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Local Happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fallis are in Detroi

H. G. Spring, of Unionville, visited ur burg yesterday.

Will Sinclair, of Greenleaf, called on

riends here to-day. W. W. Bender made a business trip

o Gagetown yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Montague, of aro, were in town to-day.

H. F. Deming, of Oxford, has been n town a part of this week.

I. A. Blackburn, of North Branch, lid business here yerterday.

H. F. Lenzoer, of the Chronicle, spent part of the week in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kemp, of Union

ille, were in town on Sunday.

J. A. Caldwell attended the Masonic onvention at Detroit vesterday.

Jas. Fracy returned Tuesday mornng from a few days visit at Caseville. Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Cooley, of Mar-

Rev. J. H. Callender left yesterday on a trip to his former parish at Cros-

Miss Edith McKee spent Sunday at er home in the Hay Creek neighbor-

E. F. Hess, formerly of Pigeon, spent WANTED-A thoroughly reliable

ervant girl. Apply at once at this John Cawood and Miss Ethel Cowood, of Marlette, called on friends in town

Mr and Mrs. Will Kile, of Franken-

muth, called on friends here the first Mason Leek and Geo. F. Lee, of Northeast Kingston, did business in

own on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Cornelius returned on Saturday from a business trip to

Rochester and Detroit. The Epworth League topic for next tion of the Thumb. Sunday evening will be "Missions

among Latin Peoples." part of last week as guest of her

unt, Mrs. J. N. Dorman. Monday for Chatham, Ont., where Mr. took their parts very creditably.

lewson is now employed. A forty-eight foot addition is being ouilt to the sheds of the Cass City

Lumber and Coal Company, Ltd. Mrs. H. P. Lee is visiting her friends t Memphis, Emmet and Capac. She

is accompanied by Miss Lella Lee. John Lee, late of Imlay City, now

wields the cleaver at the Cass City Meat Market of Young & Benkelman J. A. Morrison, of Grayling, is enjoying a three weeks' vacation with his parents and friends in town and vicin-

ity. Miss Mary Zinnecker returned on Gordon Hotel. Saturday evening from Romeo, where she has been engaged for some time

several days. Married, yesterday afternoon at the force a little over three years. Presbyterian Manse, by Rev. E. H.

Clara Sacket, of Wickware. ing by Mrs. Caroline Fenn-Bigelow

Miss Louise Wellwood, who has membership. Come and bring your been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Dor- wives and sweethearts.

man, returned to her home at Marlette on Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. G. A. Stevenson has taken tempor

dence rooms in the second story of Sixteen Odd Fellows from here visit

ed the Caro Lodge on Monday evening o witness special work in the second degree. All report having had a very njoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hersey Young returned on Saturday from the Canadian North west, where they have been spending they were not injured but their borse several months. They expect to re- got away and went home, so that they main in town now.

The friends of Mrs. W. N. Straube beneficial to her health, and a complete 30th as the Momorial Day for that orrecovery is looked for.

to which all are cordially invited.

The meeting of the L. T. L. last

ing. Dr. D. P. Deming reduced the will have to be performed when he

The Michigan Pioneer and Historical arranged.

Our High School Base Ball Team will play with Brown City team, at Brown City, on Tuesday, May 30th, and ex pect to have special railroad rates so that their friends may go along to see

Ernest Perkins, who has been employed as attendant at the Upper Peninsula Hospital at Newberry for some time, returned to his home here lette, visited friends in town on Sun- on Saturday and will spend some time with friends.

> Chris. Seeger has bought the old G. A. Stevenson residence and is having purchased of Wm. McTavish, (now of Saginaw,) at the corner of Pine and

should interest you. Their respective lines of goods are worthy of your careful inspection, and prices will compare favorably with any.

The Quick school, in Novesta town- the happy couple will make their home.

nip, was closed for vacation last Fri Miss Eliza Clough, of Marlette, spent day. The teacher, Miss Etta Keating, had arranged an entertainment for that evening, which was largely at-Mrs. A. Hewson and children left on tended and those who participated

> Geo. Matzen, who has been spending a few days at his parental home here, left for Seattle on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. E. H. Pinney, his wife's mother. Mrs. Pinney's sister, Mrs. Wixson, of Caro, will be guest at the Pinney home during Mrs. Pinney's ab-

A special train passed over the P. O. & N. R. R. on Friday, conveying Super-J. Lounsbury, other railroad officials gether. They took dinner here at the

A. W. Seed, superintendent of agents New York, now of Detroit, was in town County Drain Commissioner Harp, on Tuesday, adjusting the claim of of Mayville, has been looking after the late Mrs. W. B. Davis, on drain matters in this locality for that company for \$2,000—paying to the beneficiary \$2,200. The policy was in

On Saturday evening, June 3rd, the Bradfield, John H. Fulcher and Miss Tuscola R. F. D. carriers will hold their annual meeting and banquet at A chorus of forty voices is in train- Caro. The meeting will be held at the Court House. Business of special imfor the singing at the baccalaureate portance is to be considered. All carsermon and the graduation exercises. riers and substitutes are eligible to

On Sunday, Dr. M. M. Wickware, assisted by Dr. J. H. Hays, of this place, and Dr. Keith Morris, of Gagetown, performed a delicate surgical operaary residence in the Fritz Block, tion upon Mrs. Louis Deming of Lewisawaiting the completion of the resi- ton, Mich., who has been staying with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Wickware. The operation proved quite successful

and she is making a good recovery.

The Misses Laura and Nina Mc-Webb left yesterday morning to visit relatives at Kalamazoo. On their way mother out of the rig. Fortunately had to borrow a rig to catch the train.

The members of the Odd Fellow will be pleased to learn that her stay Lodge here, at their regular meeting at Saranac Lake, N. Y., is proving quite last evening, decided to observe May der, and will unite in the exersises The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Soci- arranged by Milo Warner Post, G. A. ety will meet at the home of Mrs. J. L. R. All members of the order are re-Hitchcock on Wednesday, May 31st. quested to meet at their hall on that Tea will be served at the usual hour day at one o'clock local time to prepare for the exercises.

On Saturday evening, John Krapf, Thursday afternoon was well attended. northwest of town, was taken suddenly Aside from the usual order of the ser- and seriously ill, with what proved to vice, readings were given by Eila Wal- | be appendicitis. Dr. A. N. Treadgold, lace, Seva Withey and Florence Sweet. of this place, and Dr. Wm. Morris, of A young man named Knight, son of Gagetown, were both summoned and Ephraim Knight, came to town yester- by energetic action were able to day forenoon, with his left forearm relieve his distress to a certain extent. broken, caused by a fall from a build- It is feared, however, that an operation gains sufficient strength.

The Forester rally on Tuesday even-Society will hold its thirty-first annual ing was attended by about eighty of meeting in the Senate Chamber at the Foresters and their friends. E. E. Lansing on June 7th and 8th, for which | Stockwell, of Port Huron, High Couna very complete program has been selior of the High Court of Michigan, made the address of the evening, there were several good musical numbers and a box social at the conclusion caused plenty of merriment. Both Court Elkland and Companion Court Dayenport are in a prosperous condition and are expecting quite an increase in membership to follow this rally

effects of having a hot piece of iron strike him in the eye, while doing as first stated --- 8 to 7 in favor of Cass his feet near the floor, apparently dead. some blacksmith work. Last week he City High School. consulted Dr. D. Campbell, the eye specialist in Detroit, who agreed in the recommendation of the local physician. it moved to the vacant lot recently Dr. M. M. Wickware, that the eye be removed, in order that the other eye be saved. Accordingly, on Friday, Dr. Wickware, assisted by Dr. J. H. Hays, J. S. McArthur and The Model have removed Mr. Helwig's left eye, the

performed A quiet wedding occured yesterday at high noon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peddie, west of town, when A sunday school convention for their daughter, Jennie E., was united Greenfeaf Township will be held at the in marriage to H. Edgar Comfort, of McConnell Schoolhouse on Sunday Rosebush, Mich. The ceremony was afternoon and evening. A complete performed by Rev. R. N. Mulholland, program has been arranged and an in- in the presence of the immediate teresting time is promised all who at- family of the bride. Jas. Peddie, brother of the bride, was best man, W. D. Striffler, of Argyle, of the firm and Miss Alice Predmore acted as of Striffler Bros., brought to town bridesmaid. Miss Peddie is one of the \$25,000 worth of wool, yesterday, for most highty esteemed young ladies of delivery to the Cass City Grain Com- the community and the best wishes of pany, for whom they have been acting her many friends go with her to her as purchasers in that prosperous sec- new home. Mr. Comfort is a prosperous business man of Rosebush, where

White Oxfords at A. A. Hitchcock's.

The Field Day Meet of the Thumb Athletic Association is to be held at Bad Axe on Saturday, June 3rd. The High School teams from Caro, Cass City, Harbor Beach, Bad Axe, Elkton, Vassar, and Sebewaing are billed to participate and an interesting and close contest is sure to occur.

New Walking Skirts at A. A. Hitch-

Floyd A. Bussing a well known and respected young man who lived one intendent W. C. Sanford, Receiver R. and one half miles south of Akron village, in Fairgrove township, comand a number of business men from mitted suicide on Tuesday morning of Pontiac and Oxford, about forty alto- last week. Bussing had been despondent over a love affair, and during a fit of depression, hung himself in his barn, where relatives found his body of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of about an hour after the deed had been committed.

> Butter and Eggs same as cash. Opera Block. A. A. Hitchcock.

Delos Cunningham, an old man 73 years of age, committed suicide on Friday night, May 12th, at the home of a relative, P. Kitelinger, near Millington. Cunningham had obtained possession of some poisonous drug, of 20th, 1905. which he took a large dose just before retiring. Nothing was known of his rash act until the members of the family found the old man dead in his room at a later hour.

To Our Beet Growers.

Those farmers who have not planted their seed are requested to do so at once or as soon as they can get on the the best in tonnage and quality. Such price. School supplies of all kinds. land as has been seeded and is packed together on account of the heavy rains should be harrowed or cultivated at once to break the crust and open up to town their horse became frightened the ground for evaporation as the at a bicycle and threw them and their heavy rains pack the ground too much and if it is not loosened the young plants will be stricken with sickness. Do not use rollers on the fields under such circumstances as the ground is packed enough. Loosen it up so that the young plants can get air and

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Good looks comes from pure blood, pure blood from good health, and good

SHOT HIMSELF.

Long, Hard Game at Caro Won by Our High School.

BASE BALL.

On Saturday our High School nine Migh School team of that place. They Young & Benkelman, for a first-class the fact on the previous day a local Johnson came here from Chesaning, participants in the Thumb Field Meet work for that firm at the Cass City to be held at Bad Axe, and the boys Meat Market. Only a few days after well with the Caro aggregation, so that appeared in no hurry to leave town. fifteen innings were necessary to determine the victors, the score then and when called for dinner replied standing eight to seven in favor of our that he would "be down in a few min-

slight 'mix-up" in the thirteenth in at the supper table the matter came ning, and the Caro boys are trying to up for discussion, interest increasing Jacob Helwig, northeast of town, has ing the decision of the umpire two been suffering for some time from the days after it was given, but that will the door, through the transom, and hardly "go down" and the score stands saw Johnson lying across the bed with

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

For Tuscola County at Cass City Aug. 21st to 25th.

The Teachers' Institute for Tuscola County is to be held at Cass City, this Sunday and Monday with relatives in new advertisements in this issue which operation being quite successfully year, in the High School Rooms, on August 21st to 25th. The teachers of Huron and Sanilac Counties are invited to attend and all High School pupils and citizens generally are at liberty to attend. About one hundred and seventy-five teachers are expected to be present. Prof. Jas. Mitchell professor of history and sociology, of Alma College, will be the conductor; and Prof. Geo. B. Randall. professor of pedagogy, of Bellevue, Neb.; and Prof. F. E Sinclair, of this place, will act as instructors. There will be no charge

It is to be hoped that our townspeo ple generally will take it upon them to make the stay of the teachers in our town a very pleasant one indeed, and some united effort along that line should be made at once.

A Full Staff.

The Board of Education has engaged full corps of teachers for the next school year, as follows:

Superintendent-F. E. Sinclair, re engaged.

Preceptress-Helen G. Hunter, of

Assistant-Beatrice Cochrane, re

Grammar Department-Hattie Ma-

lam, re engaged. Fifth and Sixth Grades-Margaret Miller, of this place.

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Grades-Mrs Dora N. Fritz, re-engaged; Cecil Fritz, now teaching in Bad Axe; Gertrude

Kindergarten-Martha Henry, re-

pupils, which speaks for itself as to the standing of our schools in the community. May the coming year be the best yet!

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters in the Cass City Postoffice for the week ending May

Charles I, Wilson John B. Harris Miss Via Casswell When calling for the above please mention "advertised."

H. S. WICKWARE, P. M.

To School Officers.

Don't let the children stand up or crowd them into uncomfortable seats when you can get the "Favorite School land. Early planted beets always pay Seats and Desks" at so reasonable a 5--25 -3 E. W. KEATING

> The Sagacious Statesman. "Are you sure you know all about that subject you are going to make a speech on?"

"No," answered the sagacious statesman. "I have put in my time collecting epigrams and anecdotes. The surest way to make an uninteresting speech is to make a thorough study of your subject."-Washington Star.

He Was Immune. "I suspect," said the fair maid who had talked for fifteen consecutive minutes without permitting him to get a

word in edgeways, "you are tired of hearing me talk.' "Not at all," replied the gallant health from Celery King. Celery King young man. "I get shaved at a bar-makes good health, pure blood and good ber's and am used to that sort of thing."-Chicago News.

Grant Johnson, of Chesaning, Ends His Life With a Bullet.

In response to a liner advertisement went to Caro to cross bats with the inserted in the Detroit Free Press, by were not in good condition, owing to butcher and sausage - maker, Grant field meet was held to determine the Mich., about ten days ago, and began were rather "lame." However, they he was discharged because of drink. were able to keep up their end pretty He boarded at the Gordon Hotel and

Yesterday he remained in his room, utes," but did not come. Nothing was It since appears that there was a seen of him during the afternoon and let themselves down easy" by revers- until M. T. Carolan left the table and went to investigate. He looked over He reported to the proprietor, A. Doerr, who, with C. F. Collins, another boarder, went and looked over the door. They then called Dr. D. P. Deming and the door was forced, when it was found that Johnson had shot himself with a twenty-two calibre Flobert rifle, the ball entering the right tem-

> had been extinct at least two or three hours before he was found. An effort was made at once to locate his people at Chesaning, by telephone, when it was learned that his father-inlaw, O. W. Dayman, was calling Cass City by telephone, in the endeaver to learn something of his son-in-law, as they had not heard from him for some time. Johnson's father also lives at

ple. Evidently he had not moved af-

ter he had fallen backwards and life

Chesaning. Coroner S. F. Chase, of Caro, was notified and gave permission to remove the body to Lee's undertaking rooms last evening. The coroner came over this morning and pronounced an inquest unnecessary. The friends requested the remains taken to Owosso, by way of Chesaning, and they left here on this afternoon's train in care of Undertaker Lee.

Deceased was thirty-eight years of age. No cause is known for him taking his life, except that he had been drinking heavily and in all probability had become despondent.

Strayed or Stolen.

Pair of bay mares; one four years old, halter head on, heavy in foal or colt by side; other bay mare white strip in face, two-year-old, two white feet behind; both short and blocky. N. DARLING.

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ney complaint for eight years. It came on me graduon me gradually. I felt tired and

weak, was short of breath and was troubled with bloating after ibs were badly told me it would s disease. I was eating, and my limbs were badly swollen. One doctor told me it would finally turn to Bright's disease. I was laid up at one time for three weeks. I had not taken Doan's Kidney Pills more than three days when the distressing aching across my back disappeared, and I was soon entirely cured.' For sale by all dealers. Price 50

SIMPLE WALL DECORATIONS.

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New Material and New Ideas for the Decoration of Homes.

The styles of home decorations have completely changed in the last few years, and it is pleasant to say that they have changed for the better. Time was when we hung monstrous patterns printed on paper against our walls, and considered them more or less pleasantly. It would hardly be fair to say that we considered them beautiful or artistic. But they were the vogue and were put on. The time has come when, with our better methods for interior decoration, better effects can be secured.

In wall coverings, whether they be of paint, or of kalsomine, or of Alabastine—whatever the material used to cover the wall—the thing desired is that which has the greatest covering power, as well as permanency and beauty of color. Alabastine, a wall covering ground from Alabaster rock -which means a hard white rock-is the ideal covering for a wall.

The most beautiful wall decorations in the world are those which are laid on with the brush. The mural designs in our large public buildings, and the frescoed designs in the large cathedrals and churches, have a permanency and an art of which wall paper is but a cheap imitation. These mural schemes and frescoed designs can be brought within the reach of the every day home. They can be done with Alabastine, which is permanent in its coloring. It does not rub off, and it has the soft effect of pastelle.

A great many people defer the redecorating of their rooms not only because of the expense but because of the discomfort of it. With Alabastine there need be no discomfort and there can be no muss, for all that is needed is to lay a sheet or canvas on the floor, have your man come in with a pail, make the solution and simply brush it on the wall. That is all there to it, and the room is perfectly clean and thoroughly renovated.

Just because a man is stilted, it doesn't necessarily follow that he is above reproach. he fellow who succeeds in bottling up his wrath is a corker.

STATE OF ONIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, | 88.

ETATE OF ORIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS.

LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY Makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRII that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRII CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my preseace, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
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There is no particular reason why straitened circumstances should make a man crooked.

Unfortunately there are more play actors than real actors. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

didren teething, softens the gums, reduces in-ation, aliays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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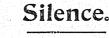
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The old friends were chatting like



I have met Silence in the wood, And in my quiet room, where we, Conversing low by shrine and tree, Were truly understood.

I have met Silence face to face. In my heart's midst when, spent with Doubt, Faith, looking for her lost, without, Could win no resting place.

I have met Silence where she kept Wise peace amid all warring sounds; I knew 'twas she that set the bounds I near had overstepped.

Amid the story it was her will

That led me forth unscathed and free,
Her strong, hushed voice that whispered me,
"Be patient and be still!"

—Frank Walcott Hutt in New Orleans
Times-Democrat.



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house.

guess.

sharply.

"Wait a moment."

over reminiscences, then to run up the

wide steps of Branch's handsome

"You have a charming home," ob-

served Wix, gazing about from the

hall; "I'll model mine after yours, I

The telephone in the corner rang

"My call," said Branch impatiently.

mured.

cheery way. "I've brought a friend to

"Very soon, dear," the clear voice

The husband hung up the receiver

with a disgusted jerk, after a few

must go back to the office. The man

can't wait, and the matter is too im

portant to go over. I'll return in an

"I'll go with you," said Wix in a low,

quick whisper. 'While you are busy,

"No, Lew; stay and lunch with Mrs

"Sam, I'd rather go with you.

don't wish to be impolite, but--'

"Well! come along, then. I've got

to hustle." Branch turned to the

"Jennie," he called, "wait lunch.

have to see a man who just tele-

phoned. Sorry; we'll be back by two

Not waiting for a reply, he bustled

In silence they hurried along,

"Your wife has a pleasant voice,

"Yes, yes, she has. Confound it! I

ought to have had that deed regis-

"Did I hear you call her Jennie?"

"Guess so! Name's Janet, Janet

Shelton, Jennie to me. Drat that

deed! Pardon my not listening, old

At the corner Wix halted, putting a

detaining hand on Branch's shoulder,

"I'll leave you here and take a cab,"

he sai dcalmly; "there's a car going

"Good-by," said Wix. "Good-by."

When Branch had finished his busi-

"It's time Lew showed up." he com-

He signed the receipt book, tore

Branch sank into a chair, and

"And he says I must never let her

again read the note. Slowly he tore

it to bits, dropping the pieces listless-

know," came his inaudible murmur.

"Lord save us! To think that I went

ly in the waste basket.

and married his girl!"

open the envelope and stood rigid.

mented. "Hullo! here's a messenger

boy. From him, I'm afraid. Yes."

"No answer," he said, thickly.

The lad strolled out, whistling.

ness, he glanced at the clock in the

man. I've some thinking to do."

a firm, affectionate grasp.

before lunch."

main office.

staring.

by, for now, Lew."

Branch absorbed, his companion strid-

His tone was scarcely audible.

out. Wix was ahead of him.

Presently Wix spoke.

I've a bit of business to attend to."

echoed from some room above.

"Thunder!" he snorted.

lunch. Come down!"

sharp words.

Branch."

stairs.

o'clock.''

Sam."

ing mechanically.

"Hi, wifey!" he shouted

Branch looked up from examining | school boys when they alighted from the mortgage deed spread upon his their car, to walk a block, laughing

A shadow had fallen across the paper, blocking the light from the nearby door of his dingy private office. "Well, sir!" he interrogated brisk-

ly, "what can I do for you?" "You can give me your hand, Sam." "It isn't Lewis Wix? Lew! It can't

"Yes, it is," laughed the caller, as Branch sprang up. "Same old sixpence. I'm tickled to death to find you. First thing I did when I reached the city was to hunt a directory. Ran my finger down the 'B's' Branch, S. W. & Co.'-that's 'Sam,' said I, and I never even stopped for a bite to eat Your old grip feels good. It's twelve

years since I last felt it." "Twelve years! Is that so? I'd lost all track. Sit down, old man. You are going to lunch with me at my house, right away. Where have you been? What do you do? You're looking fat and gay. Made money? Married?"

"One thing at a time," smiled Wix. "Yes, I'm prosperous at last, after my ups and downs. Mining propertiessolid ones. I've been all over the West. Denver's my home; that is, as much of a home as I have." "Not married, then?"

"No, not yet. Hope to be in due season. Think I've changed much,

"Mighty little. Pshaw! you want to hurry up and settle down. Now, let me see. I know some nice girls--' "Hold on," interrupted Wix, grin-"The fact is, Sam, I've come East on that very errand, and-"

"I see. I see. And old affair, eh?" 'That's it. Dear me! I've got to locate her. It's so long since I heard, and she-to tell the truth, we both stopped writing years ago. It seemed so hopeless. I wandering around, a poverty-stricken prospector, and the poor girl, waiting. Those letters grew to be too harrowing. They dropped off. I simply couldn't bring myself to worry her with constant reports of bad luck. Besides, my whereabouts were uncertain. Finally, I wrote her cousin, who knew of our feelings for each other, telling him how things stood, and he was to let me know if anything happened to her. As I've never heard. I'm sure she is still in the

old town, still waiting." "I'll bet she is," cried Branch, encouragingly. You'll find her, Lew. She will be just as young in your eyes, and you in hers. Say! Why not be married at my house? It's a real romance. I must tell my wife

"I remember Mrs. Branch and your wedding. It's splendid of you to be so kind, Sam. Maybe we'll take up that offer.'

about it."

"Dear! Dear! my wedding! Lew, you didn't know, of course. I lost Anna within a year. Never thought to find anyone to take her place, but



start for lunch.

"Don't try to condole," he pursued, hastily closing his desk, as Wix began a sympathizing stammer. "It's always wise to repair a loss, and I'm happy with things as they are. Talk about something else. I've dealt in

A few minutes later he called ur his house. His bookkeeper listened to the steady voice.

"That you, Jennie? Louis Compton, the friend I had with me, can't lunch with us, so I will not be home until dinner. I got a bite downtown. Sorry you didn't meet Lou, but he couldn't wait over. Get it? Say! Some years ago you had a cousin killed by the cars; a railroad man was asking me. What was his name? Hart? Silas Hart? Thanks! Good-by!"

He turned from the instrument, wip lambs. He describes at some length ing the beads from his forehead. "It's tough for poor Lew," he M. Carnochan, in Rockland county, breathed, "but if Silas hadn't been in New York. that accident, I wouldn't be telephon-

TENANTS IN THE DEMIJOHN.

Old Lady Will Not Use It for Her Sas-

ing my second wife."

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safras Beer. Workmen while digging in the refuse under a wagon house at Newton farm, Merion square, found a five-gallon demijohn, once filled with rye whisky. The demijohn probably had been there for years. The basket work about it was crumbling away. John Clemmers, one of the workmen,

"Old Mrs. Summers, over on the pike, has been wanting a demijohn," and he took it over to her.

The house dog appeared to take great interest in the demijohn, upset- when the lamb crop is turned off. One ting it, and sticking his paw in the of these is in January, at which time neck. Then he drew out his paw the October and November born lambs again and barked.

A green and black spotted snake April about Easter, when the lambs wriggled out of the demijohn and be- that are born in January and February gan to twist about joyously in the are ready for market. heat of the stove. Mrs. Summers jumped upon a table and screamed. ber and November born lambs com-Another snake and another followed mand from \$10 to \$15 per head. the first one, until, Clemmer says, he against \$3 to \$6 they would bring in Already the farmer is becoming the counted twenty-seven. With the dog's help he killed them all.

Mrs. Summers declines to use the bottle for her sassafras beer.

He Wanted "Sistom."

At a certain coal mine down in New Mexico the Superintendent was greatly annoyed from time to time by employes moving into and out of the company's houses without due notification of their frequent changes of cessfully. There are drawbacks and domicile. It became quite impossible to keep the rent accounts straight on the office books, and finally the superintendent, in his exasperation, resolved upon stringent measures. He therefore posted the following notice, on every farm during the fall, winter which is given verbatim-orthography, syntax and all: "february the 11th.

"Notice to all employes aney Person or Persons that Moves into A house Without My Consent such as hay or straw, in conjunction shall be Put out Without anney Cemmony.

"Dam it I Must and Will have some Sistom. Hen Filster.' (Signed.) -Los Anegles Times.

A Minister's Story.

Being the son of a clergyman, I have some remembrances of ministerial stories told in my youth. Among them was one of a divine who preached in the city of Portsmouth, and who one summer, with his family, went to a little village on the coast of Maine to spend his vacation.

Finding there an unused, dilapidated church, he thought perhaps he skim milk and grain adjuncts; others could do some good by holding services therein. He obtained consent, low the calves to suckle their mothand his meetings were fully attended. ers. One of the most noted Shorthorn In the fall the little vessel came for breeders in England follows the prachim and his family, and just as they tice of milking his cows and feeding were leaving he saw a delegation the calves the whole milk, instead of coming hastily over the hill and beck- sucking the calves. This is done for oning to him. Thinking perhaps they the purpose of having his cows breed had some little testimonial for him more regularly, as when he allowed shore, when they handed him a bill for the use of the church. He took of his best cows were very irregular the bill, paid it, and on reaching in their breeding habits, but since home framed it and hung it in his adopting the milking of the cows, this study.—Boston Herald.

Mexico's Growing Prosperity.

Mexico has been steadily growing in prosperity for a quarter of a century, thanks to the establishment of order ly government. No longer is Mexico synonymous with perpetual faction fighting, of the most truculent type Diaz rules and order is maintained steadily, but without recourse to seimported from the United States last year goods valued at \$45,844,720, against \$5,946,839 in 1874.—Boston Transcript.

The Neighbors.

Your neighbor seemed the best of men Why should he own a clucking hen That turns a temper smooth and mild To one extremely warm and wild.

To quarrel about a measly hen; And yet my neighbor seems to feel That I'd do anything but steal.

I don't care who or what he bites—
I know I stand within my rights.
No matter what my neighbors say
I will not send that dog away!
—Cleveland Plain Dealer

Cotton Mill at Shanghai. Shanghai has a new cotton mill

THE MODERN FARMER.

Raising Hot-House Lambs.

winds and rains.

May if not born till along in March.

figures out a possible return of \$1,150

on an investment of \$2,450. It is prob-

able, however, that he has not seen

the inside of the account books of the

farm owner and that only the rosy

side is presented to the public. The

raising of lambs for sale at unusual

times is a profitable one, but it takes

an unusual sheep man to do it suc-

losses that are not met with in the

Feeding the British Calf.

and early spring months. In this man-

the staple food during the summer

season, while some form of roughage,

growth and health, not flesh, are the

only points sought for. This is espe-

cially true of the females, while in

the case of males, more flesh is bene-

ing their calves. Some feed them on

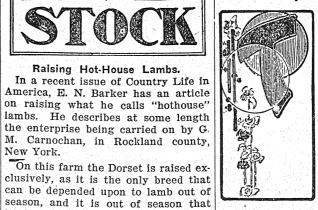
on whole milk, while the majority al-

the calves to suckle the cows, many

Root crops, in some form, are fed

ordinary methods of sheep raising.

How He Lives, as Compared With Fifty Years Ago.



venience. The lonely loghouse, remote from market and devoid of advantages that a half cycle of time has made possible, would scarcely appeal to the present day farmer. The twentiethlambs must come if they are to be century soil tiller has practically all sold at fancy prices. The Dorset is the modern comforts. His mail is deone of the most prolific breeds and livered daily. He has telephonic con-

he farming life of

to-day, as con-

trasted with that

of fifty years ago,

is a paradise of

comfort and con-

the dams produce so much milk that nection with the buying and selling they can easily suckle twins. On the world, affording the best opportunities farm referred to out of twenty-one for marketing to advantage. His ewes lambing twenty produced twins. home is of recent architecture, con-The manager of this farm says that structed of wood, brick or stone, and it is no harder to raise October lambs | well furnished. He has modern plumbthan March lambs. No artificial heat ing and modern heating, and with the is required. Any well built barn is advent of acetylene gas, he has modwarm enough and even a shed will do ern lighting. At night his home is as if it is well protected from the cold attractively illuminated as that of his city brother, for it is a suggestive fact that "acetylene for country homes" There are two times in the year has so appealed to the farmer, that of the 80,000 users of acetylene gas in the United States, the farmer is one of the largest of all classes. Ever are ready to be disposed of, and in

seeking the best, he has not hesitated in availing himself of this new light. The continued growth and progress of this great country, ever a cause of As to prices, it is said that the Octowonderment, has no greater exemplification than evolution on the farm. most envied of men-the freest, the healthiest, the happiest! The writer of the article mentioned

Spain's Iron-Bound Beach. "Everywhere that I have seen it, the coast of Spain is an iron-bound beach with a rough sea breaking," writes a traveler. "Whether on the Atlantic or the Mediterranean shore, whether on the Biscavan or the Andalusian coast, there seems to be ever a heavy surf booming along the Spanish heach. Here on the extreme north there were the same somber mountains that we had once seen when coasting between Gibraltar and Marseilles; here we saw the same stern landscape and the same gaunt cliffs crowned with watch towers, sad-colored like the cliffs and seeming to ner, succulent food is furnished dur-be stony growths out of the rocks ing all seasons of the year. Grass is themselves."

A Fable.

"The dangers of sensational journalwith oats, linseed cake and roots, form | fsm are many," observed the philothe basis of the winter rations. In sophical fly; "and yet it suits the those districts where the climate is taste of some persons to the extent mild, the animals are out of doors a that it becomes a positive appetite great deal during the winter season, with them. Now, there's my brother," while in the north of Scotland the ani- he continued, pointing to a struggling, mals are very closely confined in buzzing unfortunate. "He's so badly warm stables during the cold months stuck on that yellow sheet that he's of winter. A noticeable feature of the all tangled up and doesn't know which feeding of young stock is the fact that | end he's on!"-Cleveland Leader.

Sov Bean Cheese. The municipal laboratory of Paris has been examining the experiments ficial when they are of a salable age. made by Dr. Vogel, who has manufac-The breeders of beef cattle practice tured a very succulent cheese from the somewhat different methods of rear- small Chinese beans known as "soy beans." The doctor finds that the pulp of these beans contains many of the caseine qualities, and that the resulting composition is both nourishing and pleasant to the taste.

GREAT CHANGE

From Change in Food.

The brain depends much more on the stomach than we are apt to suppose until we take thought in the matter. Feed the stomach on proper food easy to digest and containing the proper amount of phosphates and the difficulty has been overcome. In all healthy brain will respond to all departs of the country there is a distinct mands. A notable housewife in Bufline drawn between the methods of falo writes:

> "The doctor diagnosed my trouble as a 'nervous affection of the stomach.' I was actually so nervous that I could not sit still for five minutes to read the newspaper, and to attend to my household duties was simply impossible. I doctored all the time with remedies, but medicine did no

> "My physician put me on all sorts cereal foods, but none of them agreed and when I tried Grape-Nuts I did so

> "But it did succeed, and you don't ed in weight and I don't have that terrible burning sensation in my stomach any more. I feel so strong again that I am surprised at myself. The street noises that used to irritate me so, I never notice now, and my mind is so clear that my household duties are a real pleasure.'

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason.

Now why was this great change made in this woman? The stomach and the brain had not

been supplied with the right kind of food to rebuild and strengthen the nerve centers in these organs. It is absolute folly to try to do this with medicine. There is but one sure way and that is to quit the old food that breeders we want strong pigs with has failed and take on Grape-Nuts good constitutions. The weakling is food which is more than half digested good for neither the one nor the in the process of manufacture and is other. The weak pig naturally has rich in the phosphate of potash cona weak digestion, and the weak ditained in the natural grain, which unites with albumen and water-the only three substances that will make up the soft gray filling in the thousands of delicate nerve centres in the brain and body. Grape-Nuts food is a into a pig with vigorous digestive sure road back to health in all such cases.

RAILROADS AND PROGRESS.

In his testimony before the senate committee on interstate commerce at Washington on May 4, Prof. Hugo R. Meyer of the Chicago university, an expert on railroad management, made this statement:

"Let us look at what might have happened if we had heeded the protests of the farmers of New York and Ohio and Pennsylvania (in the 70's, when grain from the west began pouring to the Atlantic seaboard). and acted upon the doctrine which the interstate commerce commission has enunciated time and again, that no man may be deprived of the advantages accruing to him by virtue of his geographical position. We could not have west of the Mississippi a population of millions of people who are prosperous and are great consumers. We never should have seen the years when we built 10,000 and 12,000 miles of railway, for there would have been no farmers west of the Mississippi river who could have used the land that would have been opened up by the building of those railways. And if we had not seen the years when we could build 10,000 and 12,000 miles of railway a year, we should not have to-day east of the Mississippi a steel and iron producing center, which is at once the marvel and the despair of Europe, because we could not have built up a steel and iron industry if there had been no market for its product.

We could not have in New England a great boot and shoe industry; we could not have in New England a great cotton milling industry; we could not have spread throughout New York and Pennsylvania and Ohio manufacturing industries of the most diversified kinds, because those industries would have no market among the farmers west of the Mississippi

river. And while the progress of this country, while the development of the agricultural west of this country, did mean the impairment of the agricultural value east of the Mississippi river, that ran up into hundreds of millions of dollars, it meant incidentally the building up of great manufacturing industries that added to the value of this land by thousands of millions of dollars. And, gentlemen, those things were not foreseen in the '70's. The statesmen and the public men of this country did not see what part the agricultural development of the west was going to play in the industrial development of the east. And you may read the decisions of the interstate commerce commission from the first to the last, and what is one of the greatest characteristics of those decisions? The continued inability to see the question in this large way.

The interstate commerce commis-

sion never can see anything more than that the farm land of some farmer is decreasing in value, or that some man who has a flour mill with a production of fifty barrels a day is being crowded out. It never can see that the destruction or impairment of farm values in this place means the building up of farm values in that place, and that that shifting of values is a necessary incident to the industrial and manufacturing development of this country. And if we shall give to the interstate commerce commission power to regulate rates, we shall no longer have our rates regulated on the statesmanlike basis on which they have been regulated in the past by the railway men, who really have been great statesmen, who really have been great builders of empires, who have had an imagination that rivals the imagination of the greatest poet and of the greatest inventor, and who have operated with a courage and daring that rivals the courage and daring of the greatest military general. But we shall have our rates regulated by a body of civil servants, bureaucrats, whose besetting sin the world over is that they never can grasp a situation in a large way and with the grasp of the statesman; that they never can see the fact that they are confronted with a small evil: that that evil is relatively small, and that it cannot be corrected except by the creation of evils and abuses which are infinitely greater than the one that is to be corrected."

Danger in Painted Toys. Do not buy painted wooden toys for the children. During our early years of life we closely resemble the lower animals in bringing everything to the test of taste. The writer distinctly remembers trying to swallow marking ink. Some toy manufacturers state that the colors they use are harmless. Well, without being unkind, one may say that the insides of the little children can very well dispense with paint. White wood is capital. It cannot poison.

Clean House To-day,

Don't wait till to-morrow, but clean house to-day, with Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. Of course we mean your house of flesh and boneyour body. This is the best house you own, and should get the most care. Yet most people neglect it in a dreadful manner. As a result, stomach, liver and bowels soon get out of order, and cause great pain, distress and dangerous internal diseases. The only safe, sure cure is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It clears out all causes of sickness, cures constipation and indigestion, cleans house, and makes you well. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Cure for Consumption.

A six months' tour by bullock in South Africa is the latest cure for consumption, as advertised by a London doctor. Your own milch cow accompanies you, the pace is only two miles an hour, there are frequent outspans, and vegetables, butter, butcher's meat, fowls and eggs are easily obtainable, it is said. The total cost is only \$525.

"I'm tickled to death to find you."

've not regretted my second step. No sweeter woman ever lived. About four years ago I ran across her, and t took ten months to get her consent. Poor, too, and I had everything to give her. Come, you're hungry. Let's

> Branch was a man of expedients, and one to allay suspicion.

your way. Shake hands, Sam, fo luck. I feel sort of lost in this great "Tis hard to keep your temper when You hear your neighbor's clucking he Upon the fence, and know that she Amid your flower beds soon will be. city, but I'll reach you at your office "Sure!" answered Branch, absently pressing the extended fingers. "Good

It seems a shame for Christian men

I spoke to him about his hen—
I'll never speak to him again.
He seemed to get so very wild—
He claimed my dog had bit his child

owned by a native Chinese company, with a mandarin as president. The mill has 40,000 spindles, and the cotton used is of Chinese growth. The help numbers 2,000, all women and

Decreased Consumption of Wool in Great Britain.

feeding animals for breeding purposes

and those in vogue for fattening pur-

W. J. Kennedy.

poses.

According to the figures of an expert statistician, there is a great verity. As the people have no revo- shrinkage in the consumption of wool good. lutions to divert their time from busi- in Great Britain. The average per capness, trade and commerce steadily in- ita since 1890 was as follows: 1890 of diet, and I tried many kinds of crease. In twenty years imports have to 1894, 16.35 pounds; 1895 to 1899. risen from \$20,000,000 to \$75,000,000, 17.13 pounds; 1900 to 1904, 15.73 with me. I was almost discouraged, and the exports from \$7,000,000 to pounds. The alleged cause is disas-\$43,000,000. Of the foreign trade of trous drouths in Australia greatly in with many misgivings—I had no faith Mexico the bulk is with the United creasing the price of wool. While that it would succeed where every-States. Mexican exports to this countries the consumption declined from 524, thing else had failed. try which were \$4,346,364 thirty years 600,000 pounds in 1900 to 466,900,000 ago, were \$43,633,720 in 1904. Mexico pounds in 1904, the estimated con-know how glad I am that I tried it. sumption of shoddy increased from I feel like a new person, I have gain-| 130,000,000 pounds in 1900 to 180,000,-000 nounds in 1904.

> The consumption of home grown wool has steadily declined year by year, with only two breaks since 1870, when it amounted to 150,100,000 pounds. The consumption of foreign wool increased year by year, during the same period, with only one break, from 191,200,000 pounds in 1870 to 423.400,000 pounds in 1901. Since then it has steadily declined. It is predicted there will be an even greater consumption of shoddy, and inevitably less consumption of wool in 1905 than in 1904.—Frank W. Mahin, Consul, Nottingham, England.

Strong Pigs.

Whether we raise pigs for pork or for gestion means that when he is four or five months old he will begin to fail to properly digest his food, and the food we do put into him will give us less pounds of pork than if put nowers.



RESTORED TO HEALTH. THANKS TO PE-RU-NA.

Friends Were Alarmed— Advised Change of Climate.

Miss Mildred Keller, 718 13th street,

N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I can safely recommend Peruna for catarrh. I had it for years and it would respond to no kind of treatment, or if it did it was only temporary, and on the slightest provocation the trouble would

"I was in such a state that my friends were alarmed about me, and I Then I tried Peruna, and to my great joy found it helped me from the first dose I took, and a few bottles cured me.

"It built up my constitution, I regained my appetite, and I feel that I am perfectly well and strong."-

We have on file many thousand testimonials like the above. We can give our readers only a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements Dr. Hartman is receiving.

Only Half a Baby.

A man who has recently traveled in Ireland says that in a poor little cottage of two rooms he saw a married couple and seven children. Hearing a baby cry, he asked to see it, and the long-delayed answering thrust explained that he took an interest in babies, having one at home. The infant was produced for inspection, and the mother asked, proudly: "Is yours as big as that, sir?" To which he replied. "I think it is a little bigger." Instantly the instincts of the mother were roused, and, tossing her head, she said, "So well it might be; that's only half of ours; the other half is with God. We had twins.'

Gigantic Lily.

A gigantic lily, the phormium tenax, is a valuable plant peculiar to New Zealand. Its leaves are nine or ten feet long, and are so tough that, by splitting one into narrow ribbons and joining the ends, the New Zealander has a first-class rope ready to hand.

KNEES STIFF, HANDS HELPLESS. RHEUMATISM NEAR HEART.

Mrs. Van Scoy Experiences Dangerous After-Effects from Grip and Learns Value of a Blood Remedy.

The grip leaves behind it weakened vital powers, thin blood, impaired digestion and over-sensitive nerves-a condition that makes the system an easy prey to pneumonia, bronchitis, rheumatism, nervous prostration, and even con-

the grip is substantially the same. One was tortured by terrible pains at the base of the skull; another was left tired. faint and in every way wretched from anæmia or scantiness of blood; another had horrible headaches, was nervous and couldn't sleep; another was left with weak lungs, difficulty in breathing and acute Leuralgia. In every case relief was sought in vain until the great bloodbuilder and nerve-tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, was used. For quickness and thoroughness of action nothing is known that will approach it.

Mrs. Van Scoy makes a statement that supports this claim. She says:

'I had a severe attack of grip and, before I had fully recovered, rheumatism set in and tormented me for three months. I was in a badly run-down state. Soon after it began I was so lame for a week that I could hardly walk. It kept growing steadily worse and at last I had to give up completely and for three weeks I was obliged to keep my bed. My knees were so stiff I couldn't bend them, and my hands were perfectly helpless. Then the pains began to threaten my heart and thoroughly alarmed me.

"While I was suffering in this way I chanced to run across a little book that told about the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The statements in it impressed me and led me to buy a box. These pills proved the very thing I needed. Improvement set in as soon as I began to take them, and it was very marked by the time I had finished the first box. Four boxes made me a well woman."

Mrs. Laura M. Van Scoy lives at No. of the guard-hall at Kernsberg, that 20 Thorpe street, Danbury, Conn. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are equally well Werner von Orseln. adapted for any other of the diseases that follow in the train of grip. They are sold by all druggists.



JAN OF SWID

S.R. CROCKETT, Author of "The Raiders, &c

ward thrust of their friends Still the

ring narrowed, and the pair of gallant

fighters would doubtlessly have been

swept away had not a diversion come

Out of the gate which led to the

wing of the palace occupied by the

Princess Margaret burst a little com-

pany of halberdiers, at sight of whom

the crowd gave suddenly back The

"Take all prisoners, and bring them

within," she cried. "My brother is

from home, or you dare not thus brawl

And at her words the soldiers ad-

vanced rapidly. A further diversion

was caused by the Sparhawk sudden-

ly cleaving a way through the crowd

and setting off at full speed in the

The Princess and her guard were

left with only the secretary and the

unconscious body of the Prince of

"Sirrah," she cried severely to the

former, "is this the first use you make

street underneath my very windows

with our noble guest the Prince Ivan?

lord's return. We shall see what the

own apartments and let a surgeon be

an hour before he had met the brother

before he heard the quick step of the

Princess coming along the passage

"So," she said, as soon as the door

was shut, "you have killed Prince

"I trust not," said the secretary,

gravely; "I meant only to wound him.

But as he attacked me I could not do

"Tut," cried the Princess, "I hope

you have killed him. It will be good

riddance, and most like the Muscovites

will send an army-which, with your

Plassenburg to help us, will make a

pretty fight. It serves him right, at

all events, for Prince Wasp must al-

ways be thrusting his sting into hon-

"The laws are strict against duel-

ing," she continued. "The Prince Ivan"

is in high favor with my elder brother.

and it will be well that you are seen

no more in Courtland-for the pres

ent, that is. But in a little the Prince

Wasp will die or he will recover. In

either case the affair will blow over

Then you will come back to teach me

She smiled and held out her hand

Johann kissed it, perhaps without the

ly favored by the fairest and spright

"To-night," she went on, "there wil

trust. A ladder of rope will be thrown

scend, and with a good horse and a

Sword Hand that her sister the Prin-

She went to the door, and with her

fingers on the handle she turned her

expression. "I am so glad you stung

At seven it grew dark, and at ten

all was quiet in the city. The river

rushed swiftly beneath, and the noise

of it, as the water lapped against the

stone foundations of the summer pal-

ace, helped to disguise the noise of

oars, as the boat a dark shadow upon

grevish water, detached itself from

the opposite shore and approached the

window from whose open casement

A low whistle came from under-

neath, and presently followed the soft

reeving whisk of a coil of rope as it

passed through the window and fell at

his feet. The secretary looked about

for something to fasten it to, and final-

ly decided upon the iron unrights of

the great desk at which the Prince

No sooner was this done than Jo

hann set his foot on the top round and

began to descend. The boat seemed

very far away, a mere spot of black-

But presently, and while making up

his mind to practice the gymnastic of

rope ladders quietly at home, he made

out a man holding the ladder, while

kept the boat steady fore and aft.

two others with grappled boat hooks

A shrouded figure sat in the stern

The secretary was handed from one

to the other of the rowers till he

reached the shrouded figure in the

"Draw this about you, Count," a low

voice whispered, and in another mo-

ment Johann found himself under the

shelter of one cloak with that daring

slip of nobility, the Princess Margaret

They touched the shore almost at

landed in the morning when he es-

found the horses waiting, ready ca-

So soon as he had distinguished the

parisoned for the journey.

of Courtland.

Johann Pyrmont looked out.

had stood earlier in the day.

ness upon the river face.

cess Margaret, send you to her."

more foreign customs."

liest of princesses.

otherwise than defend myself."

So, merely detailing half a dozen to

direction of the river.

Muscovy.

sent to him."

wav.

est folk.

in the very precincts of the palace!"

Princess herself was with them.

to alter the face of things.

CHAPTER VIII.

Prince Wasp.

"So." he said, as he faced the secretary, now somewhat compositely styled, Johann, Count von Leon, "so young springald, you think to court a coolish princess. You play upon her with your pretty words and graceful compliments. That is an agreeable elaxation. Only-you have in addiion to reckon with me, Ivan, hereditary Prince of Muscovy."

And with a sweep of his hand across his body he drew his sword from its sheath. The sword of the young secretary

came into hand with equal swiftness. "Follow me, Count von Loen," said the prince.

And with his lithe and springy walk the Prince of Muscovy passed again into the alleys of the rose garden till ne reached the first open space, where he turned upon the secretary.

"We are arrived," he said, "our business is so pressing, and will be so quickly finished, that there is no need or the formality of seconds. Though honor you by crossing my sword with yours, it is a mere formality. have such skill of the weapon, as I dare say report has told you, that you may consider yourself dead already. Guard!"

But Johann Pyrmont had been trained in a school which permitted no such windy preludes, and with the fencer's smile on his face he kept his silence. His sword would anwas advised to leave this climate. swer all such boastings, and that in good time.

And so it fell out.

From the very first crossing of the swords Prince Wasp found himself opposed by a quicker eye, a firmer wrist, a method and science infinitely superior to his own. His most dashing attack was repelled with apparent ease, yet with a subtlety which interposed nothing but the most delicate of guards and parries between Prince Ivan and victory. This gradually infuriated the prince, till suddenly los ing his temper he stamped his foot in anger and rushed upon his foe with the true Muscovite fire.

But lo! the blade was turned aside glittered out, and the secretary's sword stood a couple of hand-breadths in the boaster's shoulder.

The prince staggered, cried out some unintelligible words in the Muscovite language, and pitched forward slowly on his face among the trampled leaves and blown rose-petals of the palace garden.

wont, and ran to lift his fallen enemy But, all unseen, other eyes had watched the combat, and from the door by which they had entered, and from behind the trees of the surrounding glade, there came the noise of pounding footsteps and fierce cries of "Seize him! Kill him! Tear him to fervor which might have been expectpieces! He has slain the good prince, ed from a brisk young man thus highthe friend of the people! . The Prince

Ivan is dead!" The secretary eyed this unkempt norde with haughty scorn, and his be a boat beneath that window. It fearless attitude, as he striped his will be manned by those whom I can stained sword through his handkerchief and threw the linen away, had to your casement. By it you will desomething to do with the fact that the rabble halted at the distance of half sufficient escort you can ride either a dozen yards and for many minutes to Plassenburg-or to Kernsberg, contented themselves with hurling which is nearer, and tell Joan of the

oaths and imprecations at him. At last they did come on, not all together, but in irregular, undisciplined rushes. Johann's sword streaked out this way and that. There was an head about with a pretty, vixenish answering cry of pain, a turmoil among the assailants as a wounded the Wasp. I love you for it!" she The story told by scores of victims of man whirled his way backward out of said. he press. But this could not last or long. The odds were too great. Then suddenly came a voice: "Back, on your lives, dogs and traitors! Ger



The prince staggered. mans to the rescue! Danes, Teuts

Northmen to the rescue!" Following the direction of the sound, Johann saw a young man drive stern. through the press, his sword bare in his hand, his eyes glittering with excitement. It was the Danish prisoner same Sparhawk who had fought with

The secretary placed himself back to back with his ally, and their two oright blades waved every way. A second time the courage of the

crowd worked itself up, and they came on. Those before would have gladly fallen behind but could not for the foron the crest of the hill. "Good-bye! For the present, good-

bye, dear Princess," said Johann, with heart in his voice. "God knows, I can never thank or repay you. My heart is heavy for that. I am unworthy of all your goodness."

from the boat the Sparhawk appeared

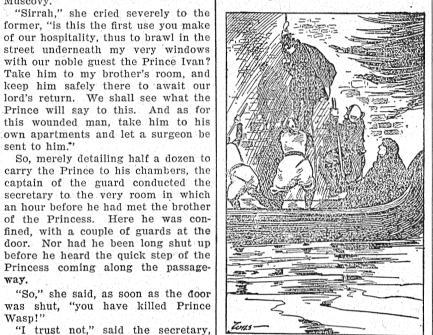
"Let there be no talk of parting except for the moment," she said. "Go, you are my knight. Perhaps one day, if you do not forget me, I may be yet far kinder to you!"

And with a kiss and a little sob the Princess sent her lover, more and more downcast and discouraged by reason of her kindness, upon his way. So much did his obvious depression affect Margaret of Courtland that after the secretary had reached the top of the river bank, she suddenly bade the rowers wait a moment before casting loose from the land.

"Your sword! Your sword!" she called aloud, risking any listener in her eagerness; "you have forgotten your sword!"

Now it chanced that the Sparhawk had come up with the little party of travelers.

"Do not trouble, I will bring the sword," he said to Johann, with his usual impetuosity, and without a mo-



Found himself swaying over the dark water.

ment's hesitation he flung himself down the bank. The Princess had leaped nimbly ashore, and was standing with the sheathed sword in her hand

When she saw the figure come bounding towards her down the pebbly bank she gave a little cry, and, dropping the scabbard, she threw her arms impulsively about the Sparhawk's neck.

"I could not let you go like thatwithout ever telling you that I loved you-really, I mean," she whispered. while the youth stood petrified with astonishment, without sound or motion. "I will marry none but youneither Prince Ivan nor another. A lest he despise her; but a princess may, because the man dare not tel'

"And what said you?" asked the secretary of his companion, as they rode together through the night out on their road to Kernsberg. "Why, I said nothing-speech was

not needed," quoth the Dane coolly. "She kissed you?"

The Dane shrugged his shoulders in

the dark. "Well, I take what the gods send," he replied. "She was a pretty girl, and her Princess-ship made no difference in her kissing, so far as I could Lady Duchess; but if a Princess loves the polecat, and they often have a me, by the way, why, I am ready to in- run together in the fields around my dulge her to the limit of her desires!" "You are an accommodating youth." sighed the secretary, and forthwith returned to his own melancholy

(To be continued.)

Business Is Business. A story is told of a man in Arkanmen, was also the proprietor of the best hotel in the place.

that the town might be made a good deal healthier if a certain large old. swamp near by were drained.

"W-a-ll," drawled the politician and hotel man, "all my boarders says the same thing. In my persition as president of the board of aldermen I'd premises in Upper Thames street on shorely advocate the improvement in Monday night was extinguished the a minute ef it warn't for my son."

"Why," exclaimed the easterner in surprise, "why should your son object?" "W-a-ll, stranger," replied the Ar-

kansas man, "he runs the drug sto-"." -From Harper's Weekly. The Coffee He Smuggled In.

Some years ago a deputy collector of Uncle Sam's held an office down on the northern border of Maine. Late one fall, after a busy season keeping tabs on the smugglers, the deputy received a call from one of the boys around town, who informed him "on the quiet" that a certain man living some ten miles back in the country smuggled in 160 pounds of coffee the night before.

Tired as he was, the deputy hitched up his team, and arrived at the farmer's place just before dark. The deputy told him what he had heard, and the place where the Sparhawk had the farmer admitted that he still had possession of the goods. Inviting him caped from the city rabble, and a into the house, the farmer introduced stone's throw further up the bank they the deputy to his wife, whom he had married in Canada the day before. Her maiden name was Coffee, and she weighed 160 pounds

Noiseless Warfare. Noiseless Warfare.

(A Russian scientist claims the discovery of a noiseless powder.)
They drew their noiseless cannon up
To face the noiseless fray,
The general's noiseless order rang
Along that vast array.
A puff of smokeless smoke arose,
A cloud concealed the sun;
Then flashed a wireless telegram—
The battle was begun!

There came a noiseless earthquake shock That shook the hills in twain;
A deafening hell of noiseless sound
Went roaring o'er the plain
As troopers raised their noiseless shout
And dashed into the fight In purest Muscovite.

In silence turned the Russian flank

And stood in noiseless fear,
They threw their noiseless rifles down
And bolted for the rear.
Then in a thankless, hopeless mood
They grabbed their hats and beat
A noiseless smokeless wireless ss. smokeless

And breahless quick retreat.

—Walter Irwin, in the New York Globe.

Numbering the Hairs. The number of individual hairs that cover the human scalp is greatly a matter of speculation; but it is supposed to vary according to the thickness and color of the hair. A wellknown authority estimates that redhaired people possess the fewest, and rash all over his body, and he would places the average number at thirty scratch till the blood ran. We tried thousand. Black-haired persons, on nearly everything, but he grew worse, the other hand, are said to run into wasting to a skeleton, and we feared one hundred thousand; while the fair- he would die. He slept only when haired have the largest number of all in our arms. The first application of -namely, one hundred and fifty-thou- Cuticura soothed him so that he slept sand. These figures should form a in his cradle for the first time in many valuable index to those people whose weeks. One set of Cuticura made a hair is on the down grade. An ex- somplete and permanent cure. cessive falling off could be reckoned (Signed) Mrs. M. C. Maitland, Jasper, at from 100 upwards, and by counting the number of hairs they lose each day some idea might be formed as to how long they are likely to be before quite as honest. they are overtaken with total baldness. Hairs which fall out, however. are not always a "total loss." They often grow again from the root.-Montreal Herald.

Youthful Financiers. Two budding Rockefellers have been unearthed by the police in the north of Europe. These worthies, aged 12 and 14, have in a single day made 9,000 per cent on the capital of a penny. Obtaining entrance with this sum to a lavatory, Number One removed his nether garments. These were pawned by Number Two for a florin (50 cents). With the capital thus brought into the business he bought a watch on the installment system. A loan of 10 shillings (\$2.50) was now floated with the aid of the watch at a second pawnbroker's. He returned to pawnbroker A and took "out" the trousers which were then resumed by Financier One-and the two divided between them the 8 shillings (\$2) minus the working expenses. friction on boot leathers, etc. Allowing for Sundays and short holidays for the directors on the Riveria, the woman should not tell a man that, company's annual profits at this rate would be nearly 3,000,000 per cent.

> The Rats and the Polecats. The remarkable case of a ferret and

wild rabbit living together in peace recorded in the Manchester Guardian reminds a naturalist correspondent of another queer happy family. "I had a wild polecat (obtained young) reared for the purpose of crossing with one of my ferrets. One day I put two young rats into the polecat's run, thinking she would devour them. She did nothing of the kind. One the contrary, she allowed them to suckle her and carefully reared them. One of the rats died; the othsee. I serve you to the death, my er is now a constant companion of house, and always come home together and sleep in the same 'bunk'."

Youngster Had Much Fun.

Cyrus Knight caused a great deal of disturbance among the people of Great Barrington, Vt., one night last week by imitating the fire whistle. He accomplished the trick by his own lung sas town who, in addition to his being power aided by a phonograph horn, president of the local board of alder- and the imitation was so perfect that people left stores and residences to find out where the fire was. He sound-It appears that a visitor from the ed no particular number, which added east one day remarked to this man greatly to the perplexity of the situation. Cyrus is, of course, a 10-year-

> Burned Clock Still Ticked. When the disastrous fire which broke out at Messrs. W. & C. Pantin's firemen found a clock hanging on the wall and still ticking.

> The woodwork of the ceiling and the wall on which it was hanging was burned to cinder. Even the case of the clock had been burned away. The smoke begrimed works, however, never stopped.-London Express.

Egg Service.

The members of a place of worship at Overton, near Wrexham, England, have hit upon a novel idea for raising a sum of money to carry out certain structural improvements. It was decided to have an egg service, and the congregation was invited to bring as many as possible. Over 1,000, which were placed in and around the nulnit were brought, and readily sold, realize ing a substantial sum.

Caught Diamond While Fishing. William Reese of West Scranton was fishing along Broadhead creek vesterday when he saw something sparkling at the bottom. It proved to be a diamond ring, and it was to-day valued by an expert at \$150. Reese supposes that some fisherman lost it. -Wilkesbarre, Pa., dispatch.

CHARACTER TOLD BY SHOES.

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able business man, with a clear head, a trustworthy official or an excellent wife and mother. If the sole is worn on the outside, the wearer is inclined to adventurous, uncertain, fitful deeds, or, if a woman, to bold, self-willed, capricious tricks.

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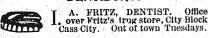
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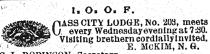
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West Greenleaf

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones visited

at Albert Price's last Sunday. Hugh Watson had a plowing bee last

Friday and it was largely attended. Wm. LeePla gave a dance last Frilay evening and it was well attended. Willie Dennis, of Cass City, called on his brother, Robert Dennis, last

Mrs. Will Souden is visiting her sis ter, Mrs. Burt Strickland, for a few

William Birdsall and Chas. Graham of Holbrook, were business callers in Cass City one day last week.

Willie Cuddie, who has been staying at Sim Bardwell's, returned to hi home in Sheridan last Sunday.

M. Hiltz returned home one day last week from Sanilac Centre but he ex-

pects to return in a couple of weeks'. When doctors fail try Burdock Blood

invigorates the whole system,

Bad Axe

Miss Glenn Willsey spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Pigeon. Miss Maude Kelley, of Port Austin, s the guest of the Misses Ryan this

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Clark, of Filion, are spending the week with friends in

Some of the young people enjoyed a little hop in Firemens' Hall Friday evening.

Miss Gertrude Stewart returned Thursday from a visit with friends in

Miss Julia and Gertrude Ryan entertained "The Thirteen" Saturday night and a good time was enjoyed by

The Bay View Reading Circle closed this season's study with a Japanese Tea given at the residence af Dr. Har-

rington, Monday evening. Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric

Oil, the household remedy.

Shabbona

Geo. Washburn made a trip to Burn-

side last Saturday. The M. E. Sabbath school is prepar ing to have Children's Day exercises. J. Nickels is entertaining his daugh-

ter and son-in-law from Pennsylvania. Miss Victoria Hyatt is sewing for half-past five Thursday, June 1st. Mrs. McCaughna, of Novesta, this

A little daughter came to cheer the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Will Phette place Monday, 22nd inst.

Geo. McCallum, pastor of the M. E Church, lost an overcoat Saturday, the 13th inst. The finder will kindly

notify Mr. McCallum of the fact. The electric storm of last Wednes-

day did considerable damage to the school house. Had school been in progress life doubtless had been lost.

The infant child of Nelson Smith, of Argyle, was buried in the Evergreen cemetery Sunday afternoon. Funeral service was held in the L. D. S. church.

Saved By Dynamite.

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T Gray, of Ca'houn, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and fin-ally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis', Kingston, price 50c and \$1 00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Novesta? Corners.

Drier weather but rather cold. Willie Hicks is seriously ill with oneumonia.

Wm. H. Crawford has his new tool house completed.

Clarence Russell is the proud owner of a new carriage.

Some corn will be planted this week f the weather stays fair.

Cecil Collins is improving under the care of Dr. M. M. Wickware. Miss Della Egerton, of Twining, is

spending some time with her aunt. Mrs. Amy Gekeler. A big time at the boxing contest last Saturday night. Some pretty hard

cuffs were exchanged. are spending a few days visiting old friends and neighbors at Kingston.

and Sunday. Stop! Don't take imitiation celery teas when you ask for Celery King. Celery King is a medicine of great value. The

are bought cheap. Never jeopardize your health in a bad cause. Celery King only costs you 25 cents and it never disap-Greenleat.

"teas" are urged upon you because they

Mrs. N. McLeod is visiting at Cass

Duncan McCall left for the west last

Little Lizzie Sinclair is very ill with

typhoid pneumonia. Mrs. B. Reel, of Sanilac Centre, is

risiting at A. Powell's. Chas. Boomhower treated his friends to a dance Friday night. A good time

is reported. Gladys and Glenn Duffield, of Rescue, were visitors at their uncle's, Chas. Boomhower, Friday and Satur-

A dance was held at Ed. Trathen's Wednesday evening. During the evenng a bicycle was raffled off, John Simpkins being the winner.

Harold Matthews, who has been suffering with abscesses of the head, is improving nicely under the care of Wickware Tuesday. Drs. Hayes and Wickware, of Cass

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Karr's Corners.

Lots of "wet."

Dorus Butler is seriously ill. Selah Butler was a caller at Geo. Cass City Sunday.

Karr's Friday. Dan Karr and family visited at Geo Karr's Sunday.

Hermon Charter spent Sunday with Alex, and Neil Marshall.

Jno. Lemunyon's Sunday.

Lizzie Butler spent the last with relatives in Cass City. A dancing party was held at Geo.

Davenport's Friday evening. A number from here attended the funeral of H. A. Gifford at Gagetown

Thomas Crosby, of Pinpont, Scotand, is working for J. F. Copland this

Mayme Marshall, who has been em-

Some of our people made a fishing

were rather scarce. The Woman's Home Missionary So-

eiety meets at Mrs. A. E. Boulton's Friday of this week.

Mrs. Robert Spurgeon will entertain the Bethel M. E. Ladies' Aid to tea at were called here by the death of their

Walter Mark, Jr., and family and Miss Grace Karr were the guests of tended the funeral of their uncle, H. Naaman Karr, of Kingston, Sunday.

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Kingston.

Bay Port.

N. H. Wells drove to Gagetown Tues

Some of our town people took in the excursion to Saginaw Sunday.

A. P. Burroughs, of Bad Axe, has put a new piano in Wm. Riley's house. sionary Society May 19th. Ice cream Mrs. M. H. Tanner and Mrs. Wm. and cake, was a part of the program. Kniesel, of Bay City, drove to Pigeon

opening up June 15th. Hospital, has located at Bay Port. circle of friends.

where he intends to reside for the sea

Mr. and Mrs. D. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. J. Marks, of Cass City, were visiting their brother, M. H. Tanner, last

Died, at his home, east and south of Bay Port, Martin Noon, Tuesday, May ed for the north woods Monday. 16th, aged sixty-five years. He leaves a wife and two children.

Howard G. Wells, of Minden City, formerly of this place, has suffered a very severe attack of appendicitis. As soon as he is able to travel he will be had lost their baby. home with his parents and undergo an operation. Howard has just recently been married. His friends wish him a

speedy recovery.

In raising the big barn on the Wm. Wallace farm Tuesday, Wm. Ruby, a Mrs. Warren Churchill and sister young man of this place, was struck and knocked senseless by the breaking of the guy line on a gin pole let-Miss Ruby Randall, of Kingston, and ting the gin pole fall on an iron bar he Miss Maggie Moshier, of Wilmot, visit- was using, the only thing that saved ed Mrs. Warren Churchill Saturday his life. He was picked up for dead but when the doctor arrived it was found his collar bone was broken, and a few other bruises let him off easy.

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Wickware.

Mark Bond called on John McPhail Sunday evening. Chas. D. Striffler did business in this

vicinity Tuesday. Mrs. M. Sheridan and her son, Roy, of Cass City, passed through Wick-

ware Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond visited at

Mrs. Bigelow's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nicol and family visited at Stuart Nicols' Sun-

Wm. Gracey and Myrtle Brown visited at Joe Brown's, west of Cass City, Sunday.

Cassie, of Argyle, passed through Lorn Brown and Adam Henry, of Cass City, attended church in Wick-

Miss Myrtle Wickware and Miss Ethel Gibins called on Mrs. Wm. Bennett Sunday afternoon.

ware Sunday evening.

The Misses Flora McPhail and Ella Nichols, of Cass City, visited their Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore and Mrs.

hrough Wickware Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cridland and family visited at the latter's parental home, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis, at

Hot Weather Piles, Persons afflicted with Piles should be care

ful at this season of the year. Hot weather and bad drinking water contribute to the conditions which make Piles more Jas. Masters, of Cumber, visited at painful and dangerous. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stops the pain, draws out the soreness and cures. Get the genuine, bearing the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Elmwood. W. W. Hargrave, who has been quite

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Karr, of Caro, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Il, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Dean attended ployed at Kalamazoo, has returned to the funeral of H. A. Gifford, at Gagetown, May 21st.

Clare Turner had a severe attack of trip to Pigeon Saturday but the fish | fnflammation of the tongue last week, but is improving. .

Mrs. John Fournier, of Brookfield, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Compton, last week.

uncle, H. A. Gifford. Paul and Belle Gage, of Detroit, at-

Mr. and Mrs. G. Zwerk, of Saginaw,

A. Gifford, at Gagetown. Clin Compton and his sister, Miss Zella, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hunkins and

Mrs. Patrick Toohey spent last week

at Watrousville, where she is receiving medical treatment from Dr. Handy. Mrs. Geo. Miles, of East Jordan, is spending a few days with her sisters,

Alfred Hargrave, who has been visiting his parents and other friends here, returned to his home at Lake Gogebic,

Mrs. Gifford, Mrs. Gage and Miss Net-

Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ward very pleasantly entertained the Ladies' Mis

In the death of Postmaster Gifford, of Gagetown, Elmwood township has The Bay Port Hotel is undergoing a lost one of its most highly esteemed thorough cleaning, preparatory to citizens. The bereaved wife, aged parents and numerous other relatives, Dr. Yule, of Saginaw, St. Mary's have the sincere sympathy of a large

Wilmot.

Abe Graves returned to the north woods Tuesday.

Mrs. Laura Legg is entertaining

friends from Caro this week. Wm. Penfold and Johnie Sole start

Marshall Mapley spent Sunday with his parents here returning to Pontiac

David Franklin has received word

that his son, Geo., living at Dryden On account of so much rain the

farmers are backward getting in their crops in this locality. Floyd Hawkins has a new top buggy

and he and Mrs. Altha Clemmons were

Mayville visitors Sunday. The S. S. convention which was held here last Sunday was well attended, the church being crowded at all three

School closes on Friday and on Saturday the teachers and scholars will have a picnic in the woods near the

Mrs. Geo. Allen is down at White Creek helping to care for a young grandson which arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stevens one day this week. Mrs. N. Hartt, who has very poor

health and has been at Marlette the

past winter, is now visiting her chil-

dren here, Frank and Ed. N. Hartt and Mrs. A. P. Jeffery. The Gleaners have been raising the roof of their building which they purchased from Mrs. Miniger and are fitting the upstairs for a ball. Lodge was held there last night for the first. The Gleaners were notified Tuesday that they were entitled to second prize

Their prize is an organ.

in the contest that has been going on

Strictly Genuine. Most of the patent medicine testimonials are probably genuine. The following notice recently appeared in the Atchinson (Kans.) Globe: "Joe Tack, a well known engineer, running on the Missouri Pacific between Wichita and Klowa, lately appeared in a big one, with a picture and when he was in this office today we asked him about it. He says he had terrific pains in his stomach, and thought Mrs. N. McPhail and her daughter, he had cancer. His druggist recommended Kodol and he says it cured him. He recommended it to others, who were also cured. "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and cures all stomach troubles, Sold by L. I. Wood & Co., Cass

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SOCIALISM.

article the principles of Socialism will article owing to lack of room for anybe ushered in when the majority of thing further this time. voters vote into power the Socialist party, thus placing under their absoand judicial departments. Without proceeding in this way, any attempt of the model he working people to place in public ownership the great machinery of production and distribution could but re- ent doctors and several medicines, but sult in a bloody revolution, because, got no benefit, until I began to use Elecas is now the case, with the capitalist class in control of the functions of government, they, through the legislative, have laws, making any such a move illegal, and the executive, in control of the military, backing the enforcement of these mandates. So we see that the only sane method is to work through the medium of the political party, and when once in power, to legislate in such a manner as Miss Cayenne. "I have observed that make legal the taking over of these Algernon never proposes to anybody ndustries, in order that they may be used in the interests of the working class instead as now being used simply to make profits for capitalists.

Whether this transition takes either long or short time depends not wholly on the agitation of Socialists, Little Girl-Ah, how you naughty men but largely on the rapidity with which do flatter us poor, weak women! the wealth of the country is centralized within the next few years. We see evidences on every hand that indicate the rate of this rapidity, and it is that destroys a man's memory assure us, that, the capitalist system | completely. Green-What is it? Alcoof production and distribution is nearing its climax, and that it is passing under inhering forces that in time will Woman's Work, That's Never Done destroy it, and that what we, as Socialists, are aiming at is as inevitable to find what you want. Second Shopas that day follows night, yet we be- per-Yes, especially when you don't lieve that through a well-organized know what it is.-Judge. political movement it can be brought many years sooner, and also more peacibly than if left to the processes

of industrial evolution. Socialist party as being different from the others are, first, the proposed leavple the power to institute and also settle, by direct vote, any and all BANNER SALVE, questions of vital importance, rather than leaving them to be settled by delegates who are naturally subjected to influences and bribes as is now the case. The Socialist party has adopted this referendum principle and operates it absolutely in its own workings even now. For example, not even the national platform can be adopted or changed without a majority endorsement by the full membership. Nor could any other important business be transacted without the same process. Many of us know, to our sorrow, of the fate of previous reform measures, intended for the benefit of the working people, solely on account of the absence of this referendum principle The Populist, movement for instance, which, a few years ago swelled to enormous proportions, and showed every indication of capturing the country, and was, by the delegate sys tem, represented, (or misrepresented rather,) in a convention at St. Louis where a fusion with the Democrats was agreed upon, which of course resulted in immediate death. This could not have occurred if the question had been left to a referendum vote, and consequently the Socialist party is immune from any such fate. We are also so perfectly organized that every member carries with him a certificate of membership, showing his right to a vote on party questions. This certifi cate must be renewed every month on

port financially. Furthermore, as has been many times proven, the people who finance a movement always control it, so every precaution has been taken to keep power in the hands of the people, even to paying the expenses of their own liberation. Another feature provides for the 1mmediate recall, of office holders, by their constituents and of this and other features we will speak in next

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hol or tobacco? Brown-Neither; it's doing him a favor. First Shopper-Sometimes it is hard

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CASS CITY ENTERPRISE. NEWS OF

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MICHIGAN

Undoubtedly the Russians think Dyama and Nogi should have been chloroformed at sixty.

The German Postoffice Department delivers an 11-pound package anywhere in Germany for 12 cents. "Effete OVER FOUR MILLIONS OF DOL-Europe" is in some respects not so

By Cape Horn the distance between New York and San Francisco is about 14,840 miles. The Panama Canal will reduce this to something less than

The tramps would all be for Rooserelt if he would only amend his "giveevery-man-a-square-deal" doctrine by changing "deal" to "meal," the Pathfinder jocularly remarks.

A darning machine, one which will in ten minutes cover a hole that an industrious woman could hardly fill in an hour, is a recently invented piece of labor-saving apparatus. Needle-less state and municipal government. to say, it will encounter no opposition from the American housewives' union.

An English doctor says the taking of ginger in the form of essence or strong tincture is a growing form of inebriety in both England and America. It is the result of "weary brains pletely ruins the stomach and gives no relief to the brain.

It is reported that in the last quarwere killed on American railways-an A national commission, which should as valuable as one empowered to revise freight rates.

else great, rich, free and brave universities; they need a body of opinion the Philadelphia Ledger,

of the heavy laden farmer could be Shore & Michigan Southern. to quite an extent relieved by the children taking an active interest in the affairs of the farm. This can be own to raise and care for, to make a use the profits as they see fit-a calf,

dren dead from excessive rope-skipregard to stair-climbing, its practice in called out again to disperse them. moderation has been recommended by one of the nation's most distinguished specialists as beneficial to the heart. Since the elevator came, habits of this sioners last week has borne fruit. The kind have undergone an enforced change, making more dangerous than before, in all who are past their youth, mediate bouncing of the commissionthe hasty rush up an "L" stairway ers. A majority of the house stand for a train.

Western styles of wrestling, jiu-jitsu signally fails to justify the claims made by its press agents, declares the New York World. Not long ago a West Point cadet threw a jiu-jitsu wrestler the head with a beer bottle. over his head and fractured the Jap's collar-bone. In a match at New York an American catch-as-catch-can wrestler won from his Japanese opponent in menced July 1 and will be 360x100 feet straight falls. A man expert in jiu- in size and 90 feet high. so can any other wrestler. To be effective the tricks of the jiu-jitsu systhe part of the opponent. And as for be heavy. ita effectiveness in rough-and-tumble fighting, there is probably a great deal American plan of swinging straight for the jaw before the other man has time to close in

THE AD VALOREM LAW IS VALID AND THE RAIL-ROADS MUST PAY TAXES.

LARS MUST BE PAID IN-TO STATE TREASURY.

DECISION IS SURPRISING AND EX-CEPTS ONLY A GRAND TRUNK DIVISION.

By an opinion handed down by Judge George P. Wanty, in the United States court this afternoon, the state of Michigan wins a sweeping victory over the twenty-eight railway companies which opposed in the courts the collection of taxes under the ad valorem act of 1901. Only one road, the Grand Trunk is excepted in tr : decision, and the exception is made under an old territorial act of 1834.

In mere money value up to date the cases involved \$4,400,000 and the precedent that is involved affects the railways of the whole country and every

It was the claim of the railways that the ad valorem act was in violation of the fourteenth amendment of the federal constitution, and that they were being discriminated against because the general property of the state, under the general tax law, was undervalued.

In his opinion Judge Wanty places a negative answer to each and all of these principal claims of the railways. and a disordered stomach." It com- He gives negative answers to these questions even in the case of the Grand Trunk, but the Grand Trunk-or as it is given in the individual case, the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee-defense is also made on the basis of an act passed in 1834. It appears, acter of 1904 a total of 14,978 persons cording to the judge's finding, that the present Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee company is a successor of the average of nearly five thousand a old Detroit & Pontiac Railway commonth, states the Boston Transcript. | pany, and that it succeeds therefore to the old act, by which the tax assessment is limited to an amount not in discover how better to conserve the excess of 1 per cent of its capital asset of human life, would be at least stock. The court finds in this regard that the ad valorem act of 1901 does not impair the old act and the injunc-

tion against the auditor-general prayed

for in the Grand Trunk bill is granted.

The cases will probably be carried Americans need more than anything to the United States supreme court. The following are the roads that took part in the fight to break the ad valorem tax law: Michigan Central; which is above and beyond the influ- Detroit & Mackinac; Chicago & Northence of vulgar and ill-gotten wealth; western; Toledo, Saginaw & Muskegoing to hang himself when discovere by the police. He lost both legs in Air Line Co.; Grand Trunk Western; wreck last year, and is despondent. and the danger now is that they per-mit the men in universities to be so Mackinaw; Chicago, Detroit & Canorly paid that inferior men will fail ada; Grand Trunk; Munising; Lake Superior & Ishpeming; Marquette & 20 perform the functions which the Southeastern; Chicago, Milwaukee & scholar is created to perform, thinks St. Paul; Sault Ste. Marie Bridge Co.; Mineral Range; Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic; Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee: Pere Marquette: Pontiac. Very often the parents and children Oxford & Northern; Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie; Gogebic & on the farm could combine and work | Montreal River; Manistee & Northtogether for the welfare of all, admon- eastern; Copper Range; Escanaba & ishes the Tribune-Farmer. The burden Lake Superior; Grand Rapids & Indiana; Wisconsin & Michigan, and Lake

Mobbed Motorman. Conductor Harry Doolan and Motorman Frank Beebe, of Clay avenue car brought about in no better way than No. 105, had to fight for their lives on by giving them something of their Sunday afternoon in Detroit, to save themselves from being lynched by a crowd infuriated at the car having success or failure according to their run over and killed little Marvin own interest and effort, to count and Feldman, the 4-year-old son of Max J. Feldman. Things assumed an ugly colt. litter of pigs, flock of hens, plot that the conductor had made some of ground or whatever would be most brutal remark about the people of the neighborhood, and the cry was raised, Lynch him." The conductor seized the switch bar and the motorman the Two women dead from the exertion controller and they kept the crowd at of climbing "L" stairs, and two chil- bay until a patrol wagon with a load to pick up the little boy's cap. The of policemen arrived in response to a riot call. The motorman got the oing. The human heart is a patient worst of it, his lip being cut by a and long-suffering organ, comments knife thrown at him, according to some of the spectators and some of the New York Evening World, but its his teeth knocked out. Later in the protest against over use, when made, day the crowd gathered in the street is final, and there is no appeal. With to wreak their vengeance on the car crew and the patrol wagon had to be

New Tax Commission.

The attack of Rep. Benton, of Wayne, on the present tax commis-Lovell bill provides that the commission is to remain as it is until March. 1906, but Benton argued for the imwith Benton on this proposition, and Lovell is now willing to consent to an amendment that the governor shall When put to a practical test against appoint immediately the three commissioners who are to be substituted for the existing board of five.

> Ely Olgren now faces a murder charge, as Oscar Saari, of Painesdale, is dead from the effects of a blow on

A \$600,000 chemical plant is to be established in Bay City, 27 acres of land on the river front having been selected for the site. The building will be com-

The street railway employes of Bay jitsu can easily master one who is not City, at the instigation of National expert in any form of wrestling, but Union officers, have asked for an increase of pay from 19 and 21 cents an hour to 23 cents an hour all round. The company will probably refuse, as tem evidently presuppose clumsiness on the expenses for paving this year will

Notices have been posted to announce to the students of the university that the tuition fee will be inyet to be said in favor of the good old creased in the professional departments to \$10 per year. As there is no surplus money, and expenses are constantly increasing, this has been deemed advisable, and will add \$25,-000 to the funds of the treasury.

BRIEF STATE NEWS

Because one clerk of Durand kept no cash book it has been decided to audit the village books.

The Kalamazoo river has risen two feet since Sunday and 20 houses on the east side of the city are surrounded by water.

The Northern Lumber Co., owning 20,000 acres of land and capitalized at \$300,000, will be one of the big industries up north with headquarters at Marquette.

Two hours before a house on one of A. B. Cullen's farms in Richfield was burned to the ground from a de fective chimney, the insurance policy of \$500 on it, went into effect.

Although local Seventh Day Adventists will have nothing to say in regard to the matter, it is rumored the general conference in session in Wash ington is contemplating further transfers.

In the case of Glen Morse, of Owosso, vs. the Grand Trunk railway, to recover damages for the death of his ittle son, struck by a Grand Trunk train a year ago, the jury rendered a verdict for \$4,500.

Muskegon is to have a new indusry never before attempted anywhere else. A saw mill will be built to take care of the driftwood along the shore and a launch will patrol the section to pick up the wood.

James Monk, a 17-year-old youth who has been working in a Saginaw mill, has been complaining of ear ache and dizziness, caused by the noises in the mill, and has finally become violently insane.

Secretary E. C. Cotton, of the Y. M. C. A. at Battle Creek, has tendered his go will enter now on the most wide resignation. He took up the work here spread strike of teamsters in its hiswhen the association was practically tory, involving before the week is broken up, and now it owns a build-ended 10,000 additional drivers and reng valued at \$60,000.

By the death of a bachelor uncle in California, B. L. Prior and Mrs. Harvey Doolittle, of Tekonsha, receive \$10,000 each. The estate was valued at \$400,000, and was divided between 40 nephews and nieces.

It is estimated the cost of the new artillery equipment will amount to decision to continue the strike, and \$15,000. New khaki uniforms have been spread it to all teaming industries in \$15,000. New khaki uniforms have been ordered for the national guard, which are to be ready for them before the encampment at Ludington.

morning and robbed the sleeping pas- ulations of the employers were agreed sengers of their valuables. One hobo has been arrested on suspicion. Harvey, the 14-year-old son of a Leelanau county farmer, was fatally shot while pushing off in a boat with

a double-barreled shotgun, which was discharged. He nearly bled to death before he could get to assistance. George Rice, of Battle Creek, crippled street car employe, tied a strap to a beam in the barn and was going to hang himself when discovered

By pouring gasoline, which she sup- handle the trouble without aid from posed to be kerosene, on the fire, Mrs. the military. As soon as the strike Ed. Sargent, of Fenton, was frightfully spreads, I will be compelled to ask burned. Neighbors extinguished the the governor of the state for aid. flames, but her recovery is not be- have done all that I am able to do and lieved to be possible. She is 27 years the prospect now is that the thing will old.

Parties in Battle Creek are engaged fice.' in a novel but profitable industry. is the shipping of water cress to Chicago, Detroit, Cincinnati, Toledo and Buffalo. Battle Creek promises to be as noted for cress as Kalamazoo is for celery.

The protest of a large number of Muskegon business men for a better federal building than that proposed in the contract let for \$48,350, has resulted in the canceling of the old contract and the awarding of a new one for \$54,731.

Robert McDonald, aged 45 years, while fishing in the river with a seine. at St. Johns, stepped into a hole and was drowned. His two sons and a neighbor, who were with him, witaspect. The story had got around nessed the disaster, but were unable to rescue him.

Lutie Gordon, aged 22, of Chase, with her babe in her arms and her little brother by her side, was struck by a Pere Marquette freight engine and instantly killed. She had stopped baby was slightly injured.

The fact that Mrs. Mary Stockdale, late of Flint, saw fit to leave her estate of \$300,000 to charitable institutions instead of to her heirs-at-law is

rulings of the inheritance law. In the libel case of the Pentwater Land and Improvement Co. vs. Rev. W. F. Jamieson, of Hart, for an attack made on the transactions of the company, the jury disagreed. The utterances of the minister attracted general attention throughout the state, and the company claimed their busi-

cember and closed his visit with a dinner party which wound up in a grand as low as 80 cents. carousal, during which time he was afterward told he had been married Rouch, a widow aged 47. He is now asking for a divorce from her.

ness had been injured.

Mrs. Rose Recktenwald Wilson and her four children, of Kalamazoo, left Snyder, Okla., the day before the cy-

Henry Wells, of San Francisco mous Loomis gun. A feature of the ness. reunion was the returning by Homer and was killed while defending the guns. Henry Norrington was elected president of the battery for the ensu-

One does not advance far who treads many paths.

ing year.

LABOR WAR IN CHICAGO TO BE RESUMED ON A LARGER SCALE.

PLANS FOR PEACE WRECKED BY REFUSAL TO REINSTATE EXPRESS MEN

FEARS OF WILD SCENES OF DIS-ORDER WILL CAUSE A CALL FOR TROOPS.

WHAT THE CHICAGO STRIKE HAS COST

Cost to county, etra deputies \$24,80 Drop in business due to strike:

 Retail
 \$2,250,000

 Wholesale
 \$1,769,000

 Express companies
 \$1,250,000

 Hotels and restaurants
 \$100,000

 Commission firms
 \$2,250,000

 Railroads
 \$1,500,000

Total\$8,479,350

Instead of peaceful conditions so confidently predicted Saturday, Chicasulting in disorders which Sheriff Barrett believes will make necessary the early calling out of state troops. The sudden change from probable peace to declared war came at the meeting Saturday night of the teamsters' joint council, where the proposed peace terms were discussed from 8 o'clock until nearly midnight, with the final support of the express drivers. peace negotiations were declared off and the teamsters determined to push Five men boarded a Pacific express the strike agressively, continuing it unon the Michigan Central at a little statil the express companies agreed to tion east of Albion at 2 o'clock in the take back their drivers. All other stipto, but the peace program was cast aside rather than leave the express

the allied teaming organizations. Sheriff Barrett said after being in formed of the action of the teamsters' joint council: "It simply means that the troops will have to be called. have found it difficult to maintain the peace with the force of police and deputies we have had, and now that there is a prospect of so much greater a body of men being on strike, with by the police. He lost both legs in a all the chances of rioting that entails, it will be out of the question for us to go away beyond the powers of my of-

Nan to Give Up Booze.

Nan Patterson has returned to New York to begin "the new life" of which she had prated so eloquently while in her cell in the Tombs prison. She began her chastened existence

by visiting Broadway restaurants in an Nan's chaperon was her sister, Mrs Harriet C. Lowell, who had written in letters taken from Mrs. Morgan Smith's trunk in Cincinnati: God's sake keep Morgan Smith away

from New York. It is with Hurtig & Seaman and other business agents that Nan Patterson has signed contracts containing most unusual stipulations. They are in the nature of pledges of her good be

havior for a year. She has agreed over her own signa ture not to drink any intoxicating liquors for one year, not to visit any saloons or cafes where liquor is sold during this period, and never to appear upon the public streets without a chaperon.

Philadelphians Furious.

The most infamous steal in the his tory of any municipality in the world responsible for the loss of \$15,000 to was perpetrated in Philadelphia by the the state of Michigan through the city councils voting to the United Gas Improvement Co. a 75-year lease of the

city gas works. The franchise is worth hundreds of mililons of dollars. For it the city gets \$25,000,000. This is taken on the coun cil plea that the city "needs the money." Under this lease the city pays \$1 for gas for 10 years. It originally provided for 90-cent gas the remaining 65 years, and the only result of the terrific public clamor against the steal Robert Mount, of Niles, went to his was an amendment providing a gradold home at Lockport, N. Y., last De- ed price by which in the latter years of the franchise the city will get gas

English labor leaders are organizing while intoxicated to Mrs. Hattie a "Coxey's army," to march to London and make a demonstration for the unemployed bill. John Burns opposes the scheme.

More sleep for schoolboys was ad vocated by Dr. Dyke Acland in an adclone that wrecked the village. As it dress before the convention of the was they were caught in a tornado Parents' National Educational union and were obliged to take refuge in a in London. Eight hours was the minifarm house, from where they saw mum for adults and from nine and a many things flying through the air, half to ten for school boys, unless they just being out of the edge of the wanted to court insomnia and serious nervous diseases, declared the doctor. Two hundred thousand meat work

crossed the continent to meet his old ers of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters army comrades at Coldwater at the and Butcher Workmen of America, in-Loomis battery reunion, held Wednes- stead of striking to fight the meat day. A fund of \$100 was raised for a trust, will be assessed to raise \$50,000. tablet in Military park, next to the fa- 000 to drive the combine out of busi-Sir Gilbert Parker's strange asser-

Brooks, a Confederate soldier, the tion that he saw the "astral body" of sword he took from the body of Lieut. Sir Carne Rasch in the house of com-Van Pelt, who commanded the battery mons while the latter was ill at his home, has been corroborated by Sir Arthur Haytor, who says he not only saw it but called the attention of Sir remarked that he "hoped Sir Carne's lillness wasn't catching."

Two weeks more of legislative work. That is the way Speaker Master and President Pro Tem. Glasgow, of the senate, figured it out after a conference. This will bring the cessation of business June 2, and the final adjournment June 9, the additional week being for the speaker, the lieutenant-gover-

nor and the governor to sign bills. The state printer is far behind in his work, but Speaker Master says an arrangement will be made to provide additional help in the printing office. Committees of both house and senate are still choked up with bills, and there is a wild scramble among members and senators to secure reports and action on pet measures. But it will be no great inconvenience to the public if several hundred of these measures are left to slumber in pigeon-noles.

The primary hill, such as it is, will be cleared out of the way this week. and the senate will dispose of the liberalized Holmes automobile bill. house committee on liquor traffic will report no more measures, and very few iquor bills will find their way on the statute books. The Hudson local option liquor bill is practically dead.

Senator Mills introduced a bill increasing the state board of agriculture by adding one new member, who shall

come from the upper peninsula. The Duncan bill providing for the parently authentic news, for the reainspection of swinging scaffolds was killed in committee of the whole. All have been most positive. It is believed. after the enacting clause was stricken however, that on the advice of his out.

Senator Kane introduced a bill which extends the time in which claims for sheep killed by dogs in viltinued activity might result in. That lages and townships can be collected Mr. Hay, while improved in health, is from one to three years.

cis's bill incorporating the village of Belleville, in Van Buren township, Wayne county. The Senate passed Senator Hayden's amendment giving the railroad commission power to order electric rail-

ways to erect fences along their right mediate effect. Theodore J. Wool, representing the Jamestown, Va., tri-centennial exposition of 1907, made a lengthy appeal yesterday to Gov. Warner and a large

number of legislators for an appropria-

tion by Michigan for state representa-

tion at the exposition. The senate under suspension of the rules passed a bill introduced by Senator Linsley authorizing the state board of agriculture to grant a site to drivers to a lone fight, unsupported by | the United States government on the grounds of the Agricultural College, on which to erect a postoffice and weath-

er observatory. Representative Baillie's bill, which would enable the city of Saginaw to compromise the payment of delinquent city taxes by persons whose land is on the delinquent list, in full payment for the return of their property, was passed by the senate by a vote of 22 to 8 on third reading.

port the Baird primary bill with the situation in which he is placed. He recommendation that it be passed. A few amendments were made, but not a word was said about the feature requiring candidates for governor and lieutenant-governor to receive a plurality and at least 40 per cent of the votes cast to be the nominees. It was understood well enough that the senate would not recede from the position it had taken on that feature and useless discussion was avoided. The principal change was to give more time for canvassing boards to make their returns between times of electing delegates and holding conventions. by providing that all state convenions shall be held within 60 days after the second Tuesday in June, stead of seven days after the third Tuesday in June, as passed by the senate. The conventions are to be called on or before the first day of July, instead of the first day of June, as the senate provided.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Former Archduke Leopold, a brother of ex-Crown Princess Louise of Saxony, has become a private in the Swiss army. He is known as Herr Woelfing.

John D. Rockefeller has given \$1 000 in "tainted money" to aid an evangelistic movement just begun in New York, and nobody has yet raised a howl over it.

The skeleton of a girl, laden with

lable cure for asthma" to Abraham Tschanz, a wealthy Amish farmer, on Sugar creek, Wayne county, O., and two hours after taking a dose Tschanz was dead. A posse is now chasing the peddler .

Anti-race suicide has so impressed the ommon council of intellectual Boston that a resolution has been adopted condemning discrimination by landlords against families with children, and asking the legislature to take some action in the matter. A novel innovation has been made

by the Union Pacific railroad. A phreoligist has been engaged to examine the heads of all the clerks in the offices, with a view to determining their fitness for the various troubles of railroad work. David M. Parry has been re-elected

president of the National Association of Manufacturers, which closed its convention Thursday evening in Atlanta Ga. The convention will meet in New York next year and the associa- near Kalamazoo, in company with her boats to prevent the passage of the tion will be incorporated in New York state. B. T. Skinner was chosen vicepresident from Michigan.

Leo. Fleischman, 17, missing from his New York home for a year, for whom a reward of \$1,000 was offered by his distracted parents, has been discovered serving as a cadet on board be independent.

THE LEGISLATURE. NEWS OF

COMING - MORTON TO RETIRE—ALSO SAID HAY WILL.

NOW WEEPS AND HOWLS IN HIS CELL.

ARE SCATTERED IN THE UNITED STATES

Hay's Retirement.

From a high source it is learned that there will be but two changes in the cabinet within the next few months. John Hay, according to this information; is to retire as secretary of state and Paul Morton as secretary of the navy. In spite of the repeated reports that Mr. Hay would relinquish the state department portfolio, considerable surprise is felt at this latest apson that the denials from his friends physicians he has determined to step out of public life in order to avert by no means a well man, is admitted suspension of the rules Senator Fran- no intimation as to who is likely to erals. succeed him.

Secretary Morton Goes.

It is understood that the report of days. Messrs. Judson and Harmon, special counsel for the government in the Santa Fe rebate case, has been submitted of way and to construct proper farm to the president, and that he has approved it. The report it is said recommendations and the construct proper it is said recommendation. proved it. The report, it is said, recommends that the United States district attorney at Albuquerque, N. M., be directed to lay the facts in the case before the grand jury with a view to the prosecution of officials of the road guilty of rate discrimination. Secretary Morton, having been the traffic manager of the road at the time the rebate is said to have been given to the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., it is assumed that he is one of the officials aimed at. Mr. Morton's retirement from the cabinet, will be July 1, if the course of events does not hasten it.

The house elections committee de- him as a joke, and its possible outcided unanimously, with the exception come a matter of no consequence, of Rep. Speer, who was absent, to re- seemed to realize for the first time the spent the greater part of the day in part of the jail. His lamentations brought scanty sympathy from his fellow prisoners, who jeered at him and constantly urged him to "brace up and die like a man." Several persons called during the day, but Hoch would not talk to them for more than a minute at a time. He walked constantly up and down his cell, heaping maledictions up courts, juries and the police. When he ceased this he would sit down, bury his face in his hands and

Threaten Rockefeller.

A \$50,000 bullet awaits William Rockefeller the minute he steps foot on this property. This threat, in the form of notices crudely printed by hand on brown wrapping paper, has been posted on many trees along the line of the railroad from Bay Pond to Brandon, on the oil king's magnificent estate in the Adirondacks. The warnings bear a sinister significance, in view cf the fact that it was in this region that Orrando P. Dexter, the A \$50,000 bullet awaits William

Will Tie Up Business.

Spreading of the teamsters' strike began promptly Monday, as a result of the refusal of the teamsters' joint of the refusal of the teamsters' joint across the second of the teamsters' joint at \$1.35 per bu.

Beans—May, \$1.65; June, \$1.68; July, 3 cars at \$1.70; October, \$1.55 per bu. The skeleton of a girl, laden with splendid antique gold, emerald and pearl bracelets, necklet and earrings, has been found in the ashes of Pompeii by a peasant.

Church women of the Baptist denomination in Toronto, Kansas, have written to John D. Rockefeller asking that he rebuild their church which was destroyed by a tornado.

An itinerant peddler sold "an infallichle aure for earth provisionally arranged with the employers by President C. P. Shea of the teamsters' union. It will stop the delivery of building material when building is at an unprecedented large volume and it is estimated that the employment of nearly 100,000 men in yards, mills, factories and on construction work will be hung up.

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Barley—Good feeding, 37@46c; fair to choice malting, 46@49c.
Flaxseed—No. 1, \$1 26; No. 1 northways to choose the settlement provisionally arranged with the employers by President C. P. Shea of the teamster's union. It will stop to choose the settlement provisionally arranged with the employers by President C. P. Shea of the teamster's union. It will stop to all the settlement provisionally arranged with the employers by President C. P. Shea of the teamster's union council, Saturday night, to indorse the

George D. Richardson, cashier in the internal revenue office in Milwaukee for 16 years, has committed suicide, and his books are being examined. Dr. J. H. Hollander, who was sent o San Domingo to investigate fiscal conditions, is at Washington conferring with the president. He reports all quiet, and says the officials and neonle seem satisfied with the arrange-

ments made as to the customs. Dr. Osler's attention is called to the case of Henry Conrad, carpenter, of Petersburg, Ind. Henry is 72, but when he went home to dinner Thursday his wife presented him with a pair of twin boys. To the neighbors he gleefully exclaimed: "These two kids give the lie to Osler that a man ain't worth a

continental after he's 60." John Hannon, aged 23, who gives his esidence as New York city, has been she was nicking flowers in the woods. cousin, a boy a year older. The man attempted to choke the little girl, but ning to Vladivostok has ceased, owing her screams and the cries of her to the vigilance of the Japanese. cousin brought assistance and the as-

demanded a bonus from the governor stant attention of a physician. He Henry Campbell-Bannerman, who had the naval receiving ship Franklin, off of the state, considering the triplets refuses religious consolation and Norfolk, Va. He says he ran away to an affliction which should be shared paces his cell constantly, refusing to by the taxpayers.

Tunneling For Detroit.

Actual construction work on the

Michigan Central tunnel under the Detroit river will begin within 90 The entrance to the tunnel on the Detroit side will be at a point between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and the terminus on the Canadian side will be at Sandwich, near L'Assumption Catholic church. There CABINET CHANGES ARE will be two tunnels, running parallel and having a space of either 30 or 35 feet between them. The line of the tunnels will be almost straight across the river Topographically, it is 10 degrees south of east. The length from end to end, including the curves, BLUEBEARD HOCH, CONVICTED, will be two miles, and it will take two and a half years to complete the work, according to Chief Engineer W. S. Kinnear of the Michigan Central, who is in full charge of the tunnel work. HOW CRIMINALS AND DISEASE The cost will be \$7,500,000, including the costly electrical equipment and extensive entrances.

"Gone Board Crazy."

"The state has gone board crazy," said Representative Petitt on the floor of the house in opposition to the bill providing for an examining and registration board for trained nurses. "We have a barber's board and a horseshoer's board and a host of other boards that are just as useless. This board would be only an added expense to the state. I am a member of the public health committee, but I never knew when this bill was reported out.'

Secretary Hay is to leave Bad Nauheim for the United States June

The crossing of two electric wires caused a 300,000 fire in Wilkesbarre. Pa.

Gen. Gomez will probably be nomi-The senate and house passed under by his intimates. There is absolutely nated for president by the Cuban lib-

Dr. Edwin Fisher, Pittsburg, contracted spinal fever from a patient and has slept uninterruptedly for 32

THE MARKETS.

Cattle and hogs have declined since a week ago, and conditions are not favorable for much improvement at this writing. The supply of cattle all week has been greater than the demand, and all grades have suffered to a greater or less extent. In the case of hogs, enormous receipts on Monday, following unfavorable conditions at the close of last week, started values downward, and while there has been some reaction the loss has not yet been regained. Hogs from the west are in good shape, showing good feeding, as they are running about seven pounds heavier than a year ago at this time. Both sheep and lambs are doing better, helped considerably by lighter receipts. Much of the stock now coming forward is shorn. Cattle and hogs have declined since

Hoch Convicted.

Johann Hoch, whose marriages and murders make Bluebeard's record trivial by comparison, was on Saturday afternoon found guilty of wife murder in the first degree, and commended to the hangman. The convicted wife poisoner, who all through his trial seemed to regard the charge against him as a joke, and its possible outcome a matter of no consequence, seemed to realize for the first time the situation in which he is placed. He

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$5 75@6 50; best 1,200 to 1,300 shipping steers, \$5 50@5 75; 900 to 1,000 do, \$5@5 25; best fat cows, \$4 50@4 75; fair to good, \$3 50@3 75; trimmers, \$1 50; best fat heifers, \$5@5 25; medium stock heifers, \$3@3 25; best feeding steers, \$4 25@4 50; best feeding steers, \$4 25@4 50; best yearling steers, \$3 50@3 75; common stockers, \$2 75@3; export bulls, \$4 25@4 50; bologna bulls, \$3 50@3 75; fresh cows, steady; good to extra, \$40@50; fair to good, \$30@40; common, \$20@27. Calves—Tops, \$6 25@6 50; fair to good, \$5 50@6; common, \$4@5 25.

@6 50; fair to good, \$5 50@6; common, \$4@5 25.
Hogs—Mixed and medium, \$5 55@5 60; heavy and pigs, \$5 50@5 55; yorkers, \$5 50@6 60.
Sheep—Best lambs, \$6 70@6 80; fair to good, \$6 50@6 65; culls and common, \$4 50@5 75; mixed sheep, \$4 50@4 75; fair to good, \$4 25@4 50; culls and bucks, \$3@3 50; yearlings, \$5 25@5 75.

Grain, Etc.

100 bags at \$5 70; prime alsike, \$7 50, Timothy seed-Prime spot, 10 bags

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending May 27.

LYCEUM THEATER -- "When We Were 21."
Mat Wed and Sat. Eve. 1 to, 25c. 50c. 75c.

LAFAYETTE THEATRE -- "The Charity Ball."
Mats.-Mon., Wed. and Sat. All seats 25c.
Prices--50c, 3 c, 25c. 15c.
WHITNEY THEATER -- "The Mermaid."
TEMPLE THEATER AND WONDERLAND--Afternoons 2:15, 10c to 25c; Evenings 8:15, 10c to 50.

AVENUE THEATER-- Vaudeville -- Afternoons 15 25, and 50c. Evenings. 25. 35, 50 and 75.

STEAMERS LEAVING DETROIT. DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAV. CO—Foot Wayne St.-For Cleveland daily at 10:30 pm. Mackinac, "Soo" and Chicago, Monday 5 pm; Friday 9:30 am DETROIT & BUFFALO STEAMBOAT CO--Foot of Wayne St--For Buffalo and Eastern points daily 5 pm; Sunday 4 pm. Saturday Excursions \$2.50. b pm; Sunday; pm. Sacurday excursions \$2.50.
White Star Line—Foot of Griswold St. For
Port Huron and way ports daily 2:31 pm. Sun.
9 am. For Toledo, daily 4:31 pm. Sunday 5 pm.

The northern waters of the Sea of identified as the man who assaulted Japan, Tsugaru straits and La Perouse Cecilia Fitzgerald, aged 12 years, while straits are illuminated every night by the searchlights of Japanese torpedo Vladivostok squadron. Blockade run-

Edward Donohue, condemned to die June 10 for the murder in Indiana of Augustus Rinker, of Herrisburg, O., A. N. Northrup of Benton Harbor, is eing the father of triplet boys, has a nervous wreck and requires the con-

SONGS THAT REACHED MEN'S HEARTS

Warmen Warm Warm Warm Warm

"The Blue and the Gray," Written by Francis Miles Finch as a Tribute to Generous Act-"Sherman's March to the Sea."

to rhyming. They tune up their hearts | cumstance giving rise to the writing and lyres, and couplets, sonnets, bal- of the poem been generally known. Inlads—every form of poetic expression | deed, the editor of the Atlantic wrote is made to lend itself to the pen of the to Mr. Finch before publishing the rhymester. Some of these poems inspired by great public events are very incorporate the Tribune dispatch into good and some very bad when subjected to the highest literary test. Some stanza. Mr. Finch tried to do this, of the worst outlive the best. The most jingling rhymes often catch the the poem was published as originally popular fancy, while the lofty note struck by the really great singer is un- stanza: heeded or soon forgotten, says a writer in the Boston Herald.

We have not in all of our American history more thrilling events than some of those which gave rise to many of our war poems, and the circumstances under which some of these songs and poems were written add much to their value and interest. Poetry is usually the child of enthusiasm, but some of our war poetry was born of trial and sorrow.

Of all the songs born of our great civil war, none have appealed alike to the North and the South as have poems written when the smoke of battle had died away, the dead had been buried, the conflict ended and good men and women were trying to unite the triumphant North and the defeated South. The fires of hatred had not ceased to burn when the camp fires died out. Men and women in both the North and the South were counting the cost of the four years' struggraves that it was hard for either party to forgive and forget.

A little band of women in Columwere pouring a few drops of oil on the troubled waters when in the spring of 1867 they decorated the blue and the boys who had worn the "The women of Columbus, Miss., animated by nobler sentiments than are to the memory of the dead. They strewed flowers alike on the graves of the Confederate and the Federal sol-

diers." 'The Blue and the Gray."

It is not to be wondered at that this beautiful incident suggested a poem to one in whom there was the spirit of true poetry. Francis Miles Finch, knew what town or city would be next whose home was in Ithaca, N. Y., read | to fall. the dispatch and was impressed by the fact that the incident indicated that the South was holding out a friendly hand, and that there should be some | North were fastened up inside a highresponse to it. His beautiful poem, The Blue and the Gray," was his own | all officers and 800 in number. Vividpersonal response to this friendly

erture. Mr. Finch, then a lawyer of about 10 years of age, had no poetical aspi- city and release us. Alas, it passed ations, but he felt that he would like to have at least this one poem pubished; therefore he sent it to the Atlantic Monthly in Boston, and it | from the scowls of our guards or by appeared in this magazine in Septemper of the year 1867. The poem made little impression at first, but finally the newspapers began to copy it, and objections to its sentiment began to be heard by soldiers in the North, and there were a number of poetical "re-

Electronological beaution and many many many were three more than the contraction of the Great events always set the poets | might never have arisen had the cir- | tween its troubled lines I saw that poem and asked him if he could not the poem and make it form the first but the result yas unsatisfactory, and written. We are able to give the first

> "By the flow of the inland river, When the fleets of iron have fled, Where the blades of the grave-grass quiver, Asleep are the ranks of the dead; Under the sod and the dew, Walting the judgment day;

Under the one, the Blue, Under the other, the Gray." "Sherman's March to the Sea."

A war song once heard much often er than it has been heard in recent years was "Sherman's March to the Sea." This stirring song was written by S. H. M. Byers, a native of Pennsylvania, but now a resident of Des Moines, Ia. We have from his own pen the following account of how he happened to write this song:

"It was the middle of November. 1864. Sherman's great army, after months of fighting, had captured the city of Atlanta in Georgia. One morning the news was sent about the North that Atlanta had been blown up, and that Sherman, with 65,000 soldiers and many cannon, had cut loose gle, and that cost included so many from his base and was marching, nobody knew where. His soldiers had, in fact, started on that wonderful campaign, toward the ocean which had bus, Miss., did not know that they for its object the cutting in two of the southern confederacy. President Lincoln even did not know at what point by the sea his 'bluecoats' would come graves of the boys who had worn the out, but he had many ships of war sailing up and down the coast watchgray lying in the cemetery near the ing for them, ready to help them and town. The New York Tribune the to give them supplies. These ships next day contained this dispatch: | fired cannon every day and sent up rockets at night to let Sherman's soldiers know they were waiting for many of their sisters, have shown them. In the North many thought themselves impartial in their offerings | Sherman's army was lost in the forests and swamps of Georgia. Not one word of news came from them for weeks. But all this time they were successfully fighting their through forests, across plantations and rivers and marching toward the ocean. Great consternation set in throughout the South, for no one

> "It so happened that the town of Columbia, the capital of South Carolina, many prisoners of war from the walled prison pen. The prisoners were ly I still recall how we prisoners longed and prayed that Sherman's army might pass our way, take the far to our right, forty miles away. We prisoners were allowed no news from Sherman's army. We could only guess overheard remarks that all was going bad with the confederacy.

"Two officers and myself slept in a little cold 'wedge' tent. It was midwinter, and our rations were scarce. Once I persuaded an old negro, who was permitted to come in and sell us a little bread, to bring us some 'news. The poem became the subject of He complied by secreting a copy of newspaper editorials, and there was a the morning paper inside a loaf of rood deal of scathing criticism that bread. It did not tell much; but be-

Sherman's boys were overwhelming everything, and hurrying to the coast. At last I discovered they had taken Savannah.

march formed itself in my mind one the now almost forgotten flexible wire night while I was walking up and garters and sleeveholders. The ring down the prison pen trying to keep which is comparatively inconspicuous from freezing. The idea to celebrate will, by reason of its design, fit any it with a poem came to me; it all one's finger. It carries a setting de seemed so romantic, so picturesque, so signed to afford space for making heroic. When daylight come my two notation of the specific details to be comrades went out beside a little fire executed to prepare out scanty breakfast. I takes the form of an attachment to remained in the tent on our little pile cover the case of your watch, it being of straw, with my old army blanket presumed that some time during the over me, and wrote the song called day you will consult your timepiece 'Sherman's March to the Sea.' Short- and so be confronted with the memo ly I took it out to my comrades, by randum, which is written on a round the fire, and read it to them. A disk fitted to the watch case and car stranger prisoner standing by the fire ried by the stem. These two illus asked me to let him take it to his trations merely represent two recently quarters to copy. I gave it to him patented ideas among the many dozens and in a day or so forgot all about it.

"It happened there was a splendid glee club among the prisoners; they also had violins and flutes. They were allowed to sing every afternoon on the steps of the little prison hospital. They made delightful music for us prisoners, and hundreds of the citi- has just been held, says a Paris spezens besides, crowded on top of the cial to the Kansas City Journal. The walls to hear the Yankees sing. What was my surprise one afternoon to hear A number of young and spry lobsters Major Isett, the leader of the club, each with a number attached to its tell the assembled crowd they were to tail were dropped in the sea. sing a song about Sherman! Greater still my surprise when the words of which so far as known, traveled farmy own poem were being cheered by thest from the starting point, was a thousand voices. The stranger offi- fished up thirteen and one-half miles cer, who had borrowed the poem that away three days later. The lobster morning, turned out to be Lieut. Rock- race was got up with a view to ascerwell. He was a musician and a mem- taining certain questions relating to ber of the club, and had, without my the distance these crustaceans are

noon! and how their unknown author, reports are now vouched for. spite of himself, was dragged up on to the platform, and all of a sudden transformed into a prison hero! The song was now sung daily by everybody in the prison. One day Lieut. Tower, an officer with an artificial leg, was exchanged, and in the hollow of his wooden limb he carried my song to the Union army. There, too, it became the rage, and by the time the war was over simply millions of copies had been printed. Thirteen music houses issued it, all but one without authority, and that one munificently rewarded me by sending me a

\$5 greenback. creted there in a negro cabin. Gen. Then off it went. The big bird was fortunates for whom he was so solic-Sherman himself sent for me and showed his appreciation of the song by giving me a position on his staff. Later he sent me through the lines to Grant and the President, to carry to them and to the country the first news

of his great success in the Carolinas. "This song has the enduring fame of having given its name for all time to the most romantic and brilliant campaign of the civil war-"Sherman March to the Sea."

'Our camp fires shone bright on the That frowned on the river below;
While we stood by our guns in the morn-

ing, And eagerly watched for the foe. When a rider came out from the dark-That hung over mountain and tree, And shouted, 'Boys up, and be ready,' For Sherman will march to the sea.'"

WOOED HIS OWN DAUGHTER.

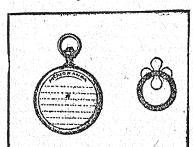
Strange Chain of Circumstances Re ported from Switzerland.

A remarkable affair has occurred at Appenzell, in Switzerland. Nearly twenty years ago a young Swiss commercial traveler named Muller deserted his wife and infant daughter, and emigrated to Mexico, where he succeeded in amassing a considerable fortune. During his absence his wife died, and the little girl was adopted by a farmer of Appenzell, named Schloss. The child assumed the name and to supply a place in the desires of Schloss, and was generally regarded in the district as the farmer's own been able to do. The provision esdaughter. A year ago her father, who | thewing politics and religion and proness in Mexico and returned to Appen. together for the defense of their counbelieved that both his wife and child woes, for the uplifting and betterment his daughter, and, ignorant of her upon them, touched a responsive chord identity, fell in love with her. She is in the heart of every soldier who knew turned wanderer wooed the girl with true to it. her consent, and it was only when $h\varepsilon$ | The plan for the organization of Schloss, that he learned the girl's his and to unite them in departments in tory and recognized that he had won every state, and once a year to meet the hand of his own daughter. Rush in a grand national encampment, ing from the house, he traveled at would insure the perpetuity of their once to Bale, when he wrote to the comradeship, that the post would supfarmer, confessing everything and ply the place of the soldier's regiment,

AID TO POOR MEMORY.

Device That Will Supersede Time-

Honored String. If people persist in forgetting the things they want to do it is not the fault of the horde of inventors, who have furnished innumerable devices for making such lapses of memory inexcusable. You can have this memory prodder attached to your watch chain, to your ring, to your spectacles, or to your watch, itself. The time-honored custom of tying a string around the finger is quite obsolete,



One form of such a device is a ring "A vivid picture of the marvelous formed of wire much after the style of Another such remind of this class that appear during the course of each year.

> Lobster Race the Latest. Learned men of science gravely listened to a lecture in the Paris muse um of natural history this week giv ing the report of a lobster race which contest took place off the Isle of Man.

The winner—that is, the competitor knowledge, written music to my likely to travel within a specified time. It was not ascertained how "How they were cheered that after- many finished, but the truth of the

> Sparrow Stole Feather. was recently exampled at the Phila-

their very audacity was seated be for him. He knows when the end comes side the big bearded vulture in the that he will be laid to rest by the latter's cage. He had already flown members of his post, and that a stone off with one of the downy feathers he had picked up on the floor. It that it will never be reared in a potevidently occurred to him to prefer ter's field, and that each recurring fresh feather. Pursuant to this scheme, he moved up closer and closer, the savage looking bird from Asia paying no attention to him. Its next move was to look covetously at "Shortly I escaped from the prison. the soft breast feathers of its host. It Sherman's army later came to Colum- cose a nice, downy one, stretched up an organization should have been in bia, and when the city fell I was se- and plucked it out with a clever jerk.

Negrito Dice.

too surprised to stir.



by the negritoes in the Philippines. son's remains to Petersburg, Ill., and Instead of dots the marks on the small wooden cubes are incised lines made Rose Hill cemetery with impressive with a knife.

'Aged Man Fond of Exercise. Ira G. Potter of Wilbraham, who has just passed his 90th birthday, has exercised all winter at a pile of fournow sawed and split a full five cords. guage: NOBLE WORK DONE BY G. A. R.

Magnificent Organization Is First Among the Brotherhoods of Men

The destinies of the Grand Army have been presided over by the truest our comrade his whole soul was filled know something about these ingrediand the best. From its very inception the Grand Army of the Republic was destined to a great and noble work, of patriotic men that no other had called himself Ilfelder after leaving viding for the banding together under his native country, sold out his busi the most sacred obligations to work zell. He was informed, and naturally try, for the alleviation of each other's were long since dead. Later he met of each other and those dependent now nearly twenty years old, while he by experience that every man who is forty-one. For four months the re signed such an obligation would be

asked the approval of the farmer posts in every hamlet, town and city, placing \$15,000 to the girl's credit in the convention of the department of a Zurich bank. Nothing more has been the state his corps, and the national neard of him, and the daughter is encampment that of the army to which he belonged.

At the campfires of these meetings he could live over again scenes which were burned into his memory by the heat of battle. He would have a resource in every dilemma that might overtake him through life, and

"When this thought first came to

"My friends, how well he read the future! His grand anticipations are are put into freshly diluted oil of vitmore than realized. The camp fires of Friol and with continual stirring and the Grand Army are burning from in the following proportion," etc. ocean to ocean. Thousands and tens of thousands of his brotherhood of soldiers meet nightly in fraternal greeting. The banner that he so loved is floating stainless and pure in God's bright sunshine, never again to be soiled and torn by traitor's hands.

the consecrated spot where our com-

with the grand conception. Without rest or weariness his every energy baking powder. was devoted to the accomplishment of the grand desire. With a patriotic inspiration he saw clearly the great goal to be attained. He felt that he this solution a product is obtained was erecting an altar upon which the which is alum. Alum is cheap; costs fire of love for the whole Union would about two cents a pound, and baking burn, and burn forever. He saw with powder made with this Mineral-Acid prophetic vision the Star Spangled Banner of the nation—not a confederation of discredited states, but a nation's' banner unfurled to the breeze; and with fancy's ear he heard the tramp of millions of soldiers of the turer of a phosphate powder. The U. Grand Army as they gathered beneath | S. Patent Office Report gives a full it to shield and defend it from every harm.

From this Bone-Acid phosphate baking powders are made; such powders sell from 20 to 30 cents a pound. (3) Cream of Tartar exists in all ripe grapes, and flows with the juice from the press in the manufacture of wine. After the wine is drawn off the "Though not here to witness it, the tartar is scraped from the cask, boilgrand dream of his life has assumed ed with water, and crystals of Cream the proportions of a bright reality. of Tartar, white and very pure, sepa-The note that he struck single-handed rate and are collected. It differs in is illuminating an entire land, and at no respect from the form in which it the last is mingling its radiance over originally existed in the grape. Cream of Tartar, then, while the most expensive, is the only ingredient that should be used in a baking powder to act upon the soda, as its wholesomeness is beyond question. Cream of Tartar baking powders sell at about 40 to 50 cents a pound.

Such are the facts, and every one, careful of the health of the family, should remember this rule:-Baking powders selling from 10 to 25 cents a pound are made of Mineral-Acids; those selling from 20 to 30 cents of Bone-Acid: and those from 40 to 50 cents of Cream of Tartar made from

WORTH REMEMBERING.

There are three entirely different

tinds of ingredients used in making

the three different varieties of baking

powders on the market, viz:-(1) Min-

eral-Acid or Alum, (2) Bone-Acid or

Phosphate, and (3) Cream of Tartar

made from grapes. It is important,

from the standpoint of health, to

ents, and which kind is used in your

(1) Mineral-Acid, or Alum, is made

(2) Bone-Acid, or Phosphate, is the

basis of phosphate baking powders

and the process is fully described in

the patents issued to a large manufac-

and exact description, but the follow-

"Burned bones, after being ground,

from a kind of clay. This is mixed

with diluted oil of vitriol and from

sells from 10 to 25c. a pound.

ing extract is enough:

RICH REWARD FOR SAILORS.

Immense Treasures Captured by Eng-

lish From Spaniards. Sea battles at the present time do not result in such great rewards of prize money as formerly. English sailors in times past have brought great fortunes home after their successful cruises. In the war with Holland, 1651-1654, English ships are said to have taken 1,700 prizes, worth \$30,-000,000. In 1657 the Spaniards loaded British sailors with treasure. They seized two of the Spanish galleons so richly laden with gold and jewels that t took thirty-eight wagons to carry the treasure from Portsmonth to London. In 1761 came the historic capture of the Hermione, the Spanish treasure ship from Lima. The admiral and captains received as their share \$325,000 apiece, the lieutenants \$65,-000, warrant officers about \$29,000, petty officers nearly \$10,000 and even the common seamen \$2,500 each. On arriving at Portsmouth the seamen bought up all the watches in the place and fried them over the galley fire.

Too Much Meat.

Physicians insist that after reaching the age of 40 the majority of men and women eat much more meat than is good for them. This is hard upon those accustomed to eating too much of that staple article of diet, and are fond of it, but it is said that a little self-denial will prove that the effort is worth a trial. Do not stop it all at once-that would be bad for the general health, but gradually reduce the amount, taking care to substitute in its place a good menu, which will produce the necessary amount of suste-

nance.

Languages of Australia. Australia, by its reception of representatives of many lands, has an infinitude of tongues; but your real Australian-born is proud of the fact that parted comrade and friend. Let us among the aborigines—the bushmen not stop here let us by some fitting there are relatively as many languages as there are in India. Many our appreciation of the grand work ac- have a sort of relation to each other, complished by our departed friend by means of which a man mastering one thoroughly would have a sort of key to several.

Back at Work Again.

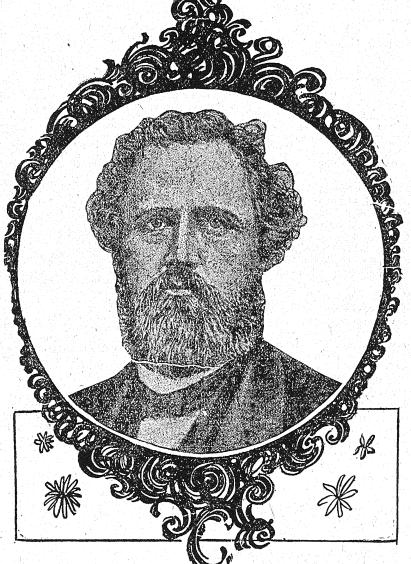
Buffalo, N. Y., May 22nd.—(Special)—Crippled by Kidney Disease till he could not stand on his feet for the hours required at his trade. F. R. McLean, 90 East Ferry St., this city, had to quit work entirely. Now he's back at work again and he does not hesitate to give the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Yes," Mr. McLean says "I was too bad, I had to quit. I could not stand on my feet for the necessary hours. It was Kidney Disease I had, and a preme sacrifice and they reaped the friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidsupreme reward. Theirs it is to be ney Pills. I did so and after using cherished forever in the nation's six boxes am completely cured and am working as steadily as before I And what of the men who march was sick. I recommend Dodd's Pills to-day? Their wavering footsteps, as to any one afflicted with Kidney trou-

There is no form of Kidney Disease they, too, soon will be the recipients. Dodd's Kidney Pills will not cure. not the instruments, of the honors of They always cure Bright's Disease, Memorial day. Their place is secure. the most most advanced and deadly

Fine Walls in Palace.

One room at Tsarkoe, the czar's palace near St. Petersburg, has walls of lapis lazuli and a floor of ebony inlaid with mother-of-pearl. Another has walls of carved amber, and the walls of a third are laid thick with beaten gold.



DR. STEPHENSON. Founder of the Grand Army of the Republic.

to the grave when he was finally musstrongly to them that to-day, forty years after the war, the Grand Army formed will sooner or later meet its

strong.

It has borne upon its rolls more than 300,000 ex-Union soldiers. It has expended thousands of dollars in charity for its members and their families. To the Grand Army of the Republic more than to any other order do the unfor-The impertinence of the sparrow tunate look for aid. If a comrade is sick he sends to his post for sympathy delphia zoological garden. One of and help. If he seeks employment he these birds that win admiration by can rely upon his comrades to vouch will mark his last resting place, and 30th of May flowers will be strewn above the low green mounds where

sleep the loyal dead. It is a curious fact that the genius who was the author of so magnificent his last days one of the very unitous in his halcyon days.

Overtaken by misfortunes and an ill-starred fate, Dr. Stephenson, after years of discouragement, died and was buried at Rock Creek, Menard county, Ill., Aug. 30, 1871, though scarcely at the zenith of his manhood. Aug. 29, 1882, Estill Post 71, G. A. R., Depart-A game of dice called saro is played ment of Illinois, removed Dr. Stephenreinterred them among the soldiers of ceremonies, thus rescuing him from the oblivion of an unmarked grave.

Judge James A. Matheny, of Spring field, in delivering the eulogy at the grave, alluded to Dr. Stephenson's authorship of the Grand Army of the Refoot wood, with the result that he has public in the following eloquent lan-

friends to succor him in sickness and I rade reposes, all unconscious that his misfortune and who would follow him | hour of triumph has come. "The law of compensation pervades tered out. The ritual appealed so all nature. A new thought proclaimed, a good deed done or heroic act per-

of the Republic is many thousands proper reward. It may tarry long; it may linger in its coming, but come it will, with unfailing certainty. In obedience to that law we have come even at this late day to do honor to our detestimonial proclaim to all coming and companion. Let us "Seek no further his merits to disclose; Nor draw his frailties from their dread abode. There they alike in trembling hope re-The bosom of his Father and his God." -Mrs. John A. Logan in Cincinnati

> The highest honor of which they dreamed in life is theirs whose graves are strewn to-day with the flowers of spring. The proud young nation which they helped to save holds them, and will ever hold them in grateful remembrance. They made the su-

Enquirer.

heart. they follow the music of drum and fife, ble." their thinning ranks remind us that The inspiration of their deeds will stage of Kidney Disease. live when their dust has mingled with their comrades' and their very names

Theirs the Memory That Endures.

are forgotten. Ay, the boys of '61 will live forever. The lessons of self-sacrifice, devotion and patriotism which they have taught cannot perish so long as God's sun shines and God's world endures.



What to Get....for Dinner

Is often a problem to the housewife, but it will be a pleasure for us to help solve the problem, from our full line of ...

FRESH CROCERIES

what you want, and at the right price.

SEEDS-Bny Bulk Seeds. We can save you money en them. We carry a complete line, both bulk and package Highest market price paid for butter and eggs.

H. L. HUNT.

Geraniums, Cannas, Salvias, Heliotrope, Marg. Daisies, Begonias,

Etc., at 10c. each or \$1 per doz. Coleus, Ageratum, Silver Leaf Ger., Alysium, etc., 5c. each, 50c. per doz. Aster and Tomato plants, 10c per doz. Cabbage plants, 5c. per doz. Celery plants, 25c. per hundred.

O. A. STOLL

Novesta

Miss Lottie Delong visited her parents on Sunday

Mrs. J. M. Dodge visited friends here on Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. McArthur and fam-

ily visited at Mr. Bayley's on Sunday. ferent parts.

VALUE OF THE SILO.

A Money Maker That the Farmer is Slow to Appreciate.

sota State Dairy association and one of over the rock another layer of fine the most enthusiastic dairymen in his screenings was spread over it. After state, spoke on the "Value of the Silo" receiving several thin coats of this maat the recent Iowa dairy convention. He believes that Iowa farmers need much more instruction in the matter of cheaper feeds and better methods in dairying. The time has gone by when Iowa and Minnesota farms can be operated as they were in the early days. A farmer must raise an abundance of his own feed. Clover and corn fodder can be grown anywhere in Iowa and are splendid rations. There is nearly as much feed in the stalk as in the ear of corn, and the silo is a preservative of both the corn and the ear. It is a money maker for the farmer, although he is slow to see this and still slower to put his money into this device.

To fill Mr. Trow's silo, which is 18 feet in diameter, 32 feet in height and holds 160 tons, the following help is required: One man and four horses to cut the corn, five or six men and teams | England were forbidden by law to play with wagons to haul to cutter, one at cards, even in their own houses, on man to feed the machine and one man Sunday. In the royal proclamation in the silo. Mr. Trow usually fills his against vice, profaneness and immorsilo in about two days with this amount ality, read every session and assize, is of help. He lets it settle and then fin- the following passage: "And we do ishes filling in about ten days.

Mr. Griswold, a prominent farmer our loving subjects, of what degree or near Lacrosse, Wis., was visited by quality soever, from playing on the Mr. Trow recently. He has a farm of Lord's day at dice, cards or any other fifty acres, on which he keeps twenty- game whatsoever, either in public or eight cows and twenty head of young private houses or other places whatsostock and horses. The total revenue ever." from this farm is \$3,000. Mr. Griswold has two silos-one for summer and one for winter-and in recent years has been able to raise the average product of his cows from 242 to 442 pounds of butter per year.

for the silo north and south and plant- genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey an Tar ing about twice as thick as you would and refuse any substitute offered as no for husking on the richest piece of other preparations will give the same ground on your farm. He advises using the same sort of corn you would plant the same sort of corn you would plant and delicate persons. All druggist, of for your ordinary field corn. He says Cass City, F.A. Francis, Kingston. it is not well to begin to fill the sllo when the corn is too green.-Creamery, Journal.

If you have indigestion do not let auother day go past without taking Celery King for it. If Celery King does not cure your indigestion there is no medicine that will. 25c. at druggists.

Length of the Law. The phrase "the length of the law" owes its origin to the enormous length of some of the parchment rolls upon

which the ancient statutes of Great day official title of the "master of the rolls" is a reminder of this ancient custhe English records may be obtained from the fact that a single statute, the land tax commissioners act. passed in the first year of the reign of George IV., measures when unrolled upward of 900 feet!

A TOWN'S ROAD BOOM.

Much Interest In Sample Mile of

Macadam In Arkansas City. The mile of model or object lesson road that has been built by the government's expert road builders in Arkansas City, Kan., is attracting much attention. One of the results of the work has been to interest the town in the movement to such an extent that the council is planning to buy a crusher, with all of the other paraphernalia that goes with it, and a steam roller and go into the road building business itself. Wm. Bayley, Sr., is very sick at this Since the road building began the laborers employed have all been residents of the town. They have acquired a knowledge of the machinery from the experts who are handling it and can run all of the machines that will be

the government's expert. He has been in the business several years, and wher-Miss Etta Keating closed a very suc- ever he builds a model road he studies cessful term at the Quick school on the peculiarities of the climate and the 19th with an entertainment in the other conditions that might have an efevening. Both teacher and pupils de- fect upon the construction and lasting serve much credit for the manner in qualities of a road. In building the which they each performed their dif- road he first graded the site selected down to a subgrade, upon which the other material was to be laid. Then Does your head ache? Celery King will this subgrade was rolled with the twencure headache—not only stop it, but re-move the cause. 25c, at druggists. ty ton steam roller until it was hard. The coarse rock from the crusher, each The coarse rock from the crusher, each piece of stone a little larger than a hen's egg, was put in place, and this was covered with a coating of finer material, also from the crusher.

The work is in charge of D. G. Haire,

During this time the steam roller was A. W. Trow, president of the Minne- kept at work and as often as it passed terial, which had been thoroughly sprin kled and rolled, the road became almost as hard as solid rock. Then the earth on each side of the rock center was graded so that the water from rains would run off. It was also graded so that the wind would not carry off the fine stone.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Sunday Card Playing Laws.

There was a time when people in hereby strictly enjoin and prohibit all

THE ORIGINAL.

Foley & Co. Chicago, originated Hon ey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy of his cows from 242 to 442 pounds of and on account of the great merit and poutter per year.

Mr. Trow recommends planting corn many imitations are offered for the satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It con tains no opiates and is safest for children

Candor.

"Good gracious!" exclaimed the mint sauce, "I should think you'd be ashamed to masquerade as 'spring lamb.'" "Well," replied the roast, "it does make me feel rather sheepish."-Catholic Standard and Times.

There is a Difference. The difference between Kennedy's Laxtive Honey and Tar and all other Cough Syrups is that it moves the bowels. thas expelling a cold from the system This relaxes the nerve-tissues and by its Britain were inscribed. The present healing effect on the throat and lungs the cough is relieved—cured entirely Kennedy's is the original Laxative Horey tom. Some faint idea of the bulk of the English records may be obtained alike for young and old. Tastes good. Sold by L I. Wood, & Co , Cass City; F, A, Francis, Kingston.

> Downtr's Early Risers The famous little pills.

AT FLINT'S JUBILEE

STATE OF MICHIGAN WILL BE WELL REPRESENTED.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HAS ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO ATTEND.

Governor and Other State Officers Will Be There-Battle Flags of Michigan Regiments.

The celebration of the Golden Jubi-

ee of the city of Flint on June 7th and 8th has been accorded substantial recognition by the Michigan legislature and several of the state departments at Lansing. Following the acceptance of invitations extended to Governor Warner and his military staff, the justices of the supreme court and the members of the state military board, a memorial from the common council of Flint embodying an urgent request that the members of the legislature attend the Jubilee celebration was presented to the house of representatives on April 25th by Representative Prosser. The memorial was received and accorded the unusual distinction of being read in full and ordered spread upon the journal of the house. Later in the day's session Representative McKay, of Tuscola, moved that the invitation be accepted by the house, and the motion went through without a dissenting vote. A similar invitation has been extended to the senate and there is every indication that it will be accepted also in that branch of the legislature. In the event that that body is still in session at the time of the celebration. it is proposed to take an adjournment for a day and hold a session in Flint on one of the two days of the Jubilee when Vice President Fairbanks wil be invited to address the legislators. In case the special session is held the circuit court room and the supervisors' room in the new court house will be used for that purpose.

There has for years been a stand-ing rule in the state military depart-ment that no battle flags of Michigan regiments should be loaned from the state museum, but in view of the unique character and wide scope of the Flint celebration this rule was recently set aside by the state military board in the granting of a request for the loan of a number of Michigan battle flags for exhibition during the two days of the Jubilee. Among the flags included in loan order issued by the military board are those of the Tenth, Sixteenth and Twenty-Third Michigan infantry regiments, which were largely recruited from Genesee county. A custodian to be appointed by the military board will accompany the flags to Flint and have charge of Each flag has its own in dividual history, and the telling of these histories by the custodian will be an interesting as well as educational feature of the display of the torn and tattered standards that were followed to victory throughout the civil was by some of Uncle Sam's most loya and valorous soldiers. The state mili tary board will contribute another feature to the celebration by sending to Flint one of the state cannon, with a squad of artillerymen to man the big gun. Salutes will be fired at sunrise and sundown on both days of the Jubilee, and the cannon will also be used in firing salutes in honor of Vice President Fairbanks and other disinguished visitors on their arrival in

Plans for the big celebration are now nearing completion and the dif-ferent committees are hard at work arranging the details for an event that will be marked and memorable in the history of one of the prettiest, most prosperous, progressive and hospitable inland cities of the state. A time schedule is being prepared for carry ing out the numerous features of the extensive program in a systematic and orderly manner, so that there may be no confusion and everything may be made to work out to the satisfaction of visitors and the complete success of the celebration. An official printed program will be issued for distribution among those participating in the celebration, who will thus be en-abled to keep in close touch with what is going on and time their movements so as to be on hand to witness the features of the Jubilee in which they may be particularly interested.

In addition to the military com-panies from outside points which will be in attendance, Fairbanks Post, G. A. R., of Detroit, and Detroit Com-mandery No. 1, Knights Templar, have mandery No. 1, Knights Templar, have accepted invitations to be present. Detroit Commandery enjoys the reputation of being the finest drilled body of Knights Templar in the United States, and will give an exhibition drill with 150 swords as one of the notable features of the celebration. Drills will also be given by the De-troit Light Infantry and by the Detroit division of the United States Naval Reserves under their old commanding officer, Hon. Truman H. Newberry, recently appointed assistant secretary of the United States navy, who was with his command during the Spanish

American war.

Two of the biggest features of the celebration will be an industrial parade on the first day representing the Flint of fifty years, ago and the Flint of today, and a floral parade on the second day that will be participated in by the children of the city and the county schools. Extensive preparations are being made for both parades and from a spectacular standpoint they will excel anything of plans for a magnificent and imposing wintergreen.

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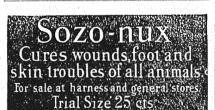
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