a Hero Unveiled.
The magnificent equestrian statue of Gen. John Logan, erected in Iowa circle, Washington, in loving memory of the distinguished warrior and statesman by his comrades in arms and by the people, was unveiled on the 9th. The ceremony occurred in the presence of an immense assemblage, including President McKinley and the members of his cabinet, the surviving members of Gen. Logan's family and many persons eminent in the military and civil life of the nation. A grandson of the general, Master George Tucker, drew the silken cord which released the fluttering flags that draped the statue and disclosed to view the heroic bronze figure.

Tom L. Cuts Loose on Taxation.
Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, has decided that the corporations doing business in that city do not pay their just proportion of taxes and has taken steps to have their assessments increased. A force of clerks has been put to work preparing a list of all the big concerns, together with blue prints of their establishments and the taxes they pay. When full information has been obtained the mayor proposes to go before the city board of equalization and demand that the corporations be compelled to pay what he terms equitable taxes. The mayor, it is announced, will make a special effort to show that the steam and electric railways are assessed far too low.

Whole Family Wiped Out.
The family of Jas. Smith, including the father, mother and four children, were instantly killed in their home on the night of the 9th by the sliding of the huge dump of the Granite mine, near Cripple Creek, Col. The Smith residence was located just below the base of the dump. The recent snows had softened the dump so that the top suddenly slid down, crushing the house and burying its inmates. Hundreds of men are now digging away the dirt and rock.

Boutelle's Successor.
The special election in the 4th Maine congressional district on the 8th to choose a successor to Hon. Chas. Boutelle, resulted in a victory for ex-Gov. Llewellyn Powers, of Houlton, the Republican candidate, by a majority estimated at slightly more than 2,000 over Thos. White, Democrat. In September Mr. Boutelle's majority in the district was more than 10,000.

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

A rather unexpected result has followed Mr. Chamberlain's recent speech in support of the scheme for sending women out to South Africa at the conclusion of the war. An enormous number of letters has been received from women eager to emigrate and reluctant to wait till hostilities are ended. One woman who wrote direct to Lord Salisbury said she was prepared to go out on her own with her mother and sisters, but she indicated no particular sphere of usefulness. Another wrote to the colonial office in behalf of herself and a few other "first-class lady barbers." Naturally the colonial office authorities are doing their utmost to discourage applications from women other than those who are self-dependent, and girls of the servant type are urgently advised not to go out at all. It is very doubtful whether there will be any openings for them, and the public funds cannot be used for the purpose of granting free passages to the Cape.

According to a dispatch from Lord Kitchener, Plumer occupied Pietersburg on the 8th with slight opposition, capturing two locomotives and 39 trucks. The capture of Pietersburg is regarded in London as important. The place is the terminus of the railway and has been the capital of the Boer government since the evacuation of Pretoria. The whole northern railway is now in the hands of the British. According to the dispatch only one officer and one man were killed. The Boers evacuated the town during the night prior to Plumer's arrival, after blowing up two trucks loaded with ammunition.

Lord Kitchener on the 9th reported that a detachment of a hundred men, 5th Lancers and Imperial Yeomanry, were attacked by 400 Boers to the northward of Aberdeen, Cape Colony, and that after several hours' fighting the British were surrounded and captured with the exception of 25 who succeeded in making their escape.

In Transvaal quarters at London it is declared that Gen. Botha will shortly renew peace negotiations.

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DOINGS OF THE 41ST SESSION.

The house passed the following bills on the 11th: Appropriating \$179,000 for the industrial school for boys; providing that foreign fire and life insurance agents must obtain certificates of authority from the state insurance commissioner; appropriating \$34,000 for two years for the state library; to do away with double taxation of mortgages; authorizing Saginaw traction company to manufacture salt from the surplus steam and furnish power lighting and manufacturing to private corporations; to abolish the political convention system throughout the state so that all candidates for office may be voted by the direct vote of the people, with referendum clause attached; to tax the property of railroads, telegraph, telephone, express, sleeping cars and fast freight line companies on the ad valorem basis; entering the open season of catching trout and whitefish in the waters of Lake Huron, Saginaw bay, Green bay and Lake Erie; amending the charter of the city of Grand Rapids for the state tax \$10,000; to the Mackinac Island board of commissioners for the purpose of improving the Mackinac Island state parks, roads and walks, the state to receive 3 per cent interest each year for 10 years on the money; appropriating \$500 for a monument to E. May Tower, the Michigan army nurse who died in Porto Rico, monument shall be erected at Byron; appropriating \$65,400 for the school for the blind.

Rep. Chandler's ad valorem railroad tax bill, amended so that the state tax commission alone shall constitute the assessing board, was reported out for printing on the 9th by the committee on railroads. The bill is amended so that it will not go into effect until Jan. 1, 1902, when the repeal of the special railroad charters—the Michigan Central, the Lake Shore, etc.—will have become effective. If it were given effect at an earlier date, some of the roads for a year would be paying specific tax while others would be paying ad valorem taxes. The bill provides for the assessing of the property of railroad, telegraph, telephone, express, sleeping-car and fast freight line companies on the ad valorem system.

The following bills were passed by the senate on the 9th: Amending the law relative to the incorporation of associations for camp meetings, assemblies, etc.; to authorize Hastings to borrow \$8,000 to pay debts; to amend Detroit's charter so that the controller may publish an annual "tabulated" statement of accounts instead of a detailed one; raising the salary of Wayne county's clerk, treasurer and register of deeds—given immediate effect; relative to the competency of witnesses in certain cases; to require fire escapes in hotels; relative to the time for the commencement of personal actions; relative to the popular election of U. S. senators; to prohibit the unlawful use of G. A. R. badges, etc.

The following bills were passed by the house on the 10th: Increasing the number of wards in the city of Petoskey to four; amending the charter of the city of Saginaw by making a change in broadening powers of common council in regard to assessments; and by giving fire department board power to make repairs to fire stations, subject to the approval of the common council; relative to the general revision of the charter of the city of Jackson; incorporating the village of Manistique, Schoolcraft county, so that it may become a fourth class city and also fixing the term of justices of the peace; amending the election law relative to registration, compelling re-registration of voters in Saginaw county.

Two bills now in the hands of the house village corporation committee will be of much interest to the various villages of the state. One provides for the election of a village president for a term of two years instead of one as at present, and the other provides for the election by the people of a marshal and street commissioner. At present those officers are appointed by the president, and in many cases are the result of political appointments made with a view of building up political fences or with some personal ends rather than with an aim for the villages' best interests. The bill is likely to receive favorable consideration this week.

In committee of the whole on the 8th, the senate, by a vote of 12 to 12, agreed to Senator Loomis' bill providing that there shall be women members of the state asylum boards. The joint resolution requesting congress to submit to a vote of the people a federal constitutional amendment permitting candidates for U. S. offices to be voted for directly by the people instead of having them elected by the state legislatures, was agreed to. Senator Loomis's bill, containing the time in which suits may be brought for personal injuries from three to two years was also agreed to.

The following bills were passed by the house on the 9th: Constituting the five supervisors of the city of Adrian a board of review for the assessment of property; limiting the amount to be raised for municipal purposes in the city of Grand Rapids to 1 per cent. The present limit is 1 1/2 per cent; changing name of the state house of correction and reformatory at Ionia to Michigan reformatory.

The house on the afternoon of the 11th made a great record in the way of passing important measures. The list includes the Chandler ad valorem tax bill, the Colby general bill to abolish political convents, the Lowrey-Ward mortgage tax bill and the McMullen compromise open season extension fish bill. That body went on record as being overwhelmingly in favor of the ad valorem system of taxing the property of railroad, telegraph, telephone, express, sleeping car and fast freight line companies. Rep. McCallum's specific tax bill was defeated by a vote of 16 yeas to 78 nays.

The senate passed the following bills on the 10th: For the relief of Edwin C. Cummings; to amend charter of Adrian; tax sleeping car companies; appropriation for home for feeble minded; for the incorporation of boards of trustees to hold property for religious denominations; relative to the admission to state insane asylum of insane inmates of the Soldier's home; providing for the removal of cases from one justice of the peace to another; to amend the act for the formation of street railway companies so that they may have to get permission from the city highway commissioner before they can lay tracks in public roads; revising the truancy laws; to regulate steam engines, etc. on highways; to incorporate Manistique, Schoolcraft county, as a fourth class office.

Considerable doubt is expressed as to whether the Chandler railroad taxation bill is constitutional in its present shape, as it provides a board composed of the lieutenant-governor, state treasurer and attorney-general, to make the assessment on the railroads and other corporations named in the bill and then adds the members of the state tax commission to make up a board of review. The constitutional amendment states that the average rate struck by the assessing board shall not be subject to review, and the question is whether another board can be called in to review the work of the regular assessing board, which has the duty of fixing the average rate.

The house on the afternoon of the 10th passed Rep. Nevin's garnishee bill by a vote of 79 yeas to 15 nays. The bill allows an exemption of 80 per cent of the amount of money due an employee, with a proviso that in no case shall the amount exempted be less than \$8 nor more than \$30. The present law provides that an exemption shall not be less than \$25 in all cases. The following bills were passed by the senate on the 11th: To increase the pay of election inspectors, clerks and gate keepers in Springwells township, Wayne county; to loan Mackinac Island \$10,000; to amend the charter of Port Huron; to validate certain actions of St. Stephens' church of Adrian; to provide for an assistant prosecutor in St. Clair county; authorizing the Oceana Telephone Co., of Oceana county, to bond for \$20,000; to amend the charter of Grand Rapids so as to debar from holding office any defaulter; appropriating \$4,500 for the state fair.

The house passed the following bills on the 12th: Providing that at each state asylum at least one non-resident woman physician shall be employed; authorizing the prosecuting attorney of St. Clair county to appoint an assistant; to legalize the Port Huron canal bonds issue of \$100,000 in the city of Port Huron.

CHINA WAR NEWS.

The Mongolian prince, Olaskan, father-in-law of Prince Tuan, proves to be an important factor in the rebellion now in progress. He urges the rebellious troops to march on Sian Fu, Chinese knowing Gen. Tung Fu Sian say the emperor brought the rebellion on his own head when he published the edict threatening the general with future punishment. On account of his present power and influence Gen. Tung Fu Sian would not permit this, and naturally desired to prove that power. He has the entire Mohammedan people with him. Prince Tuan also has a large following. While Prince Olaskan controls the entire province of Mongolia.

The rumors which have been current during the past few days of the outbreak of a rebellion headed by Gen. Tung-Fu-Sian (the former commander of the northern army) in the provinces of Mongolia and Shen-Si, have been absolutely authentic. Unofficial Chinamen of intelligence regard the rising as most unfortunate. At the present time, to the interests of China, and as possibly meaning the use of foreign troops to protect even the court itself. The ministers of the powers do not think that, provided foreign interests do not suffer, any present interference is likely.

Bad Ax now has an athletic club and gymnasium.

THE STOCKS.

LIVE STOCK.				
New York	Cattle	Sheep	Lambs	Hogs
Best grades...	\$4 65/65 60	\$5 00	\$5 25	\$6 50
Lower grades...	3 00/31 25	4 00	5 50	6 25
Chicago—				
Best grades...	\$5 05/56 00	5 10	5 45	6 15
Lower grades...	3 75/34 00	4 50	5 00	5 80
Detroit—				
Best grades...	\$3 80/74 75	4 75	5 50	6 00
Lower grades...	2 75/24 75	4 00	5 00	5 75
Buffalo—				
Best grades...	\$3 25/74 75	5 25	6 00	6 40
Lower grades...	2 40/24 25	4 75	5 00	6 00
Cincinnati—				
Best grades...	\$3 75/75 25	4 25	5 50	5 80
Lower grades...	3 40/24 00	4 00	5 00	5 50
Pittsburg—				
Best grades...	\$3 05/25 50	4 80	5 50	5 50
Lower grades...	2 40/24 00	4 40	5 25	5 50

GRAIN, ETC.

New York	80 80 1/4	49 70 40	32 30 33
Chicago	70 70 75	41 10 11 1/2	24 25 25
Detroit	80 80 80 1/2	41 10 11 1/2	23 25 29
Colo	78 78 78 1/4	41 10 41	28 28 28
Cincinnati	70 70 70 1/2	42 10 42 1/2	27 28 28
Pittsburg	82 82 82 1/2	43 10 43 1/2	31 31 31
Buffalo	81 81 81 1/2	42 10 42 1/2	30 30 30 1/2

*Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy, \$12 50 per ton
Potatoes, 35c per bu. Live Poultry, spring
chickens, 15c per lb.; fowls, 9c; turkeys, 10c
Ducks, 10c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 12c per doz
Butter, best dairy, 14c per lb.; creamery, 22c.

Hollow Ash... Hall
BY MARGARET BLOUNT.

CHAPTER IX.
To walk straight up to the door of a strange house, with nothing but a plaid shawl thrown over your head, requires a considerable amount of courage and nerve. At every step of the way Miss Marjorie's scruples grew stronger—her sense of outraged propriety more clear. At last she came to a dead stop, just as they reached the outer gate of Hollow Ash Hall.
"What is it now?" asked Cowley, patting her hand encouragingly.
"I really can't go in, Charles!"
"Nonsense!"
"Then I will think I am mad. Only see! I know that my hair is half down and I have no bonnet! Don't make me go there, Charles, till I am more presentable—there's a dear."

heard something in Australia, which I think relates to this house."
"Who owns this house?" asked Rose, opening her eyes very wide.
"Who owns this house?"
"Mr. Vernon."
"Exactly so. Do you know what his first name is?"
"Alfred," said Mrs. Cowley. Her nephew looked perplexed for a moment; then his face cleared again.
"Ob, I see! George was his brother. How long is it since they have lived in this house—the Vernons, I mean?"
"Ob, a great many years! Twenty or twenty-two, I think."

HOLDS FIRM CUBAN POLICY.

McKinley Has No Intention of Modifying Attitude.

NATIVES ARE ON PROBATION.

Cubans Will Not Be Coerced Into Accepting Conditions of Independence—Action Regarding Platt Amendment Is to Serve as Test of Ability.

Washington, D. C., April 13.—There is not the slightest disposition manifested by the administration to modify its Cuban policy in the slightest particular. No attempt will be made to coerce the Cubans into accepting the conditions of independence as laid down by Congress. The president has it within his power, of course, merely as a matter of parliamentary law, to prorogue or dissolve the Cuban constitutional convention whenever he thinks best. He called the convention into existence, and he can terminate its life at his own discretion. The simplest way to do it would be to cut off the per diem allowance. Many of the delegates, as is well known, are now drawing \$10 a day or so, for the first time in their lives, and they are naturally disinclined to accept the Platt amendments or do anything else which would put an end to their official positions. So long as their salaries go on they do not care if Congress never has a constitution. The president understands the situation thoroughly. He is quite willing that the Cubans should have all the rope they need to hang themselves. It is believed here that if the Cuban convention protracts its sessions it will be a demonstration of the capacity of the people of the island to govern themselves. Practically all the Republican members of Congress are anxious to keep Cuba, and they will be only too delighted if the Cubans themselves, by rejecting the Platt amendment, give to Congress the opportunity it desires. In discussing the matter with "nators" and others who called upon him, the president has uniformly expressed the opinion that the Cubans would in the end accept the Platt amendment. The members of the constitutional convention, according to the information here, do not seem to have the slightest idea of the fact that the conditions imposed by the Platt amendment are absolutely an ultimatum. They are a part of the statute laws of the United States, and if the President should violate them he could be impeached. The proposition to have the Cubans give a commission to come to Washington is quite favorably received here. There will not be the slightest disposition to consider this as a diplomatic matter, subject to any negotiation. On the contrary, it is believed if the commission comes here it will be speedily informed by President McKinley, with the requisite tact he possesses to such a marked degree, that the Cuban convention can accept or decline the terms as it sees fit, but that the president will not withdraw his authority from Cuba until the conditions imposed by Congress have been met, both in letter and spirit. It is predicted that if a commission does come here, it will speedily become aware of the fact that Cuba is up against a serious proposition. If it accepts the Platt amendment its independence will depend only on its own good behavior. If it declines the Platt amendment Congress will take the ground without hesitation that the Cubans have refused to give the necessary pledges, and hence the United States will be justified in at least establishing a permanent protectorate, if it does not go to the extent of an actual annexation.

Most Gay Gambling Debt.

New York, April 13.—The Herald says what is believed to be one of the first cases decided by a jury in favor of the payment of a gambling debt, disputed on the ground of its illegality, has been disposed of in the City court before Chief Judge Fitzsimons. The jury gave a verdict in favor of John Bradley on two "I. O. U.'s" given to him by Henry Ivison, a well-known broker of this city, one for \$200 and the other for \$700. Mr. Ivison, while in St. Augustine, Fla., on March 20, 1899, paid a visit to a gambling house kept by Bradley, and lost \$1,000 at roulette. He gave his "I. O. U." but, as he refused to pay, Bradley placed the matter in the hands of his counsel, A. H. Hummel, with the result above stated.

Hymn by Longfellow Found.

Boston, Mass., April 13.—An unpublished hymn written by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow has been discovered among worthless papers and old letters at the Longfellow house. The hymn is entitled "Christo Et Ecclesiae," and was written for the dedication of Appleton chapel, which took place Oct. 17, 1853. Dr. F. G. Peabody read the hymn at morning prayers recently. Mrs. Longfellow does not wish to give out the poem for publication just now, and she has not definitely decided where the hymn is first to be published. It is possible that it will soon be printed in the Harvard graduates' magazine.

Reports More Surrenders.

Washington, D. C., April 13.—The war department has received the following cablegram:
"Manila, April 11.—Adjutant-General, Washington: Col. Arce surrendered at Castillejos yesterday with 333 soldiers, twelve officers and arms. This and the surrender of Col. Alva at Oranapo, April 8, with thirteen officers, 394 men, ninety-two rifles, frees Bataan, Zambales provinces.

"MAC ARTHUR."

VENEZUELA SEEKS TROUBLE.

So Says Mr. Loomis, the United States Minister.

San Juan, Porto Rico, April 13.—The gunboat Scorpion has arrived here from Venezuela with the United States minister to that country, Mr. Loomis, aboard. Mr. Loomis, who is accompanied by his wife, sailed for New York today on the steamship Caracas.

Antagonistic to Castro.

Minister Loomis declined to disclose the nature of the report he will make to President McKinley, but, judging from casual remarks which he let fall, he is evidently quite antagonistic to President Castro. He said that the latter's salary was \$12,000 a year, but that he had laid up \$2,000,000 in the last two years. "President Castro told the Venezuelans," said Mr. Loomis, "that they and the Europeans in Trinidad were at liberty to seize claims in the Orinoco district on land previously ceded to Americans. It was evidently his intention to embarrass the United States government and force it to make armed demonstrations such as would possibly lead to trouble with foreign nations owing to the large German and British commercial interests on the coast."

Another Revolution in Sight.

"The Venezuelan constitutional convention elected Castro provisional President until the autumn, when there will be an election for an eight-year term. General Andrade will not be president, but his friends are working, and a revolution is possible in the course of a year. He is now at Caracas awaiting developments. The situation so far as the United States government is concerned has passed the acute point. Such difficulties as exist can be settled diplomatically."

"I scarcely expect to return to Caracas. I have already served four years and am quite satisfied to bring the experience to a close."

Mr. Loomis said that the trouble between that country and the United States originated over a demand for the payment of claims of Americans amounting to \$100,000. He followed the instructions he received from the State department at Washington, pressed the claims, and finally collected the money. The ill-feeling that existed, he said, was a result of this action, and brought about the revocation of the Orinoco concessions.

ENGLAND SHUTS OUT BEEF.

British Army Will Consume Home Product After June 1.

Chicago, April 13.—Armour & Co. have received a cablegram from their English representative, which reads: "The British government has decided to exclude all beef except that from home-bred cattle from army contracts, beginning June 1."

Arthur Meeker, general manager of Armour & Co., minimized the effect of this order on the American market.

"The contract for dressed beef is not very large," he said, "and the new rule will have very little effect on the Chicago packers. We send great quantities of canned beef to the British army in South Africa and will continue to do so as the contemplated change does not affect canned beef. The people of England consume about 300,000,000 pounds of our dressed beef annually. The proposed restriction will have absolutely no effect on this trade."

Another packer explained that Great Britain has been buying cattle in Argentina and shipping them to South Africa where they are slaughtered. It is believed that the government finds it cheaper to do this than to buy dressed beef in Chicago and ship it in refrigerators to Cape Town.

Libby, McNeil & Libby, who have the largest contract for supplying canned beef to the British army, declared that the embargo does not include canned meat.

"Our advices from London," said Manager Tilden, "indicate that only fresh dressed beef will be prohibited after June 1."

Job Burns a Pesthouse.

Bradford, Pa., April 13.—This town is greatly excited over the burning by a mob of a public building. Three weeks ago a smallpox case developed here, the patient being a railroad man named William Meyers. The victim was isolated in his rooms in the Armstrong block, the board of health lacking a pesthouse, and soon recovered. Later five new cases developed and the board of health decided to secure a temporary pesthouse. A vacant schoolhouse in the Second ward was selected and carpenters and plumbers were put to work fitting it up. At night a mob of over 300 men and women surrounded the schoolhouse. The leaders clutched the night watchman, Charles Stary, and held him firmly while the incendiaries battered open a door and set fire to the place. No arrests have been made.

Samoa Census Is Taken.

Tutuila, Samoa, April 13.—A census of the population of the Samoan group has been taken. The number of Samoans in Upolu and other islands under the German government is 22,000, while the population of the six islands under the United States government is returned at 5,800. The very slight increase during the last thirty years is about the same in proportion all around. Gov. B. F. Tilley returned from New Zealand on the Abaranda on March 14. The natives showed their delight at the governor's return by giving a number of feasts in his honor.

London, April 13.—A special dispatch from Hongkong says two Chinese steamers came into collision yesterday between Canton and Wu-Chow and that seventy Chinese were drowned.

TAKES THE PART OF RUSSIA.

Ralph James Talks of Eastern Situation.

CZAR IS MISUNDERSTOOD.

Says He Will Never Take Manchuria—Action Explained by Great Railroad Interests—Has Been Civilizing the Chinese.

New York, April 13.—A recent arrival from China is Ralph James, who for nearly fifteen years has been extensively engaged in mining at Kalgan, near Pekin, and in Siberia. Since his arrival he has placed orders for machinery to cost nearly \$400,000. In an interview he said: "I have just returned from a long sojourn on Russian and Chinese soil. It is my opinion that Russia will never take Manchuria or permit others to seize it."

"Russia and the Russians are misunderstood. The evil of the misunderstanding is easily traced. It is due to the diplomatic use of newspapers by Great Britain. The latter is a jealous nation with a powerful navy. Her great factories have lost the trade with Russia and America has gained it."

Russia's Immense Interests.

"In 1893 the Russian government first received a concession in Manchuria from China. Russia made a formidable fort out of Port Arthur and constructed a railroad across Manchuria at a cost of over \$50,000,000. Last summer during the troubles over \$30,000,000 damage was done this railroad by the Boxers. In order to save her property and preserve it from entire destruction Russia sent 125,000 soldiers along the road and the Chinese, who had become roving bands of outlaws and thieves, were driven almost entirely from the country."

"The emperor of Russia is a home-loving man, and his subjects who are now in that Manchurian army are of the farming class of Siberia, and it is the emperor's wish to have his army sent home, where they are needed to prepare for the coming season's crops. Still, Russian property must be protected, and with such purpose in view Russia tried to gradually withdraw from Manchuria, making terms with Chinese officials to protect the great railroad."

Czar's Friendship for China.

"The Chinese are well aware of the friendship of Russia. They know that in 1893 the czar prevented Manchuria, Mongolia and Tibet from revolting and raising the Russian flag over their countries. The highest princes and priests of those three countries have visited the czar every year, praying for permission to raise the Russian flag over them, and every time these representatives received the same answer: 'Russia will never permit her flag to be raised over your countries. We want your countries, peopled by its present citizens, as a great open field and barrier between the populated districts of China proper and the borders of Russia.'"

"Had one gone along the line of the Trans-Siberian railway last fall, as I did, during the illness of the czar, there would have been a sight worthy the attention of other nations to behold and ponder over. All the way from Vladivostok in the east to Moscow in the west men, women and children were kneeling in the streets in prayer for the recovery of their father, the czar."

A QUEER EXPLANATION.

Vienna Paper Says That the Czar Shot Wrongly Suspected Officer.

Vienna, April 13.—The newspaper Neva Reforma of Lemberg, Galicia, gives the following version of the attempt on the life of the czar which was recently reported: A young officer entered the room in which the czar was seated. His majesty had not heard any knock, and suddenly seeing a man in his presence a few feet away, unannounced, he suspected an attempt to assassinate him, seized a revolver, and in his panic shot the officer dead.

The guards quickly removed the corpse.

The czar's remorse for his hasty act has grown into acute nervous depression, which is said to be the cause of his recent eccentric actions.

A story almost exactly similar to the above was told of the late Czar Alexander III., and after obtaining general circulation in Europe and America, got back to Russia and was authoritatively denied by the Russian court.

BRIGANDS DESTROY TOWNS.

French Priest Tortured in Tibet—Officer Killed in Pekin.

Shanghai, April 13.—Brigands have destroyed three towns in Tibet. They also captured and tortured, according to French advices, a French priest named Mussot. The viceroy of the province of Szechuen, at the request of the French consul, has sent a force to rescue Mussot.

Berlin, April 13.—A dispatch from Pekin says Capt. Bartsch of the Second Infantry (German) was found dead in the neighborhood of Pekin yesterday. An inquiry has been opened and the information so far obtained tends to show that the officer met with an accident. On the other hand, a dispatch from Pekin to the Lokal Anzeiger says Capt. Bartsch was shot while riding near the summer palace and that his horse disappeared.

Aginaldo's manifesto will acknowledge incapacity of his people to govern themselves and advise insurgents to make peace.

Indigestion.

So thoroughly are some people impressed with the idea that the hog is an omnivorous animal and able to eat anything with impunity, that they will scarcely believe that swine suffer from indigestion, yet such is the fact. Indigestion, especially of young pigs, is a very common complaint, and often a serious and even fatal one. The symptoms of the trouble are varied, but in pigs one of the commonest is vomiting and this is often accompanied by its staggering or thumping. Other symptoms are squealing and rubbing the nose in the mud; general thriftlessness, emaciation, constipation or diarrhea, skin diseases, such as hives, nettle rash, eczema and itches. Cough is also a common symptom of indigestion, but in our experience is usually found along with the indigestion caused by the presence of worms in the stomach or intestines. It is also usual to find the appetite of hogs suffering from indigestion depraved or peculiar in that they will prefer foreign bodities to good food, drink manure tea rather than pure water or slop and act strangely, sometimes hungry, sometimes having no appetite at all. When any of these symptoms are seen to affect the hogs it is time to commence a search for the cause, and this is usually to be found in erroneous methods of feeding or in the food supply. The bad effects of the sour will barrel have been alluded to in a former article. The long continued feeding of any one food, such as corn, is a common cause of trouble of the digestive organs, and the same may be said of feeding too much of any food or combination of foods. In the first place it should be remembered that the stomach of the young pig requires a little food often more than it does a great amount of food at one time, so that when a pig is seen to vomit there may be nothing wrong with the food itself, but the amount given is too great and the time between feeds is too long. The first step on noticing that the pigs are suffering from indigestion is to cut down the amount of food and give it oftener and in it mix something which will make it digest better. A good medicine for this is lime water, and it may be very easily made by pouring water upon fresh lime and thereby slaking it. The water should then be diluted further and may be mixed with advantage in the food of the pigs. Charcoal is also valuable in the same way, and for this reason many are in the habit of feeding soft coal but there is no doubt that powdered wood coal mixed with the food has a better effect. The soft coal has one advantage in that it contains sulphur, but this can be added several times a week if there is a tendency to constipation or skin disease. If a pig is found to be constipated, then the bowels should be moved by two tablespoonfuls of castor oil or an ounce or two of epsom salts, after which it is well to mix in the food twice daily one teaspoonful of hypsulphite of soda and a half teaspoonful of ground ginger root. For chronic vomiting we have found nothing better than nux vomica in small doses mixed with the food. For a pig three grains three times daily of the powdered drug will do to start with, but it should be increased if necessary, and if the vomiting does not cease then add two or three drops of carbolio acid well mixed up in a little milk. For diarrhea the treatment would be a little different. The first thing is to clear the bowels by means of a dose of castor oil, then follow up with ten grain doses of subnitrate of bismuth and fifteen drops of tincture of opium or three grains of powdered opium three times daily in food. Where there is a lack of appetite the bowels should be moved freely, then follow with ten grains of powdered gentian root and a like amount of dried sulphate of iron twice daily in the food. A change of food is always indicated and if roots can be obtained they will usually give the best results or the food may be boiled.

Horses as Freight.

The Supreme Court of Iowa has landed down a decision in the case of Lucas vs. the B. C. R. & N. Railway Company, which will be of general interest to railroad companies and horsemen. A judgment has been entered against the company for \$2,500 for injuries to the pacing stallion Larry Ginter, 2:15 1/4, while being shipped from Iowa City to Cedar Rapids. When the freight bill was made out it was made out for "an ordinary horse" and at a lower rate than would have been charged if it had been known by the railroad agent that he was billing such an animal. The railroad company claimed fraud in procuring this lower freight rate by misrepresentation and insisted that the limit of liability of \$100 on the horse should not have been exceeded. But the court held that the procurement of the billing of the animal as indicated was not a bar to collection of the higher rate by the company, hence the fraud was no bar to the payment of a higher damage when injury was done. The Supreme Court held against the railroad company and in accordance with this view.

Give the hens their proper place on the farm, and look upon them as a source from which profit can be obtained, and consider them as useful agents in changing the food into higher priced articles.

A bad practice is that of allowing the fowls to become wild, so that they are afraid of any one, and hide their nests, and the few chickens they hatch lose their lives from want of food, care and shelter.

Ordinary black ink, if well rubbed into and old felt hat, will revive it.

GET IN LINE!

FOLLOW THE CROWD TO THE NEW DOUBLE STORE.

NEXT TUESDAY---THE DAY!!!

EVERY WOMAN WHO READS
THIS OUGHT TO COME.

On Tuesday next, April 23rd, we will exhibit a line of High Class Novelties in Curtains, Draperies, Etc. We have made arrangements with Mr. Lutz of the G. C. Meisel store of Port Huron to be in our store for one day and show a line of Novelties in Curtains, Draperies, and all the new ideas that are out in this line. Among the different styles of Curtains are the following:

Muslin Curtains from	\$1.00 per pair up	Brussels Curtains from	\$5.00 per pair up
Nottingham Curtains from	3.00 per pair up	Battenburg Curtains from	5.00 per pair up
Tambour Curtains from	4.00 per pair up	Cluny Curtains from	6.00 per pair up
Irish Pointe Curtains from	4.00 per pair up	Arabian Curtains from	6.00 per pair up

Arch Portieres in plain Rep finished with the new Parisian borders and many other rich and elegant pairs in all colors. This is the season of the year the goods are most wanted and this exhibit comes at a most opportune time. Wouldn't your parlor or library look more cheerful and cozy if a new pair of Curtains or Portieres were in the archedway.

See Our New Shirt Waists.---Get Our Special Prices.

GEO. MATZEN, CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

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It is time to begin to think about where
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GROCERIES.

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Leave us your Grocery orders to be filled and delivered.

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H. L. HUNT, CASS CITY, MICHIGAN.

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SEED DEPARTMENT

Why send away for seeds

and take chances on getting good seeds at home and at just as low a price as possible. And if you will stop and think, men who have reliable seeds don't have to sell at half price.

Seeds Sold Cheap

Are Cheap Seeds.

Nine times out of ten; has been my experience for the past twenty years that I have handled seeds. While I have nearly everything for the garden and field the best I can buy, you must understand I can't warrant anything as I buy of the most Reliable Houses and they will not warrant them to me.

G. A. STEVENSON

BIG SHIPMENTS.

Cass City Makes a Good Record for the First Quarter of 1901.

Our town may not be able in every respect to hold her own with other towns, but one thing is certain that for a shipping center, notwithstanding the lack of manufactures, she can compete with many towns of greater pretensions. We are pleased to be able to give such an excellent report as that which follows of the shipments made for the three months of January, February and March of this year:

Cattle, 215 head.
Calves, 20 head.
Sheep, 250 head.
Hogs, 753 head.
Hides, pelts, etc., 3,580 lbs.
Tallow, 400 lbs.
Rabbits, 3,245 lbs.
Fresh meats, 2,205 lbs.
Dressed poultry, 2,420 lbs.
Wool, 750 lbs.
Butter, 17,635 lbs.
Eggs, 396 crates, or about 13,070 dozens.
Honey, 535 lbs.
Potatoes, 324,000 lbs., or 11 car loads.
Rye, 123,000 lbs., or 3 car loads.
Timothy seed, 200 lbs.
Clover seed, 2,150 lbs.
Beans, 800,870 lbs., or over 27 car loads.
Hay, 84 car loads, or more than 845 tons.
Straw, 40,000 lbs., or 2 car loads.
Oats, 239,100 lbs., or 7 car loads.
Barley, 73,000 lbs., or 2 car loads.
Peas, 145,620 lbs., or 4 car loads.
Wheat, 402,000 lbs., or 10 car loads.
Buckwheat, 7,000 lbs.
Flour and mill stuff, by rail, 37,300 lbs., by team, 200,000 lbs.
Dried apples, 1515 lbs.
Apples, 715 lbs.
Iron and castings, 400 lbs.
Rags, rubbers, etc., 5,077 lbs.
Pictures and frames, 1,000 lbs.
Fence posts, 1 car load.
Besides smaller quantities of coal, harness, lumber, canned fruit, cider and corn.

It must be considered that these three months are the ones in which some kinds of shipments are the smallest, but we believe they will make a good showing compared with the same period of any year for our own town or any other adjacent town.

Best way to Cure Backache.
Backaches are caused by disorder in the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure will make the kidneys right. Take no substitute. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

A Farmer's Advice.

We have been requested by an old-timer to give the following gentle hints to our farmer readers:

The Spring work has commenced, and as your horses feel good put them through hard the first few days, so as to take the wire edge off them, and they won't be so frisky. Give them lots of feed but don't notice whether they eat or not. Be certain to water them once a day and carry them off on Sunday morning. Provide yourself with a pair of good gloves to keep your hands from getting sunburnt, but don't buy any new harness. Make the old ones do another year. If the collars don't fit make them fit. If your horse's shoulder gets sore keep working him right along, and it will get well and be thoroughly toughened. If he don't do just right, jerk him a little and then cuss him a little, jerk him again, kick him and cuss a whole lot. If you will persevere and keep this up three or four days, your horse will conclude that you are boss and that he is not much account. Don't buy any new machines so long as you can borrow. A good borrower is always loved by his neighbors. Don't have your old plows repaired, especially if it is a borrowed one. Don't plant your early potatoes till about the dark of the moon in June. Let your wife tend the garden and the cows. It will just do her good. She has nothing else to do.

He Kept his leg.

Twelve years ago T. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston. Will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

Sebewaing township will spend \$2,500 in roads, bridges, etc., this year. Geo. Buhlman, of Sebewaing, aged 14 years, cut three fingers off his brother's hand while chopping with an axe.

Their promptness and their pleasant effects make DeWitt's Little Early Risers most popular little pills wherever they are known. They are simply perfect for liver and bowel troubles. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

William Kellogg, a merchant, aged 72, died last Monday in the M. E. church, at Sebewaing, during an evangelistic service. He had been a resident there for nearly 45 years. He was a member of the Macabees and the Unionville Masonic order. He leaves a widow and two married children.

"Stick to it"

Geo. L. Heard, of High Tower, Georgia, writes: "Eczema broke out on my baby covering his entire body. Under treatment of our family physician he got worse as he could not sleep for the burning and itching. We used a box of 'Banner Salve' on him and by the time it was gone he was well. The Doctor seeing it was curing him said: 'Stick to it for it is doing him more good than anything I have done for him.'" T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The case brought by the P. O. & N. in chancery to enjoin W. Reed from obstructing the mill track so as to prevent it being used by the railroad, has been decided in favor of Mr. Reed. The company is enjoined by the court from making use of the track during the business hours of the mill and from using it as a public track.—Oxford Globe.

Given up to die with Croup.
Mrs. P. L. Cordier, of Manassas, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live and I gave her up to die. I went to the store and got a bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure and the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Foley's Kidney Cure
makes kidneys and bladder right.

She Declined.

Few American youths have careers made for them. Those who deplore this fact and shun the stings of self effort may find tonic in the reply of a western girl to an offer of marriage.

A young man of more book learning than force of character lost the young wife who had toiled to support him, returned to his native town for consolation and found it. Some months later she, too, passed away, and the sad youth soon appealed to a well known clergyman for assistance in finding a helpmate.

The minister introduced him to a western girl of health and energy, who the next day received a plaintive note from the widower. He declared that the Lord had made great inroads upon his marital affections, and it now seemed to be his will that she should repair the breaches of his life.

The reply, which the clergyman keeps today as one of the choicest specimens of a varied collection, reads simply: "Mend your own breeches."—Youth's Companion.

Whistled as She Sang.

The man who knew many things was instructing the new and verdant stenographer as to the use of the various office appliances, and finally he introduced her to the speaking tube. "Now, see," said the man, "you put one tube to your ear and the other to your mouth, then whistle."

"Into which one do I whistle?" asked the guileless stenographer. "Heavens," cried the man, "which one do you suppose you whistle in, the one at your ear or the one at your mouth?"

"That was what I wanted to know," said the stenographer, "For I whistle as I sing, entirely by ear."—Memphis Scimitar.

"This said that an electric line will be built from Sebewaing east through Kilmaunah.

Geo. M. Denio, of Sanilac Center, has been granted a \$10 pension, and Louisa Riley, of Columbiaville, one of \$5.

Rev. J. R. Bartholomew, pastor of the Free Methodist church at Harbor Beach, died very suddenly Tuesday morning.

Caught a Dreadful Cold.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of the fine millinery at 1638 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale at Don's Drug Store.

The Port Huron Times reports that F. S. Wheat of Caro, who has spent the past few days in Port Huron, says he is perfectly satisfied with the franchise which the common council proposes to give him. He says he is prepared to go to work on his railroad from Bay City to Port Huron as soon as the franchise is granted. We wonder what Mr. Wheat intends to do with the franchise he obtained in this village and at Crosswell. It is understood that he has shaken Crosswell and Lexington and is flirting with Dame Peck.—Lexington Times.

You Can't Lose Flesh or Appetite.

Farmer City, Ill., Dec. 20, 1900. Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill. Gentlemen:—My seven-months-old baby was troubled a great deal with his stomach, and bowels. I had tried numerous remedies with no good results, until the baby lost much flesh and was in very poor health. A friend recommended Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I procured a 16c bottle at "Hud's" Drug Store and gave the contents to the baby according to directions, after which there was a decided improvement in his condition. Have been giving him Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for about a month with very satisfactory results, his stomach and bowels being in a good healthy condition and his former weight regained. Very truly yours, Allie Jackson.

Sold by A. Bond Cass City; F. A. Francis Kingston.

League Literary.

The Epworth League will give an other literary evening at the home of L. A. Fritz, next Tuesday evening when the following program will be given:

Solo.....Etta Schenck
Current Events.....May Cooper
Reading.....Lucretia Campbell
Duet.....Lottie Bradley and Mae Landon
Only Basket.....Blanch Hander
Recitation.....Ethel Karr

Settle Up!

Having disposed of my dry goods and grocery business to George McDonald, I hereby request all owing me on account to call at the store and settle at once. P. S. Rice.

The Stock Markets.

Michigan Central Stock Yards, Detroit, April 9.—The demand for live cattle is active this week; receipts have been liberal of late. The following prices are being paid at the Detroit Live Stock Market:

Prime steers and heifers, \$4.50 @ 5.00; handy butcher's cattle, \$4.10 @ 4.40; common, 2.75 @ 3.30; canner's cows, 1.50 @ 2.50; stockers and feeders, strong and active at \$2.75 @ 4.25. Milch cows, easy at \$2.50 @ 4.50; calves active at 4.50 @ 6.50. Sheep and lambs, active; Prime lambs \$5.95 @ 5.50 mixed \$3.75 @ 4.75; culls \$2.50 @ 3.00. Hogs are the leading feature in this market light receipts. Trade is active at the following prices: Prime mediums, 5.55 @ 5.60; Yorkers, \$5.50 @ 5.55; pigs, \$5.50 @ 5.95; roughs, 4.75 @ 5.25; stags, 1 1/2 @ 2.00; cripples, \$1 per cwt. off.

Foley's Honey and Tar
heals lungs and stops the cough.

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. Jones for particulars. S-4

The largest line of Cork Face Horse Collars in Tuscola County can be found at G. W. Goff's. 4-4.

The Most Stubborn Coughs
resulting from an attack of la grippe or heavy cold, must yield to the wonderful healing properties of Foley's Honey and Tar, which strengthens the lungs and makes them sound. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

E. W. Grove
This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day

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The market is being flooded with worthless imitations of
ROCKY MOUNTAIN
TEA.
To protect the public we call
special attention to our trade
mark, printed on every package.
Beware of the genuine.
For Sale by all Druggists.

BANNER SALVE
the most healing salve in the world.

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PASSENGER TIME CARD.

Trains run on Central Standard Time.

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