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BY A. A. P. M'DOWELL

Grand Opening Sept. 19, '01

We have induced the firm which we represent to assist us at our grand opening. One of the firm will be here on the above date, with a very large and complete line of

Foreign and Domestic Woolens

in one and 1/2 lengths and he will personally take your measure. We want your assistance in making this sale a success. Call and leave your measure for a Suit, Coat, Vest, Pants, Overcoat, or Fancy Vest.

Ask to see the **New Styles in**
W. L. Douglass and Pingree & Smith
SHOES

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Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men

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A full line of everything necessary for school use. We have some special prices to offer on second-hand books; come in before they are all gone. We have all

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Full weight and accurate measure.
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a pure rock cement equal in quality and strength to any made

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Nothing better for stone work. New and fresh.

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CASS CITY LUMBER & COAL YARDS

CASS CITY FAIR.

Prospects Bright--Fine Attractions--Large Exhibits--Big Crowd

The prospects for the coming Fair at this place on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th, are all that could be desired. The management found it somewhat difficult this year to secure desirable attractions but succeeded in getting some of the very best, as is evident by the advertising matter which has been well distributed this last ten days. With some minor attractions which will yet be obtained, the program of entertainment is expected to far excel anything previously given. The speed department has been given considerable attention and a program arranged that will surely satisfy all interested in the horse ring. There is every indication that the crowd will be large as usual and stockmen are already engaging stalls for exhibition animals, which would point to an unusually good exhibit. The fine new dining hall, just erected east of the ticket office, will prove a great improvement over the old one and a much needed convenience. The grounds are generally recognized as being among best in the entire Thumb and the building equipment is familiar to most of our readers. Floral Hall is a splendid building and is always beautiful with its display of art, needlework and flowers. The display of fruits, vegetables, grains, canned fruit, bread, butter, pastry and honey, always make Agricultural Hall a place of especial interest to all. The poultry exhibit will be made in a tent. The stalls and sheds for stock of various kinds are extensive and well arranged for both exhibitors and spectators. The Fair is gotten up primarily to advance the agricultural interests of the district in every possible way, but the idea cannot be completely carried out without the farmers' help. To him interest centers principally in the products of the field and home, which cannot be furnished by the inhabitants of the village or town or by the business men. He likes to see an abundance of good cattle, horses, poultry, fruit, grain and vegetables of some one else's producing. His neighbor feels likewise, so each should bring what they have and unselfishly give as much as they receive. The farmer who takes a personal pride in good stock, grain and produce and wants to make his own better, should have something at the Fair to compare with his neighbor's. Entries should be made early, so as to avoid the rush which invariably comes during the last few days.

High School Notes.

Miss Mildred Croop, of Deford, entered school Monday. The ninth grade now numbers thirty-five.

Number of pupils enrolled in Kindergarten, 51; First Primary, 55; Second Primary, 55; Intermediate, 38; Grammar Room, 50; High School, 77; total number enrolled, 323.

The second year Latin class begin to read Caesar this week, after a brief but much needed review of conjugations and declensions.

A number of pupils were greatly hindered in their school work last week on account of sickness.

The civil government class has been struggling with the word "gerrymander" a part of this week.

Quizzes and written recitations have taken some time last week and this.

Report cards will be given out Monday.

A very appropriate memorial service for the late Pres. McKinley was held in the High Room, Thursday morning. The Grammar and Intermediate pupils went into the High Room. Messrs. Brumm, Torbet, Klump, Heller, McGregory and Deming were present. The service opened by singing "Nearer, My God to Thee."

Reading 46th Psalm Rev. Brumm
Prayer Rev. Torbet
Reading of Proclamation of Gov. Bliss Miss Hill
Talk Rev. Torbet
Selections were read by Miss Joy from speeches by Bancroft on the death of Lincoln.
Talk Rev. Brumm
Singing America Rev. Klump

Any person who is willing to give room and board, or either, to a good boy or girl in exchange for labor while attending the High School, will please notify Prof. Kyes. 9-5-4.

STRAYED into my enclosure, two and one-half miles north and one-half mile west of Cass City, one oldish brown horse. MICHAEL BEY.

NEW ASSOCIATION

Known as the "Thumb Poultry and Dairy Association."

The organization of a poultry association at this place was completed on Monday evening, to be known as the "Thumb Poultry and Dairy Association." The officers chosen are as follows: Pres., Sam Champion; vice-pres., A. E. Boulton; sec'y, Walter C. Saigeon; treas., Sam F. Bigelow. It was decided to hold a show here Dec. 10th, 11th and 12th, and F. W. McKenzie, of Concord, Mich., was chosen as judge of poultry. The intention is to also arrange for an exhibit of dressed poultry, butter and eggs and to make the affair one of general interest and benefit to the farmer. It will afford an opportunity to everyone who is interested in the raising of poultry to show their birds and learn their standing at a very small cost, as well as a chance to compare them with other birds, of different strains and varieties, and learn much that will be of value. Several of our fanciers have new stock this year from some of the best breeders in the country and expect to show some good birds, while fanciers from other towns near by have freely expressed their willingness to patronize a show here with an exhibit of their birds and attend themselves. Every farmer should interest themselves and help the project by becoming a member of the association and using their influence toward making our first show a pronounced success. Any of the officers will be pleased to give further information.

Communication.

EDITOR ENTERPRISE

For the past two weeks there have been two affable, smooth and glib-tongued strangers doing business in this vicinity among the farmers. They claim to be members of a manufacturing firm from outside this state, which may or may not be true. The article they handle has, without doubt, some merit.

It is called a cold cream separator; cold storage vat for vitals, butter, etc. Milk is set in cans which are put in water. There are three compartments. It looks as if it might do the work claimed for it. I will tell the story of how I came to be in possession of one, to illustrate their method of doing business. One of the above mentioned smooth-talkers came to the field, introduced himself, and proceeded to explain how his separator would save me money. They would run a refrigerator car once a month from Cass City and would contract to buy all butter made by their customers, paying a fancy price for same. They would also buy eggs and poultry at a high figure, so that a man would realize 50 per cent more for this class of produce than by selling to home merchants.

The price of the article is only \$48. They will make the payments very easy, first payment of \$5 to be made at end of six months and \$1 per month after that. The next step is to produce a blank paper of agreement, which he asked me to sign, and incidentally asked me to sign a note for \$48 payable at a certain bank, if that would be agreeable to me. I, with many others, in this vicinity, signed those notes. But, where are our contracts holding company to agreement to buy our produce? They say another man will be here to give contracts, but it is now about four weeks since first separator was sold in this county and contracts are not forth coming. It is the general opinion they never will be. Fellow victims, we have been duped, in we are easy marks and should have guardians appointed at once.

We are supposed to know our business, but do we? I think not and some of the best business farmers in the vicinity of Cass City are included in this hold-up. The writer did manage to get enough of the Irishman's forethought, (which always comes afterwards) to arrive at bank in time to hinder sale of his note, but he was just in time as the shark saw him enter, and surmising his business, threatened to make him jump ten feet high for spoiling sale of note, thus proving that he, himself considered he was not doing straight forward work.

On going to another bank the writer found same fellow trying to dispose of his notes there, but on seeing me said: "He 'would call later.' I have no further comment to make. 'A word to the wise is sufficient.'"

ONE OF THE VICTIMS.

Money to Loan

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

Shirt Waists at 1-2 Price

Commencing Saturday, September 14, we offer

\$2.00 Shirt Waists	\$1.00	85c Shirt Waists	45c	only a few left come
1.00 Shirt Waists	.50	50c Shirt Waists	25c	while assortment is good.

Dress Goods. We are showing a most complete line of Dress Goods, all the latest weaves with prices that will please you.

Underwear and Hosiery. The fact that we always carry a large and well assorted line of Hosiery and Underwear is being maintained. We have no doubt the largest and most complete line in this part of the State.

Carpets. Our new line of Carpets is now all in. Leave your order with us for your new carpets. Prices range from 15c to \$2 a yard.

Ladies' Capes and Jackets. We are showing the best assortment of Capes and Jackets that the great markets affords. All new styles. Prices right. See our line before buying.

Every department in our big double store is filled with greater bargains than ever before.

Wanted, 10,000 Bush. Windfall Apples

Delivered at once. Must be all sound and not smaller than about two inches across. Pay cash or trade.

FAIRWEATHER BROS.

Pleasing Success.

The entertainment given at the Forester Hall on Tuesday evening by the Loyal Orange Lodge of this place was a pleasing success. The hall was lit by electricity for the first time and the improvement was considerable. The attendance was good, the hall being well filled. F. C. Lee acted as chairman and the program was varied, instructive as well as entertaining. Rev. Geo. F. Smith and Mrs. Youmans were the principal speakers, and were ably assisted by local talent. The objects and benefits of the order were aptly presented. The lodge is to be congratulated upon the success of the venture and it is to be hoped will feel encouraged to repeat it at no far distant date.

Good Beginning

Rev. M. W. Gifford began his pastoral duties of the M. E. Church here last Sunday. He was greeted by good audiences and his addresses were well received. He consented to lead the Epworth League service also and the young people were pleased and benefited by his remarks. The conference year starts out well, and while many regret the departure of Dr. Morgan, they cheerfully accept the ruling of the church authorities and will stand loyally by the new pastor in his efforts to make the year a most successful one.

Westward Ho

Several more of our citizens have started this week for western Montana. Geo. H. Beach resigned his position as agent of the P. O. & N. R. R. to join the company. Supt. Sanford refused to accept the resignation but Mr. Beach notified them that he would leave this morning. It appears impossible to get any one to fill the position and Leo Challis, the assistant in doing the best he can alone. Chris Schwaderer, John Schwaderer, Jr., Cole Monroe and Dick S. Laudon are in the company.

McArthur--Turner

J. S. McArthur left for Port Huron on Monday afternoon and on Tuesday was married to Mrs. Kate Turner, of that city. They are spending a week at the Pan-American at Buffalo, after which they will come to Cass City to reside. Mrs. McArthur has visited Cass City and is already well known to many of our people who will be pleased to have her make her home among us. We join in extending the most hearty congratulations.

To Patrons.

Having retired from business, on account of failing health, I wish to thank my many friends and customers for their liberal patronage during my business career of twenty-two years in Cass City. I have sold my stock to Mrs. Annie A. Parker, who, both by her ability and fair business dealings, merits the same kindly support I have received. Those wishing to settle their accounts, may call at the store and receive a receipt from Mrs. Parker or her trimmer, Laura Wickware. Again thanking you all for kindnesses received, I am yours respectfully,
Mrs. E. K. WICKWARE.

Rescue.

Fall weather seems to be on hand on time to a minute.

John H. Hare is figuring on making a visit among friends in Imlay City in the near future.

Mrs. J. Ashmore, wife of our P. M., will start for the state of New York, in a few days and will visit the exposition during her trip.

John Breckenridge has a very sick child at present. Dr. Treadgold, of Cass City, is in attendance. Small hope is entertained for the little one's recovery.

Contractor Harry Osburn has his addition to the school house finished and accepted and is correspondingly happy with his success with his first public contract.

Duncan McDonald, of Beaufort, is having a serious time. Last Sunday morning he was taken suddenly and violently sick but at this writing is slightly improved.

After a long and painful illness, John Inglesby has gone to his reward. Born in the state of New York 33 years ago, he, at the age of 33, came to Michigan and settled in what was then a wilderness. Eighteen years ago he settled in Grant and has lived here since that time. Death came last Friday evening and ended his long suffering. Four children and a wife are left to mourn his loss. Among his neighbors he will be remembered as a man whose word was as good as his bond and by his family as a fond and indulgent parent.

Caro.

Mrs. Ward, of Ellington, was in town on the 16th.

Hiram Perry, of Ellington, was in town Saturday.

Isaac Thane and wife, of Ellington, were Caro callers on Monday.

Apples are coming to the evaporator slowly and are of poor quality.

Miss Maggie Oliver has returned from a few weeks' visit at Detroit.

Rev. Hamilton Fraser, of Indian fields, did business here on the 16th.

Wm. VanGeison has had a very sick horse. Vet. Orr succeeded in pulling it through.

Memorial services for the late president at Trinity Church Sunday evening, Sept. 16th, at 7:30.

Mrs. P. Dennis, Mrs. M. Immerson and Jas. Thompson attended the funeral of Mr. Immerson in Almer, Sept. 14th.

A large force of men is employed at the sugar factory getting ready to commence operations by the first day of October.

Caro business men with scarcely an exception showed due respect to their dead president by draping their places of business in mourning.

Mrs. Henry Sherman, living west of town, is getting material on the ground for a brick residence to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

The miscreants who are putting broken glass on the bicycle path had better look out or they will run up against a snag the first they know.

We see preparations on every hand for the fair which comes off Sept. 24, 25, 26 and 27. Nothing will be left undone to make the fair a thorough success.

An English association, regarding woman's happiness has offered a reward of \$500 for a greater blessing to woman than Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible move. Ask your druggist.

Horse, buggy and harness for sale. Weight of horse, 1075 lbs. Inquire of A. W. Sead. 8-22-tf.

Fall Fairs and Races

Crosswell.....	Sept. 25, 26, 27
Cass City.....	Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4
Imlay City.....	Oct. 2, 3, 4
North Branch.....	Oct. 9, 10, 11
Elkton.....	Oct. 8, 9, 10
Caro.....	September 24-27
Sebewaing.....	Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4

Here's a Bargain.

Good residence on one of Cass City's principal streets, for sale or rent. Will sell one lot or five (all in same block) as desired. Inquire of 9-19-tf E. W. KEATING.

Wanted.

Twenty girls wanted to pick beans at the elevators of FRUTCHIE, McGEORGE & Co.

Warning.

Parties are hereby warned against purchasing a note given by D. L. Rule, of Novesta, to Waterworth Bros., payable at Cass City Bank, as said note was obtained through misrepresentation and fraud.

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Come and price them.

We can suit you.

IN EVERY DETAIL

as Funeral Director the service I am prepared to give is beyond criticism.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF CASKETS AND FUNERAL SUPPLIES...

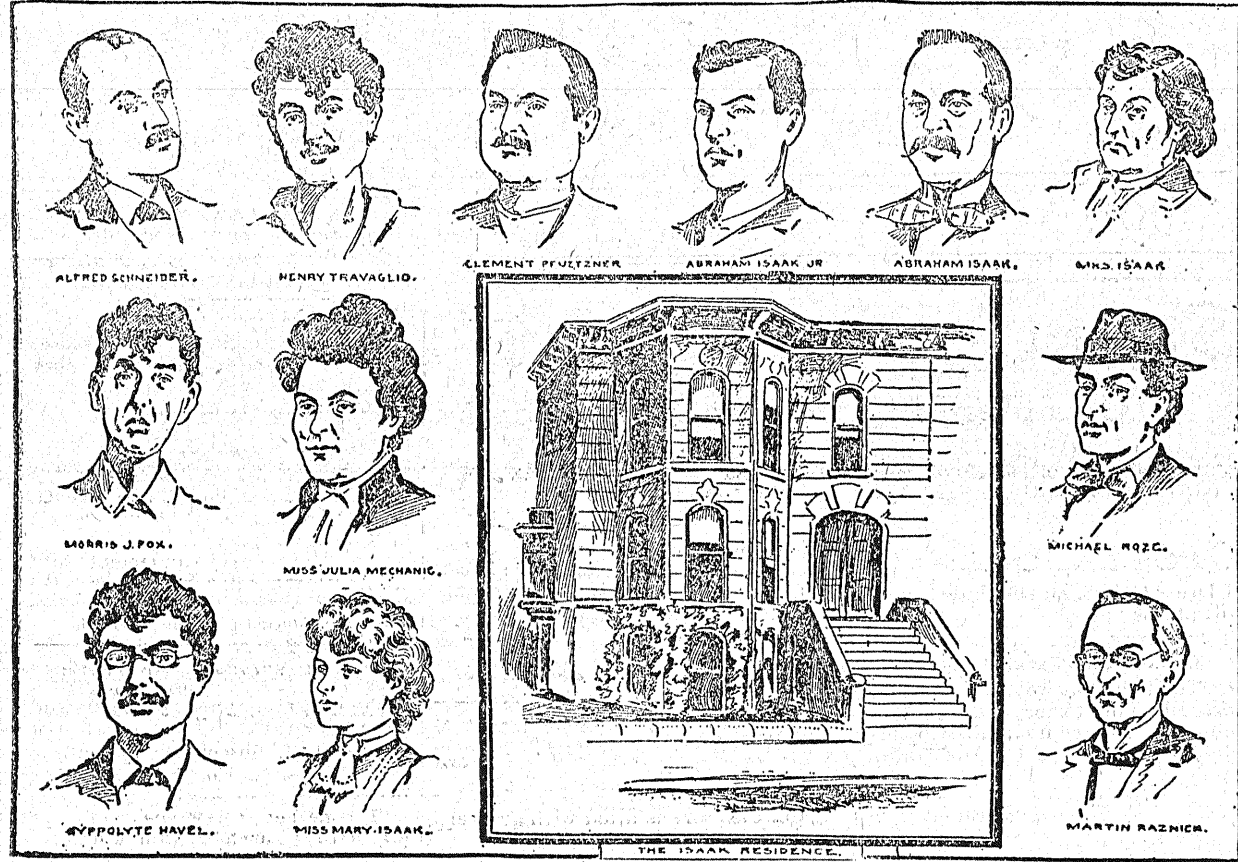
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MENACE OF ANARCHY



A GROUP OF CHICAGO ANARCHISTS, AND THEIR RESIDENCE AT 515 CARROLL AVENUE.

The man Czolgosz who attempted to assassinate the President at Buffalo and succeeded in wounding him so dangerously, may or may not be the emissary of a particular group of Anarchists; but he is unquestionably the representative and acted as the instrument of a spirit of anarchy which is present in modern society and menaces the civilization of the world. Its violence is not directed against any individual ruler or executive head of a state, good or bad, beloved or hated, by his people, but against government of itself, against our social system as it has developed in natural order.

This spirit of savage resistance to the working of a law of human development as inexorable and unchangeable as it is benign, manifests itself in the beginning in futile attempts to run counter to the irresistible current of human progress, and to provoke rebellion against social conditions which can be improved and uplifted by its operation alone. The sentiment which would set labor against capital and destroy fidelity to duty in the employed, is a servile and despicable impulse, which would turn the servant into an

implacable enemy of the master, always free to assail his interests and wantonly destroy his property, is the prolific mother of that savage spirit of anarchy which inspired the attempt to assassinate one of the most beloved presidents this Republic has ever had.

This attempt at assassination, however, was not made because of any enmity against Mr. McKinley individually, for such enmity does not exist; his character makes it impossible. The impulse that fired the shot came from the spirit of savage vindictiveness against the civilized government and civilized society and law and order which Mr. McKinley represents.

The cowardly assault was only the extreme and concrete manifestation of a feeling of ferocious hatred of a restless law of human development which even clergymen from the higher places have been making themselves conspicuous of late by stimulating apologizing for, and condoning, and for which they have been seeking to provoke sympathy as a reasonable resentment. It is a spirit of malevolence, of destructiveness, of envy, hatred and malice and all uncharitable-

ness. In its blind fury it would throw down and trample upon every monument of civilization and scatter and burn up the accumulations of treasure and beauty civilization has made and is making.

There can be no doubt but that the crime at Buffalo will result in the stamping out of anarchy, and of every other propaganda that leads to social restlessness. It will mark the decline of the agitator who lives by ranting against class. In Chicago already the police stations are full of prisoners who are accused of being accessories to the shooting of the President. This is radical action and some injustice may be done, but the step will be indorsed. From one building at 515 Carroll avenue, 12 persons were taken whose names are as follows: Clement Puetzner, Abraham Isaak, Abraham Isaak, Jr., Alfred Schneider, Hippolyte Havel, Henry Travaglio, Mrs. Marie Isaak, Miss Marie Isaak, Julius Mechanic, Morris Fox, Martin Razner and Michael Roze.

Emma Goldman, who has been arrested, was an associate of these as well as of Czolgosz.

Ideas Become Fast

Instances are numerous which show how the fancies of the novelist may become realities through men and women reproducing in actual life the imaginary scenes of the story teller. It is well known that Sir Walter Scott's story of "All Sorts and Conditions of Men" brought about the building of the People's Palace in London. Jules Verne's apparently wild flights of imagination in "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" is probably largely responsible for the wonderful progress that has been made in submarine navigation, and the constructors and operators of these boats have been already able to discount some of the novelist's fancies. When the city of Galveston was overwhelmed in an instant by the destroying waters tens of thousands of people read the detailed story in the newspapers and wondered at the reproduction in this catastrophe of the Lafcadio Hearn's story of "Chitru: A Memory of Lost Islands." The Galveston story, to the smallest detail, had long before been dreamed and the dream told by the pen of Hearn. Those who have read "King Solomon's Mines" remember how Captain Good upon one occasion when things were looking decidedly dubious for the English adventurers saved the lives of himself and his companions by a skillful manipulation of his single eyeglass and his false teeth. The recent outbreak in Ashanti furnished an incident which almost paralleled the one imagined by Rider Haggard. Two Englishmen were in a native village far out on the western borders of the disturbed country. When the war broke out all their native servants left them and they were alone with the hostile savages. One, a mining prospector, went to a neighboring chief for protection. The chief received him kindly, gave him a meal and, while he was eating, beat his brains out with a war club. The other man, Walter Bennett by name, a surveyor, was starting from his house when he heard the fate of his companion. He made his way to another chief, who received him grimly, took him into his house and then intimated that he would shortly "do things" to Mr. Bennett. The chief's family gathered around to inspect their victim and the Englishman adjured his monole and sat down to think things over.

Fancies of Novelists Reproduced in Actual Life

The single eyeglass at once caught the fancy of the chief's wives and children and they laughed and jabbered until Mr. Bennett had to laugh too. For an hour or so the family of the chief kept the surveyor "doing stunts" with his eyeglass. When he managed to screw the glass into the eye of the chief's favorite wife the hilarious rapture of the whole village was complete, and even the old chief laughed until his woolly hair hurt him. Needless to say Mr. Bennett's life was spared and he was conducted to a place from which he could reach the British lines. Biblianla is the name of the village where the surveyor saved his life after the manner of Captain Good of "King Solomon's Mines." You can't find it on the map—at least not on the ordinary ones—but it is probable that the villagers are laughing there yet at the strange Englishman with the adjustable eye. Some years ago Justin McCarthy wrote a novel called "Red Diamonds." In that story can be found many things which remind one of the Mollinex case. Captain Praven, secretary of the Voyagers' club in that story, had an enemy called Bostwick, who tried to kill him; as it is alleged, Mollinex tried to kill Harry Cornish, by sending him some poisoned headache powders, which came to the captain in almost exactly the same manner as the powders came to Cornish. And the failure of the plot is about similar in manner to the failure of the plot against Cornish. When Alaska was purchased from Russia in 1867 no one thought that it would prove a second California as regards gold, but in that year Bret Harte pictured Yankee miners swinging their picks in the midst of wildernesses of snow and ice, and, in fact, prophesied the Koodike out of the fullness of his imagination. In "Pursued by the Law," J. MacLaren Cobban has a criminal, in the custody of two policemen, scramble through the window of a rapidly moving railway train, leap from it to the ground and make off. The critics naturally pronounced this incident as "highly exciting, but unfortunately impossible." Two days after such a criticism appeared the London papers, under the heading "Leaped from a Train," chronicled an incident exactly similar to that described by Mr. Cobban.—Chicago Chronicle.

A CRIME TO STAGGER

PROVISION AGAINST INTemperance IN A SOUTH CAROLINA TOWN

The strangest law which has ever sprung from South Carolina's dispensary system has been adopted by the town council of Yorkville, a thriving country seat near the mountain line. When the dispensary system was first operated Yorkville fought it bitterly, because the citizens of that town are strong on temperance. The law was unpopular. It did not prove successful, and finally it was decided to have an election in which the people could express their views on the dispensary or prohibition. The voters buried the dispensary and prohibition ruled the day.

But the closing of the state establishments did not stop the sale of liquors. Men got drunk just as they formerly had done; and in the low quarter of the town intoxicated men reeled out, a shocking spectacle of prohibition. The wise heads took counsel together. They talked over the defects, and agreed to punish the man who drank, and not the man who sold. An extra meeting of the town council was called. An ordinance was introduced making it a misdemeanor for any person to be seen staggering on the streets of the town. That was where the wise heads thought the root of the evil could be crushed. There was a bitter fight in the council over the proposed legislation. Glass was arrayed against class, but the anti-stagger law prevailed, and it was accordingly entered on the statutes.

There is no provision in the law by which a man suffering from paralysis can be exempted from the operation of the law. All staggering people look alike to the wise men of Yorkville. Whether he stagger from drink or from partial paralysis, he is seized, hurried before a town physician, and his condition tested. If there is the odor of whiskey he is sent up to be fined; if he staggers from paralysis or from other troubles, and can produce the whisky odor besides, he is dealt with under the anti-stagger law.

Friends and supporters of the new measure declare that it has rid the streets of the drunkards and has materially decreased the sale of liquor. Men who fought for its adoption declare that it has increased drunkenness, because men buy the whisky from the "blind tigers" and then go home to drink the entire supply, with the expectation of remaining there until thoroughly sobered. The law has injected new issues into the political life of Yorkville, and people from other towns are anxious to see similar measures adopted at their homes.

Rescued His Own Soul.

A number of boys were playing on the Recreation Pier at North Second street, Brooklyn, the other day, when the cry was raised that one of them had fallen into the river. He was a little fellow only seven years old. It was a dangerous place to fall, for the water is deep and the current strong. One of the boys, with more presence of mind than the others, ran along the pier to the place where a policeman was on duty marshaling the boys who were going into the baths. He told the policeman of the accident, and the officer promptly ran to the place. Flung off his tunic and helmet, he dived into the river, and soon came up with the boy. Holding him by one hand and swimming with the other, he reached the pier and passed him up to the hands stretched out to take him. Then, to his astonishment, he recognized in the boy his own beloved child. The shock was so great that the policeman came near swooning, but his delight when the child recovered consciousness, was beautiful to see. How thankful he must have been that he was so prompt in the efforts he made to rescue the child! If men are as ready to go to the help of those who are in moral and spiritual danger, many more might be saved and sometimes those who are very dear to the rescuer.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Bath, N. Y., Sept. 16th.—There is now at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home here an old soldier who has been nearly dead than anyone who has lived to tell the story.

His name is A. E. Ayers. For many years he lived in Minneapolis, Minn., where he is well known.

Four physicians of that city once told Mr. Ayers that he could not live four days. He had Bright's disease. As a last resort he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. It is strong and well today. He says: "I was in the very presence of death, but Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me. They are the greatest medicine in the world."

Monificent Municipal Salaries.

Hoopeston, Ill., demands respectful attention. Its mayor serves for 50 cents a year and its councilmen for half as much. There has never been a saloon in the place, though it has now a population of 4,000, and its pavements, fire department, water supply and public works are all right.

The new mint is purely a money making scheme.

A GLOWING REPORT.

AN INDIANA MAN COMPARES WESTERN CANADA WITH THE UNITED STATES.

What Mr. Frank Fisher, a Prominent Dunkard, Has to Say After a Trip Through Canada.

The Department of the Interior at Ottawa has just received from Mr. E. T. Holmes, the agent of the government stationed at Indianapolis, Ind., the following letter, which requires no comment. It is only necessary to state that Mr. F. Fisher, the writer of the letter is one of the most prominent of the Dunkards and a man upon whose word the utmost reliance can be placed. His home is at Mexico, Ind., and he will be pleased to substantiate verbally or in any other way all that he says in his letter.

Anyone desiring information apply to nearest Canadian agent, whose addresses are here given:

M. V. McInnes, 2 Avenue Theater block, Detroit, Michigan.
James Grieve, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan.
J. S. Crawford, 214 W. Ninth street, Kansas City, Mo.
Benjamin Davies, 154½ East Third street, St. Paul, Minn.
T. O. Currie, Room 12 B. Callahan's block, 333 Grand avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.
C. J. Houghton, 327 Monadnock building, Chicago, Ill.
W. V. Bennett, 801 New York Life building, Omaha, Neb.
W. H. Rogers, Watertown, South Dakota.

N. Bartholomew, 306 Fifth street, Des Moines, Iowa.
J. H. M. Parker, 530 Chamber of Commerce, Duluth, Minn.
E. T. Holmes, Room 5, Big Four building, Indianapolis, Ind.
Joseph Young, 5½ State street, Columbus, Ohio.

To My Many Friends—I am pleased to make a report to you of the pleasant visit my wife and I had in Western Canada.

We visited the territories of Alberta, Assiniboia, and Saskatchewan, and found them far surpassing our imagination, but little did I expect to find such rich, loamy soil, so much of it, and so uniform in its level prairie-ley. I do think the soil of Canada as a rule equals if not exceeds the finest prairie farm lands of Indiana. These lands are immense in their richness, and when once the sod is rotted and pulverized, it is as pliable and as easily cultivated as Indiana sandy soil.

Western Canada, from my point of view, offers as fine opportunities for mixed farming as any place in my knowledge. The long, sunny days, together with the rich soil, produce very fine wheat, oats, barley, flax and other cereal products. There is scarcely any attempt to raise corn, except early varieties for table use. The season is too short to depend upon maturing field corn. From the standpoint of getting this land ready for the plow, I must say that I never saw such a vast extent, practically all ready so all that one has to do is to hitch up the plow and go to work. This is not the case with all the Canadian land, however; some of it has quite a bit of timber, much of it may be called brush land, and some of it has lovely forest groves, dotted here

and there, thereby covering a hundred and sixty acres.

I have no doubt but that this country excels as a grazing or ranching country, because they have such rich grass, having an abundance of rain to keep it fresh. They also have plenty of water streams, and as a rule water may be reached at a depth of from 20 to 40 feet. From this you can see there can be plenty of hay mown for winter feeding, and I have had reliable farmers to tell me that their stock will feed on hay alone, and be ready for market in the spring. Upon inquiring about the expense of raising a steer, a farmer replied that he did not consider it would cost any more than \$1 or \$2 to develop a three-year-old steer.

I truly think Canada offers a fine opening for a young man or a man who is renting land in Indiana. One hundred and sixty acres of good black land will cost you only \$10 at the time you enter it, and by plowing and cultivating five acres each year for three years, gives you one hundred and sixty acres of good land for \$10. This land can be bought from the railroad companies, private corporations or the government for \$3 to \$4 per acre.

From a financial standpoint, I believe that for a series of years (five) a young man can make \$10 in Canada, whereas he would only make \$1 here, and I feel sure that I spent more money to get my eighty acre farm in White County, Indiana, cultivated than it would cost me to cultivate eight hundred acres in Canada. This may seem a strong view to take of the matter, but when you take into consideration the clearing, ditching, fencing and the expensive breaking in of the stumps, and then compare the expense to that of land needing only the breaking, you will conclude that it is not such a wild or exaggerated statement as you might at first think.

I enjoyed the balmy, breezy atmosphere, which was bracing and refreshing, and the cool nights which made it so pleasant for sleep.

On making inquiries regarding the winters in this country, I learned that the people never suffer from the cold, as the weather is dry and invigorating, and in a great many places farmers and herders allow their stock to run outside the year around.

One great advantage to the settlers in Western Canada is the free creameries established by the government and run exclusively in the interest of the farmer.

I visited Thomas Daley, a farmer near Edmonton, Alberta, who showed me a vast extent, practically all ready so all that one has to do is to hitch up the plow and go to work. This is not the case with all the Canadian land, however; some of it has quite a bit of timber, much of it may be called brush land, and some of it has lovely forest groves, dotted here

Yours truly,
FRANK FISHER.
Mexico, Ind.

Rescued His Own Soul.

A number of boys were playing on the Recreation Pier at North Second street, Brooklyn, the other day, when the cry was raised that one of them had fallen into the river. He was a little fellow only seven years old. It was a dangerous place to fall, for the water is deep and the current strong. One of the boys, with more presence of mind than the others, ran along the pier to the place where a policeman was on duty marshaling the boys who were going into the baths. He told the policeman of the accident, and the officer promptly ran to the place. Flung off his tunic and helmet, he dived into the river, and soon came up with the boy. Holding him by one hand and swimming with the other, he reached the pier and passed him up to the hands stretched out to take him. Then, to his astonishment, he recognized in the boy his own beloved child. The shock was so great that the policeman came near swooning, but his delight when the child recovered consciousness, was beautiful to see. How thankful he must have been that he was so prompt in the efforts he made to rescue the child! If men are as ready to go to the help of those who are in moral and spiritual danger, many more might be saved and sometimes those who are very dear to the rescuer.

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THREE ASSASSINS OF OUR PRESIDENTS.

Prevention of Assassination.

The practical questions that civilization must answer, in view of the frequent recurrence in all lands and under all forms of government of anarchistic attempts to murder the heads of states, are these:

1. Can the person of the chief executive be more successfully guarded against such attacks?

2. Can the assassin be so dealt with as more effectually to discourage others?

The first question so far as the American Presidents are concerned, is certain to be answered affirmatively. Lincoln was approached by Booth without the slightest hindrance; he was sitting in a theatre box absolutely unguarded. Garfield was shot down as he was walking arm in arm with Blaine through a railway station, unattended by a single guard, just as any citizen might do. Now McKinley has been shot at point blank range by one of an immense throng

of visitors to an exposition who were allowed to pour in promiscuously to shake his hand, without tickets or restrictions of any sort, just as if there were no such characters as anarchists or cranks. Clearly it is possible to make it much less easy than it is to unknown persons to get so close to this to the President. It will be seen that the President is not a man to be taken for granted. It will be seen that the President is not a man to be taken for granted. It will be seen that the President is not a man to be taken for granted.

To the second question the answer is more difficult. The penalty of death is the severest that can be inflicted, though it might reasonably be extended to all attempts to kill the President, whether successful or no. There is, however, much plausibility in the suggestion made by many eminent criminologists that every assassin should, so far as possible, have a identity effaced. If even his name were suppressed in the reports of the crime, and he was hurried to trial an execution without having any person at prominence in the public eye, so that he would cut no figure at all either at the time or in history, it is evident that the stimulus of notoriety would be taken away. And the men of the Bresci and Czolgosz type, above all things, is believed by nearly all the scientists who have studied them.—New York World.

Senator James K. Jones and former Governor James P. Clark, of Arkansas, rival candidates for the senatorship, have agreed to urge the calling of a primary election by which the choice of the democrats of the state may be determined by popular vote. They have also agreed upon a joint speaking campaign to cover the entire state.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, has approved of the plans for a school building at Weatherly, Pa., for which he will provide the funds. The contract has been awarded. The building will represent an outlay of about \$100,000.

The Parents of Czolgosz.



Paul Czolgosz, father of the anarchist assassin, lives with his family at 306 Fleet street, Cleveland, and during his residence there has always had the respect of his neighbors. Mrs. Czolgosz, the assassin's stepmother, who is now in Buffalo, is a quiet woman, neat and cleanly in appearance, but not possessed of much education.

The entire family, it would appear, with the exception of the anarchist, has had little use for books of any kind, though his son is crazy, although he has no hesitation in saying that he is weak-minded. The assassin's father used to live on a farm near Alpena, Mich., before he came to Detroit. He has eight sons—all of them by a first wife, now dead, and five of whom reside in Michigan. Mrs. Czolgosz agrees with her husband in the opinion that her stepson must have been set on by older and abler minds.

The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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CHAPTER XV.—(Continued.)
"I hope you have rested well," said the chief, approaching the princess.
"I have slept, sir," she replied, trembling as she looked into his dark face.
"Then you are ready to resume your saddle. We will ride before the heat of the noonday sun is upon us."
"You will not claim us for companions further, I trust?"
"Only while our roads lay together, lady. Surely you cannot object to that."
"But I wish to go to the bank of the Phaphar."
"Just as I expected; so I shall not be disappointed. Your horses are ready. I will have them brought this way."
The guard had already been placed upon a horse, and Ulin saw them binding him to a saddle. What did this mean?
Hardly knowing what she did, Ulin suffered herself to be lifted into the saddle; and in a few moments more Albia was by her side.
"Why have you bound Shubal to his seat?" she asked.
"That he may ride safely. He is a bungling fellow, and might tumble off if he were not secured. But don't let that worry you."

CHAPTER XVI.
The Strange Horseman.
At this moment the guard came near to the place where his mistress sat, his horse having moved of its own accord, and as she turned towards him he spoke to her:
"My dear good lady, they lie to you when they tell you that they mean you no harm. I have heard them talk and I know their plans. We are all to be sold into slavery in the kingdom beyond the Syrian desert!"
"Mercy!" cried Ulin, turning pale as death and clasping her hands in agony.
"O, my dream! my dream!"
"Easy, fair lady," said Al Abbas. "This black rascal knows not what he says. I allowed him to speak so that I might see how his mind ran."
"It is false," exclaimed Shubal. "I heard them lay the plan, you, my mistress, are to be sold for a—"
The guard's speech was stopped by two of the robbers, who threw him back upon his horse, and stopped his mouth with their hands.
"Sir robber," cried Ulin, stretching her hands out towards him, "deceive me no more. I think my poor slave has told me the truth."
"A pest upon the slave, lady! His tongue shall come out by the roots if he speaks again without my leave. Stick to your saddle, and keep up your courage."
As the Arab spoke he leaped upon the back of his horse, and ere the princess could ask another question, the party was upon the move, the order of arrangements being the same as before.
"We are not going towards the Phaphar," said Ulin.
"No," replied Albia. "We are going the other way."
"Then Shubal told us the truth," "Alas, dear mistress, I dare not say."
"But you think so?"
"I cannot deny it."
"And you thought so before you heard Shubal speak?"
"I feared something of the kind."
Al Abbas overheard the girls as they thus conversed, and he was presently by their side.
"Lady Ulin," he said, and he spoke sternly and sharply; "you are now on the move, and when you stop again it will be far away from Damascus. I owe something to the officers of that city, and I will repay a part of the debt by taking you away from them. You are to go just as far as I please to take you; and the more quietly you go the better it will be for you; so you had better begin to accommodate yourself to the circumstances."
He rode back to his place and Ulin grasped the bow of her saddle for support.
"Courage," said Albia, riding as near as she could. "There may be some way to escape. The good spirits will not desert us."
The princess heard the words, and she had a marked effect upon her. She had naturally a strong resolution, and when she was once resolved to hear up, her strength was not long in coming to her assistance. On the present occasion she knew that she had heard the worst. In fact, she had reason to believe that her career meant for her the most dreadful fate to which one in her station could be subject. For a while she was completely stunned by the fearful blow, but as she came to reason with herself, she saw that her only hope was in escape. The Arabs were low, brutal and sordid, and would sell her for gold. She could read in their evil faces that they were not to be touched by sympathy. What then could she do? She must get away from them. And if this was to be done she must summon all her energies to the work.
But, alas! the case looked hopeless enough; what could two weak girls do against such odds? Only some interposition beyond their own efforts could save them. So, after all, it helped was to come, it must come from some unknown source. And could such help be found? If fervent prayers could

be answered, and if the most holy need could be met, it might be hoped for.
At the end of some two or three hours the party came to a thick grove of palms; near which was a spring and here they stopped just long enough to water the horses. They had started on again, and were at some little distance from the grove, when one of the Arabs who rode in the rear, came forward and informed his leader that a horseman was following them. Al Abbas looked back and saw that the stranger was a black, and that he rode a swift and powerful horse.
"He wishes to overtake us," said the fellow who had come from the rear.
"Then he must ride for it," returned the chief. "I cannot stop. I wonder where he came from."
"When I first saw him, he seemed to have just emerged from the grove." In a short time the strange horseman had come so near that the light of his eyes could be seen, and Al Abbas saw that he must soon overtake them; so he concluded to drop behind and find out what was wanted, evidently desiring that the men should not see what manner of prizes he had in charge, at least until his character was known. The robbers were directed to slacken their speed a little, but to keep on their course, and having given this order, the chief turned his horse's head and rode back; and ere long he was within speaking distance of the stranger, who proved to be a stout, well-made man, with a face as black as night.
"Hallo!" cried Al Abbas, reining in his horse. "Who are you?"
"I am king of this plain," replied the African, at the same time reining in his own horse; "and I have come out to see who those trespassers upon my domain. Who are you?"
The Arab hesitated in his answer, as he supposed the black must be crazy.
"Who are you, and what sort of company do you lead?" cried the African.
"I lead my own company; and if you want anything, come and get it," answered the Arab.
"I want nothing but to know who you are; and the next time you come this way, be sure and stop again at the grove of the date-palms. I will have a banquet prepared for you."
Thus speaking, the stranger wheeled his horse in a broad circle, and started back towards the place whence he had come.
Al Abbas rode back to his party, and when they asked him what manner of man he had met, he replied that it was only a poor crazy fool, who imagined that he owned the broad plain upon which they were traveling.
"He is worth capturing," suggested one of the robbers.
"We could not capture him if we would," said the chief. "He rides a better horse than we own."
While the Arabs were gazing back after the retiring horseman Albia drew close to the side of her mistress and spoke, quickly and excitedly:
"Did you recognize him?"
"Whom?"
"The crazy man who followed us."
"No."
"Hush! Not a word. As sure as I live it was Osmir; and he assured we have help at hand."
"But he has gone."
"Aye, for he only came out to see who we were. Be sure he has recognized us."
Ulin felt her heart bound up with springing hope; and her next prayer was uttered with returning faith in heaven's protecting power.

CHAPTER XVII.
By the Banks of the Phaphar.
Half an hour after Al Abbas had resumed his place at the head of his troop, the same robber who had before come from the rear, again rode to the front, this time bringing intelligence that a number of horsemen were pursuing them. The chief drew his horse aside and looked back, and saw four men coming. They were well mounted, and seemed to be in hot pursuit.
"There is something more than accident in this," said Al Abbas. "The fellow is with them who followed us before."
"Two of those men are white," remarked the robber who had ridden up from the rear. "What can they want of us?"
"Never mind," returned the chief. "If they want us, let them catch us. And if, beyond that, they want more, let them make their wants known."
Thus speaking, the Arab leader resumed his place, and urged his horses forward with increasing speed. Ever and anon he cast his eyes behind him, and it was ere long evident that the strangers were rapidly gaining upon him.
"We may as well stop now as at any time," said Al Abbas, addressing the man who rode by his side. "I will halt and ascertain what these fellows want. It is about time our horses had a breathing spell."
At a simple order from their chief, the Arabs wheeled their horses in a circle, bringing up in line, facing their pursuers, with their prisoners in the rear.
"Who are you that thus pursue and stop us?" demanded Al Abbas.
"I am Julian, the Scourge of Damascus!" replied the foremost of the opposite party.
At the sound of that name the Arab trembled, for he knew that no king's officer had been more persistent in driving petty robbers from the plains of Damascus than had Julian. But presently he recovered himself, seeming to think that, were the man's assertion true, the opposing force was not strong enough to be feared.
"If you be Julian," he cried, "you have come forth with a small retinue. But what seek you?"
"I have come to take from you those prisoners that you hold. Deliver them up to me, and I will trouble you no more."
"And suppose that I should refuse to do any such thing?"
"Then I should be forced to take them from you. As I address you, I recognize who you are. If I am not greatly mistaken, you are Al Abbas, the Arab—a villain who lives by robbing women and old men."
"Now, by the blood of Cushi!" exclaimed Al Abbas, drawing his sword and urging his horse forward. "I'll make you feel another thing the Arab robber can do! What, ho, my men! Down with these rascals!"
In a moment the Arabs were ready for action, and hurried forward to strike with their leader.
As soon as Shubal found his guard gone, he called to Albia to come and set him free.
"Cut these cords," he cried, "and I may be of some help in this affair. Merciful heaven, is not this the work of a good spirit?"
The bondmaid was not long in setting him free from his saddle, and as soon as he was clear he sprang forward to where the ring of clashing steel had already broken upon the air.
With something like a smile of disdain upon his handsome features did Julian behold the approach of the Arabs, while Hobadann, who sat close by his side, looked grim and stern. Osmir and Selim drew to the front as the token of battle was given, and their cool, determined bearing, plainly showed that they were foemen not to be despised. Al Abbas rode directly for the youthful chieftain, with his sword ready for the stroke; but he had mistaken his man, if he thought to touch any vulnerable point. Julian knocked his weapon up, and quickly drove him from his horse; and then, seeking to make quick work of it, and feeling no great sympathy for woman-stealers, he simply rode the Arab leader down, cleaving open his head as he fell.
Shubal was close at hand when Al Abbas dropped, and quickly as possible he possessed himself of the fallen man's sword, and was just in season to join in the conflict as three of the Arabs had attacked Julian. The young chieftain struck down one of them by a winding blow across the bare neck, but he might have had severe work with the other two had not help arrived; for the rascals were strong, and the death of their leader had given them new impulse to conquer. No, no. The death of Al Abbas was not enough for those who survive. But the unexpected arrival of the freed slave upon the scene gave a new turn to the tide. One of the Arabs he struck down from behind, and the other one alone proved no match for the stalwart chieftain.
In the meantime Hobadann, with Osmir and Selim, had disposed of the others. Two they had slain, and two had taken to flight.
(To be continued.)

BROKE BLAINE'S BOOM.
Ex-Governor Newell's Medical Opinion.
Turned Jersey Delegates.
Friends of the late William A. Newell, once Governor of New Jersey, have recalled an old story in which he figures as the rock upon which the Presidential hopes of James G. Blaine were wrecked in 1876. The ex-Governor, who was a physician as well as a politician, was a delegate to the Republican national convention in that year, and he was prominent among those members of the New Jersey delegation who favored Mr. Blaine's nomination. While the struggle for the various aspirants was in progress, the news came that Mr. Blaine had been stricken with what was variously described as apoplexy and sunstroke. This event was eagerly seized upon by the two or three Jersey delegates who favored Mr. Conkling, and these, hearing that Dr. Newell had expressed a fear that the effects of such a "stroke" as Mr. Blaine had suffered might seriously and permanently affect his mental faculties, saw an opportunity, as they thought, to help their candidate. They secured a conference of the delegation, and when it had met, they called upon the ex-Governor to give his opinion, as a medical man, as to whether, in the circumstances, it would be prudent to nominate the Maine statesman. The answer, given with extreme reluctance and regret, and of course entirely sincere, was in the negative. Mr. Blaine's hold upon the New Jersey delegates was immediately broken, but their votes ultimately went, not to Mr. Conkling, but to Mr. Hayes. Those who like to ascribe great effects to small causes saw at the time, in the inaccurate, long-distance diagnosis of Dr. Newell's failure to reach the Presidency, for they say that, though he was defeated in 1884, if he had been nominated in 1876 he would have been elected.—New York Times.
The man who is imprisoned for life no longer dreads being found out.

NEW AND TRUE STORIES OF THE PEOPLE

WATTERSON NOT A BETTOR.

One by one the lions of Kentucky are slowly falling. First, the great battleship named after the state, and christened by one of Kentucky's fairest daughters was baptized with plain cold water instead of with the red and fiery liquor for which the commonwealth of Kentucky is so celebrated in song and story.
This baptizing of the battleship Kentucky with water instead of whiskey, and which is generally referred to in Kentucky as the "crime of the nineteenth century," was the first great prop of tradition knocked from under old Kentucky. But now comes another, and if anything, a harder blow. Colonel Henry Watterson, the guardian angel of the only original star-eyed goddess of reform and the man who marched the Democratic party through a slaughter-house into an open grave," declared in an interview at Saratoga Springs the other day "that he had not seen a horse race in fifteen years."



Shades of the old Kentucky home, whither are we drifting? In every one of the three great geographical divisions of Kentucky—viz. the blue grass, the bar grass, and the pennyrail—there has always been a feverish idolatry of the trinity of Kentucky—good whiskey, fast horses and pretty women. But whiskey was scorned, sub, sub, sub, scorned, when the battleship Kentucky, sub, was christened with water, sub, instead of good old licker, sub. And now, sub, Henry Watterson, our Henry, sub, the greatest man, sub, since Thomas Jefferson, sub, casts an insult, sub, against horses, sub, and fast horses, sub, by bragging, sub, that he has never attended a horse race in fifteen years, sub.

The next thing and somebody will stand up and declare that the beauties of Kentucky sprint and that they have big feet. Then what will there be left of the commonwealth of Kentucky?

It is rumored that Henry Watterson, upon his return to his native land, will be called before a court martial and tried for heresy. If nothing else will take him to a race track he should be bound and gagged and carried out to one and made to lose all his money on the long shots.



JEFFERSON IN TERRE HAUTE.
When ex-Congressman Lamb was in Boston a few days ago he met Joseph Jefferson, who told of his first appearance in Terre Haute, Ind.
"How old are you?" asked the actor. Mr. Lamb replied that he was 48 years old.
"Oh, then, I was in Terre Haute before you were," said Mr. Jefferson.
"In the winter of 1839-40, when I, Joseph Jefferson, was 12 years old, I was there with my mother and father. We played in an old warehouse or porkhouse. My father had organized a company that was traveling through the west."

"I shall always remember Terre Haute, for it was there I heard one of Shakespeare's plays read through for the first time. After the performance was over one night my mother read to me by the light of a candle 'Much Ado About Nothing.' How it all comes back to me now—the porkhouse, the frame hotel, the bare parlor and sitting room combined, the well-thumbed volume of Shakespeare, and, best of all, the sweet face and low voice of my mother."

"We went down by boat on the Wabash to Vincennes, where the company was 'stranded.' Our last trunk was left with the tavernkeeper for board. How we got back east I do not remember, as I was too young then to appreciate such a situation. Think of it! There we were, utter strangers, without a dollar, a thousand miles from home, in a country where a telegraph and railroad had not been built.
"Five or six years ago, while in Fort Wayne, a gentleman introduced himself to me at the hotel, and, taking from his pocket a silver teaspoon, asked me to look at the initials on it. They were 'C. H.' I said: 'Those are my mother's initials, her maiden name was Catherine Burke.' In a few words the gentleman informed me that the spoon was found in a trunk after that disastrous visit to Vincennes. He presented the spoon to me, and it is one of my treasures at Buzzard's Bay."

LA FOLLETTE AND STAGE.

To Lawrence Barrett and Edwin Booth belongs the credit of having saved to Wisconsin a governor—Robert M. La Follette.
In doing so they lost to the theatrical world a star. The incident happened less than ten years ago.
La Follette was a candidate for re-nomination to congress for the fourth time. After a house-to-house campaign he was defeated by a small majority by the Democratic candidate, Bushnell. Hav-

ing been out of the practice of law for six years La Follette hated to settle down to the hard grind. During his four years' course in the University of Wisconsin he had made Shakespeare a study. A natural orator, he captured the honors at Madison easily. Turning to new fields he won the intercollegiate contest in which four states were represented. His oration in "Iago" was a masterpiece. Luckless and unscrupulous students in western universes have since fallen a prey to his charms to such an extent that scarcely a year passes when some one is not accused of plagiarizing "Iago" in whole or in part. La Follette knew personally both Booth and Barrett. They were touring the country together and he determined to submit the matter to them and act as they might decide. Barrett's reply sent the statesman back to his native state.

"You have talent for the stage," he said. "There is no question about that." But there are other things to consider. Remember your law. Don't take defeat so badly. Make another effort."

And La Follette made another effort.

AN ESKIMO LEGEND.

Believe Earth Is In Grasp of Giant Ice Spirit.

Ethah Eskimos, who wander among the northern stations of Smith sound know nothing of centripetal or centrifugal energy and have never heard of the oriental stories of the earth being supported on the back of a tortoise or an elephant, but they do have a legend—never before in print—that accounts for their satisfaction for the holding of our globe in its place and a legend that is quite strangely carried out by geography. They say that the earth is held in the giant grasp of the great ice spirit, who reaches out from the dark northern sky and holds the water-covered sphere with his left hand that forms the land of which we live. They laugh at explorers who are seeking the pole, and say that it is impossible to reach it, because the ice spirit has surrounded his wrist with impenetrable and unsmokable barriers. So much for the legend, now for the geography. These Eskimos point southward over the great American continent and say that is the hand of the ice spirit, and they point further and further to the east to locate the rest of the hand and stop where they say there is a great ocean that reaches from the little finger around to the thumb again. That is the Pacific. Take your atlas of the world and you can well imagine the western continent being the thumb of this spirit, and its broad ball forming North America and the joint breaking at the isthmus; with the nail at Tierra del Fuego, rounding off into Cape Horn. Between the thumb and the finger lies the Atlantic, and that finger extends far southward, forming Europe and Africa, with its terminus at Cape of Good Hope. Then the middle finger, with its main joint bent at the Himalaya mountains, reaches through the Indian peninsula, terminating at Ceylon. The third finger is extended, forming the Chinese peninsula, and reaching through Australia. Above these fingers stretches out the mighty broad palm, forming the great plain of Asia; and to the east marking the western bounds of the Pacific is the little finger, which covers Kamchatka, the Kurile Islands and Japan.—New York Herald.

The Lion and the Fox.
A lion who wanted his meal brought to his room without being charged as extras, invited the beasts to call upon him. The Fox came in his turn. "Come in," cried the monarch of the Plains to the Fox, who remained at a respectful distance. "I thank you humbly," replied the Fox, "but while I observe many footprints leading toward your Den none return from it." "Phaw!" answered the Lion, "that is easily explained. My good friends were anxious to furnish me with Edifying Literature, and when they went away they left their Tracks." "Alas! I have none with me, but will speedily make Tracks," answered Master Reynard, and he vanished in the distance. Moral—Most Accidents can be avoided by presence of mind and absence of body.

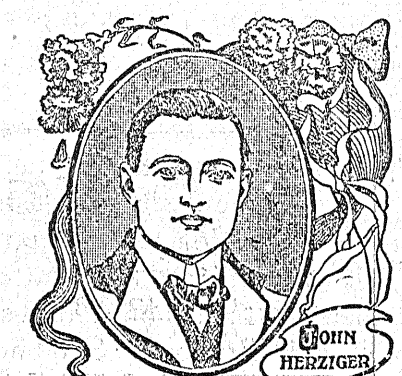
A Press Notice for Patti.
During one of Adeline Patti's last tours in the United States the following preliminary notice was published by a certain western editor: "Mrs. Patti Nicolini, the eminent vocalist and farewellist, will come to us positively for the last time next year. All those who expect to die before the year after next will do well to hear the human nightingale on this trip for Patti never says good-bye twice in the same year, and to die without hearing her strike her high two-thousand-dollar note is to seek the hereafter in woeful ignorance of the heights to which a woman with good lungs and a castle in Wales can soar when she tries."

Rain Would Hit Edge.
A farmer, in commenting on the proposition that there should be prayers for rain, said: "This earth is flat as a pancake, and at this season of the year the aidge is turned toward the thunder region. If the rain should come it would only hit the aidge, and do no good to crops." Philadelphia Record.

CATARRH OF KIDNEYS

Quickly Develops Into Bright's Disease.

[PE-RU-NA CURES CATARRH WHEREVER LOCATED.]



John Herziger, son of Alderman Herziger, of Neenah, Wis., and Vice President of the Neenah Young Men's Club, writes in a recent letter to The Peru Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, the following:

"After suffering for two years with kidney trouble I received relief and cure from using your wonderful medicine, Peru."

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"Hearing so much of the good results people had obtained through the use of Peru I determined to give it a trial and it was a lucky day for me when I did so. I am well now and it only took a few bottles of Peru."

John Herziger, 307 Commercial street, Neenah, Wis.

Two years suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, unable to work on account of the severe pain, could find no relief from medicine; gave Peru a trial and was promptly cured—such was the experience of John Herziger of Wisconsin. This experience has been repeated many times. Not only in Wisconsin but in every state in the Union. It was indeed a lucky day for this young man when his attention was called to Peru. What would have been the result had he continued suffering on and on!

JAPAN'S TRIBUTE TO PERRY.
Memorial to the Man Who Opened Up the Japan Civilization.
The amity existing between Japan and the United States was recently emphasized at Kurihama, where a monument, erected to Commodore Perry, the American naval officer who first opened Japan to the civilization of the western world, was unveiled. The memorial marks the place where Commodore Perry landed, in 1853, preparatory to signing the treaty which has resulted in the phenomenal progress made by Japan since that time.

The monument is a simple though enduring one. The shaft is a solid block of stone weighing 19 tons and the whole monument, the face of which is suitably inscribed, is 33 feet high. At the dedicatory exercises the officialdom of Japan was generously represented. The United States vessels the New York, New Orleans and Yorktown, were represented. One of those taking part in the ceremonies was Rear Admiral Beardslee who served under Commodore Perry at the time of the landing.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 16.—The Garfield Tea Co., manufacturers of Garfield Tea, Garfield Headache Powders, Garfield Tea Syrup, Garfield Relief Plasters, Garfield Digestive Tablets and Garfield Lotion, are now occupying the large and elegant office building and laboratory recently erected by them. For many years the Garfield Remedies have been growing in popularity and their success is well deserved.

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A philosopher gains great results by putting up with small annoyances.

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Better have it all; 1 2 3 paint: Devoe ready paint; the best isn't too good.
Get Devoe of your dealer; take nothing less. Pamphlet on painting sent free if you mention this paper.
GOOD-PAINT-DEVOE, CHICAGO.

ing away precious time with other remedies, no man can tell. But it is almost certain that it would have ended in incurable Bright's disease of the kidneys, which sooner or later would have proved fatal.

Peruna is a sure cure for incipient Bright's disease of the kidneys. Taken in the early stages of this disease, it cures permanently. Bright's disease always begins with catarrh of the kidneys. Peruna cures catarrh wherever located.

Congressman Bankhead's Statement.
Congressman J. H. Bankhead of Alabama, one of the most influential members of the House of Representatives, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., gives his indorsement to the great catarrh remedy, Peruna, in the following words:

"Your Peruna is one of the best medicines I ever used; and no family should be without your remarkable remedy. As a tonic and a catarrh cure I know of nothing better."—J. H. Bankhead.

Samuel R. Sprecher, Junior Beadle Court, Angelina No. 3422, I. O. O. F., 205 High St., Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "I came here a few years ago suffering with catarrh of the kidneys, in search of health. I thought that the climate would cure me but found that I was mistaken. I was told that the climate could not do Peruna could and did. Seven weeks' trial convinced me that I had the right medicine and I was then a well man. I know of at least twenty friends and members of the lodge to which I belong who have been cured of catarrh, bladder and kidney trouble through the use of Peruna and it has a host of friends in this city."—Samuel R. Sprecher.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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JAS. RAMSAY, Secretary.

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"In handling a big snake you must always touch him with a soft, smooth, gliding motion of the hand, making it feel to him as much as possible like the touch of another snake, and, besides, you must be careful to keep his tail out straight. Keep the tail straight, and he can't coil on you. His bite is nothing, for he has no poison, but his coil around your leg or arm or body will crush the bones.

"The poisonous snakes—the water moccasins, rattlesnakes and copperheads—are bought for zoos. Now and then a doctor buys them heavily for awhile. He wants to experiment with their poison. After he has been bitten two or three times he stops buying.

"There are a number of people who buy snakes for pets. These people always, without an exception, make pets also of rats, mice and turtles. Any one fond of snakes is sure to be fond of those other things too. They keep their snakes and turtles and rats as near as possible to them. Often they keep them in their bedrooms. There was a young man who used to come here last year after pine snakes—a university student. That young man would sit with his hand in among the coils of a careful of snakes for hours. He would take one's head in his hands and lift its face close up to his own and gaze for a long time in its eyes. Then he would hold it off and stroke it and study its changing colors in a kind of trance. I don't know what pleasure or satisfaction he got out of the snakes. He bought over a dozen from me during the year and kept them in his bedroom in a boarding house. They all escaped one night through a rat-hole and got among the neighbors and raised general ballyhoo."—Philadelphia Record.

FLOWER AND TREE.

A single leaf of the orange tree, carefully planted, will often take root and grow.

Seven-year-old tea plants yield four ounces of leaves apiece, or 700 pounds of tea to the acre.

New Zealand has in its edelweiss a plant differing but slightly from the famous Swiss variety.

An oak tree at 100 years averages 41 inches in diameter, a larch 40 inches, an elm 50 inches and a yew 9 inches.

A white pine tree 20 years old ought to be about 25 feet high, and at 30 or 40 years of age it ought to measure about 60 feet.

The pest of British Columbia forests is a plant called the devil's club. It has spikes which, when they enter the flesh, break off and produce poisoned wounds, which fester.

Wore His Old Hat Home.

They were talking about getting bald. "Men wear their hats too much," the doctor was saying. "I have noticed that a great many business men wear them in their offices. The head should be kept bare as much as possible."

"My partner always wears an old straw hat around the store," replied a Market street merchant. "He wears this in winter as well as in summer, or at least he did until last winter, when he had an experience that cured him of it."

"One very cold afternoon he left the office early, and as he walked briskly through the street he noticed in a rather absentminded way that he was attracting considerable attention. People turned and looked after him and laughed."

It was not until he had walked five or six blocks that he realized what it all meant. He met a lady of his acquaintance, and when he went to raise his hat he found that he was still wearing the old straw one, having forgotten to change it when he left the office. Fortunately there was a hat store near by, and he went in and bought one more suitable to the season."—Philadelphia Record.

Josh Westhafer, of Loogootee, Ind., is a poor man, but he says he would not be without Chamberlain's Pain Balm if it cost five dollars a bottle, for it saved him from being a cripple. No external application is equal to this liniment for stiff and swollen joints, contracted muscles, stiff neck, sprains and rheumatic and muscular pains. It has also cured numerous cases of partial paralysis. It is for sale at Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

AN OCEAN CEMETERY.

THE MOST DEADLY TRAP FOR SHIPS IN ALL THE WORLD.

Bare, Bleak and Treeless Quessant, the Notorious Island of Terror, and the Awful Forests That Supply It With Food in Plenty.

Far out in the Atlantic ocean, off the northern French coast, almost due west from Brest, lies a great rocky island that is one of the most deadly traps for ships in all the world. It is the island of Quessant, the notorious Ile de l'Epouvante, the island of terror. Bare, without a tree to break its monotony, it lies in the path of the ships seeking the English channel. If they steer too far north, the hundred shoals and reefs of the British coast open their jaws for them. If they sail too far south, Quessant reaches for their bones.

Bleak and far away from any other land as the island of terror is, it still has its population. What mysterious thing is it which attracts that population and makes it cling? The frequent visitor sees funny flocks of little sheep, scarcely twice as large as hares. He sees small herds of rough coated ponies almost as tiny as the sheep. These are the only signs of productive industry to be seen. There is fishing, of course, but fishing can be prosecuted better from the mainland, with less risk and a more convenient market.

What is the mysterious attraction, then? So asked Alexander Suetette, the traveler, when he made his way from the coast of Brittany to Quessant. The answer came, at least in part, one evening when a great storm swept in from the Atlantic and beat at the shores with unexampled fury.

He says: "The daughter of my host-ess led me up the narrow staircase to my room. As I ascended I noticed, without remarking the oddity of it at the time, that the staircase was of shining oak. I was ushered into my room, a large, low chamber, completely paneled from top to bottom. Putting the lamp of a huge oak table that shone like a mirror, she said:

"If you should need more firewood, monsieur, you will find it in the next room. Do not spare it. It is bitter cold, and there will be more than enough firewood in Quessant in two or three days. Good night."

"I sat down before the blazing fire and prepared for a cozy evening. The storm raged in the narrow streets of the little village. The surges thundered against the granite breast of the coast like endless artillery fire, and sometimes I imagined that the very island trembled under the onslaught of the hundreds of millions of tons of water.

"As I sat listening I gazed into the flames. The wood struck me as strange. And then I wondered. On the entire island there is not a single tree, and yet I had been told not to spare firewood. 'There will be more than enough in two or three days.'

"I arose and opened the door into the next room. That room was possibly 20 feet high and was filled almost to the top with timber. First with wonder, then with growing awe, I gazed at the piles of wood. Truly she was right, the little maid, when she said that one need not be economical with firewood on the island of Quessant. There were timbers of every shape—splintered masts and spars, planks from decks and sides, remnants of a steering wheel, benches from the forecastle, yellow, black, brown, white and red woods, even two figureheads, some bright, as if they were new, some crusty with shells and hung with seaweeds. In the entire room there was not a piece of wood that did not come from some wrecked ship.

"When I returned to my room, I took the lamp and examined the place closely. I noticed a strange, delicate, yet very insistent fragrance—sandalwood. Thick wooden pillars supported the ceiling. They were of a beautiful dull black—ebony, as I lived. The panels were rosewood, mahogany and cedar. Even an unpracticed eye could see that all these precious woods once had ornamented the cabins of noble ships. The heavy carved chairs, the polished oaken table, even the bed in which I was to sleep, all came from shipwrecks.

"Now I understood the meaning of the words 'stand rights.' In favor of this island, far away from the world and murderous for the ships that tie the world together, Eolus, with his bride of the wind, is more fruitful than is Ceres to the mainland, with her harvest moon and her blessings of fruit. The blessings of Quessant come from the gale.

"The forests of Quessant! Are there such others in the entire world, so unique, so terrible? This forest, instead of trees, has the mighty masts of ships. In that tremendous forest are the oaks and pines of Canada and Maine, the cypress of Florida, the babababs of Africa, the teak of Hindustan, the ebony and sandalwood of South America. The awful forests of Quessant form the visible apex of a vast cemetery that stretches from New York to Cape La Hague."

Before the Footlights.

"I understand that young man who calls on you," said old Mr. Stralface, "wants to become an actor."

"Yes," replied his fair daughter, "he does think of appearing before the footlights."

"Humph! The next time he calls you'd better warn him to think of disappearing before the foot lights."—Catholic Standard and Times.

"The Way to Win a Woman."

The first thing, a woman wants to be well treated; once in awhile she wants to be petted; the third thing, she wants to be admired; the fourth, she never wants to be contradicted.—Dr. Popper.

A TRUE FISH STORY.

The Peculiar Adventure of a Wedding Ring.

"About the queerest fish story I know of," said a highly truthful looking man—dead, he was a clergyman—"happened to me at a little lake in Wisconsin, where I used to summer with my family. One day my wife was out in our boat with a party of friends. She was letting her hand trail in the water, without thinking about its shrinking effect, and when she finally took her hand in her wedding ring was gone. The lake was deep at that point, and although we made considerable effort to recover the ring it was not found."

"Naturally it worried her a good deal, and the next year she would not go back to the same place, nor did we go the following year, but the third year we went there again, and one day I was in the woods about a mile from the lake with my boy, trying to get a shot at some denizen of the forest or other. As we went peering around among the trees to get a squirrel we had seen I noticed something shining on a twig of a tree about 25 feet from the ground. I sent my boy up after it, and when he came back I was more than astonished to find that the shining thing was my wife's wedding ring.

"How it ever got there was a mystery at first, but I was not a believer in fairies and that sort of thing, so I began to investigate for material causes. The top of the tree had denuded, and with a suspicion in my mind I sent my boy up to see what signs might be above the green boughs. He called down to me presently that there were remains of a fishhawk's nest in the forks of the tree, and, putting this and that together, I came to the conclusion that the hawk had caught the fish that had gobbled up my wife's ring in the lake and had taken it to the nest for the young hawk. They didn't care for jewelry and had left that part of the fish in the nest, from which, as the nest was blown to pieces by the wind and beaten by the storms, the ring had dropped out and by chance had caught on the twig where I found it. In any event, if that was not the way it got there, how did it? For I surely was there, and my wife is wearing it today?"—Exchange.

Consumption Threatened.

O. Unger, 212 Maple St., Champaign Ill., writes:

"I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

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We can tell what makes your eyes blur and your head swim. You are bilious and Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cure you or the manufacturers will refund you the purchase price. Sold at A. Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Deford.

Mrs. D. Croop is home again from the "Pan".

Geo. O'Rourke's barn frame is up. A fine structure.

S. Shirk's baby is nearly recovered from its illness.

Chas. Henderson, of Novesta, is building a new house.

The wet spell will damage beans to some extent here.

Sharps with a tin box called a creamery, get farmers' notes and leave waiting in their track.

Croop is buying a car load of early potatoes at 50 cents per bushel.

J. P. Funk raised wheat this year that yielded thirty-four bushels per acre.

Before this comes before the public the people of the town-line will know whether they may have a fractional school district or not.

In 1812 a society existed in Italy to overthrow the government, known as the Carbonari. Italy promptly enacted a law condemning any one who took part in these meetings to suffer capital punishment. Is not a similar law needed in this country at the present time?

Jesse Sole raised the melons, and three young men erased the melons from the vines in the darkness of the night. All in fun you know (?) Jesse made the youths pay high tariff prices for the fruit. All in fun you know (?) Now the strange part is, some are down on Jess. Think the youths should have all the sport, and the man that raises vegetables should go dry for fun. Some people have heads—so have pins.

Geo. W. Lane, Pawamo, Mich., writes: "Your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the best remedy for indigestion and stomach trouble that I ever used. For years I suffered from dyspepsia at times compelling me to stay in bed and causing me a lot of agony. I am completely cured by Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. In recommending it to friends who suffer from indigestion I always offer to pay for it if it fails. Thus far I have never paid." Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Mr. G. A. Stillman, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face to-day is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Beauley.

Cool weather again. I. Cerill Grenach sports a new cart now.

Aaron Eudersbee is bricking his house.

Everybody is working at their beans this weather.

Mrs. J. L. McDonald was in Gagetown last Friday.

Miss Louisa Smith will leave for Albion Thursday morning.

Jas. E. Dando, of Gagetown, spent Sunday with friends in Beauley.

Chas. D. Young broke his wheel coming from Cass City Tuesday night.

Wm. H. McDonald will attend high school at Gagetown in a short time.

D. McDonald is improving wonderfully being under the care of Dr. King.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Robert Reader's baby which passed away last Tuesday noon.

Wellington J. McDonald left Monday morning for Albion where he will attend college for the coming year.

Henry Braydon, Harris, N. C., says: "I took medicine 20 years, for asthma but one bottle of One Minute Cough Cure did me more good than any thing else during that time. Best Cough Cure." Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. Jas. Forest of Chippewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." Beware of substitutes. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

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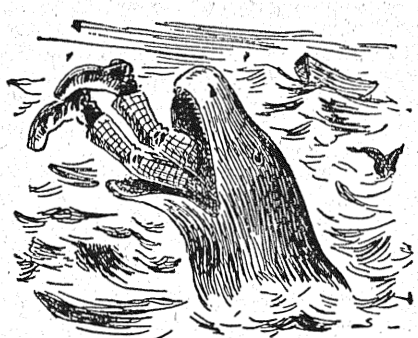
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Bread with a sweet flavor and tender fibre is what all housewives want. This is the kind we all want. The kind children want and the kind we can all have if we use :

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NEW PRICES

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Ladies' All Wool Dress Goods only 25c per yard, new styles. Latest Broad Cloth Suits from \$1.00 to \$1.50. All-wool Dress Goods from 50c to 75c per yard. Latest Style Waists worth 90c to \$1.25. All-wool Cassimere from 55c to \$1.00. Indian Linen from 80c to 1.25 per yard. Window Shades 10c each.

Hardware Department

New stock of Pumps, Pipes, Bath Tubs, Steel Ranges, Sewing Machines, Washing Machines and Ball Bearing Wringers.

J. L. Hitchcock & Sons,
Opera House Block.

Local Happenings

Mrs. C. Ale was in Caro this week the guest of friends.

Mrs. M. L. Moore has a millinery announcement this week.

Miss McPhail, of Argyle, was the guest of friends here on Saturday.

D. McGillvray, of Greenleaf, was a caller at our sanctum on Saturday.

Hunt's Stock Company will appear at the Opera House during Fair week.

Fairweather Bros. want 10,000 bush of windfall apples at once. Read their adv.

Mrs. A. A. McKenzie and Clark W. McKenzie were in Bad Axe on Sunday.

Jan. Schwaderer left on Monday to begin a course at the Agricultural College.

C. W. Heller was quite ill the first of the week, but is again able to be around.

Howard Malcolm and Miss Fordyce, of Deford, attended church here Sunday evening.

Angus McPhail has returned from Argyle and re-entered the employ of A. A. McKenzie.

The lithographic advertising for our Fair--Oct. 1, 2, 3 and 4--is the attraction at present.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Champion rejoice over the arrival of an eleven pound boy, on Sunday.

Mrs. Della Edsall left on Monday afternoon for her home, after several months' visit here.

Mrs. A. Torbet returned on Friday from a two weeks' outing at Douglas Lake, near Mackinaw.

A junior base ball team from here met defeat at Kingston on Saturday, the score being 16 to 17.

The Junior League will give a social at the residence of Mrs. McKim on Friday evening this week.

Byron E. Hall, District Deputy of the Maccabees, of Port Huron, was in town the first of the week.

Our Roman Catholic citizens are endeavoring to raise funds for the building of a church at this place.

Rev. A. Torbet and J. F. Hendrick left on Tuesday to attend the meeting of the presbytery at Fairgrove.

The editor has accepted an invitation to be present at the Dilman Sunday school next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. McGillvray is in Detroit this week. Watch for the announcement of her millinery opening in next issue.

Wellington McDonald, of Beasley, took the train here Monday morning for Albion, where he will enter college.

Samuel LaFond, the foreman at the ENTERPRISE office, and Wm. Zinnecker attended the Bad Axe fair on Wednesday.

The children of C. E. Fritz are suffering from an attack of scarlet fever, but are doing well under the care of Dr. A. N. Treadgold.

Miss Louisa Smith, daughter of Rev. Geo. F. Smith, of Grant, left for Albion yesterday morning, to begin her third year of studies there.

Keith Morris, of this place, while at the Bad Axe fair, had his pocket picked of about \$50 and a diamond ring. No clue to the culprit.

Robt. Craig, of Piquette, made us a one-dollar call on Saturday, and cheered us by saying that he couldn't get along without the ENTERPRISE.

J. S. McNair has the thanks of the ENTERPRISE staff for a basket of fine grapes of the Rogers and Fox varieties. It is pleasant to be thus remembered.

Mrs. H. Dew and son, John, left for Bad Axe on Saturday, a trifle sooner than they had contemplated as John was offered a position in the postoffice.

Rev. Father Crowley will preach in the Town Hall next Sunday evening at eight o'clock, taking for his subject, "Some Things Catholics do not Believe."

Mrs. Wm. Higgs and Mrs. Wm. Arnold, of Chatham, Ont., who have been the guests of their brother and cousin, Hiram Baxter, returned home last Friday.

E. C. Poppleton is fitting up the building at the corner of Main and West Streets for offices. It will be placed on a stone foundation and generally re-fitted.

The Polar creamery men, who have been working in this vicinity have gone to Clifford. Their business methods do not appear to be strictly on the square.

Duncan McDonald, the Beasley smithy, was taken suddenly ill the first of the week. Dr. R. L. King was called and found him suffering from intermittent fever.

Street Commissioner Ramsay and his crew of helpers have made splendid progress with the cement walks this last week. Those on Houghton Street are about ready for traffic again.

Sandy Parker, who has been employed as harness-maker by Wm. Messner for about two years, quit work Saturday evening unexpectedly and has gone to Saginaw or Bay City.

Mrs. E. K. Wickware has disposed of her stock of millinery to Annie A. Parker, who has already taken possession, and her announcement will be found in this issue. We wish her success in her new venture.

The wheels began to roll again at the Roller Mills about five o'clock Friday evening, and with the new adjustment run with much less jar and noise than formerly, also making it possible to increase the output of the mill.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. L. Hitchcock next Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 25th. Tea will be served at the usual hour. A very cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. John McPhail, of Wickware, did business in town on Saturday. Mrs. McPhail took home one of those fine coleus plants from the window of the ENTERPRISE office. There are a few more there yet, for sale.

W. R. Ware, of Elmwood, was among those who renewed their subscriptions on Saturday and took advantage of our clubbing offer with the Detroit Twice-a-week Journal--the two for \$1.70. We can give other offers equally as good.

Chas. H. Schenck has accepted the position of bookkeeper for the Sebe-waing Sugar Company. He informs us that the factory there is going to be a fine one and he only regrets that Cass City is not the possessor of a similar one.

The Bad Axe fair is in full swing this week and quite a few of our citizens are in attendance, some of whom are making exhibits. W. M. Morris, V. S., and Dwight Freeman have entered their horses in the speed department.

Jas. H. Eno was fortunate enough to have some choice peaches in his own garden this year, but on Friday night last some miscreant stole them. It is too bad the party could not be made an example of, but there is no clue to the guilty party.

G. Ahr is visiting friends at Saginaw. The new silent salesmen for the Fritz Pharmacy arrived Monday evening and have been placed in position. There are four of them and they make a wonderful improvement in the appearance of the store.

Secretary Ale made a trip over the northern section of the railroad on Monday and found pleasing indications that people were coming to our fair. They all like to come, because they find entertainment and a good exhibit and are used right.

The P. O. & N. R. R. are now running a daily freight, much to the gratification of the patrons of the road and the great relief of the freight handlers. A new time card has been issued. See card in this paper. The passenger trains run on the same time as formerly.

Rev. R. Weaver, who has occupied the pulpit at the Baptist Church here for the past two Sundays, returned on Monday to his home at Eden, Ont. He was very much pleased with his visit here, and there is a possibility that he may be invited to become the permanent pastor by the society.

While attending the conference at Bay City, Rev. Geo. F. Smith, of Grant, was taken suddenly ill, and had it not been that physicians were within calling distance, might not have recovered. It was a critical case of heart failure, but we are pleased to state that the reverend gentleman has about recovered.

The next literary and social meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of Warren T. Schenck, Tuesday evening, September 24th. There will be a business meeting at 7:30, after which a program of music will be given and the remainder of the evening will be spent socially. A large attendance is expected. All cordially invited.

Seven second-hand show cases for sale. Inquire of T. H. Fritz, 8-20-tf.

This being the day when the remains of our departed President are to be placed in their last resting place, due respect to his memory has been shown by the closing of all business places from one to three o'clock, the tolling of all bells, and the playing of his favorite hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," and a funeral march by the band on Main street.

Kingston.

M. Shay, of Clifford, was in town on Friday.

Miss Minnie Weldon has returned to Bay City.

M. L. Randall split his milk on Monday morning.

F. J. Gifford was in town on Friday of last week.

W. R. Hamilton made a trip to Marlette on Friday.

Miss Maud Roberts spent Sunday at Mrs. Thornton's.

F. A. Francis made a business trip to Caro on Monday.

Miss Gelia Annin is sewing at Geo. Purdy's this week.

Mrs. Alvin Widger left for Imlay City on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor spent Sunday at J. H. Dorland's.

A Legg sent a car load of live stock to Detroit on Thursday.

John Heenan, of Dryden, did business here on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hill, of Ravenna, O., are visiting friends here.

Martin Hunter shipped a car of live stock to Buffalo on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Swales called on Cass City friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Williams is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Vorhes returned on Saturday from LaPorte, Ind.

George Kennedy, of the Roller Mills, made a trip to Elmer on Wednesday.

O. M. Carpenter, of Eames, was looking after his interests here on Friday last.

Mr. Wilson, from near Wilmet, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. E. Baker.

Caro parties are laying the new cement walk in front of Dixon & Swales' store.

The Kingston Hustlers defeated the Cass City juniors on Saturday by a score of 16 to 17.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moyer went to Imlay City on Wednesday to attend the soldiers' re-union.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met with W. M. Dixon on Wednesday and served tea at the usual hour.

The relatives of Mrs. G. C. Veit gave her a very pleasant surprise on Monday evening the occasion being her birthday.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will give a short program at the close of Sunday School next Sunday at the M. E. Church.

There will be a union memorial service for our deceased president at the Baptist Church next Sunday at the hour of morning service.

Over forty of the Knights and Lady Maccabees took dinner with Sir Knight Flynn last Friday and made it a very pleasant social occasion.

The new pastor of the M. E. Church here, Rev. W. G. McAllister, occupied the pulpit last Sunday and was very well received indeed. The outlook for the ensuing year is good.

John Seib, living two and a half miles west and half a mile south of town, while pruning his berry bushes on the 12th inst., found a stalk seventeen inches long containing seventy-five berries. Who can beat it?

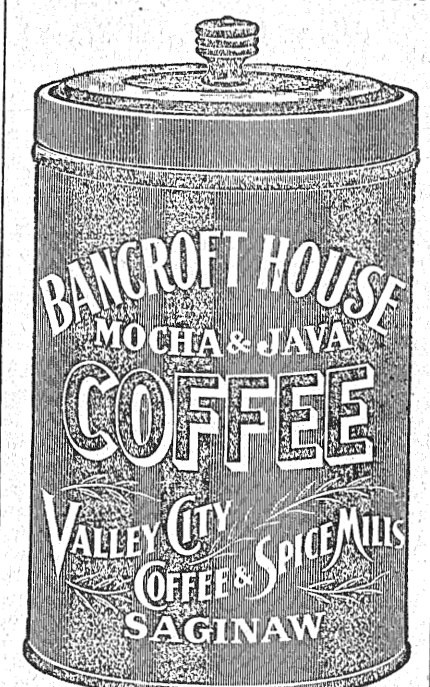
The remains of Mrs. Clarence Dubois were brought here on the Monday evening train. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hartt and well known here. The funeral services were held at the Baptist Church on Wednesday forenoon.

The wedding bells ring merrily! On Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jeffery, their daughter, Miss Ethel, was quietly wedded to our village pharmacist, F. A. Francis, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. K. Harper, in the presence of the immediate friends. The young couple has the best wishes of a host of friends for a pleasant voyage through life.

During August, 62,600 pounds of milk were received at the creamery, not a large amount 'tis true, but from the same there was made 2,824 pounds of butter, which sold at a sufficient price to net the patrons 15 1/2 cents per pound, or an average price of 62 cents for each hundred pounds of milk. The patrons are well pleased as they should be, as the price is much better than they could get at the stores and they are saved the labor as well. The number of patron should be much larger and the present ones should add more cows to their herds.

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Working Night and Day. The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold at T. H. Fritz's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

East Novesta.

Miss Hope Preston will teach in the McHugh district.

Mrs. Ogden Atwell visited at R. Brown's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown visited at N. Hamilton's on Monday.

A number from here expect to attend the fair at Pontiac.

Alex Hamilton is harvesting corn for the farmers in this vicinity.

Miss Maud Hamilton, of Cass City, teaches in Dis. No. 6, Novesta.

Mrs. Ella Frutcher, of Cass City, visited her parents here last week Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Brown and David McKim called on friends in South Novesta on Sunday.

Frank Hager, of Marlette, an old time school teacher of the McHugh school, visited here last week.

Mrs. Bertha Dewey has been removed from the residence of Robt. Brown to the home of her parents in South Novesta.

Mrs. Martha Wheeler gave a reception to the members of her Sunday School class in the Greenbank Sunday school. Forty-six little people were in attendance and a very merry time was had. Supper was served on the lawn at five p. m., after which they departed for their homes feeling it was good to have been there.

Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H.: "I purchased a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure when suffering with a cough doctors told me was incurable. One bottle relieved me, the second and third almost cured. To-day I am a well man." Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Have you a sense of fullness in the region of your stomach after eating? If so you will be benefited by using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They also cure belching and sour stomach. They regulate the bowels too. Price, 25 cents. Sold at A. Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Census Enumerator Clawson, who is also editor of "The Herald" at Howe, Ind. T. J., writes:

To Whom It May Concern:--I was a sufferer from stomach trouble until I was induced to try a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and I want to say that in my opinion it has no equal as a stomach remedy. I had tried many different remedies, but none with the happy results of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. G. A. CLAWSON, Howe, Ind. Ter. A. Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Notice.

To members of the Bay View Reading Club desiring books for the coming year please call on the secretary, before Sept. 28th, 1901.

Mrs. A. A. McKenzie, Sec'y.

To Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that all village taxes must be paid not later than September 15th.

M. L. MOORE,

Village Treasurer.

Second car load of poultry wanted at J. L. Hitchcock & Sons' store, Wednesday, Sept. 25th, 1901, at 6 and 7 cents a pound.

ELI COOPER, of Detroit.

A Card.

Having purchased the stock and business of Mrs. A. Parker, baker we respectfully solicit the patronage of the public, as well as all the previous patrons of the house. Assuring all of full weight, pure food and everything up to date. Lunches served as usual.

Mrs. H. BAILEY.

For Sale or Rent.

I will sell or rent my farm 1 1/2 miles west of Cass City. Prices and terms reasonable. Address all communications to JOHN TUCKER, 9-12-3 Mitchell, So. Dak.

BANNER SALVE, the most healing salve in the world.

ATTENTION,
PLEASE!

We have been selling

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at Chicago prices and we have some yet; and now we are going to offer some

BICYCLES

which we want to close out at better than Chicago prices. We have the THOMAS, IMPERIAL and AMERICAN; also some second-hand wheels. Come and look them over.

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CASS CITY ENTERPRISE.

A. A. P. McDOWELL, Publisher,
CASS CITY, MICHIGAN

In the Rhenish and Westphalian industrial districts there is hardly a town without its smoking clubs, in which a prize is given to the man who can consume the largest quantity of tobacco in the shortest time.

There are seventeen communities of Shakers in the United States. The Amara Society has 1,800 souls, and the Harmony Society, of Economy, Ohio, has but nine resident members left. The Zorites and the Ruskin colony, of Georgia, have both recently disbanded.

Only two women in the United States may use the mails without paying for the privilege. These two are widows of former presidents—Mrs. Julia Dent Grant and Mrs. Lucetta A. Garfield. Mrs. Garfield has enjoyed the privilege since 1881 and Mrs. Grant since 1886.

In Sweden, writes an American traveler, the saloons are closed on Saturday—day—while the savings banks are kept open until midnight. No government can force a man to save his money, but at least this Swedish system encourages him to deposit it where he will draw better interest than a headache.

Even looting has its humorous side. A Chinese sneakthief recently entered an American dining-room in Shanghai and abstracted a few teaspoons, a silver syrup jug and an old clock, all of which he tucked, Chinese fashion, into his clothes. The syrup ran down and for a long way the thief's progress could be traced. "What a pity," was the philosophical comment of the owner of the articles, "that the clock did not run down, too!"

King Edward, who, it is said, suffers more than most men from a silk hat, having constantly to raise it in response to the salutes of the men in the street, gives his head a holiday when he gets to sea. Amid the more exciting things seen on board the royal yacht, at the time of the accident the King's headpiece managed to escape public notice. It was the acme of comfort, being a close-fitting cap, rather of the old night-cap pattern, made of the softest white silk.

A demand is being made in Jamaica for the suppression of the practice of ganjah smoking among the many thousands of East Indian coolies who work on the banana and sugar plantations throughout the colony. Ganjah is a variant of Indian hemp, or bhang, which was employed to arouse the fierce passions of the rebel Sepoys during the Indian mutiny, and which today is responsible in the East for many cases of "running amok." The coolie who smokes this most pernicious weed freely becomes an incarnate fiend with the most homicidal tendencies.

The lingering death of the late dowager Empress of Germany has had few counterparts in English royal history. Twenty-five per cent of the number that has reigned there since the conquest met violent deaths. Two, Henry VII and Edward VI, died of consumption. Old age, with its complication of physical troubles, helped to carry off Victoria, George III, Elizabeth, Henry VI, William IV, Edward III and Henry III. Three died young, Edward V, at fourteen; Edward VI, at sixteen, and Henry VI, at thirty-three. Queen Anne died comparatively young of apoplexy. Mary's death is said to have been due to sorrow over the loss of English territory in France. Henry VI's and George III's last days were clouded with dementia, and George II's demise was occasioned by the bursting of a blood vessel.

A radical innovation has been adopted by the Arkansas Board of Charitable Institutions, regarding the management of the State Insane asylum that is causing consternation among the employees of the institution. The board has adopted a resolution to the effect that the superintendent shall as speedily as practicable secure only citizens of Arkansas for the various positions, and that the change shall be made in ninety days at the furthest.

There are 106 employees at the asylum, white and colored, and of these about 60 are citizens of the state. Of the white employees, including the assistants and those in the higher stations, not more than 25 per cent will be exempt from dismissal. Superintendent Hooper says that the order leaves them in "a mighty bad fix." All superintendents have found it necessary to send outside the state for certain of the expert attendants in the care of the insane, and it is said that it will be difficult to fill the quota with persons as thoroughly competent. Under the order, however, 60 of the employees must be discharged within the next three months.

A bath-house for negroes is being talked of by a Kansas City paper. It says this need has been generally recognized and has often been expressed by those who have watched the crowds at the public bath and realized the disappointment of the colored people in not being provided with the facilities enjoyed by white folks. This has resulted in starting a fund for the purpose of building a bath-house for negroes. The members of the park board, as individuals, have subscribed \$50 each, and it is believed that other subscriptions will be made rapidly.

SAID AND DONE IN MICHIGAN

Gale on Lake Huron Drives Seven Vessels Ashore.

WHAT MICHIGAN IS WORTH.

The Governor Issues More Pardons—An Engineer's Fatal Mistake—Events and Gossip From All Parts of the State Stewed Down for Ready Reading.

The Huron Disaster.

Owing to the fortunate slackening of wind and sea and the heroic efforts of a life-saving crew, what promised on Saturday night and early Sunday morning to be one of the greatest shipping disasters of recent years on the great lakes, has become of secondary importance. Out of the crews of seven vessels which went ashore within a half mile, just above Port Huron, not a life was lost. Just what the property loss will be cannot yet be determined. One schooner, the *Amur*, of Detroit, is a total wreck; the *Quito* and the *Wavatum* worked themselves free on their own steam; the *whaleback* 202 is high and dry on the beach, but it is thought can be saved; the *Paula*, of Detroit, the schooner *Pago* and the tug *Savaria* may be released without injury. The gale and the great cloud of smoke that came down over the lower end of Lake Huron, caused the disaster by obscuring all lights, so that nine vessels in all went ashore. The life saving crew took 66 people from the stranded vessels and not a life was lost. The property loss will be very heavy.

Michigan Valued at \$1,700,000,000.

Lansing, Sept. 13.—The state tax commissioners have made up their figures for all the counties of the state. There still remain 10 counties for which the figures are uncompleted. These are Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Ingham, Iron, Keweenaw, Marquette, Ontonagon, Roscommon and Wayne. So far as completed the tax commission's figures show a total actual value of \$1,107,591,929, and it is estimated that the completed figures will show the total actual value of the state to be a trifle less than \$1,700,000,000. The equalized value of the state as of January 1, 1890 is \$1,105,000,000. The figures for the uncompleted counties which are not those of the commission, are as follows: Dickinson, \$12,000,000; Gogebic, \$12,000,000; Houghton, \$175,000,000; Ingham, \$33,000,000; Iron, \$6,000,000; Keweenaw, \$4,000,000; Marquette, \$30,000,000; Ontonagon, \$5,000,000; Roscommon, \$300,000; Wayne, \$300,000,000. This added to the total as far as completed by the tax commission would make a total valuation of \$1,685,591,929.

Accident or Murder?

The body of William D. Hollister, the American express agent at Oxford, was found on the Michigan Central railroad tracks at 11 o'clock Wednesday night. The body had been cut in two by a passing train. There was a huge gash in one side of the unfortunate man's head, and this had led to fatal results. Hollister was last seen alive about 8:35 o'clock. He had been very ill all day, and the symptoms became aggravated in the evening. He had a money package to deliver to the express messenger on the 8:30 train for Detroit. The messenger, who was suffering greatly, made the trip to the station and delivered the package, which contained \$750. Whether he received any money or valuable packages from the messenger is not known. None were found on his person or near where he was found. No other man was seen near the body. The authorities are of the opinion that his death was an accident.

More Pardons Granted.

Acting upon the recommendation of the pardons board, Gov. Bliss has pardoned John Page, who was convicted in the Hillsdale Circuit Court for the crime of arson, and sentenced in November, 1890, to imprisonment in the Ionia reformatory for six years. Page is 61 years of age, a childless, and has been a patient in the hospital ever since he was incarcerated. His daughters, who reside in Denver, Col., have arranged to care for him at their homes. The governor also paroled Albert M. Tracey, convicted in the Jackson County Circuit Court for larceny, Sept. 17, 1900, to Ionia for 20 months.

The convention of Universalists of Michigan will meet at Lansing, Oct. 7, 8 and 9.

A postoffice has been established at Hookwood, Cheboygan county, with Charles E. Rank as postmaster.

Charles Larson, of Bear Lake, 16 years old, while out hunting with two other boys, lost his right hand through the accidental discharge of the gun he was carrying.

The excursion boats of Detroit were delayed Saturday night by smoke and did not haul their passengers till 3 o'clock Sunday morning.

James Trux, of Elba, was lodged in jail on complaint of Gilman Bullock, who charges him with the larceny of money and some jewelry.

Three inmates of the National Soldiers' Home in Marion are under arrest in the guard house for having expressed sympathy with Czolgosz.

Janette Clark, a colored girl of Battle Creek, has been discharged from the Girls' Industrial Home as incorrigible. She was utterly unmanageable.

For the third time this year a marriage license for a white girl to wed a negro was issued at St. Joe. John Pochelt, colored, of Chicago, was married to Miss Rebecca Johnson, of Pochelt, had to have it inserted in the license that the woman was black before he could get a justice to marry them.

Will Lorenz, a farmer living near the shore of Lake Michigan, not far from Whitefish, was attacked while at work in the field by a fair-sized wildcat. He succeeded in escaping from it and went to the house and got a gun. With the aid of a large dog he finally treed the animal and shot it.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Bert Jenkins has his right leg nearly cut off by a corn-cutting machine. Ann Arbor school population shows a decrease of 44 over last year. The total is 3,222.

At a special election Allegan voted to bond the city for \$15,000 to improve the water works.

A vein of fine bituminous coal has been found in Robinson upon the farm of Fred Bethke.

Firebugs are creating a reign of terror in Niles and every effort is being made to run them down.

Gus Gustafson, of Iron Mountain, was probably fatally shot by a companion while deer hunting.

Mrs. Patrick Costello, 65, walked to Clear Lake, six miles from home, and drowned herself. Despondency.

The annual reunion of the Allegan County Soldiers and Sailors' Association will be held Sept. 18, 19 and 20.

The reports to the sugar beet companies indicate that Michigan will produce a fine crop of these roots this season.

Wm. P. Christman, third son of the late United States senator, Isaac P. Christman, has died at Lansing, aged 54 years.

Allegan voted to bond the city for \$15,000 to improve the water works. Only 78 votes were cast against the proposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Halsey, of Plainwell, aged 83 and 81 years, respectively, celebrated their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary.

The only breach of promise suit argued in Allegan Circuit Court, in many years, has been dismissed on petition of the complainant.

The home of R. Summers, of Howard City, was burned to the ground, caused by a small son trying to light a fire in stove. Loss \$700; no insurance.

Spencer Berry, of Reading, was found guilty of murdering a "bird" of life will be sentenced later. His resort has acquired an unenviable reputation of late.

J. C. Post, attorney of Holland, with County Register of Deeds Peter Buche, and other capitalists, will build and open a bank at Grand Haven.

Supply of late fruits in Kalamazoo county is enormous. Peaches almost all beggins at 50 cents per bushel, while plums, melons and tomatoes are equally plentiful.

Officer C. C. Rittenhouse, of St. Joseph, dived from the Three I. railroad bridge, and saved the life of Elmer Hasselgren, who was going down for the third time.

A telegram announces the death at Kansas City, Kan., of David R. Smiley, formerly a keeper at the Jackson prison, and for four years sheriff of Calhoun county.

At a special meeting of the Northville council it was voted to request the Pere Marquette Railroad company to construct a tunnel under its high tracks at the depot.

Potatoes in Wexford county will be a larger crop this year than for many years, and will average over 150 bushels per acre. The corn crop will be larger than for ten years.

Rev. W. S. Amant, the Chinese missionary now in Owosso, will return to Pekin this fall. Mrs. Amant will accompany him. Their children will attend school at Oberlin, O.

Patrick Burns, in the employ of the Peninsular Cedar & Lumber Co., Menominee, was accidentally shot by his companion, Edward Johnson, while out hunting near Trout Creek.

During a row in Bay City Charles Davis assaulted Joe Delamune, of Essexville, slashing his throat. The wounded man's condition is critical. Davis claims self-defense.

Dr. W. C. Garvin, of Millington, was badly bruised, and his son Charlton lies at the point of death with an eight-inch cut in his scalp. They were struck by a runaway team.

Monday's storm did not do the huge stockstack of the Moore Manufacturing Co., Muskegon, badly damaging the factory building. About sixty men are thrown out of employment. No one was injured.

Messrs. Lamb and Washburn, of Titusville, Pa., have been investigating lands surrounding Port Huron, with a view of further developing the resources. They will sink a number of experimental wells.

J. F. McKnight, in the dark, Tuesday night, drove his horse off an embankment near Henderson, and horse, buggy and driver rolled over and over to the river 100 feet below. The horse lost an eye, and the driver came near losing his life.

Mrs. Letta Gilmarth, of Bay City, and John A. See, of Clio, aeronaut and manager, who have been boarding together at a private house in Lapeer since Letta's accident, Aug. 28, have been bound over to the November term of the Circuit Court. Bail was fixed at \$500 in each case, which they were unable to furnish.

The tax commission's force of clerks is working nights and Sundays on the county percentage required by the state board of equalization. It is expected that these percentages will be completed within a day or two, so that county representatives will have a chance to digest them before their final session next Monday.

Miss Fannie Booth, who lives one mile south of Anna, was not feeling well and arose at an early hour. When she struck a match she accidentally set fire to her clothing. Soon the house was in flames, and the family had difficulty in escaping. They carried the injured girl to a neighbor's, where her burns were dressed, and she is now in a very critical condition.

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The children of John Kramer, who was a prominent farmer in Paris township, 50 years ago, would like to know whether he is dead or alive, as considerable property awaits him in Holland.

Charles Jenner Thompson, paroled by Gov. Bliss, was released from the Detroit house of correction Saturday, after serving six months of a year's sentence for embezzling money from his employers.

A 3-year-old daughter of Merritt Osborne, a Pere Marquette switchman, was fatally hurt Sunday in Saginaw, while playing about a flat car loaded with iron. A rail was loosened and fell upon the child.

The 20,000,000 foot log drive, which has been on the way from Houghton lake since last May, has arrived at Muskegon. The drive has been hard and long because of the low water in the Muskegon river.

Two rural mail delivery routes have been planned for Richmond township, covering routes 25 miles in length and extending northeast and northwest. Three others are being inspected with good chances of being established.

Congressman Fordney, of the Eighth district, who has been spending some time in the timber belt in the state of Washington, shot and killed one of the largest mountain lions ever bagged in that state. He will bring home the pelt as a trophy.

On the farm formerly owned by the late Ira Smith, some miles southeast of Niles, \$1,000 has been found in an old wagon box in a corn crib. When Smith was killed by lightning some months ago it was known that about he feared blazes.

The village of Kingsley, fourteen miles south of Traverse City, was visited by a disastrous fire early Tuesday morning. Four stores and stocks were burned. The fire broke out in the town hall, which was also destroyed. The loss is \$40,000.

The question as to whether a circuit judge can control the minutes of a grand jury has arisen in Grand Rapids, and it will be referred to the Supreme Court for final settlement. The question is one of interest, as it will affect all future grand juries.

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Franklin Kent, of Orionville, has trained a great many horses in his own stable, and his experience, but his star performance is to take a wild western horse from the corral and have him thoroughly subdued in twenty minutes so that it will follow him around like a lamb.

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The prison board of control has recommended parole for: George Horbert, sentenced to 12 years for larceny, next Friday Senator James W. Humphrey, of Allegan; John Mitchell, seven years, from Van Buren county, next Friday H. T. Hoffman, of Jackson; Albert Bost, eight years, next Friday; and friend Matthew Strobel, of Saginaw.

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The "Induction Balance." The surgeons who attended President Garfield had not relied solely upon the manifestations of the pus workings, but had employed upon more than one occasion the "induction balance." There had been at least two occasions of serious relapse in the latter part of July and at length Dr. Agnew made an incision. Explorations were made along the pus canal, where there was a channel several inches deep, but the results were not satisfactory, so experiments to locate the bullet were made by the induction balance under the direction of Prof. Graham Bell and an assistant. The report of one of them on Aug. 1 said:

Surgeon's Report. "Under the supervision of the attending surgeons, Profs. Bell and Taintor this morning made another application of the electrical apparatus known as the induction balance, with a view to completing the tests of last week, which were not entirely conclusive, and ascertaining definitely and certainly if possible the location of the ball. . . . They tried this improved apparatus on the President's body for the first time last week, and although it indicated faintly the location of the ball, it was afterward found to be slightly out of adjustment, and the experiment was not regarded as perfectly conclusive. The results of this morning's tests, however, are entirely satisfactory both to Profs. Bell and Taintor and to the attending surgeons, and it is now unanimously agreed that the location of the ball has been ascertained with reasonable certainty, and that it lies, as heretofore stated, in the front wall of the abdomen, immediately over the groin, about five inches below and to the right of the navel."—New York Sun

Barron Baffin Land. When Peary practically outlined the northern coast of Greenland early in the last decade, geographers began to think they had overlooked an important section of the earth's surface and so they placed Greenland at the head of the list of islands. At last Baffin Land looms up as an island 1,005 statute miles in length, with a breadth varying from 200 to 500 miles the average being 305 miles. Its area is, therefore, about 300,000 square miles. In other words, the island is larger than the state of Texas by about 40,000 square miles, or about ten times as large as either Scotland or Ireland. Although it takes its place as second in the list of islands Baffin Land appears to be of no great value, since it is composed, as far as we know, of barren rocks partly covered with ice. The twelve large islands of the world, in order of size are: Greenland, Baffin Land, New Guinea, Borneo, Madagascar, Sumatra, Nippon (the largest island of Japan), Great Britain, Celebes, New Zealand (South Island), Java and Cuba.—Sun

Street Car Runs Into Train. Danville, Ill., Sept. 14.—A switch train on the Big Four collided with an electric street car on North Vermillion street. The motorman, John Young, was killed instantly. Two passengers (colored)—Miss White and Miss Mathews—were seriously injured. The other passengers saved themselves by jumping from the car, which was carried sixty feet by the force of the collision. The accident was caused by the failure of the motorman to observe the signals of the crossing watchman.

Duty Ordered Repaid. New York, Sept. 13.—Judge Lacombe of the United States Circuit Court has issued an order directing Collector George R. Bidwell to refund \$480,149 to the American Sugar Refining Company, which is the amount of duty paid by the company in 1900 on sugar imported from Porto Rico.

Mushur Armenians Are Slain. Constantinople, Sept. 14.—Persistent rumors are in circulation here of a massacre of Armenians at Mushur. The report is officially denied, but the governor of Bitlis and eight battalions of troops have been ordered thither.

GARFIELD AND THE SURGEONS.

As in McKinley's Case They Could Not Find Bullets.

The attempt to assassinate President McKinley, and above all the failure of the surgeons to locate the second bullet, of course turns the thoughts of every one to the plight of President Garfield when he lay for eleven weeks and more suffering from the effects of Guitaen's bullet, the whereabouts of which the surgeons failed to discover until the knife laid bare its course at the autopsy.

Gen. Garfield was shot at 9:30 o'clock in the morning of Saturday, July 2, 1881, in the ladies' waiting-room of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad in Washington, while he was walking arm in arm with James G. Blaine. He was taken first to a private room in the station and thence removed to the White House. He had been shot twice, first in the right arm, just below the shoulder, and the second and fatal time in the back, just above the right hip and near the kidney. The surgeons who were hastily summoned probed for the bullet without success, but announced that its course had been downward and forward into the groin, and that the wound was serious but not likely to be fatal. The wound in the arm did not amount to much, save for the pain it caused. The President retained consciousness, and when he reached the White House he dictated a telegram to Mrs. Garfield, who was at Elberon. When he was shot down he was on his way to meet her in Jersey City, whence with some members of his cabinet he was to make a trip into New England.

Shock Caused by Shooting. President Garfield's recovery from the shock of the wounds was very gradual. Later attempts to find the bullet failed, but there were no signs at once of serious internal hemorrhage and there was little external bleeding. Both of these symptoms developed later in the afternoon, with vomiting, and at 3:30 o'clock the physicians said that the patient could not recover. A former physician of Gen. Garfield's said that the President had very few chances. The President maintained his courage, kept a clear head and continued cheerful through Sunday, but he asked the doctors to tell him if he was going to die. Hopes of the medical men rose on Sunday, but on Sunday at midnight they had vanished. Serious inflammation had set in during the evening and at 9 o'clock Vice President Arthur was awaiting a summons to the White House to take the oath of office.

Relieving the Pain. By noon of Monday the doctors had relieved the pain, which till then had been constant and which the patient had complained of all the time as being in his legs and feet. It was due to the injury of the nerves supplying the extremities. One New York surgeon said after the President's death that these pains he complained of showed that there was trouble in the sciatic muscle region and that this indication should have led the surgeons to make an incision there which would have let out the pus which afterwards caused so much trouble. At 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon Gen. Garfield said he felt better than at any time since he was shot. He had then a pulse of 110, temperature 100 and respiration 24. The examination up to that time, it was announced, had only demonstrated that the bullet was in the neighborhood of the liver.

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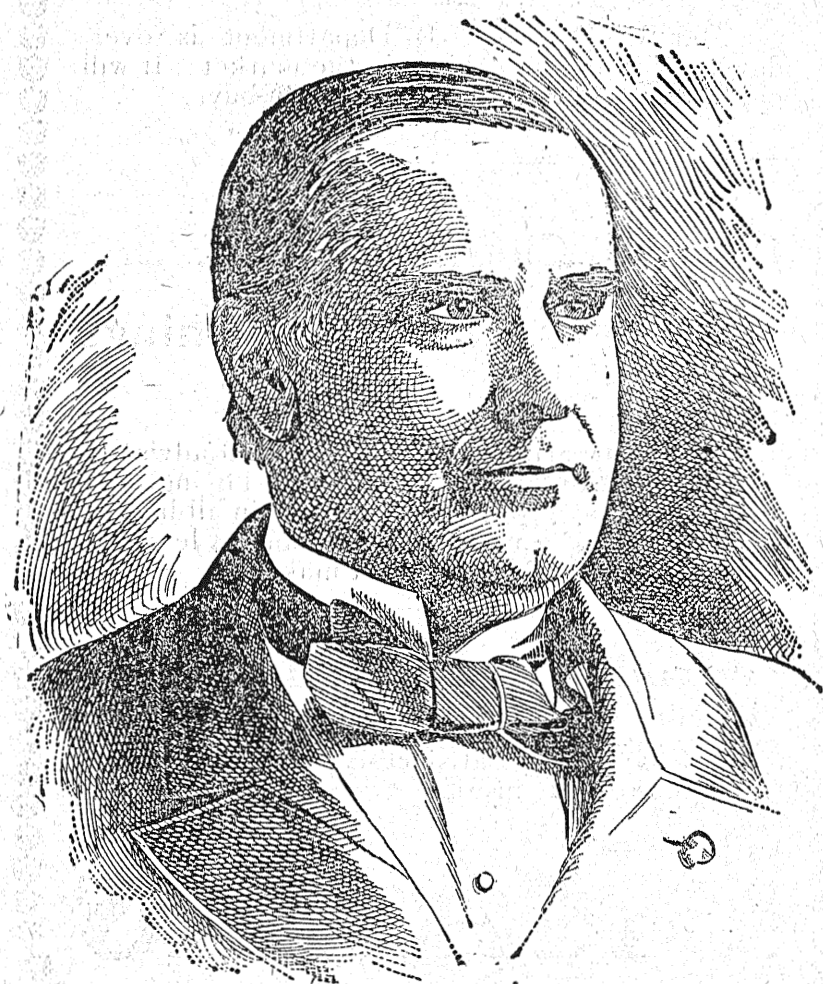
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PRESIDENT'S LAST FAREWELL.

President McKinley died at 2:15 Saturday morning. His last conscious hour on earth was spent with the wife to whom he devoted a lifetime of care. He died unattended by a minister of the gospel but his last words were a humble submission to God in whom he believed. He was reconciled to the cruel fate to which a cruel assassin's bullet had condemned him and faced death in the same spirit of calmness which has marked his long and honorable career. His last conscious words, reduced to writing by Dr. Mann, who stood by his bedside when they were uttered, were as follows: "Good-bye. All good-bye. It is God's way. His will be done."

His relatives and members of his official family were at the Milburn house, except Secretary Wilson. His friends came to the door took a parting look at him and turned tearfully away. He was practically unconscious during this time, but powerful stimulants, including oxygen, were employed to restore him to consciousness for the final parting with his wife. He asked for her and she sat at his side and held his hand. He consoled her and bade her good-bye. She went through the heart-breaking scene with the same bravery and fortitude with which she has borne the grief of the tragedy that ended his life.

President McKinley began to sink shortly after 2 o'clock Friday morning, after a critical period of 12 hours, in which alarm and hope mingled in the emotions of those who surrounded him. Trouble began on the preceding afternoon through the failure of digestive organs to perform their functions. The necessity for nourishment had been pressing for several days and the partial failure of artificial means had led to the adoption of natural means. The rectum, through which nourishment had been injected previously by Wednesday, became irritated and rejected the enemata. This forced the physicians to try to feed him through the mouth, probably before the stomach was prepared. The first administration of beef juice through the mouth, however, seemed to agree with the patient, and the physicians were highly gratified at the way the stomach seemed to receive the food. The breakfast of chicken broth, toast and coffee, given Thursday morning, was spoken of by all the physicians as strong evidence of the president's marked improvement. It was only when it became apparent late in the morning that this food had not agreed with the president that the first genuine anxiety appeared.

The Ranks Are Thinning.
The ranks of the G. A. R. are rapidly thinning. Each annual report shows a decrease of members. The death roll, year by year, grows more and more rapidly. The greatest membership was in 1890, when it reached over 400,000. This year Adj. Gen. Sterrett's report shows a membership of 269,507. New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois, the big G. A. R. states, are losing members gradually. This year New York has 501 posts; Pennsylvania, 537 posts, Utah has only four posts, while Florida has 17. During the year 8,756 members have died.

Of that number 405 died from wounds received in battle and 2,350 from diseases contracted in service.

Steel Strike About Over.
President Shafter has been instructed by the executive committee of the Amalgamated Association to negotiate for peace on the best terms obtainable, and it is probable that the strike will be settled on the terms offered by the United States Steel corporation last week.

At Kalamazoo coal is selling at \$7.25 a ton.

ing of the bowels would have the effect of allaying the wild pulsations of the heart. His pulse did drop to 120, and the prospect was slightly brighter. But owing to his extreme weakness and his fatigue no attempt was made to conceal the serious apprehension which was felt. The feeling of depression increased in volume and intensity. Shortly after 1 o'clock the physicians and nurse detected a weakening of the heart action. The pulse fluttered and weakened and the president sank toward collapse.

Salt Solution Employed.
The end appeared to be at hand. Restoratives were speedily applied and the physicians fought the battle with all the forces of science. Action was immediate and decisive. Digitalis and strychnine were administered and as a last resort saline solution was injected into the veins.

A general alarm went speeding to the consulting physicians and trained nurses as fast as messengers, the telephone and telegraph could carry it. The restoratives did not at once prove effective and it was realized that the president was in an extremely critical condition. The realization, with the shadow of death behind it, led to another call and that a summons to the cabinet, relatives, and close personal friends of the president.

Slight Rally at Dawn.
The movement of the bowels had occurred, but the heart did not respond to stimulation. The little coterie below stairs watched the clock tick away the minutes and hours and perhaps the life of the president without a word of encouragement until 4 o'clock when the president rallied slightly. The saline solution which saved Mrs. McKinley's life in San Francisco had proved in a measure effective.

The end came peacefully Saturday morning at 2:15.

Emma Goldman Arrested.
Emma Goldman, whose speeches are alleged to have fired the brain of Leon Czolgosz, the would-be assassin of President McKinley, was arrested in Chicago Tuesday shortly before noon.

When Capt. Schuetzler and Detective Hertz discovered her at the home of one Norris, at 305 Sheffield avenue, she denied her identity.

"Hello, Miss Goldman," said the captain, as he entered the parlor. "Are you glad to see me?"

"I'm not Miss Goldman; I'm a Swedish woman and my name is Lena Larson," answered the woman, endeavoring to imitate the Swedish dialect.

"All right, I speak Swedish myself," said the officer, as he poured out a few questions in the Norse tongue. Miss Goldman did not answer, affecting to misunderstand. Detective Hertz meanwhile had been investigating, and had discovered a pen with the name Emma Goldman engraved thereon.

"What does this mean?" she asked. Capt. Schuetzler, holding the tell-tale article before its owner's eyes, said: "It means that the game is up," she said.

She then admitted her identity and accompanied the police to the office of Chief O'Neill.

What to Do With Emma.

The department of justice has not decided upon any steps to secure possession of Emma Goldman for the purpose of taking action against her in the federal courts.

There is no reason for the federal authorities to desire possession of Miss Goldman now. They have plenty of time while she languishes in the hands of the state authorities to discuss their plans and to act later if they see fit. The secret service authorities state she should not be arrested at this point, and that they have no idea of proceeding against her unless directed by the department of justice to do so, or unless their secure testimony showing that she was involved in the shooting of the president.

It was said yesterday that so far she has not given any evidence tending to show that anarchistic bodies at Paterson, N. J., had anything to do with the shooting of the president.

Sampson's Mental Condition.

The condition of Rear Admiral Sampson is such that his family and friends are greatly alarmed. He grows worse steadily, his wife affirms, and fears are entertained that he will collapse mentally if not physically.

To her closest friend, Mrs. Bowman H. McCalla, Mrs. Sampson poured out a story of sorrow: "He is steadily growing worse," she said, and her voice broke. "I have done everything in my power to keep his mind from brooding over the affair at Washington, but the Schley hearing, I got him up to this place, away from our friends, newspapers and navy business, thinking the change would do him good."

"Although we do not discuss it between ourselves, I know he broods over it continuously. It haunts him day and night. It has prompted the birth of many distressing delusions in his mind."

"He hasn't had a clear understanding of events for nearly a month past, and he hasn't any ideas of the present and future."

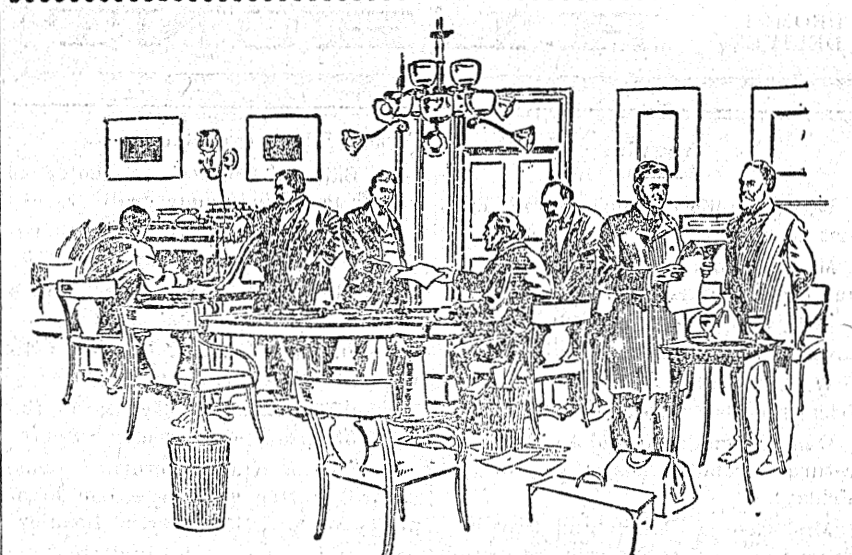
"This is what distresses me so much. He hasn't a lucid idea of everyday happenings, even, and I don't see as he improves; he is steadily growing weaker. I know it; I see it; I feel it. My conscience tells me so. I don't know what to do next. I am discouraged."

Michigan Pensions.
Washington, Sept. 13.—Michigan pensions were granted Thursday as follows: Increase—Lafayette B. Sackrider, Munith, \$8; Chas. L. Brown, Rosecommon, \$17; Marcus D. Elliott, Holly, \$15; Jas. Osborn, Perry, \$12; Peter Campbell, Midland, \$12. Widows—Ann Hitchcock, Lawton, \$12; Harriet A. Hopkins, Pato, \$12; Catherine Lyons, Norway, \$8.

The 2-year-old son of William Wayant, living south of Colon, was struck by a Michigan Central passenger engine Saturday and instantly killed.

President's Cabinet Decides to Take Step.

The cabinet sitting at Buffalo has decided upon the character and scope of the bill for the punishment of persons who in the future may attempt to assassinate a President of the United States. It will make such attempts treason, punishable by death. The bill will be drawn so that not only the President but the Vice President and members of the cabinet shall be included in the protection guaranteed by the measure. Federal courts will be vested with authority and power to deal with the offenders. Federal grand juries may indict them. If they should be apprehended and arrested by the State authorities of the county and district in which the crime happened to be committed the United States marshal and United States district attorney for the district would be required to assume immediate jurisdiction over the prisoner and case. He could be tried in the Federal district or circuit court.



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The cabinet ministers were at first indisposed to include themselves in the scope of the proposed bill, but were persuaded to do so by senators and representatives who happened to be in Buffalo. These members of Congress said that the measure ought to be broad enough in its scope and purpose to make it thoroughly effective.

Attorney General Knox was authorized to make a draft of the bill, which he will submit to his colleagues after their return to Washington. Later on it will be submitted to the President.

Senator Fairbanks of Indiana has consented to introduce the bill on the opening day of the first session of the Fifty-seventh Congress. He says he has no doubt that it will be passed.

General Grosvenor of Ohio will become sponsor for the bill in the House, and he says significantly in discussing its purpose, "I do not believe there will be much opposition to it."

ACCUSED OF KNOWING PLOT.

Man Arrested Who Offered to Bet President Would Be Killed.

On the theory held by United States secret service agents that the city of Camden, N. J., contained one or more persons to whom the plot to assassinate President McKinley was known, Ethelbert Stone, an employee of the New York Shipbuilding Company in South Camden, has been arrested by County Detective John Painter. The direct cause of Stone's arrest was a remark he made while engaged in a heated discussion with Oscar Hansen and Andrew Peterson, fellow employees, just previous to the receipt of news from Buffalo. Stone concluded his argument with these words: "I will bet \$5 that McKinley will be killed before 8 o'clock to-night."

When the news of the attempted assassination was received a few hours later the remark was remembered and on Monday the employees told General Manager May about the matter. He asked the Camden police to investigate it.

When taken before Prosecutor Lloyd after his arrest Stone admitted having made the offer to bet, but insisted that it was a joke. This story, however, is not believed by the detectives. A search was made of Stone's home at Ferry road and Seventh street and incriminating evidence, it is said, was secured.

PROOF HARD TO FIND.

Assassin Fails to Involve Other Anarchists.

As events and circumstances begin to shape themselves the police of Buffalo and the men of the United States secret service who are there are being forced to the conclusion that Czolgosz acted without prearrangement, with any living person when he shot President McKinley in the Temple of Music on the exposition grounds last Friday, says a Buffalo telegram.

This, too, is the opinion of Secretary Root and Attorney General Knox, who have heard accurate accounts of what Czolgosz has said to the police and the district attorney in the several interviews he has had with those officials. While they believe that he was encouraged to attempt the President's life by incendiary writings and utterances of anarchists possessed of greater intellectual resources than himself, they have been forced to the conclusion in the light of all the facts that

wish to God that there were a lot of others just such men in this country."

Bawden was speaking from his wagon on the campus. He led up to his incriminating remark by saying: "This man who attempted to assassinate McKinley, like many other men believed that the people are oppressed." After his utterance Supt. of Police Downey ordered Bawden to cease talking, and on his refusal arrested him on the charge of disorderly conduct and inciting trouble. Police Commissioner Andrews declares that all advocates of anarchistic doctrines will be driven out of town by the police, says a Detroit dispatch.

SURE ASSASSIN HAD AID.

Part of Residents of Cleveland Certain of Plot.

Public opinion in Cleveland, the former home of Czolgosz, is divided on the question as to whether Cleveland anarchists were concerned in the attempted assassination of the President. The police have utterly failed in their search for evidence of a plot and are convinced that none existed, at least in the immediate circle of Leon Czolgosz's friends and relatives. There is still a widespread belief that such a plot existed, says a dispatch from that city.

Residents of the Newburg district, particularly the workmen who are brought into daily contact with the foreign element of the population, are unanimous in the opinion that the responsibility for the crime does not rest upon one person. The meeting places and the homes of the foreigners are said to be the breeding places for anarchistic propaganda. They are stolid, uncommunicative people and it is little wonder that the city police have been unable to find evidence of a plot.

Makes a Mating Statement.

The police of Danbury, Conn., have been informed by employees in the shop of T. C. Mallard & Co. of that city that Albert Webber, a fellow workman, has stated since the attempted assassination of President McKinley that he was an anarchist and in common with several others of the cult in Danbury expected the attempt on the life of the President to take place during his visit to the exposition.

An investigation has been started which has thus far elicited the information, the police state, that there are about twelve anarchists in the city. Officers went to Webber's house, but he was not there.

Checkmated.

"I never felt so cheap in all my life," declared the well-known business man. "I am a great stickler for honesty and will not have anyone around me of whom I have the least suspicion; and when I find a man that I know I can trust I regard his honesty as a valuable asset and pay him accordingly. The result has been that I have gathered around me a force of whom I am justly proud, from the janitor up to the cashier. The other day my old office boy left me, and I was obliged to hire a new one. Out



DRS. PARK AND RIXEY AT THE BEDSIDE OF THE PRESIDENT.

gog's company in Chicago on Aug. 18. At the former date she was in Pittsburgh, visiting one Gordon, an anarchist agitator, and attending an anarchist meeting, accompanied by a young man, said to resemble Czolgosz. From Pittsburgh she went to Cincinnati, where she staid until Sept. 5, when she went to St. Louis and attended several conferences with anarchists. On the next day the attempted assassination occurred, and the following morning she went to Chicago to be near Isaac, she says. In his trouble.

This is all that is known to the public. What evidence the authorities may have is another matter. Meanwhile in his confession the wretch Czolgosz has acknowledged meeting her here in July, and the police have some reason to believe he had been with her in other places.

FRIEND OF CZOLGOSZ JAILED.

Street Speaker in Detroit Arrested for a Seditious Utterance.

Tom Bawden, a Detroit single tax advocate and street speaker, whose defiance of the police brought on the riot in the Campus Martius last May, has been arrested, just after he had declared, speaking of Leon Czolgosz: "I

WOMEN'S BOARD OF TRADE.

Organization at Santa Fe in Existence Since 1893.

A novelty in the way of women's clubs is the Woman's Board of Trade at Santa Fe, N. M. It was first organized in 1893 for the purpose of enabling its members to visit the world's fair at Chicago. It took to itself the name "Board of Trade" to denote its practical objects. After the exposition it turned its attention to city improvement. Santa Fe, like all cities both in old and New Mexico, has a plaza in the center of the town. The plaza at Santa Fe is a place of great historic interest, many of the salient events of the history of the territory having occurred there. On one side it is bounded by the governor's palace, a long abode building which has been the seat of authority ever since New Mexico was a crown colony of Spain. With this interesting old building on one side and the best shops and hotels of the city on the other three, the plaza should have been an ornament to the town. Instead it was sunken and irregular in surface, covered with a rank growth of alfalfa and surrounded by an old wooden fence. The Woman's Board of Trade took vigorous possession of the plaza. They transformed the surface into a fine level lawn, replaced the old fence with an elegant stone coping and erected a handsome drinking fountain. This was not only an achievement in itself, but gave an impetus to like improvements throughout the city. The board has also established a free library and reading-room, which now contains several thousand good volumes. It has a visiting and relief committee, which looks after strangers and gives them a welcome, a boon in a city to which so many sick and unfortunate victims of tuberculosis bend their steps. It also has a committee on prevention of cruelty to animals. The board is recognized by taxpayers and city government as an active factor in successful municipal government. Notwithstanding its splendid achievements it has no command of public funds, but such is its standing in the community that it has never had any trouble in raising sufficient money for its work.

POMPEIAN PAINTING.

Beautiful Young Woman Seated on a Bronze Chair.

At Bosco Reale, near Naples, an interesting group of Pompeian houses has just been uncovered and the student of painting is astonished to find figure-work there reminding him more of fourteenth-century than of first-century endeavors. In one of the most striking of these figures a young woman is seated on a bronze chair, a chair of singularly beautiful form. She is playing the lyre. Her features and expression are pleasing and vivacious. Her hair is curled and she wears a white robe. She curiously holds her instrument with the right hand and plays with the left. Behind the chair a young girl is standing, probably a maid. From her expression and from her position, we suppose that she is listening with interest to the music of her mistress. This composition is one of much simplicity and naturalness, and it seems to have been done, not by many, but by a few strokes—by the frankness and sureness of the hand of a master, S. gnor Baldassarre Odescalchi, Senator of the Kingdom of Italy, has recently written an interesting article on these discoveries for the "Nuova Antologia," and voices the surprise of all that such harmonious composition, such correct design, and such remarkable coloring could have existed and yet not have been better known. Until the other day it was supposed that the frescoes at Pompeii itself represented the highest form of art of the period.

Greek Marriage Customs.

The marriage in Constantinople of an Englishman and a Greek woman entails three wedding ceremonies. To be legal, it must be performed at the consulate. The couple are legally married there the first day, and on the next a church ceremony is performed in the English church, while the Greek religious ceremony which follows is celebrated at the bride's home. The last is the only legal form of marriage as far as the bride is concerned. In the Greek ceremony no ring is used, but the best man places a wreath bound with white satin ribbons on the heads of bride and bridegroom. Then, while the priest is pronouncing the words of the service the couple walk around him in a circle three times, holding candles, the best man at intervals changing the wreaths from one to the other. When all is over the friends throw small coins or tokens of gold and silver over the wedded pair, and a general scramble ensues among those present to secure the

Clearly an Imposter.

"I am indeed glad to learn," remarked the stranger, who had secured a night's lodging at the home of the whole-souled Methodist farmer on the ground of being a member of the same church. "I am glad to hear, I repeat, that the parish of this settlement is a so prosperous condition, temporally and spiritually." "John Wesley," called out the farmer to his eldest son, "saddle the stranger's horse. He's talking about a Methodist 'parish.' Good-bye, sir. I've got no ill-will against you, but you're a fraud."—Chicago Tribune.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never come.—Lowell.

Underwear

Our fall stock is now in and many good values to offer that will save you money.

Hats--A strictly new and up-to-date line and prices that will surprise you.

Dress Goods--A beautiful line--all the new shades. Our line of black goods cannot be beat, and they are open for comparison.

WAIT--and see our line of strictly new up-to-date CLOAKS and CAPES.

GEO. MATZEN

Cass City, Michigan.

DOUBLE STORE

PHONE NO. 8.

Hunt's Grocery

Profitable inducements for grocery buyers.

Mocha and Java Coffee..... 23c per pound
Fancy Domestic Sardines 6 cans for..... 25c
Ported Ham, Chicken and Ox Tongue..... 10c
1/2 pound can Best Red Salmon..... 10c
English Boneless Herring per can..... 10c
1/2 pound can Chipped Dried Beef..... 15c
Lambchop Olives large bottles..... 15c
2 1/2 pounds boxes Best Layer Eggs..... 25c
Light House and Rub-No-More Soap 8 bars for..... 25c
Our 35c, 40c and 50c Teas Leads them all for the Money.
12 quarts Extra Fine Dairy Pails..... 25c
Preserving Kettles..... 45c, 60c and 75c
Paris Green per pound..... 25c
Milk Pans per dozen..... 50c

Buy a 25c can of Baking Powder and get a draw on the sewing machine.

PROMPT DELIVERY

H. L. HUNT

The Stock Markets.

Michigan Central Stock Yards, Detroit, Sept. 17--The demand for live cattle is fairly active this week; receipts have been moderate of late. The following prices are being paid at the Detroit Live Stock Market:
Prime steers and heifers, \$1.75 @ 5.25; handy butcher's cattle, \$1.00 @ 4.00; common, 1.50 @ 2.50; canner's cows, 1.50 @ 2.50; stockers and feeders, dull and slow at \$2.75 @ 4.00.
Milk cows, steady at 25 @ 45; calves active at 5.00 @ 6.75.
Sheep and lambs, active: Prime lambs 4.25 @ 4.50; mixed 3.25 @ 4.25; culls 1.50 @ 2.25.
Hogs are the leading feature in this market light receipts. Trade is active at the following prices: Prime mediums 6.45 @ 6.50; Yorkers, 6.40 @ 6.45; pigs, 6.40 @ 6.45; roughs, 6.25 @ 6.35; stags, 5.00 @ 5.25; culls, \$1 per cwt. off.

Farm for Sale

40 acres, 1 1/2 miles north and one-half miles west of Gaytown; all improved, good fences, splendid water, and good orchard; frame house and barn; close to school. 8-15-17

BENJ. BEARSS.

Foley's Kidney Cure
makes kidneys and bladder right.

3-CENT COLUMN.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading for three cents per line each week.

FOR SALE--One half or entire interest in live stock. Enquire at this office. 8-22-17

FOR SALE--One half rig and engine--4 H. P. mounted for \$100. M. KING. 8-15-17

FOR SALE--Registered Berkshire Boar, 7 months old. Inquire of JOHN F. COLEMAN. One mile west and two miles north of Cass City. 8-22-17

FOR SALE OR RENT--One 120 acre farm and one 40 acre farm. FOR SALE--One mare and colt, two cows with calves. Inquire of GEO. L. HITCHCOCK. 8-15-17

GRAPES AT HALF PRICE. F. C. LEE. 9-19-17

GOOD cow for sale. E. McKim. 8-15-17

LOST--At the Bethel Church, on Sunday, Sept. 1st, pair gold bowlers glasses. Please leave at this office or return to MRS. ANNA CRANDALL. 9-12-17

REGISTERED Jersey bull for service. One mile north, one-half mile west of Cass City. 4-15-17. S. A. COLEMAN & SON.

Cass City Markets.

Wheat No. 1 white.....	65
Wheat No. 2 red.....	65
Oats.....	34
Rye.....	47
Beans, Hand picked.....	175
Peas.....	50
Clover Seed.....	4.50 5.50
Hay loose.....	6.00 8.00
Hay pressed, per ton.....	7.00 10.00
Butter.....	12
Eggs per doz.....	12
Hogs, dressed per cwt.....	6.75 7.00
Beef, dressed.....	6.00 7.00
Sheep, live weight, per lb.....	3
Lambs.....	4 1/2
Cheekens.....	5
Turkeys.....	6
Ducks and geese.....	6 1/2
Hides.....	4 1/2
Wool, unwashed, per lb.....	11 to 15

MARKETS AT ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily.....	3 1/2
Roller's Best.....	4.00
Pillsbury's Best.....	4.00
Golden Meal.....	4.00
Feed.....	1.10
Meal.....	1.10
Bran.....	80
Middlings.....	90
Rye Flour.....	2 1/2
B. W. Flour.....	3.00
Salt, per barrel.....	8.00

Fall and Winter Cloaks

have arrived.

We invite you to call and inspect them. We have a line of

Fur, Plush and Cloth

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets.

We have secured the agency for

Broadheads' Dress Goods

They have no equal for service. We have all colors. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$1.50

Our UNDERWEAR Department is overflowing with the best things in the market. It will pay you to see our values before you buy.

Our Fall Clothing, Shoes,

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings

are now arriving, and we would advise an inspection of our Goods before buying. Always have some special deals in all lines of Goods. Small lots to close out at less than cost. We carry the best makes of

Overalls, Pants and Jackets.

Guaranteed Satisfactory. Trade with the old reliable firm of

2 MACKS

Have You Seen Our Line?

If Not, Why Not?

J. F. HENDRICK,

... THE JEWELER, ...

is always ready to show to the public his line of CLOCKS, WATCHES, CHAINS, RINGS, ETC.

Call and see him.

—REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.—

A Grand Millinery Sale!

Beginning September 20th.

A Regular Slaughter of Hats

Going at 1-3 and 1-2 Off

Having purchased the Mrs. E. K. Wickware stock of millinery, would be pleased to have you call and look over our stock. You can buy at your own price.

Also a New Stock of

FALL HATS AND CAPS AND PATTERN HATS

.....Just Arriving.....

Annie A. Parker

Magazines and Dailies

for sale at the

ENTERPRISE OFFICE

Agency of the Detroit Daily Free Press and Detroit Daily Tribune.

In magazines--Ladies' Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post, Success, McClure's, Cosmopolitan, etc.

Hay Creek.

Miss Fay Pringle is among the sick. James W. Coppis pressing his hay this week.

Miss Nina Grace returned from New Haven last Thursday.

Rev. McMillan will preach his farewell sermon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bradley visited Ira Howe, of Novesta, Sunday.

Miss McKenzle, from Underwood, Ont., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Marshall.

B. W. Farsell, Kinterville, Pa., says he suffered 25 years with piles and could obtain no relief until DeWitt's Little Hazel Salve effected a permanent cure. Counterfeits are worthless. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Mothers write us that they have solved the problem of keeping their children well. Give them Rocky Mountain Tea each week. A blessing to mother and child. Ask your druggist.

Dr. Loyal Ford's Dyspeptic is a cure, not a mere relief from indigestion. It digests the food and makes the stomach right. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Ellington

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher were over to her father's, John French, Sunday.

The school in Dis. No. 1, Ellington, is doing well under the instruction of Miss Ida Ross, of Cass City. May it continue so.

Wallace M. Hiller, who was taken sick the last week of Dec. and was very low all winter but improved some in May so as to walk around a little, still remains in that condition and gets no better.

A never failing cure for cuts, burns, scalds, ulcers wounds and sores is DeWitt's Little Hazel Salve. A most soothing and healing remedy for all skin affections. Accept only the genuine. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

When you want a pleasant physic try the new remedy, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. Samples free at Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Pingree

Charles Banks lost a valuable cow this week.

John Fox and wife visited at Shabbona Sunday.

Miss Rose Towle visited at S. Chamber's on Sunday.

Miss Cora Dellaree has returned home from Kingston.

Robt. Melnes and family visited at John Towle's Sunday.

Etta Mark had ten teeth extracted last week by Dentist Fritz.

Mrs. Mark visited her sister, Mrs. Brooks, at Shabbona, on Monday.

Mr. Fisher and Miss Jennie Bartle, of Wickware, attended church at McHugh's Sunday night.

Miss Katie Butterfield returned to Bay City one day last week with her grandfather, Mr. Banks, who intends spending a couple of weeks visiting his daughter at that place.

A Shocking Calamity

"Lately befell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kelleff, of Willford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Buckler's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold at T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston."

A Communication.

MR. EDITOR--Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine. W. S. BROCKMAN, Barnell, Mo. This remedy is for sale at Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Freiburgers.

A. C. Graham was in Sanilac Centre Saturday.

Henry Patterson is laboring for Jas. Haggerty.

Ye Scribe did business in Tyre Tuesday last.

Edward Hunt did business in Uby Thursday last.

Chas. Pollard did business in Uby Thursday of last week.

Will Donnollon transacted business in Minden Friday last.

Our school opened Monday with Mrs. Frank Brown for teacher.

Alex. Nice, of Uby, was a pleasant caller in town Tuesday evening.

Don't wait until you become chronically constipated but take DeWitt's Little Early Risers now and then. They keep your liver and bowels in good order. Easy to take. Safe pills. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Last week I went about, full of trouble and of doubt. Now I'm smiling and dance with delight. I had some Rocky Mountain Tea last night.

Ask your druggist.

II. C. Watkins, sexton of the Methodist Church, Springfield, Pa., says: "My wife has been very bad with kidney trouble and tried several doctors without benefit. After taking one bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure, was much better, and was completely cured after taking four bottles." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Novesta

Bean harvesting is all the go at present.

Fred Walker and family visited at Wilnot Sunday.

Bert Gowan wears a pleasant smile as he is the father of a bouncing baby boy.

Mrs. Dr. Foote and Mrs. Samuel Gowan were Cass City visitors Wednesday.

Quite a number are calculating upon taking in the State Fair at Pontiac next week.

Jas. Rule's fine big bank barn, since nearing completion, is an imposing structure to look upon.

We understand that Mrs. Jas. Rogers, who went to her former home to undergo an operation, has come through it successfully.

Cedar Run

Bean pullers are in great demand this week.

Sunday School will be reorganized next Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid met at L. H. Huffman's on Wednesday last.

R. Webster has the mason work on his house nearly completed.

Mrs. E. F. Stone entertained her mother and a sister last week.

Ralph Fletcher returned home from the Canadian northwest on Friday.

Mrs. R. Webster had a cousin from Chatham, Ont., visiting her last week.

The new minister, Rev. C. A. Lohnes, had service in the school house on Sunday.

The school house is nearly done so that school started last week with Chas. Macomb as teacher.

The Misses Francis and Jessie Burnett, of Battle Creek, are visiting friends here at present.

QUESTION ANSWERED.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grandmothers' never thought of using anything else for Indigestion or Biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart Failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you.

Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; or Francis Drug Store, Kingston. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

Argyle.

W. D. Striffler did business in Tyre last week Friday.

Mary McPhail is visiting her mother and other friends here.

A. D. Gillies, of Cass City, was in town Monday posting fair bills.

W. D. Striffler and family visited friends at Cass City last Sunday.

Dan McNaughton and Joe McCarty returned from the Pan-American last Friday.

Mrs. George Powell and two sons drove to Cass City Saturday returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stevenson visited at D. Hutchinson's, near Cass City, last Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. McNaughton went to Ann Arbor last week Thursday to visit her mother, who is quite sick.

James Bonser has traded farms with someone north of Cumber and expects to move about October first.

Sid Darling, 1012 Howard St. Port Huron, Mich., writes: "I have tried many pills and laxatives but DeWitt's Little Early Risers are far the best pills I have ever used." They never gripe. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Gentlemen:--My wife was afflicted with Dyspepsia and Constipation for years. After trying other remedies I purchased a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for her and she is rapidly improving. I cannot be without this valuable medicine. Resp. yours, S. ELLIOTT.

Elk City, Kansas, Dec. 13, 1900. Sold by A. Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

No Relief for 20 Years.

"I had bronchitis for twenty years," said Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill. "and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure for throat and lung diseases." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Karr's Corners.

Rev. P. Karr visited at Chas. O. Karr's Sunday.

Alex. Marshall is building a large straw-shed to his barn.

Miss Jennie Quinn was the guest of Mayme O'Brien Sunday.

Maggie Tanner was the guest of Myrtle Maxfield Sunday.

Miss Grace Karr has taken up her school duties at Colwood.

Parm Karr cuts quite a shine now a days. The cause, a new harness.

Miss Gertrude McDonald was the guest of Maggie Tanner Saturday.

Ed. Burden's team ran away Saturday but no serious damage resulted.

Geo. Charter and family and Robt. Mark and family visited at Geo. Karr's Sunday.

Bert Wilber spent Sunday with his wife, who is sewing for her aunt, Mrs. Gifford, of Caro.

Stood Death off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Keep Your Face Clean.

Your complexion clear, your breath sweet, your head level. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do this. It cures Constipation, Sick Headache and Indigestion and is a perfect laxative. Sold at A. Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Canboro.

Henry Mellendorf was in Elkton Saturday.

Herbert Dulmage has purchased a new buggy.

Ulysses Parker was a business caller in Elkton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Parker were Elkton callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Beach, of Bay City, visited the latter's brother,

Horace Maltby, over Sunday.

Jas. Bailly, of Uby, was a visitor at Harvey Parker's Sunday.

James Brackenbury transacted business in Cass City Thursday.

Mrs. Newton Caryl is having quite a serious attack of rheumatism.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. S. Lown Thursday, Sept. 19th.

John Ricker, of West Grant, was the guest of Miss Tessa Foreman Sunday.

Miss Lena Kinitz returned home Saturday after working a couple of weeks for Mrs. B. Reader, at Beaulieu.

The funeral of John Inglesby, who died Friday evening, at the age of 83 years, was held in the Canboro church Monday at eleven o'clock. Rev. W. D. King preached the funeral sermon and A. A. McKenzle, of Cass City, took charge of the remains. He was buried in the Grant cemetery. The bereaved wife and relatives have the sympathy of the whole community.

Many physicians are now prescribing Kodol Dyspepsia Cure regularly having found that it is the best prescription they can write because it is the one preparation which contains the elements necessary to digest not only some kinds of food but all kind and it therefore cures indigestion and dyspepsia no matter what its cause. Amos Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

A Certain Cure for Dysentery and Diarrhea.

"Some years ago I was one of a party that decided to make a long bicycle trip," says F. L. Taylor, of New Albany, Bradford County, Pa. "I was taken suddenly with diarrhoea, and was about to give up the trip, when editor Ward, of the Laceyville Messenger, suggested that I take a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and one on the route. I made the trip successfully and never felt any ill effect. Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an attack of dysentery. I bought a bottle of this same remedy and this time one dose cured me." Sold at Bond's, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Watrousville.

Hiram Gibbs is plastering and improving his house.

J. Truax returned from the Pan-American last week.

F. Sheppard and son, Willie, took a trip to Shay's Lake last Saturday.

J. J. England was in this vicinity in the interest of the Farmers' Mutual last week.

Mrs. R. Harpham is spending a few days in Columbia, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hamp Farnum entertained the Watrousville M. E. Ladies' Aid Society last Thursday.

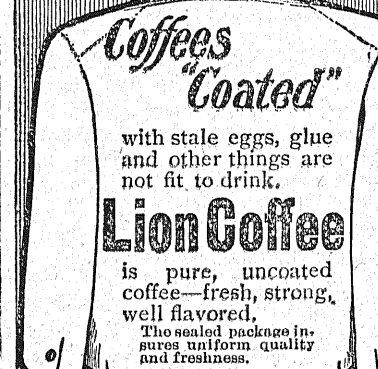
Mrs. P. M. Moreland's sister, who has been visiting her the past week, returned to Detroit last Thursday.

J. Cutts and J. Higgins returned last Monday from Bay City where they have been attending the M. E. conference.

Rev. M. Karr, of Utica, and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sheppard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cutts last Thursday.

A Night of Terror.

"A awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.



Coffees "Coated"
with stale eggs, glue and other things are not fit to drink.

Lion Coffee
is pure, uncoated coffee--fresh, strong, well flavored.

The sealed package insures uniform quality and freshness.