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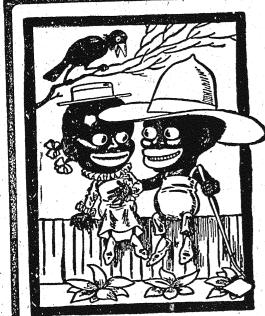
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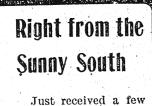
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barn, 14 acres cleared, 5 acres in tion was adopted. The following offiwheat, 2 wells. Enquire at farm. braced the christian faith and contin-ued to live a christian life to the end carriage came in for considerable at-R. SHERRIFF, 4-12-4\* Shabbona P. O. McColl, John Benkelman, M. H. Notice. her days. She was also an honored tender to be proprietor of the Moore Quick, Wm. Little with the Presi-

The best quality of flour and the I desire to inform my customers milling will be found

carloads of **Yellow** Pine Finishing Lumber

including Flooring, Casing, Base, and Mouldings; in fact anything you you need to finish your house in the latest style. Call in and let us tell you not how much but how little it costs. We are making special prices on Mar-

ble Head lime and Portland Cement and will guarantee it equal in quality to any make.

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> T, H, FRITZ, Druggist.

nity. Mrs. Beach was an ideal wife Telephone System, who is the proud press the loss which her husband and master Slocum accompanied by his was aboven as manager of the stelling little daughter have sustained. Be- son, William. Mr. Moore had the side her husband and a bright six kindness to invite I. B. Auten and year old daughter, she leaves father the Chronicle editor to take a spin and mother, brothers and sisters and with him. This was a treat of a life many relatives and friends to mourn time and of course was highly enjoyher early departure. Today the re- ed in spite of the uncertain feeling mains of both mother and child were which possessed us when the "critter" taken to North Branch, where the made a break for John Gordon's celfuneral services will be held at the M. lar. The trip from Caro to Cass City was made in an hour and a half. The E. church and the bodies laid to rest. return trip which was made partially

without some extra doings. Mr. Auten

was equal for the occasion and John

Gordon's Tavern was the place where

HAS GONE WEST.

Hugh Walters, one of Cass City's

For Sale.

time of her death was full of sun- the scene was enjoyed by young and

shine and bliss. In early life she em- old is putting it mildly. Quite natur-

of her days. She was also an honored tention for it was none other than W.

after dark took ten minutes longer. THE FRANKLIN STOCK COMPANY. Of course the event of the appearance of the "horseless age" in our 20th century town could not be passed by

Two Performances at the Operation Will Give House This Week.

After a lull of several weeks the two entertainments at Hitchcock's his liberality was exemplified. The patrons of the opera will be treated to opera house on Friday and Saturday riders of the horseless carriage had a evenings of this week. The troupe 20th century appetite and the proverbing comments are made by the Brown suggest to Mr. Moore that in the near on Thursday evening, June 20. Mr.

The opera going people of Brown consisting of representatives of the Cass City. He is one of the most City Banner: City and surrounding community have been privileged on several occasions lier and the Caro Journal and bring during the past year to listen to and them over to our peaceful town. On see a number of good plays at the the way over the brethren might have Kearns opera, but none has given bet- some sort of religious examination, reter general satisfaction than did the pent of their sins, make up and shake Franklin Stock Company, which gave hands. Wouldn't this be commend-

two nights performances here last able? week, Mar. 29 and 30. The whole troupe are clean, polite, courteous and are ladies and gentlemen. The cast possesses extraordinary ability in most respected young men left for various role in which they act.

comedy drama in three acts, with tered health. Hugh has the sympathy specialties, was played Friday evening and good wishes of this entire comand we venture the assertion that not munity and all of his friends hope

Alvin W. Jack assumed the role of the twin brothers, Al and Tom Mc-

A span of horses. Will be sold to-Clelland. Percy H. took the role of the Mexican, Joseph Keebuok. Little gether or separately. 3-8-tf Johnson & Seeley. Ethel assumed the role of Silverbud,

The annual meetings are to be held settlement. at the office of the secretary on the second Saturday of March. The horse

is now ready for service. Mr. Hogate was so well pleased with the treatment accorded him by the accociation that he had a special supper prepared which was hugely enjoyed by all of the members of the association. He left for Pigeon and other points north on Tuesday noon where he expects to sell some more of his famous horses.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR COMMENCEMENT. The coming commencement exercises

promise to eclipse all former efforts. The graduating class will number 16 or 18 students, the largest class in the history of the school. In addition to who are to give the performances are ial culinary art at John Gordon's Tav- the usual class day exercises Wednesspoken of as clean, polite and court- ern was of a decidedly 20th century day, June 19, there will be a graduaeous people. Only recently they character and hence both blended in- ting address by Congressman Washplayed at Brown City and the follow- to a harmonious whole. We would ington Gardner at the opera house future he make up an outing party Gardner needs no introduction in

Tuscola County Advertiser, The Cour- eloquent orators in the nation. As a reward of merit for the best scholarship, Miss Jennie McLellan has been appointed valedictorian; Walter Schell, salutatorian; John Morrison, orator; Herbert Karr, historian; Edith Marshall, poet; Mary Sommerville, prophet. The class colors are heliotrope and white.

### A FAINFUL ACCIDENT

Fred Reid, Son of Supervisor Reid, Had His Right Foot Badly Bruised.

Fred Reid was brought to Dr. Wickware's office on Saturday afternoon with a badly bruised foot. It hapone of the 350 people who attended that ere long he may again return to pened at a barn raising on the farm of southwest of Cass City. A great crowd of men had congregated to assist in the raising and as is always the case everybody was in good spirits ready to respond to the boss's shout "yo

that I have sold my business, and best sample of dent and Secretary, constitute the would be pieased to have all who are in Heller's buckwheat fiour. owing me to call at once and make

Try Heller's special process buckwheat flour. P. S. RICE.



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#### WEBSTER BICYCLE AT \$18.00

and a good strong easy running one, the SAFE, both in name and construction at \$25. We also have a few Ramblers and Ideals, both well known makes at unheard of prices. Last but not least is the Dell. It's a peach, As to

### Second Hand Wheels

why you can have them at your own price and they are good ones too. Our line of SUNDRIES is complete. REPAIR-ING is a special feature of our business. Brazing and Enameling done on short notice.

Easy terms on wheels.

Johnson & Seeley

Spokane, Wash., on Monday last for "Across the Rockles," a standard the purpose of recuperating his shat-

went away dissatisfied. In this play his home with the best of health.

TE CONT. CASS CITY, MICHIGAN :-: The Cape to Cairo railway is at present being extended from Buluwayo to Wanki, a place about 200 miles further north, where a great coal discovery has just been made. It has also been found that the Zambesi can be much more easily crossed at this point than at the point originally selected.

When a popular young author came to see William M. Evarts, while he was secretary of state, in behalf of a consulship for which he was an applicant Mr. Evarts congratulated him on the fame which he had acquired, but hastened to add: "Although you have laurels on your brows, I suppose you ean't browse on your laurels."

Baron Wilhelm von Rothschild, who recently died at Frankfort, was one of the few rich men who make it a rule of their lives to give away one-tenth of their income in charity. He was not only a religious observer in all respects. of the ancient Mosaic law, but he was a profound Talmudic scholar, having devoted a great part of his time to careful and systematic studies of the Talmud.

A queer instance of improper influence said to have been exerted upon a juryman comes from New Haven. The jury in a certain civil case went to Fairhaven to visit the house of the defendants. There, according to the counsel for the plaintiff, one of the parties to the suit gave one of the jurors a plece of pie. This piece of pie is the a verdict of guilty. Only one ballot ground upon which a motion to set aside the verdict is founded.

There was a substantial increase in the traffic through the Suez canal in 1399. Three thousand five hundred and three vessels passed through the canal in 1898; in 1899 the number was increased to 3,607, representing an increase of 104 vessels and a gain of 657,017 tons. The average time consumed in passing through the canal in 1899 was eighteen hours and thirtyeight minutes, about half an hour longer than was necessary during the previous year.

Kansas City, Mo., is claiming to be a great fruit distributing point, and in proof of the same "points with pride" to these two consignments: In one day 1,000,000 bananas were received from the tropics and on March 4 2,000,000 oranges came in, the shipment being made from Los Angeles, Cal. This orange train was composed of twenty-eight cars and a caboose. There were 364 boxes of oranges to e car, making 10,192 boxes in all.

Off Cerigo, the island at the southern end of Greece, divers are bringing up art treasures that were sunk 200 years before Christ. Lucian tells of a ship laden with art spoils that went down on the voyage from Athens to Rome, and it is believed that the wreck has been found now. Besides many bronze statuettes a life-size bronze statue resembling the Hermes of Praxiteles, has been brought up. Some objects as excellently preserved, but) others are corroded.

Three children, a boy and two girls, other and sisters, have had a terrible valanche experience at Ornon. The 'ildren, neither of whom was more 10, were overwhelmed, and the

as carried over a precipice and buried under tons of recovered. One of the girls to Chas. T. Foster post, Lansing.

n into a shallow crevasse

sidents of South Fairfield, were in That's What Some of the State conference with Prosecuting Attorney Correspondents Report. G. A. R. STATE ENCAMPMENT

Will be Held at Flint in June-The Shortage of the Niles First National Bank is Placed at \$160,000 - Depositors Will Receive at Least 90 Per Cent of Deposits religion. It is said the new sect be-

Hammond Must Stand Trial. trial of D. Judson Hammond, of Pontiac, who is charged with having 'solicited a bribe while a member of the state legislature of 1899. Hammond

opening of court on the above date Prosecuting Attorney Tuttle announced that he would ask the court mond, which had been brought under the statute and would try the respondent on the common law counts. District Attorney W. D. Gordon, who is the trial of the case as defendant's attorneys, argued a motion to quash the indictment which had been pending for nearly a year, but Judge Wiest could not see it that way and refused

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

was taken. Monthly Crop Bulletin. In the Michigan crop report for April, issued on the 9th, Secretary of State Warner says that during March the low-lands in some sections of the state were covered with water and some damage was done to wheat. Information in regard to wheat varies, some correspondents thinking that prospects for a crop are fair, while others are of the opinion that it will again be damaged by the Hessian fly. Correspondents generally agree that the crop wintered well, but in many parts of the state the plants are full of flies ready to begin their ravages as

soon as conditions are favorable. Some are expecting parasites to decrease the work of the fly, but it is difficult to estimate this factor so early in the season. Warm, dry weather will favor the fly, while cold, damp weather will be unfavorable to the hatching of a spring brood of the insects. The average condition of wheat in the state is 80, or 16 better than it was last year at this time. The average condition of meadows is 93 for the state; horses and swine, 96; sheep, 75; cattle, 94.

There are some reports of large loses of spring pigs, and also that sheep and lambs are dying in some parts of the state.

G. A. R. State Encampment.

Department Commander Allen, Michigan G. A. R., has issued orders relative to the state encampment to meet at Flint in June. The Michigan Passenger association has authorized a rate of one fare for the round trip from all point in lower Michigan, tickets to be sold June 11 and 12, limited to return

on or before June 14. All communications concerning the encampment should be addressed to Andrew J. Ward, Flint. Announcement is made that the executive committee awarded the silk banner offered to the post making the greatest increase in membership during the year to Charles Martin post, Martinsville, Wayne d rocks, his body not yet | county; the second prize being awarded

Sampson and Judge of Probate Larwill, at Adrian on the 9th, in regard to a queer sect that have held out at | law says that "all military, civil and South Fairfield for a year or two. The sect is made up of four or five families, the members of which formerly be-

longed to the United Brethren church of that place. The leader of the new religion is Gus Wagner. It is alleged that Wagner has become deranged over

lieve that its members are vested with a new life. As an example, Charles A jury was secured on the 8th for the | Hagadorn, one of the new sect, was asked by his brother why he did not call to see his mother, who is quite ill. "Why, I have no mother. My name is not Charles Hagadorn; he is dead. I was indicted by the grand jury, two am a new man," was the reply he made. bills being found against him. At the

Wreck on the F. & P. M. President Herald, Manager Crapo, Passenger Agent Moeller, Supt. Agnew to nolle pros the case against Ham- and other officials of the Pere Marquette railroad were going to Grand-Rapids by special train from Ottawa The number of Filipinos killed cannot Beach on the 9th when their train struck a caboose which projected from associated with H. M. Zimmerman in a siding. The caboose was smashed, the special train's engine badly damaged, and the president's car was bruised, but none of the officials were more than shaken up. The engineer and fireman applied the air brakes and then jumped to save themselves. One

of them escaped with a sprained wrist. The accident occurred within the city limits of Grand Rapids and the officials walked two miles to a hotel.

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

Three Deaths From Smallpox. The total number of deaths reported to the secretary of state for the month of March was 3,488, corresponding to a death rate of 17.2 per 1,000 population. This is an increase of 343 over the number returned for March, 1900. There were 673 deaths of infants under

1 year of age, 203 of children aged 1 to years, and 1,024 deaths of persons iged 65 years and over. There were three deaths from smallpox during the month.

### MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS

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

Indications of coal have been found near Northville, and prospecting will soon be commenced. Additional rural free delivery service

has been ordered established at Ann Arbor, to take effect May 15. The ice jam in the St. Clair river at Algonac broke loose on the 13th, and

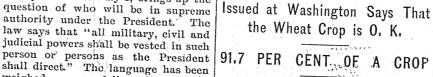
moved slowly down the river. The township board has granted a franchise through the village and township of Dimondale to the promotors of the Battle Creek and Lansing electric railroad.

Owing to the increases in valuations at Grand Rapids, announced by the assessors, the board is now confronted by more than 700 able-bodied kicks from enraged taxpayers.

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

On the night of the 8th fire dest

ment in the Phillipines, which is to THE OTOL DULLLIII take place about July 1, brings up the question of who will be in supreme



On April 1, Which is the Highest Average for the Past 10 Years, May be Blasted by the Pesky Hessian Fly, Which is Re-

#### ported From Many States.

Wheat Crop in the U. S. is O. K. The April report of the statistician show the average condition of winter wheat on April 1 to have been 91.7, against 82.1 on April 1, 1900, 77.9 at the corresponding date in 1899, and 82.9, the mean of the April averages of the last 10 years. The averages in the principal states are as follows: Pennsylvania, 89; Ohio, 83; Michigan, 72; Indiana, 89; Illinois, 92; Texas, 63; Tennessee, 81; Missouri, 98; Kansas, 105, Nebraska, 100; California, 100, and Oklahoma, 97.

While the general average of condition, 91.7, is the highest since 1891, the presence of the Hessian fly is reported from an unprecedentedly large number of states, and serious misgivings prevail, even in states reporting a fairly high condition on April 1, as to the possible developments of the next 30 days.

The average condition of winter rye on April 1, was 93.1 against 84.8 on April 1, 1900, 84.9 at the corresponding date in 1899, and 88.3 the mean of the April averages of the last 10 years. In New York and Pennsylvania it was 92, in Illinois and Kansas 100, in Indiana 95, and in Michigan and Ohio 90.

Pending the forthcoming publication of the census report on live stock, which will be used for the verification or correction of the department's figures for the year 1900, the statistician has temporarily discontinued his own estimates of the number and value of farm animals. While this omission renders it impossible to make any definite statement as to the dosses from disease and exposure during the year ending March, 1901. (the losses being reported as a percentage of the total number of farm animals), the reports received from correspondents leave absolutely no room for doubt that, owing mainly to the general mildness of the past winter, such losses have been much below the average of a series of

#### Monument to a Hero Unveiled.

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

Tom L. Cuts Loose on Taxation.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, has decided that the corporations doing business in that city do not pay their just proportion of taxes and has taken steps to have their assessments

C. Cummings; to amend charter of Adrian; tax sleeping car companies; ap-

they can lay tracks in public roads; resteam engines, etc., on highways; to f the department of agriculture will incorporate Manistique, Schoolcraft county, as a fourth class office. Considerable doubt is expressed as

to whether the Chandler railroad taxashape, as it provides a board composed of the lieutenant-governor, state treasurer and attorney-general, to make the assessment on the railroads and other corporations named in the bill rate struck by the assessing board regular assessing board, which has the duty of fixing the average rate.

The house on the afternoon of the 10th passed Rep. Nevin's garnishee bill by a vote of 79 yeas to 15 nays. The bill allows an exemption of 80 per cent of the amount of money due an employe, with a proviso that in no case shall the amount exempted be less than \$8 nor more than \$30. The present law provides that an exemption shall not be less than \$25 in all cases.

The following bills were passed by the senate on the 11th: To increase the pay of election inspectors, clerks and gate keepers in Springwells township, Wayne county; to loan Mackinac Island \$10,000; to amend the charter of Port Huron; to validate certain actions of St. Stephens' church of Adrian; 'to provide for an assistant prosecutor in St. Clair county; authorizing the Oceana Telephone Co., of Oceana county, to bond for \$20,000; to amend the charter of Grand Rapids so as to debar from holding office any defaulter; appropriating \$4,500 for the state fair.

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

#### CHINA WAR NEWS.

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

with him. Prince Tuan also has a large following, while Prince Olaskan controls the entire province of Mongolia.

The rumors which have been current during the past few days of the outbreak of a rebellion headed by Gen. increased. A force of clerks has been Tung-Fu-Sian (the former commander put to work preparing a list of all the of the northern army) in the provinces big concerns, together with blue prints of Mongolia and Shen-Si, have been of their establishments and the taxes absolutely authenticated. Unofficial they pay. When full information has Chinamen of intelligence regard the will be of much interest to the various been obtained the mayor proposes to rising as most unfortunate, at the presgo before the city board of equalization ent time, to the interests of China

THE MARKETS.

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The house passed the following bills on the 11th: Appropriating \$179,000 propriation for home for feeble minded; for the Industrial school for boys; profor the incorporation of boards of viding that foreign fire and life insurtrustees to hold property for religious | ance agents must obtain certificates of denominations; relative to the admis- authority from the state insurance sion to state insane asylum of insane commissioner; appropriating \$24,000 inmates of the Soldier's home; provid- for two years for the state library; to ing for the removal of cases from one do away with double taxation of mortjustice of the peace to another; to gages; authorizing Saginaw traction amend the actifor the formation of company to manufacture salt from the street railway companies so that they surplus steam and furnish power lightwill have to get permission from the ing and manufacturing to private corcounty highway commissioner before poration; to abolish the political convention system throughout the state vising the truancy laws; to regulate so that all candidates for office may be voted by the direct vote of the people, with referendum clause attached; to tax the property of railroads, tele-

graph, telephone, express, sleeping cars and fast freight line companies on tion bill is constitutional in its present | the ad valorem basis; entering the open season of catching trout and whitefish in the waters of Lake Huron, Saginaw bay, Green bay and Lake Erie; amending the charter of the city of Grand Rapids; for the state to loan \$10,000 to and then adds the members of the the Mackinac Island board of commisstate tax commission to make up a sioners for the purpose of improving board of review. The constitutional | the Mackinac Island state parks, roads amendment states that the average and walks, the state to receive 3 per cent interest each year for 10 years on shall not be subject to review, and the the money; appropriating \$500 for a question is whether another board can monument to E. May Tower, the be called in to review the work of the Michigan army nurse who died in Porto Rico, monument shall be erected at Byron; appropriating \$65,400 for the school for the blind.

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

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

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

Two bills now in the hands of the house village corporation committee villages of the state. One provides for the election of a village pre term of two years instead of one as at present, and the other provides for the election by the people of a marshall and street commissioner. At present those officers are appointed by the president, and in many cases it is claimed the appointments are made Benzie county's first state bank was with a view of building up political fences or with some personal ends rather than with an aim for the villages' best interests. The bill is likely to receive favorable consideration this New York- Cattle Sheep Lambs Hogs. Best grades...\$4 60@5 45 \$1 75 \$6 20 \$6 35 Lower grades...3 00@1 0) 4 00 5 85 6 00 week. In committee of the whole on the 8th, the senate, by a vote of 12 to 12, agreed to Senator Loomis' bill providng that there shall be women mem-5 80 bers of the state asylum boards. The 5 95 joint resolution requesting congress to submit to a vote of the people a federal constitutional amendment per-5 90 mitting candidates for U. S. offices to be voted for directly by the people instead of having them elected by the 5 50 state legislatures, was agreed to. Senator Murfin's bill cutting down the 5 95 5 55 time in which suits may be brought for personal injuries from three to two years was also agreed to. No. 2 red No. 2 mix No. 2 white The following bills were passed by 32@321/2 the house on the 9th: Constituting the 25@251/ five supervisors of the city of Adrian a 30 @ 30% board of review for the assessment of 26@26% 27@28property; limiting the amount to be 32@32% raised for municipal purposes in the 31@311/2 city of Grand Rapids to 1 per cent. The present limit is 11/2 per cent; changing name of the state house of correction and reformatory at Ionia to Michigan reformatory. The house on the afternoon of the The special election in the 4th Maine 11th made a great record in the way of congressional district on the 8th to passing important measures. The list choose a successor to Hon. Chas. Bouincludes the Chandler ad valorem tax telle, resulted in a victory for ex-Gov. bill, the Colby general bill to abolish political conventions, the Lowrey-Ward mortgage tax bill and the Mcmated at slightly more than 2,000 over | Mullen compromise open season extension fish bill. That body went on rec-Mr. Boutelle's majority in the district ord as being overwhelmingly in favor of the ad valorem system of taxing the property of railroad, telegraph, The Democratic party in Georgia is telephone, express, sleeping car and fast freight line companies Rep. Mc-Callum's specific tax bill was defeated by a vote of 16 yeas to 78 nays. The following bills were passed by the senate on the 11th: To authorize Paw Paw township and Van Buren county to borrow money for a public building; to amend Soldiers' Home act; authorizing street railway companies in Saginaw to sell electric current and steam; appropriation for priating \$50,000 for a psychopathic

strongly objected to two clauses of the manifesto and considerabe argument was required to overcome his objections. Col. Aba, the insurgent leader of Zambales province, with 13 officers, 83 years. men and 92 rifles, surrendered to Lieut. Col. Mancil C. Goodrell, commanding the marines stationed at Olongapo, on Subig bay on the Sth. Gen. Malvar, with about 300 men and as many rifles, is expected to surrender shortly at Silang, in Cavite province.

authority under the President. The

judicial powers shall be vested in such

weighed very carefully and the desig-

nation "person" followed by "persons'

is taken to mean that the President

shall name some one to have supreme

command under his own direction and

that the "persons" shall be those act-

ing under that command. Judge Tart,

it is understood, is to be the governor

of the islands, but it will be necessary

to have some one in Washington to act

as a medium of communication between

Since the rebellion in the Philippines,

50,000 is the lowest estimate of the war

department of the casualties sustained

been captured or surrendered; 605,142

rounds of ammunition, as shown by in-

be accurately determined, as Gen.

MacArthur, in his dispatches, states

that it is impossible to be accurate on

this point. It would not surprise offi-

cials should the Filipino fatalities

reach 25,000, and some say that 50,000

is closer to the real figures. Adjt. Gen.

Corbin is satisfied that the casualties

suffered by the Filipinos will in them-

selves form a potent reason for the

abandonment of further resistance by

Gen. MacArthur says it is impossible

to make a statement concerning Agui-

naldo now. It is possible that Agui-

naldo will soon be removed from the

Malacanang palace to a large house,

with pleasant grounds in a fashionable

part of the city of Manila, beside the

Pasig river, which is being renovated

and prepared for occupancy. Agui-

naldo is purchasing diamonds and other

jewelry. He continues to receive cer-

tain visitors, but newspaper correspond-

ents are excluded. It is believed he is

reluctant to sign the manifesto he is

preparing owing to the conditions

Although the officials are uncom-

munative it is nevertheless said that

Aguinaldo signed the peace manifesto

on the 9th. Chief Justice Arellano

drafted the document. Aguinaldo

the natives.

ittached to it.

by the Filipino forces; 7,667 rifles have

the President and the governor.

The trial of M. Brix Hoelterman, the Belgian who was connected with the Philippine Trading Co., and whose arrest on the charge of furnishing supplies to the insurgents was announced Feo. 19, has been completed. The evidence of the Filipino colonel, Herrera, who recently surrendered, clinched the prosecution. The colonel tostified that Hoelterman had furnished money and rice supplies to the insurgents. Under the old regulations, cockpits will be re-established in Manila, the privilege of conducting them being granted to the widow of Capt. Lara, who commanded the native police of the city. Formerly the municipal revenue derived from cock fighting amounted to \$60,000 annually.

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

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

he managed to extricate herne other girl caught at a tree was falling and managed to hold o it. For half an hour she clung the branches, with a drop of 300 ct below, until her sister succeeded obtaining assistance. When she is ultimately rescued by a man who is lowered over the precipice by a 2, she was in on exhausted condi-, and collapsed on being brought solid ground.

he insurance companies have come new decision with regard to the ting of policies to the crowned of Europe since the death of Humbert. They are willing to them against all risks, save that assination, at a slightly higher han that exacted from ordinary duals. This higher rate is pre-

\* demanded in view of the fact al blood is supposed to be viand impoverished. Kinng Milan, four months ago, endeavored to his life. But although he was e ex-king, the companies to he applied would only consent e him a policy with the special sination clause, which he declined, is son, the present king, when he ipted a short time ago to insure e in favor of Queen Draga, failed e to any understanding with the ay, owing to the same stipula-

the will of the late Franklin H. op of Russell, Mass., the State of sachusetts is made his residuary tee. The will reads: "As I have latives on whom I care to bestow oods and estates, after the payof my just debts and funeral exs I give all the residue of my eso the Commonwealth of Massatts to its sole use and behoof for-The executor says that when state is settled the Commonwealth eçeive about \$7,000. Mr. Bishop prominent citizen of Russell and ent admirer of his state.

rious story comes from Algeria an there dreamt that a priest d to her and told her that if g in a certain place she would cave in which a saint had been for many years. The woman o impressed with her dream that ollowed her ghostly instructions, ound a cave in which were three

Will Winters was shot and killed by in a perfect state of preserva-They had evidently lain there undrods of years, and the cave ed by thousands of pilalmost immediately. The tragedy is the result of a long-standing feud.

Niles Bank Short \$160,000. An official who stands high in Washngton and whom the people there trust absolutely, makes a statement concerning the shortage of the First National bank, of Niles, which is acitors will receive very nearly all their | led the fight. deposits. The capital stock will make good \$100,000 of the shortage, while

the surplus will take care of \$25,000 more. This would leave but \$50,000 shortage, which would easily be realzed from the assessment on stock. The cost of winding up the bank's affairs will be considerable. However, it is predicted depositors will receive at lease 90 per cent of their holdings.

Hustling Out Dog Law Notices.

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

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

Day. The United States Chemical-Wood Co.'s plant, at Detroit, was scorched to the extent of \$31,000 on the night of the 13th. It is estimated that the factory of of the Marine City Sugar Co. ran be-

hind \$59,000 last year, yet the stockholders are not discouraged. Many hundred fruit trees were ruined

by rabbits in the vicinity of Brighton last winter on account of the big snow fall, which cut off food supply. The socialists of Battle Creek cast

so encouraged that they will form an educational club to meet weekly. Bert Tibbets, convicted of murder of 31, 1900, was on the 9th sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson prison.

Foud Results in a Tragedy.

R. G. Evans at Legg, Montgomery county, Tenn. The man was shot four times in the head and back and died

the handle factory of Mitchell Bros. at Cadillac. The loss is estimated at \$60, 000, with \$40,000 insurance. It is pr obable that the factory will be rebuilt. The victory won by the Gretna Green people, St. Joseph, against the miniscepted as final. He says he has learned | ters of the state, is highly satisfactory from the comptroller that the shortage to the people of that city. It insures ended. One woman who wrote direct is \$160,000. In this latter event depos- | the re-election of Rep. John Lane, who

Lansing people are greatly concerned in the smallpox outbreak in Deita ticular sphere of usefulness. Another towaship which adjoins Ingham county on the west. There are a number of cases in the township and the entire population is in danger. Byron has a curious anomaly in the shape of John Fritz, aged 19, who is

the son of the Byron saloon keeper. He is president of the Epworth League, and at the same time serves as barten-

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

St. Joseph is sadly in need of dwelling houses, and the board of trade and wealthy citizens at a mass meeting on the 12th hit upon the plan of organ-

ital stock of \$70,000, for the purpose of constructing new houses and selling them to laboring men on the installment plan, and for renting. Someone tried to wreck the midnight Grand Trunk train on the night of the 12th by placing a cedar post across the

track near New Haven. A farmer discovered the obstruction in time. The train does not stop at New Haven, but runs through at full speed. A fright-

ful wreck with attendant loss of life tured with the exception of 25 who would probably have occurred if the train had left the tracks.

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

The Houghton county street railway 500 votes at the last election, and feel earned a profit despite the unusual expenses of the winter season, and the fact that only the Portage lake end of the line is in operation. The company Hump Jackson, in Georgetown, on Dec. will reach Calumet in June, and will construct an excellent system of city lines, covering Red Jacket, Laurium

and all the important surrounding mining locations. Mrs. Frank Gray, of Mills, heard a

noise in the chicken coop. /She investigated and discovered a harge bear trying to loot the hennery. She got her husband's Winchester rifle and killed bruin, emptying the magazine. ' is quarantined.

A rather unexpected result has folowed Mr. Chamberlain's recent speech in support of the scheme for sending nounced, will make a special effort to vomen out to South Africa at the conclusion of the war. An enormous number of letters has been received from women eager to emigrate and reto Lord Salisbury said she was prepared to go out at once with her mother and sisters, but she indicated no parwrote to the colonial office in behalf of herself and a few other "first-class lady barbers." Naturally the colonial

office authorities are doing their utmost to discourage applications from women other than those who are selfdependent, and girls of the servant and rock. type are urgently advised not to go out at all. It is very doubtful whether

there will be any openings for them, and the public funds cannot be used found on the 12th in the creek in the for the purpose of granting free passages to the cape.

According to a dispatch from Lord Kitchener, Plumer occupied Pietersburg on the 8th with slight opposition, capturing two locomotives and 39 tracks. The capture of Pietersburg is regarded in London as important. The place is the terminus of the railway and has been the capital of the Boer government since the evacuation of Pretoria. The whole northern rail-

way is now in the hands of the British. According to the dispatch only one officer and one man were killed. Lord Kitchener on the 9th reported

that a detachment of a hundred men, 5th Lancers and Imprial Yeomanry. were attacked by 400 Boers to the northward of Aberdeen, Cape Colony, and that after several hours' fighting the British were surrounded and capsucceeded in making their escape.

A dispatch from Bloemfontein, dated the 14th, says it is reported that the health of former President Steyn has broken down. It is also said that he has advised all Boers on commando to law down their arms and surrender immediately.

It is understood at Cape Town that although Gen. DeWet at his recent interview with Gen. Botha, refused to surrender, Gen. Botha regarding him as irresponsible, undertakes to negotiate in behalf of the entire Boer forces. The British authorities here consider that if Gen. Botha surrenders, DeWet's following can easily be taken.

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

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

ad demand that the corporations be as possibly meaning the use of foreign compelled to pay what he terms equit- troops to protect even the court itself. The mayor, "it is an- The ministers of the powers do not think that; provided fereign interests show that the steam and electric raildo not suffer, any present interference ways are assessed far too low. is likely.

Chicago-

Cincinnati--

Whole Family Wiped Outa:

The family of Jas. Smith, including organize at Frankfort on the 13th. the father, mother and four children, were instantly killed in their home on the night of the 9th by the sliding of the huge dump of the Granite mine, near Cripple Creek, Col. The Smith residence was located just below the base of the dump. The recent snows had softened the dump so that the top Best grades..... 5 0076 00 Lower grades..3 90@4 9) suddenly slid down, crushing the house Detroitand burying its inmates. Hundreds Best grades....3 80724 75 Lower grades...2 7573 75 of men are now digging away the dirt,

Buffalo-Best grades....4 00@4 75 Lower grades...2 00@3 25 No American Land for Britain. Negotiations on the Hay-Pauncefote Best grades..... 4 75765 25 abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer Lower grades..4 35@4 65 4 00 treaty are progressing, though they Pittsburghave not yet passed the tentative stage. Best grades..... 5 00@5 51 Lower grades .. 4 00@1 65 A representative of the Associated Press says that they are being conducted on a quid pro quo basis and that no other method of abrogation would be considered by the British New York government. The foreign office hopes Chleago \*Detroit Toledo Cincinnati

Buffalo \*Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy, \$12 50 per ton. Potatoes, 35c per bu. Live Poultry, spring chickens, Le per b; fowls, 9c; turkeys, 10c; ducks; 10c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 12c per dozen. at least 10,000 harvest hands to take Butter, best dairy, 16c per 10; creamery, 22c.

A dispatch from London, dated the 9th, says that Lord Kitchener reports

Although no official notification has reached the President of the departure of Prince Li Hung Chang from Pekin for Shanghai, the officials are inclined to believe that he has done so, and that Li Hung Chang is really leaving Pekin for good and because the emperor is displeased with his conduct of the ne-

gotiations. Li favored the signing of preparing to reorganize and drop Brythe Manchurian treaty which China an's free silver policy from the plathas turned down. form. Terry McGovern is matched to fight

The North German Lloyd liner Rhein 20 rounds at 124 pounds with Oscar which arrived at New York on the 6th, Gardner at the Twentieth Century had on board 2,449 steerage passengers, Athletic club, San Francisco, April 30. which establishes a new record by sev-Bids for the transportation of troops eral hundreds in the number of immiand supplies between New York city grants that have landed at that port and Havanna, Mantanzas, Cienfuegos, by one vessel.

Santiago, Manzanillo, Gibara and Nuc-The U.S. court of claims has renvitas, in Cuba, and San Juan, Porto dered a judgment in favor of Admiral the Industrial School for Boys; appro-Sampson for \$3,330 as a bounty grow-Kimball, U. S. A., depot quartermas- ing out of the engagements at Manter. Army transports carried approx- zanillo and Nipa bay in Cuba during from seven to nine the number of imately between Jan. 1 and Mar. 31, to the Spanish war.' The court also ren- directors a street railway company Cuba, 5,121 tons of supplies and 876 dered a judgment in favor of Flect passengers, and to Porto Rico, 605 tons | Capt. Chadwick, who parkicipated in of supplies and 400

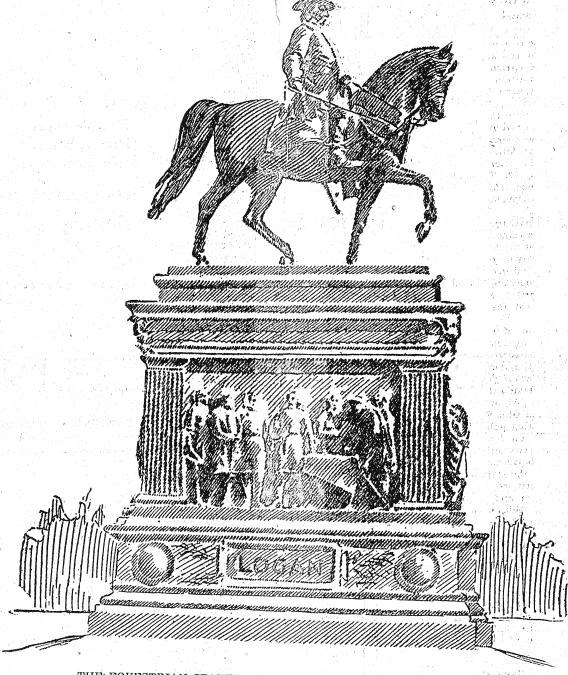
that a settlement, satisfactory to both the U. S. and Great Britain, will be arrived at before congress is reconvened. Pittsburg It is estimated that it will require

care of the small grain in the wheat belt of Kansas this year.

the capture of 16 prisoners, 50 horses and the depot of war stores at Boshmanskop, Orange River Colony.

Llewellyn Powers, of Houlton, the Republican candidate, by a majority esti-Thos. White, Democrat. In September was more than 10,000.

GHE LOGAN SEAGUE.



THE EQUESTRIAN STATUE OF GEN. JOHN A. LOGAN AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

When Stephen B. Elkins was secre- | in being the only monument' in Amer- | On the front of this beautful pedestal tary of war he asked Mr. Franklin ica constructed entirely of bronze. On Simmons, who chanced to be in Wash- this account the pedestal of the Logan resenting the "Defense of the Union," ington at the time, if he would kind- monument was a novelty even in Italy. and on the other end a figure of the ly give him (Elkins) his ideas in re- Great crowds flocked to see it while gard to a monument to be erected in | it was on exhibition in Rome, and the | of the Union." These allegorical figmemory of Gen. John A. Logan, con- then king, Humbert, was so impressed gress having appropriated \$50,000 for by the beauty and originality of the draped and are stately and imposing. such work. Mr. Simmons replied that | work that he straightway knighted as there were half a dozen statues in Mr. Simmons. Washington, all on plain granite pe-

destals, and all of nearly the same size, he would recommend, for the sake of variety, that this one be entirely dif- tion with the officers of his command. ferent, and that the pedestal, as well as the statue, be wholly of bronze; that, furthermore, the pedestal be decorated with life-size figures in high relief of historical interest.

The sculptor was asked to make a pedestal Gen. Logan is represented as small model illustrating his idea. He taking the oath of office as senator of is the harmonious relation of the did so, and his conception was adopted without competition. As a result, we dent Arthur. Grouped around are have today in Washington one of the Senators Cullom, Evarts, Conkling, finest equestrian monuments that has Morton, Miller, Voorhees and Thurever been erected in this, or, for that man, of whom there are now living hand. It was unveiled last week with

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ures are beautifully and appropriately Surmounting the pedestal is the equestrian figure, which measures four-The pedestal is about twenty-five teen and a half feet in height. Gen. feet in height. On one side is a group There are portraits of the leading gentle trot, slightly held in check. The generals of the Army of the Tennessee, general's appearance exhibits great namely: Dodge, Hazen, Slocum, Legforce and energy, and the whole imgett, Mower and Blair, and of Capt. pression given by the statue is one of

Strong. On the opposite side of the dignity, beauty and power. the United States before Vice-Presi- | statue to the pedestal, which contributes much to the success of the work, and the observer feels that in every part of it is the work of a master matter, in any country. It is unique only Gen. Dodge and Senator Cullom. imposing ceremonies.

her parents and brother, and of a devotion which is well-nigh worship for her German-American nurse, Mary, who has been her constant attendant since early babyhood. Edith has never known another nurse aside from her mother, who is most devoted to her

is an ideal figure, about life-size, rep-

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO with the liquid, or by means of a gas AGRICULTURISTS.

ome Up-to-Date Hints About Cultivation of the Soll and Vields Thereof-Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

Horticultural Observations. but in open bins it will be necessary to We have heard about the benefits of cover the mover with a blanket to keeping poultry in plum orchards, but prevent the too rapid dissipation of the practice should not be too much the vapor. The bins or buildings relied on. Other means must be used should be kept closed from twentyto hold in check the insects. Certainfour to thirty-six hours, after which ly if the fowls are to be depended on a thorough airing should be given to any extent for this work they must | them. Limited quantities at a time be assisted by having the trees shaken | may often be advantageously subjectfor them. Even then the birds have | ed to treatment in small bins before to be educated to pick up the insects, being placed for long storage in large and if a man shakes down the curcumasses, and especially whenever there lios without having first given the is danger of introducing infested grain. chicks proper instruction he may be The bisulphide is applied at the rate disappointed in seeing the insects reof 1 pound to the ton of grain, or a main on the ground untouched. At a pound to a cubic space 10 feet on a meeting of the Ohio Horticultural Soside. ciety, Professor Green said: "I know a

great many think that the mere presence of chickens in the plum orchard

may save the plums, but I don't know how they can get the curculio unless they climb the trees, and they won't do that. You have got to teach the chickens to pick up the curculio, by throwing a little grain around first, and when you shake the trees they soon learn what they are and pick them up." \* \* \*

Market peculiarities have to be met and their demands satisfied. The man ied by fits, staggering or thumps. that sells apples should always sort them, for he will find a readier market for the different sizes if sorted than if sold together. No one appears to fanor diarrhea, skin diseases, such as cy a lot of little and big apples in the hives, nettlerash, eczema and itchisame lot. Buyers are governed by difness. Cough is also a common symptom ferent motives in their purchases. of indigestion, but in our experience is Some well-to-do buyers want a uniusually found along with the indigesform lot of large apples of good color, tion caused by the presence of worms and will pay an advanced price for in the stomach or intestines. It is also them. But many people prefer apples usual to find the appetite of hogs sufof medium size or below providing fering from indigestion depraved or they are well-colored. This is espepeculiar in that they will prefer forcially true of the heads of families of eign bodies to good food, drink manure children, where apples are purchased tea rather than pure water or slop and in quantities of a peck at a time. A act strangely, sometimes hungry, peck of big apples is soon used up. sometimes having no appetite at all. while a peck of medium-sized or small apples will last longer and give the When any of these symptoms are seen to affect the hogs it is time to comchildren more satisfaction. The purmence a search for the cause, and this chasers of these apples prefer them is usually to be found / in erroneous even at the same price they might niethods of feeding or in the food have to pay for the large ones. Ansame size representing "Preservation supply. The bad effects of the sour other very large class of people purswill barrel have been alluded to in chase small apples. They are the keepers of boarding houses and hotels, a former article. The long continued feeding of any one food, such as corn, and the purchases by these people are very large in quantity. The boarding is a common cause of trouble of the digestive organs, and the same may be house keeper knows that, as a general said of feeding too much of any food thing, each guest will eat only one Logan is represented as riding along apple whether large or small, and as or combination of foods. In the first representing Gen. Logan in consulta- the line of battle, his sword unsheathed a matter of economy the small fruit place it should be remembered that and the horse moving forward at a is purchased. These things show the the stomach of the young pig requires necessity for sorting all fruit like a little food often more than it does a apples. great amount of food at one time, so that when a pig is seen to vomit there

The work of originating new varimay be nothing wrong with the food eties of apples goes on, and the eradiitself, but the amount given is too great cation of the poor ones is a parallel A feature worthy of special notice and the time between feeds is too process." New apples are constantly long. The first step on noticing that being imported and some are proving the pigs are suffering from indigesgood. The constant revision of the tion is to cut down the amount of food fruit lists is a work that is bound to and give it oftener and in it mix have a very beneficial result. On this something which will make it digest point Professor Lazenby says: "It is better. A good medicine for this is interesting to note that during past lime water, and it may be very easily years the list of apples worthy of cul-

made by pouring water upon fresh tivation first increased and then delime and thereby slaking it. The wacreased. In 1891 it comprised 339 vater should then be diluted further and rieties. In 1899 it had decreased to may be mixed with advantage in the 300. Quite a number of varieties have food of the pigs. Charcoal is also valbeen stricken off, and of course some uable in the same way, and for this new ones have been added. There is reason many are in the habit of feedanother thing that is of some interest, that is the varieties that originated in

FARM AND GARDEN. of the bisulphide in the center of the PEOPLE LIVE ON PEANUTE grain by thrusting in balls of cotton Sect in Vancouvers That Practices New or waste tied to a stick and saturated Theory Relative to Food. A peculiar religious sect, the feature pipe loosely plugged at one end, down which the liquid may be poured and the plug then loosened with a rod.

Prof. H. E. Weed reports that in Mississippi the chemical is commonly poured directly onto the grain. In moderately tight bins no further precaution than to close them well need be taken,

> mills equipped with machinery for the grinding and manufacture of various kinds of food from peanuts. In abstract belief, one of the principal opinions held by the new organization is that Christ will appear on earth within a few months, and perhaps within only a few weeks. They therefore wish to be prepared, in order that they may "shuffle off this mortal coil" with no difficulty. That they might be able to do this when the time comes they made searching investigation of the most healthful and purest foods, and came to the conclusion that peanuts were the most proper diet. Their Indigestion.

leader, James Charman, who was for-So thoroughly are some people immerly a minister in the Adventist pressed with the idea that the hog is church, was sent to New York and an omniverous animal and able to eat there made a contract for a large anything with impunity, that they will weekly shipment of peanuts to Vanscarcely believe that swine suffer from couver. Suitable works have been indigestion, yet such is the fact. Inerected and equipped with machinery digestion, especially of young pigs, is a very common complaint, and often and now all kinds of peanut products are being turned out. The peanuts are a serious and even fatal one. The first boiled, and then ground into a symptoms of the trouble are varied, meal, and are used to make nearly but in pigs one of the commonest is every kind of baked and cooked dishes vomiting and this is often accompan-

in which flour is ordinarily employed. Brazil nuts and walnuts are used by Other symptoms are squealing and way of variety, but these three constirubbing the nose in the mud; general tute almost the entire means of susthriftlessness, emaciation, constipation tenance of the 200 persons in Vancouver who belong to this queer sect. Several missionaries of the new movement have lately been sent out through the province and they report that they are making good headway in the conversion of people to the strange belief.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER.

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

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

Kidney Pills. "I cannot speak too highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills, or of what they have done for me," said Mrs. Keys.

"My life was miserable, my back always ached, also my head. I was troubled with Neuralgia in the head and face and suffered extreme pain, but thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills, all

those aches and pains have vanished like the morning dew, and it now seems that life is worth living. I consider Dodd's Kidney Pills a God-send to suffering humanity. They may rightly be named the Elixir of Youth.

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

her more good than any other medicine she has ever tried. "This testimony is give

A Month's Test Free. f you have Rheumatism, write Dr. Shoop, Racine s., Box 143, for six bottles of his Rheumatic Cure wess paid. Send no money. Pay \$5.50 if cured. If you have

Moss for Purifying Syrup, of whose singular beliefs is based upon Besid, the thousands of pounds of the eating of peanuts as their principal Spanish noss sent annually from Florarticle of food, is thriving in Vancouida and Oher Southern states to ver, and throughout British Columbia. Northern uphilsterers, the plant has There are 200 members in the new various other uses. One of these, a church in Vancouver, and their num- use that has recently been dis overed, bers are growing daily. Six months is that of a strainer and purifier of ago the sect was first formed as a cane syrup. It has been found that a branch of the Seventh Day Adventists. finer syrup can be made by straining and now it has gone so far as to erect the cane juice through moss than through any other material

\$100 Reward \$100.

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A sweethcart is a charming fancy, but a wife is very apt to be a solemn fact. self, and she says that they have done

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.-MRS. THOS. ROBBINS, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.



Che Harrison Child-o-

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H. Harrison household of whom the called the third. Just now he is a public has heard but little, but who are, according to the mayor and Mrs. 101/2 years on his shoulders, of whom Harrison, the most important members of the whole family, writes a Chicago correspondent. They are Carter H. Harrison the third, and Edith Ogden Harrison. Carter H. Harrison the third is in reality Carter H. Harrison the seventh, for seven generations of brown eyes and rosy cheeks and light the Harrison family have had a Carter Henry Harrison, yet Chicagoans know her father. She is too young as yet best and claim closest ties with the to show decided characteristics aside

Captain Bolt, a master mariner of

Newcastle, England, has invented a

new form of deckhouse or life saving

cabin, which, in cases of sudden foun-

There are two members of the Carter 1 his little son, and so it is he has been bright little fellow with the burden of their offspring, the curse moral generhis tutors say most flattering things of In times of contagion persons who his aptitude at learning, and of whom his parents are justly proud.

Baby Edith, 5 years old, who bears Ogden, is a handsome little miss with perance, like virtue, is its own reward. brown curly hair, almost the image of | nate cup is unblessed.

children, and like the little lamb of nursery rhymes, everywhere Mary goes Edith goes likewise. A pretty practice in the Harrison household at Christmas is the giving away of all the toys of the nursery each yuletide to the little poor folk of the neighborhood, and in return the receiving of another stock. "We want them to feel always land, 3 from Germany, 1 from Holland, they must give of their happiness to others," says Mrs. Harrison.

Alcoholism and Microbes. There is nothing new in the recent-

ly vaunted animal experiments at Paris showing that lower grades of living creatures if alcoholized are more sensitive to disease than others of temperate habits. Alcoholized animals are unable to resist infection with the bacilli of consumption, cancer, diphtheria and kindred diseases. The progproved so weak that they live but a short time or are born dead.

Medical history abounds in corroborative proofs that intemperance curses not only its practitioners but ally accompanying the curse physical. Luckless Cassio was right-the inordi-

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former mayor, the present mayor and from her love of pets and dolls, of Mr. Carnegie is now eighty-five. A 3 Go Save Life at Sea.

have lived abstemiously prove more able to withstand exposure or recover more quickly and more completely her mother's maiden name of Edith from any form of pestilence. Tem-

portionally. In 1891, out of the 339 varieties that were recommended, 22 coal has one advantage in that it conthis country. Now in 1899, of the 300 | ency to constipation or skin disease. that are recommended, 49 of them were of foreign origin. Of these, 22 are from Russia, 7 from France, 7 from Eng-2 are simply marked as Europe, the country not being known, and 6 from

Canada, making 48."

Insects in Stored Grain.

Bulletin 127, U. S. Department of Agriculture: The chief loss in this direction from insects is to grains in farmers' bins, or grain or grain products in stores, mills and elevators, although in the warmer latitudes much of the injury results from infestation in the field between the ripening of the eny of alcoholized guinea pigs have grain and its storage in bins or granaries. Fortunately, the several important grain insects are amenable to

like treatment. Aside from various important preventive considerations, such as, in the South, prompt thrashing of grain after harvesting, the thorough cleansing of bins before refilling, constant sweeping, removal of waste harboring insects from all parts of granaries and mills, and care to prevent the introduction of "weeviled" grain, there are three valuable remedial measures, viz., agitation of the grain, heating, and dosing with bisulphide of carbon. The value of agitating or handling grain is well sults or the food may be boiled.

known, and whenever, as in elevators, grain can be transferred or poured from one bin into another, grain pests are not likely to trouble. The benefit will depend upon the frequency and thoroughness of the agitation, and in France machines for shaking the grain violently have been used with success. Winnowing weeviled grain is also an excellent preliminary treatment. Raising the temperature of the grain in closed retorts or revolving cylinders to 130 to 150 degrees F. will kill the inclosed insects if continued for from three to five hours, but is apt to injure the germ, and is not advised in case of feed stock. The simplest, cheapest and most effectual remedy is the use of bisulphide of carbon.

Bisulphide of Carbon.-This is a colorless liquid with very offensive odor, which, however, passes off completely in a short time. It readily volatilizes and the vapor, which is very deadly to insect life, is heavier than air and settles and fills any compartment or bin in the top of which the liquid is ringed vines. The renewal system placed. It may be distributed in shalseems best adapted to this practice, low dishes or tins or turated | but its adoption or rejection is a gues-

ing soft coal but there is no doubt that powdered wood coal mixed with foreign countries, have increased prothe food has a better effect. The soft originated in foreign countries. In tains sulphur, but this can be added other words, all but 22 originated in several time a week if there is a tend-If a pig is found to be constipated, then the bowels should be moved by two tablespoonfuls of castor oil or an ounce or two of epsom salts, after which it is well to mix in the food twice daily one teaspoonful of hypo-

sulphite of soda and a half teaspoonful of ground ginger root. For chronic vomiting we have found nothing betthe than nux vomica in small doses mixed with the food. For a pig three grains three times daily of the powdered drug will do to start with, but it should be increased if necessary, and if the vomiting does not cease then add two or three drops of carhours. bolic acid well mixed up in a little milk. For diarrhea the treatment would be a little different. The first thing is to clear the bowels by means of a dose of castor oil, then follow up with ten grain doses of subnitrate of bismuth and fifteen drops of tincture of opium or three grains of powdered opium three times daily in food. Where there is a lack of appetite the bowels should be moved freely, then follow with ten grains of powdered gentian root and a like amount of dried sulphate of iron twice daily in the food. A change of food is always

Ringing Grape Vines.

The practice of ringing grape vines has been tested to some extent by the New York Agricultural Experiment Station. Two vineyards were under experiment in different parts of the state and the vines in each were ringed for two years. In one vineyard, trained upon the two arm Kniffin system, both arms were ringed beyond the fifth bud; and in the other vineyard, using the renewal system of training, the arms were ringed beyond the renewal bud, In both orchards very marked differences in favor of the fruit on ringed arms was noticed with such varieties as Empire State, Concord, Niagara, Geneva and Catawba, the bunches and berries being larger and more compact and ripening earlier. In most cases, however, especially with higher flavored varieties like Delaware, the quality was injured; and the grapes which naturally show a tendency to crack, like Worden, were worse in this respect on

hope that others who may be afflicted as we were, may see and read it, and be benefited by it." What Mrs. Keys states in her letter

Cotton exports brought to this country \$119,-000,000 more in 1900 than in 1899. Some articles must be described. White's Yucatan needs no description; it's the real can be verified by reference to any of thing. her many friends in this neighborhood. Dodd's Kidney Pills have al-

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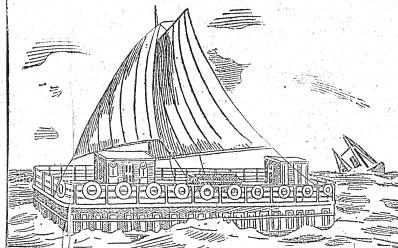
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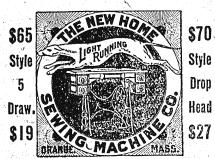
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BLISS STANDS FOR FAIR PLAY.

The amendment to the charter of the time contemplated by the organthe city of Grand Rapids which passed both houses of the legislature last week has created a big furor in the

furniture city. The measure provides that "no per-

or election to any office under this act May next. The story of the Chronwho has within this city, while holding public office or a position of public trust, made any default regarding reading for the general public, but es- right hard work counts anything, we public funds in his custody or control,

or default in such funds." this measure is to prevent the re-election of Mayor Perry of Grand Rapids who it seems while treasurer of that city had a deficit in the funds entrusted to his care. The Chronicle has no reason to doubt the sincerity of the legislature in passing such a law. However, it would have been a much wiser course to have given all parties concerned a fair hearing before the measure was finally adopted. This seems to be the idea which Gov.

be fixed when the law shall become pends on the care they get. The the goodwill of the reading public. operative, say thirty to sixty days Chronicle was fortunate in that reafter approval. I am aware that giv- spect. Not only was it born right, ing an act pimmediate effect is many but also received strong and healthy times construed as in the nature of a nourishment, which accounts for its acres; 180 acres under cultivation; good courtesy to the members who fathers lusty growth. We hope to see the day house, two large barns, good orchard, 130 acres seeded to timothy and clover

the bill but there is something beyond when the Chronicle will make another this—the rights of the people. Spring- forward stride, and become a full- Enquire of E. B. LANDON. ing a new law, almost without warn-

ing, upon the mass of the people, is not fair. I urge a return to the practice contemplated by the constitution, giving immediate effect only to such measures as are absolutely necessary. In legislation of a semi-emergency nature, fix a day far enough ahead when the act shall take effect to allow the law to be digested and permit its machinery to operate with as little friction as possible. All other acts in my judgment should not take effect until ic law of the state.

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son shall be eligible for appointment its second birthday on the 19th day of icle is a bit of history which, if ever fledged, all home print paper. This is fully told would make interesting what we are striving for and if down pecially to those who are fighting will reach the goal ere many years of

or has used such funds contrary to life's battle against heavy odds. Suf- the 20th century roll around. law, or whose surety or sureties or any fice it to say, the Chronicle has stood Our readers will notice by the pict-Drafts issued payable in any Country other person have made up any deficit the test, has redeemed its promises ures in this column, that we have a and is now a factor, in the journalistic new large press on which the Chron-

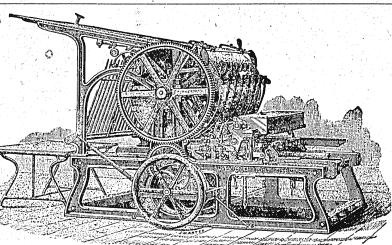
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#### Cass City, Mich., May 19, 1899.

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MARKET REPORT.

The Tone of the Market Is Steady in Nearly All Lines.

Detroit Apr. 18.-The produce market is steady in nearly all lines. Poultry is scarcer than usual thus far this week, and the feeling in the marke. \$16.50; mess, \$15; whort clear light,

ing slowly and cabbages are firm.

GENERAL PRODUCE. NEW POTATOES-\$2.50 per bushel. STRAWBERRIES-35c per quart. EGGS—Fresh receipts, 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c per doz.

MAPLE SUGAR-Prime. 10@11c per

oils-Raw linseed, 58c; boiled lin-

PROVISIONS-Family pork, \$16@

seed, 59c, less 1 per cent for cash in 10 days; turpentine, 40<sup>1</sup>c; extra lard oil, 72c; No. 1 lard oil, 46c; water white

Spring coughs are specially dangerkerosene, 91c; family grades, 11c; de-CABBAGES-\$1.25 @ \$1.50 per 100 lbs. ous and unless cured at once, serious results often follow. One Minute odorized stove gasoline, 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c. POPCORN-New, 1 @ IIc; old 2c per vEGETABLES—Asparagus, 40 @ 50c per bunch; beets, 50 @ 60c per doz; cu-cumbers, \$1.50 per doz; cauliflower, grade remedy. Amos Bond. LEMONS-California, \$2.50 @ \$3.25 per box. -\$1.50 @ \$1.75 per doz; lettuce 13c per CRANBERRIES-Cape Cod, \$2.50 per lb; head lettuce, 75 @ 80c per doz, PONTIAC. OXFORD & NORTHERN R. R. box. mushrooms, 45c per lb; pieplant, 45 @ SWEET POTATOES-Jersey, \$2.75 per PESSENGER TIME CARD. 50c per doz; tomatoes, \$4.50 @ \$5 per bbl six-basket crate. CHEESE-Full Michigan cream, 111 Trains run on Central Standard Time, WHEAT-Prices here a year ago were @ 114c per lb. 714c for No. 2 red wheat, 41c for No. 2 GOING NORTH ORANGES-California navels, \$2.25 GOING SOUTH. Fr't. Ps Mix'd STATIONS. Mix Pass. Frgt. No. 5 No3 N.1 corn and 30c for No. 2 white oats. @ \$3 per box. Exports of wheat and flour from At HONEY-No. 1 white, 15 (@ 16c; A. M. P. M. A. M. Detrolt P. M. A. M. P. M. 1 05 6 55 D G H & M 9 25 11 50 7 45 Mich. cen. 9 10 lantic ports were equal to 340,000 bu. light amber, 10@11c; dark amber, 8 Wheat receipts at primary points (a) 9c; extracted,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  (a) 7c per lb. today were 480,000 bu, against 312,000 8 39 5 15 8 15 PONTIAO 8 54 5 29 8 28 Eames\* 9 05 5 39 8 35 Cole DRESSED CALVES-Fancy, 7 @ 8c bu. a year agofair, 6 @ 6½c per lb.  $\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} 0.05 \\ 0.05$ The Open Board-Wheat-Cash No. POTATOES-Car lots, 28 @ 30c; store 2 red, 74%; May, 6,000 bu at 75c, offer-lots, 35c per bu. ed at 744c, 2,000 bu at 75c, 2,000 bu at APPLES-Best, \$3.50 @ \$4 per bbl; 74%c, 3,000 bu at 75%c, 5,000 at 74%c; cooking, \$2.75 @ \$3 per bbl. July, 74fc bid, 2,000 bu at 74fc; No. 3 ONIONS-Michigan, \$1.25 @ \$1.40 bu; Spanish, \$1.75 per crate; Havana, \$3 red, 724c; mixed red, 744c; mixed white, 74%; No. 1 white, 74% nomi per crate. OYSTERS-Standards, 17c; extra nal. Deford\* Cass City; Gagetown Owendale\* Link ville Pigeon Berne\* Caseville r. Ly conn-Cash No. 2, 431c; No. 2 yel-9 40 9 50 8 10 8 10 7 40 7 25 6 55 . M. low, 44c; No. 3, 44c. COFFEE-Package coffee, sold on the equality plan on a basis of \$12, less 75c CASS CITY MARKETS. M. PMP. M. A Cass City, Mich., Apr. 19, 1901. \*Flag stations. Trains stop only on signal. Trains No. 5 will run Monduy, Wednesday and Friday. No. 6 Thursday and Saturday All other trains daily except Sunday. Connections—Pontiac with Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwankee Ry; Oxford with **Bay** Oity division Mich. Central Ry; Imlay Oity with Ohicago & Grand Trunk Ry; Oliford with Flint & Pere Marquette. Ry; Pigeon with Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron Ry. W. C. SANFORD, Gen. Supt. BUTTER-State creamery, extra, 21 | Wheat, No. 1 white..... Wheat, No. 2 red..... (a) 22c; firsts 19 (a) 20c; seconds 18c; se-Rye, No. 2..... White oats, No. 2..... Hand picked beans..... 1 66 FEED—Jobbing prices are as follows: Barley, per cwt..... Eggs per doz..... middlings, \$18; cracked corn, \$17; Live hogs, per cwt...... 5 25 Butter..... Lambs.... A GREAT BLESSING. nay-No. 1 timothy in car lots, Dressed Veal.. .... ..... \$12.50 per ton; No. 2 timothy \$11@ Dressed Hogs..... 6 75 \$11.50; clover mixed, \$11 (@ \$11.50; Dressed Beef..... Jeanette F. Landrigan of this wheat and oat straw, \$5 @ \$5.50; rye chicken..... 6 place has received a draft for \$1000, Ducks ..... straw, \$7 per ton, car lots, on track. payment in full for a certificate FLOUR-Michigan patent; \$4.25; Turkey held by her husband in the Ancient Michigan clear, \$3.75; Michigan Hides, green..... Order of Gleaners. The deceased straight, \$3.35; Detroit made, spring received loans from his policy ROLLER MILLS. patent, \$4.20; Minnesota patent, \$4.20; White Lily, per bbl..... 4 00 while sick and as soon as the death Minnesota clear, \$3.20 per bbl. in job-Heller's Best per bbl..... 4 50 notice was filed \$175 was fowarded Pillsbury's Best..... 4 80 Graham flour per bbl. ..... 4 00 bing lots. for finneral expenses. The deceas-POULTRY-Dressed turkeys, 10@11c; ed had been a member of the Order Franulated meal, per cwt..... 1 50 five years and had paid in that time dressed chickens, 10½ @ 11c; dressed Feed per cwt ..... 1 00 fowls, 10 @ 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c per lb: live turkeys, Meal per cwt..... 1 00 but \$29.90 in assessments. The Bran per cwt..... Gleaners are making a record for 9 @ 10c; live ducks, 9 @ 10c; live geese, Middlings per cwt..... 9 @ 9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c; live chickens, 10c; live fowls, promptness Rye flour per cwt...... 2 00 Buckwheat flour per cwt..

white, 1 car at 29½c, 1 at 30c; sample, 1 is quite firm. Eggs are firm 124c. \$15.50; heavy, \$16.50; pure lard in tier- car at 304c. Butter is active and potatoes are mov- ces, 9c; kettle rendered, 91c; smoked RYE-Cash No. 2, 1 car at 56c. hams,  $11 @ 11\frac{1}{2}c$ ; bacon,  $10 @ 11\frac{1}{2}c$ : shoulders, 74 @ 8c; picnic hams, 8c per

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State of Michigan:

Gentlemen-It is provided by section 20, of article 4, of the constitu-Delivered at Your Home tion, that: "No public act shall take effect or be in force until the expira-- - - TRIAL, FREE! - - - tion of ninety days from the end of the session at which the same is passed, unless the legislature shall otherwise direct, by two-thirds vote of the members elected to each house."

> I have received 73 general acts, to 44 of which an immediate effect order was attached; 180 local acts, 169 of which were directed to take immediate effect, and one, Ypsilanti charter amendments, that by virtue of being ordered to take effect May 1, 1901, will become operative 26 days after approval. Altogether there have been received 253 acts, of which number 213 have been ordered to take immediate effect. I deem it my duty to bring to your

attention a practice which I believe. is an evil. It was clearly the intent battles which may be awaiting us. of the framers of the constitution that laws should not be given immediate legislature there were conditions existthe nature of an emergency. If this were not true, a two-thirds vote of the members elected would not have been made obligatory. In the language of the Supreme Court. "The purpose of this provision was to give the people time and opportunity to learn what changes were to be made in the law before those changes should come into operation."

Say Dear! Cousin Amy writes that all those

beautiful presents she received at her town, I'll call and see them.

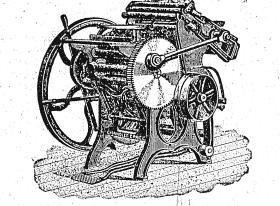
To interject a new law without nowedding came from Hendrick, the tice into the working of those already Cass City Jeweler. She says he han- on the statute books is hardly to be dles the most complete line of Jewelry | defended unless required by an emerto be found in the Thumb. Also gold gency. I do not question that cirand Silverware, Ebony Goods, Terra cumstances may exist requiring that Cotta Busts and Statuary. When in a law should take effect previous to the expiration of the ninety days period after the close of the session, and in such instances, if the emergency is

J. F. HENDRICK in such instances, if the emergency is not immediate, I suggest that a date

A TOWNSHIP LIERARY

4449 FAC SIMILE OF THE FIRST CHRONICLE.

not been faultless. Some of our read- equipped to do any kind of printing, ers even have scolded us for not hav- from a calling card to a full sheet standards, 20c; selects, 23c; extra seing worn their specs, and did not see poster. We believe in hard work and lected, 25c; counts, 30c rer can. things as they saw them-and yet the hope the hustling public will keep us Chronicle has weathered it through, busy. The Chronicle is not unmindand is stronger and wiser for future | ful of the encouragements given us by | per 100 lb case in New York. our brother editors in various parts of This issue speaks for itself. A lit- the state; also the goodwill shown us tle more than a year ago the Chron- | by the business men of Cass City, and | lect dairy 15 (a) 16c; fair grades 13c per effect unless in the judgment of the icle was a little fellow, and the proph- the cheering words spoken by our 1b; roll butter, choice, 14 @ 15c; good, ets of the land looked wise and pre- readers. We hope to be of sufficient 13c per lb. ing which might be construed as in dicted an early demise. To be sure, use in molding public opinion in the children may die early. It largely de- future, so as to merit at least in part Bran, \$17; coarse middlings, \$17; fine



CHANDLER & PRICE JOBBER.

SUPPLEMENT

### SCHOOL EXERCISES

#### A Fine Program Rendered by the Graduates of the Deford School.

A very pleasant and entertaining event occurred at Deford on Friday evening, April 12, when the gaduating class held their commencement exercises. The church was tastefully decorated and a fine program had been prepared. Rev. Morgan of Cass City gave the graduating address. His fair sample of how people allow themsubject was "Character Building," a fine llogical, inspiring subject, which was ably handled in Mr. Morgan's enthusiastic style.

The class consisted of Lottie Parks, Sarah Sargent and Ella Sargent. The progrom was as follows:

Music "America"Mrs. Goodrich	1
InvocationRev. Margan RecitationGladys Lewis	5
Recitation	1
Solo	J
Recitation Miss Irene Pinney	

Prof. Woolman is to be congratulated uphn the fine showing the school has made during the past year. His work is greatly appreciated.

#### TUSCOLA COUNTY NEWS.

Orville Swift of Caro owns a clock

A musical convention is to be held

notified that his recent proposition to the department for the renting of new quarters has been accepted and the change will be made July 2. The

purities from your system, cleanse your bowels, make them regular. Amos Bond.

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#### SOME THING EXTRAORDINARY.

Man is an inquisitive being. He is constantly probing into the future. In this respect he differs from the brute, and this fact constitutes one of the many evidences of the intelligent soul life and immortality. However as most people are more or less superstitious they are an easy prey for unscrupulous men who use curious arts and bewitch people for filthy lucre sake. The following letter which was received by a friend of ours is a selves to be humbugged.

Dear Friend:-As you were born on June 6, 1861, you were born under the Planet Jupiter (which signifies the gift of Justice) and the Zodiac Sign of Gemini: which was also the Sign of the Empress of Russia and to her famous people. Your next lucky years are to be the present year and 1003.

Gemini rules the arms and shoulders through life, therefore you will be liable to have more or less trouble with those members. You are also liable to throat, lung and nervous diseases, and owing to the last named trouble you should never worry and fret over small matters. This may appear hard for you, but if you have a proper knowledge of your life as manifested in a Full Life Horoscope, you will understand how easy it will be. Do not depend upon friends, as true and honest ones are few; always some

You are a natural lover of the opposite sex and will also defend a friend wrong. You seek pleasure and for

### Franklin Stock Co, Billed here

### Friday and Saturday Evenings, April 19 and 20.

Will present a new comedy drama entitled, "Germany Jake" or "True Blue." The scene is the home of a retired farmer in Virginia whose peace and quiet is destroyed for a time by the appearance of a scheming young man who induces the rich farmer to buy bogus mining stocks, and guaranteeing a lucrative position as overseer. During the transaction Jake Schneider (Germany Jake), fresh from Germany makes his appearance. He is looking for work and is nearly starved. He finally secures employment on the farm and recognizes in Henry Crinley theman who robbed him of all his money on his arrival at Castle Garden, whereupon the action of the play works with interest until the end of the fourth act when happiness is restored to the farmer and Maud Allen, the little waif who has been cruelly persecuted by Crinley, finds her long lost brother through the confession of Henry Crinley, who in his last moments begs the forgiveness of all who have been made wretched through his greed for gain.

Saturday evening, the standard realistic comedy drama, "Across the Rockies," depicting justice as it was dealt in the west at Cheyenne, Wyoming, twenty-five years ago. Neat, high-class specialties between acts both evenings. Refinement reigns supreme.



#### NIAGARA'S WONDERS.

POWER FROM THE GREAT FALLS FOR THE BUFFALO EXPOSITION.

Ningara Falls Citizens Preparing to Entertain a Few Extra Millions of People In 1901-Many Costly Improvements by the State.

Within 30 minutes' ride of the Pan-American Exposition are the falls of Niagara, the most magnificent and inspiring spectacle ever wrought by nature for the sight of man. Here, also, are to be seen the greatest electric power development in the world and bridges which are marvels of engineering. To see these natural and engineering wonders over a million people visit Niagara annually. These objects may be said to form a part of the Pan-American Exposition, situated as they are within such a short distance of it, and visitors will find it convenient as well as pleasant to include them in their Exposition itine ary. The trains of eight trunk lines of

railroad and the cars of a double track electric railway will run between the Exposition grounds and Niagara Falls. Visitors at the Exposition who may be pressed for time, but would not miss having a general view of the wonders of Niagara, may board an electric car at the station on the grounds, which will take them along the frontier, through the power district, the city of Niagara Falls and the reservation. across the new steel arch bridge spanning the gorge, past the falls, along the top of the cliff to Queenstown on the Canada side, across the suspension bridge to Lewiston on the American side, along the edge of the water and past the whirfpool in the great gorge to the reservation and back to Buffalo, the entire trip taking up less than three hours' time.

The people of Nlagara Falls are making preparations to accommodate such crowds as have never yet been seen at that famous resort. There are 150 hotels and hundreds of commodious restaurants, boarding and lodging houses in the city. Many of them are being enlarged for the anticipated Pan-American business. The city is adding to its many miles of asphalt pavement and park roads, and before the opening of the Exposition all of its principal thoroughfares will be in the finest imaginable condition for driving. A police patrol signal system is being installed, and the efficient police department will be recruited sufficiently to afford the most ample protection to visitors. Ordinances have been established governing the acts of all persons catering to visitors and fixing the fees for services rendered. In fact, the authorities and citizens generally of Niagara Falls, wide awake to the importance of the Exposition, are doing everything in their power to add to its success and glory.

The railroad companies are planning increased facilities for handling the enormous traffic expected. Their staa stone's throw of the falls. The different lines of the electric railway sysgance the drawing room cars of the steam railroads.

ing provided for the Pan-American visitors. A new steel and concrete bridge to span the rapids from the American mainland to Goat island, for the building of which the New York state legislature appropriated \$120,000. is in course of construction A new administration and shelter building is being erected at a cost of \$25,000. The old stone inclined railway building at Prospect Point will be razed to afford an unobstructed view of the falls from the park A broad stone staircase connecting Goat and Luna Islands, where the rainbows play and delight the visitor with their prismatic colors, has been built and new balconies for sightseers have been constructed. New beauty spots have been created by grading and seeding wherever the possibility was offered. A flock of sheep will wander at will on Goat island and add life to the beauteous scene. An automobile service in the reservation will be inaugurated. In the Canadian park many improvements are being made. Niagara Falls will be dressed in her finest for the Pan-American Exposition in 1901 Niagara is an ideal breathing spot. The parks are extensive liberally shaded and constantly visited by cooling breezes. No Exposition ever yet held has offered to the public an attraction equal to Niagara.

#### WEST VIRGINIA ALERT.

Governor Will Urge Appropriation to Have State Represented.

Governor Atkinson of West Virginia announces that he will embody in his next message to the legislature a recommendation for an appropriation to pay the expenses of the state commission having in charge the state exhibit for the Pan-American Exposition. West Virginia is one of the many states that are inviting capital and labor to come in and help develop their natural resources. With her 15,000 square miles of coal lands, her thousands of acres of hard wood forests, her wonderful stores of petroleum, her iron ore deposits and her great acreage of lands suitable for farming, stock raising and wool growing, she has much to offer in the way of exhibits and much to gain by bringing her resources properly before the world. It is expected that an exhibit will be made showing by maps and specimens, statistics and information of a general character what a newcomer-to the state may be able to do in the way of advancing the fortunes of himself and those who depend upon him. The millions of visitors to Buffalo next year will be interested in knowing what the possibilities are in all parts of the western hemisphere. The West Virginia commission is composed of Stuart W. Walker of Martins-burg, president; J. C. Morrison of Charleston, secretary; R. B. Battelle of Wheeling, treasurer; James M. Porter, Jr., of New Cumberland and E. E. Smith of Parkersburg.

#### Alfalfa a Good Crop.

I am persuaded that alfalfa is a good tions will be enlarged and trackage in- crop for some small farmers to grow as creased The International Traction a fertilizer, says an Ohio farmer. Judgcompany is creeting a large and hand- ing from our last year's experience, it some terminal station directly oppo- certainly pays; sowed in April with site the Niagara reservation and within oats. The oats cut in the fore part of July was quite an item for feed when hay was \$16 per ton. By the 1st of tem on the frontier-the finest in the September we cut the alfalfa for hay. world-are being equipped with new When killing frost came, it had again cars, possessing all modern improve- made a heavy growth. Suppose we ments and conveniences, some of them had not made any hay, but cut the al-50 feet in length, and equaling in ele- falfa and let it lie on the ground. By so doing how much fertility we would have added! Some of the alfalfa that was sown last spring has roots over two feet long. Most assuredly it would pay to "quit farming" just for one year and grow alfalfa.

Holding His Job For Illm. "Of all the excuses I have ever heard from people for not paying their bills," said a collector for a prominent firm the other day, "I got the neatest today from a very wealthy man who always owes the house a bill. No matter whether the bill is for \$10 or \$100, he always pays \$5. I have gone back the' next week and got \$5 more, and once I went back twice in one week, and he paid me \$5 each time and seemed glad to see me. I got to know him pretty well, and the other day I asked him why he did not pay it all, as I knew he had the money." "'Well,' said the old fellow, 'if I pay

you everything I owe you at one time you will collect so fast that pretty soon you will be out of a job for the want of something to collect.'

"I don't know whether that was his reason or not, but I let the subject drop and am just going around there now for another \$5."—Memphis Scimitar.

#### Gounod's Opinions,

Music is the most beautiful art. but It is the most detestable profession. But is not that right? That which belongs most to heaven should fare worst on earth.

The public moves much faster than the individual, and therefore the individual must place himself before his age if he desires not to be behind it. Wagner has some idea of this sort. It is a necessity which every true artist must realize. Great men may be said to be for every age save their own. Small men are for their own and none other.—"Reminiscences," in Macmillan's.

The baboons which frequent this BlackSmithing rocky country are so destructive to the stock farms that organized raids have to be made upon them. It is useless trying to get a shot at the baboon during the day; he is a wily creature and knows the deadly effects of a rifle just as well as the hunter.

Early in the morning the party leave the farm and quietly surround the kranz, or rock, where the unsuspecting baboons are sleeping. At the first break of dawn the head baboon is on the move, to see that everything is right. He no sooner makes an appear ance than he is greeted with a shower of lead. in an instant the whole troop is in an uproar. They rush hither and thither, howling with rage and pain, tooking for a place of escape. But few of them succeed. Directly the hunters have retired, the blacks, who have been following up the party, make a rush for the tails of the baboons. Sometimes they are in so great a hurry to secure these that they fail to observe that the baboon is not dead and an ugly bite or tear is the result. The tails are taken to the magistrate's office, where a reward of 2s. 6d. each is Laid for them by government.--Londor Chronicle.

#### Of Two Evils.

"Ruggles, I am sorry to hear you were burned out the other day. Did you lose all your household goods?"

"Yes, but we don't feel so awfully bad over it, Lumpkin. We expected to have to move next week anyway."-



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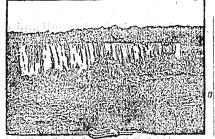
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She-That doesn't matter. The first month we can live on love, the second I'll begin to borrow things from mamma and about the third papa will get tired of it and come to the rescue. Stray Stories.



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parisons are possible. CONSULTATION FREE! and Strictly Private in Every Case.

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After examination, if your case is not curable, you will be so informed, and it costs you nothing.

#### FACTS FOR SICK PEOPLE.

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

Mars. Edna Johnson, of Detroit, who here been seriously afflicted with a comsinction of diseases for years, makes following unsolicited statement. like a boy than I have felt in tweniy File snys: "I wish to state that for years." Anderson Riggs of Sunny years I have been a great sufferer from Lane, Tex. Thousands have testified as did Mr. Riggs.—Amos Bond. with nervous debility. I would

**Tuscola County News** 

Our business men are hustling now adays in search of someone to build an Dance at Elisha Allen's on Friday elevator. Several parties have been good's. in town looking up a site and pros-

·Rev. Lohnes and wife are in Vassar pects are favorable for an elevator in the near future. Chauncey Howey of Kingston visit-Mrs. H. G. Thorndale and Miss Jennie Nelson left last Friday morn-Miss Sarah Sargent has gone Ellug for Chicago. Mrs. Thorndale will remain in Chicago, while Miss Nelson F. B. McCain has been quite busy will be joined by Mrs. Ella Maynard hanging paper for his neighbors this and son Newkirk who left here Mon-

day and from there they will go to Mr. and Mrs. Theron Spencer and the state of Washington. They expect to visit in several of the western states before their return. The Cope Entertainment held at Echo Hall last Friday night under

terred. The family have the sym- church, although not very largely attended was otherwise a grand success. Mr. Cope is an ideal entertainer and was assisted by some of Caro's best curred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. talent, also by Mrs. C. T. Purdy of D. A. Valentine when their daughter, Louisa, was united in marriage with this place. Mr. Cope expects to re-F. B. McCain. We extend our hearty turn soon and we hope he may be greeted by a full house.

Skin troubles, cuts, burns, scalds and chafing quickly heal by the use of DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve. It is KINGSTON Fine rain Wednesday. imitated. Be sure you get DeWitts. Mrs. J. B. Beverly is quite sick a Amos Bond. his writing.

DEFORD

ed friends here on Sunday.

Jas. Cooper's Sunday.

congratulations.

good now.

Sunday.

east of here.

fever, is no better.

the last of the week.

John Spitler's Friday.

ready to go to farming.

ington to stay for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spencer visited at

The largest funeral ever held in De-

ford was on Wednesday when the re-

A very pleasant home wedding oc-

ELMWOOD.

Clinton King, who is sick with the

pathy of the entire community.

evening.

this week

spring.

G. C. Veit made a business, trip to Pontiac Saturday. The saw mill will soon be ready to John Aikens is working at W. J.

Bill's mill this week. A good warm rain would do lots of N. H. Burns erected a windmill for Lyman Hill on Tuesday. John Axford is moving on his farm Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Millikin visited

at Marlette on Monday. W. P. Millikin of Lum visited riends in town this week.

Clyde King helped Burt Sprague I. S. Berman made a business trin to Clio and Detroit this week. The Wilson boys buzzed wood at G. E. Hopps started to grade the lette, were awakened by a bright light music. site for his large double store on Mon-

Everyone in this part is getting M. A. Smith is in Detroit this week | flames. It was only by the most hurpurchasing his spring and summer ried effort that they succeeded in get-Matt Parker and family were in Cass City Saturday night. zoods. Claude and Will Webster were in Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Best moved to

their farm at Kings Mills the first of saved. Most of Mr. Soper's papers W. A. Lockwood and wife were in the week. Caro on business last Wednesday. Messrs. Avery and Moyer have started to dig the cellar under the F.

Gifford building. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Clark visited relatives in Marlette on Monday and

Mr. and Mis. Ernest Ealy have just

south of town this week. A. A. P. McDowell of Cass City was think he is getting his share of troubin town Wednesday morning in the le in that line. He says that the fire

s expected home this week.

tile on the farm of Alfred Moyer.

ordered from Detroit.

John Delmore a young man employ- prayed that no liquor licenses would ed by one of our local grocers to drive be granted for the coming year. The Caro Journal published by a delivery wagon is confined in the counstock company composed of Montagues ty jail awaiting action of the authorities. It is alleged that he stole a has not been recognized by the post gold watch from the residence of Mrs. office department as a regular newspaper and is therefore required to place a Gibbs where he was sent to deliver one cent stamp on each copy mailed. The probable reason for this is that a

Thomas Dew, who is slightly delarge share of the space printed in the mented, and has been confined in the Journal office not occupied by an adcounty jail since Friday of last week, vertisement of some one of the stock was taken before the judge of probate holders is devoted to free advertising Wednesday for examination. The of the mistakes made by Postmaster judge issued an order that the young Fred Slocum and his employees which man be taken to the asylum at Pontiac and Sheriff Blinn left for that place with him to-day.

cum out of the box before this. Two petitions were presented at the Henry E. Putman, Mayville meeting of the council Wednesday Daisy Mae Myers, evening. One signed by many of the James N. Dorman, Cass City ratepayers asked that the necessary

Laura A. Wellwood, Marlette amount of money be spread on the tax Frederick Barnes, Vassar roll to buy the right of way through Minnie Lee, mains of Wm. McCracken were in- the auspices of the ladies of Grace this village for the Caro & Lake Hur- Charles W. Hartman, Detroit on railway. Petitioners on the other Mable Pattison, Caro



A young man who resides north of | by remodelling the doors and the in-Lexington and has a fine bird dog, terior. was overheard bragging to his best Judge William Dawson was in De-

girl the other day about the wonderful troit Saturday attending to some lekeen scent of the animal. "Why." gal business. he said. "I wanted to go to the north-

Harry J. Butler, principal of the western part of the county on busi-Carsonville schools, was a caller in ness, and fearing that the dog would town Saturday.

follow me I chained him up. I had Miss Mabel Epplett is spending her been gone two hours and was fifteen miles from home when he broke loose spare time assisting in the store of Corbishley & Co. during their spring and tracked me, found me merely by scent. What do you think of that?" | rush.

The township board of Custer met "Well, I think you ought to take a last Saturday and appointed John W. bath," charmingly replied the young lady. And then he went home and Scott health officer for the ensuing licked the dog.-Laxington News. vear.

At about three o'clock Sunday mor-Miss Mae Benedict has returned to ning Mr. and Mrs. Jeneroux Soperr, her home for a vacation after spendliving three miles southeast of Mar- ing the winter in Detroit studying

in their window and sprang out to E. S. DeCou is laving the foundafind the whole wing of the house in tion of a palatial residence which he will build next summer.

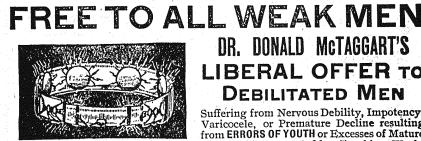
The livery business of Staley & ting their children out of the building Drandy has been dissolved. Mr. Staley and nothing in the furniture line was ontinues the business. Mr. Crandy has gone to Detroit for the present. were also burned, together with \$300 Allan McLaughlin is still confined in cash which he had taken in on Satto his home over an operation perurday. The house was practially new formed on his foot last week. The and was worth upwards of 1,800, which operation was rendered necessary by

will bring the loss up to about 3,000. A policy of \$1,800 was on the building an accident which occurred while and contents. There is no way of playing ball.

A dance was given last Friday evenknowing how the fire originated, it ing for the benefit of the foot ball was so far advanced before discovery, team. Sanilac Centre will commence to train for the coming fall so she can room since Sunday noon. About have a first-class ball team to compete with other towns of like inclination. The grocery business of James and Mr. Soper has every reason to Bourke has expanded to such proportions that he will put in a stock of has shown that he has lots of friends dry goods. Mr. Bourke started in who are not backward in extending modestly but a good business judgment has made his store venture a assistance when needed. The house will be rebuilt at once.-Marlette success.

A camp of Modern Woodmen of America was organized last Friday evening consisting Lof 30 members Officers elected are as follows: Consul, F. A. Bickle; advisor, James McLaugh-Will Sinclair of Gagetown visited lin; clerk, John Doyle; treasurer, By. ron Frasier; physician, G. S. Tweedie.





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Frank Hendlick and D. Chatman were in Cass City Saturday night. Mrs. Jas. Belknap sent her goods to Caro Monday to be shipped to Chicago. R. Webster moved his old house on Tuesday of this week. Monday to get ready to build a new one.

Homer and Luella Day of Fairgrove friends in Oakland, Co. called on friends here Saturday and Mrs. Ora Ostrander and daughter,

one, started Monday for an extended visit in Battle Creek and Chicago.

"I have been troubled with indigestion for ten years, have tried many things and spent much money to no purpose until I tried Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken two bottles and gotten more relief from them than all other medicines taken. I feel more

GAGETOWN.

### returned from a two weeks visit with though there had been no fire in that George Wallace is buzzing wood for eight years since a barn was struck by A. G. Millikin on his farm two miles lightning and burned near the house,

nterest of the Tidings. Alta Harris of this place, but who who has been visiting friends in Yale,

Messrs. Callaway and Taylor have ust finished their job of putting in.

M. R. Ring brought his planer from Monday. Mayvill this week. He is now wait-

ng for his gasoline engine which he his home here Sunday

Leader.

GREENLEAF James Campbell left for Buffalo on

have nervous spells every few days in which I would lose consciousness. Having treated with more than a dozen different doctors, with no benefit, I determined to try the Detroit Clinic, having had a number of friends who were cured there. I placed myself under treatment at the Clinic, and am happy to say that I improved right niong, and all of the distressing symp-tems have left me, and I most heartily recommend the wonderful treatment to all sufferers."-Edna Johnson.

Mr. Geoige Lancewood, of Mar-quetic, says: "I can never repay the Detroit Clinic for the great benefit I day. have received from them. When I commenced treatment' I only weighed 108 pounds, and had a distressing obugh and night sweats. After taking alx months' treatment I have gained twenty-three pounds: cough is all gone. and 1 am as well as ever., After two months' treatment I was well enough to resume my work, that of a stationary engineer, and have been at work since. The treatment did not interfere with my work."-George Lance-¥:000.

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

Mrs. L. C. Smith, of Detroit, was evid of Epilepsy (or fits) after having yéara.

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Leo Challis of Cass City had charge J. L. Purdy and wife visited in Caro of the depot here during G. C. Veit's Sunday and Monday. absence on Saturday. He returned to Grant Slocum of Caro was in town Cass City Saturday night. Wednesday on business. Mrs. Adelaide Hughes of Mecosta, Geo. Hopcroft and Jos. Ryan were Mich., a deputy from the Great Hive Cass City callers Sunday last. L. O. T. M., gave an Interesting ad-Ed Karr and Ed Bosley of Uniondress to a large number of Lady Macville were callers in town Tuesday. cabees here on Faiday evening. Lena Best was pleasantly surprised Will LeRoy and Miss Marie Fahrenkopf visited with friends in Caro Sunon Thursday evening at her home onehalf mile west of town by about thir-Rev. M. J. Crowley has been serious- ty of her friends. Numerous games ly ill for the past week but is slowly were indulged in, and all report a ple attended the dance at Archie Gilgood time. improving. Jas. Hunter, two miles north and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Striffler of Cass City attended services at Grace church one mile east of town, - was injured quite badly last week. While tearing Sunday last. down an old building, he ran a rusty James Dando has moved his housenail between his first and second finghold goods into the house recently ocer at the joint next to his hand on the cupied by H. G. Thorndale. left hand causing an ugly wound. Dr. Loyd McGinn is building an addi-Bates dressed the wound and Mr. tion to his house. Loyd will have a Hunter is doing nicely at present. fine residence when completed. Mr. and Mrs. C. T, Purdy and Prof. You will waste time if you try to cure indigestion or dyspepsia by stary-Eddy visited with friends' and relaing yourself. That only makes it worse when you do eat heartily. You always need plenty of good food proptives in Caro Sunday and Monday. Naaman Karr has sold his house and lot recently purchased of F. D. Hemlot recently purchased of F. D. Hem-erick to his brother, Rev. M. P. Karr of Utica, Mich. of Utica, Mich. H. A. Gifford is getting material on the ground for a fine dwelling on Gage dread to be the solution of the so

CARO.

Miss Alberta Gage, who has been Geo. Marvin, a resident of the counvisiting at her home for the past ty for many years, died Friday and was buried here Sunday. where she is employed as nurse in the

Revival services have been held each evening and bible readings each after-Dr. Wm. Morris has carpenters renoon of this week in the Methodist modeling and fitting up the building west of his office for a drug store. The church.

same will be ready for the stock in W. J. Moore, the telephone man of this place, has the distinction of being about four weeks. the first owner of an automobile in Amasa Coon, our genial postmaster,

Tuscola county. is moving his household goods to his About 25 workmen are employed at farm south of town, where he will hereafter be found tilling the soil. the sugar factory cleaning and put-Miss Ada Coon will have charge of ting the machinery in order for next the office.

week in Argyle. own Monday.

season's campaign.

Farmers are taking advantage of Sadie McGillvray of Jackson, Mich., the dry weather to plow and seed is visiting friends in town. Some have sheared their sheep al-James McNeil of North Burns visitready, some are building barns, waited friends here last week. Frank Brown of Cumber was the guest of Mary McPhail Sunday. Mr. Traver and daughter, Minta, rain. of Cass City were callers in town Tuesday. Neil Sinclair left for Kinde Saturday after a two weeks visit with his friends. A large number of our young peolies's and report a good time. FREIBURGERS. Spring rain at last. Joseph Bulla will erect a new bank barn this season. A. C. Graham has sold a fine bay mare to Mr. O'Brien. The Maccabees will hold open review on Saturday evening. Edward Periso is preparing to build to the sheriff of the county who is re-

modern brick residence. James Hunt is turning his house and putting a foundation under it. Mrs. Edwards and daughter of Ubly were callers on friends in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Thos. Pollard, Jr., left Thurs- Court, Robert N. Montgomery, 3252; day to join her husband in the upper peninsula.

Supervisor Schiestel is calling with a yard or two of questions concerning sioner of Schools, Charles G. Putney, invisible chattels, etc.

Miss Lila Watson of Detroit, who has charge of Mrs. Graham's millinery Abraham Cameron, Buel store at Argyle will spend Monday, Annie Topping, Wednesday and Friday at this place after this week and the balance of the

SANILAC CENTER.

William H. Epplett is indisposed at Leo Sweet, Forester Armena Grabenstein, Marion

the present time with la grippe. F. E. Kelley is improving his house | Minnie Marquette, Croswell

ing for a good shower of rain before starting spring work. Fall wheat and grass are at a standstill for want of Carpenters and masons are in such demand that much work is delayed for the want of help. The carpenters have taken advantage of this demand in asking for higher wages. Some farmers have undertaken the construction of their barn wall rather than wait until they can get help. The supervisors of Custer and Watertown have commenced their annual assessment. This year they ask for no sworn statements except on personal property and ask for the dogs as of old. The dog tex is assessed by the supervisor and collected by the town-ship treasurer. The dog collar and wery description, Blankets of all kinds and prices. tag are furnished by the treasurer. If the tax is not paid returns are made HALTERS FROM

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McBride, 191; Shepherd Cowles, 48; Allen C. Adsit, 1014. For Commis-Have you tried the celebrated

3337; James A. Muma, 1066. Circuit Court amendment, yes, 1358; no, 2253.

William Hilbor, Speaker Gertrude Williamson, Speaker Sylvester Powell. Fremont Maro Esket,

Daniel Cramp, Argyle Agnes Moore, Moore John Workmon of Forester was in William Law, Speaker Maud Vansickle. "

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CHAPTER VI.-(Continued.) "A little, I confess. A strange ac- queen" declared, emphatically. "And knowledgment, you will say for a man how you could compare him for one who has spent his seasons regularly moment with that insipid earl I canin London for a number of years; but not imagine-a creature who dreams so it is. Circumstances alter cases, you know, and I have a fancy to see to night beyond his horses and the cor-Miss Mabel and Miss Sylverton, andand you in ball costume."

"You cannot imagine anyone half so charming as I look in mine," said Miss Trevanion, with gay audacity; "in fact the other two you mentioned are 'nowhere,' when I appear. And, if you Mon't believe this statement, you may Judge for yourself the night after next. So that is why you are thinking a lit-'tle about it-eh?'

at if I dared. For instance, I would up until dawn, Mabel? Because I am mever cease dreaming of it from the not; and so I should advise you to moment until then, if you would only promise me the first waltz."

"But, at that rate, consider how stupidly insipid you would be for the next two days. I would not have it on my something to mamma about calling toconscience to be the means of reducing you to such a state of imbecility. And, beside, you don't deserve anything at my hands, as you have not told me the "something else' you spoke of when we first met at the cottage."

"Perhaps if I told you you would be angry," he said.

"What should there be in your thoughts to cause me anger?" she answered-and just a degree of the light buoyancy that had been animat-Ing her voice ever since they began their walk faded out of it, and did not return

Well, then, as I stood at the cottage boor before entering I heard Mrs. Eempsey tell you of a report she had heard-a report that gave you in marmiage to Lord Lyndon. I was thinking of that when you first spoke to me, and wondering-" He stopped abruptly, and, turning looked at her with eyes full of wild entreaty. "Tell me" he said, almost fiercely, "is it true?"

They were inside the gates of King's Abbott by this time and were rapidly nearing the house. Already the grand, beautiful old mansion appeared at instervals, gray and stately, through the intersecting branches of the lime trees beneath which they walked. Miss Trevanion's face had subsided from its expression of gay insouciance into its asual settled look of haughty impenestrability and, gazing at her, Denzil Kelt his heart grow cold and dead with-In his breast, as hope fled and dull despair crept into fill its vacant place. "By what right do you dare to question me on such a subject?" she asked, her voice low but quick with anger. And he answered, with sad truthful-

ness-"By none. I have no right." After which they continued their

walk in utter silence until the hall door was reached, when, drawing back to allow her free entrance, he said, with a faint trembling in his tones: "And about that waltz, Miss Trevanlon-may I have it?"

"No," she answered with cold distinciness-"I have almost promised it to another," and went past him into the house without further look or word.

CHAPTER VII. The ball was over and Mabel had gene to her sister's room to discuss the events of the evening.

"It was a delicious evening, wasn't it?" began Mabel, enthuisiastically settling herself comfortably opposite her sister's fire.

| deal worse than marry him," of nothing, I do believe, from morning rect treatment of his pug. Now Denzil, on the contrary, though quite as much up in horseflesh as my lord is,

has the good breeding to suppress his knowledge-in the drawing-room at all events." "There, there—if it has come to

'breeding,' we won't follow up the subject," interrupted Miss Trevanion, impatiently. "I don't find it sufficiently interesting to care to watch for "I would think a great deal about daylight over it. Are you going to sit get to bed at once, unless you wish to look like a ghost in the morning. By the bye, that good-looking new ad-

mirer of yours, Mr. Roy Blount, said morrow, did he not?" "Yes-I don't know. It is cruel of

me to keep you up like this," stammered Mabel, with a faint blush, starting to her feet as she spoke; "you are looking quite pale and wan. I am afraid, after all, Milly, you found the ball a bore; and here have I been teasing you about it. Good-night." "Good-night, my darling," returned Miss Trevanion, suddenly, kissing her

with rapid, unexpected warmth. After this they separated for the night and got to bed, and dreamed their several dreams of joy or sorrow, as the case might be.

Sir George and his wife, in their room, at about the same time as the foregoing conversation had been held, were having a few words together on the same subject. "Well, Carry" said Sir George, "you

were wrong, I think, my love; I don't believe Denzil Younge is as much taken with Mabel as you gave me to understand, eh?" 'no, but he is dreadfully in love with not conquer it.

Mildred," his wife said. "Well, nothing could be better." "Nothing could be worse, you mean." "Why ?"

"Because she will refuse him." "In the name of patience, for what?" demanded Sir George, explosively. "Is it because he is rich, handsome, and

prosperous?" "No; but simply because his father has sold cotton."

"Fiddle-de-dee!" exclaimed Sir George, with great exasperation, and

he strode up and down the room twice with rapid, hasty footsteps. "Look here, Carry," he then said, "something must be done. My affairs altogether are in a very critical state; Bolton told me so in as many words the other day. He said that I could not weather the storm much longer-that I had not, in fact, a leg to stand on (these were his

own words, I assure you)-that money must be got somehow, and so on. And where the deuce am I to get ready money, do you suppose? Every method of procuring it that I know of has been used up long ago. I see nothing but absolute ruin staring me in the face.

And here is this willful girl actually throwing away fifty thousand pounds a year-every penny of it!"

By this time Sir George was greatly excited, and was pacing up the carpet and down again. Lady Caroline had ubsided into silent weeping "Well, well, there is no use in anticipating evils," continued her husband, presently; "perhaps-who knows?-affairs may brighten.'

anion as Marguerite stood revealed. Denzil-who begged hard to be allowed to withdraw from the entire thing, but whose petition had been scoffed at by Mabel and Miss Sylverton -as Faust, and Lord Lyndon as Mephistopheles, enlivened the back-

ground. Mildred herself, with her long fair hair, plaited and falling far below her waist, with the inevitable flower in her hand with which she vainly seeks to learn her fate, and with a soft innocent smile of expectation on her lips, formed a picture at once tender and perfect in every detail. At least so thought the spectators, who, as the curtain fell, concealing her from their view, applauded long and heartily.

After this followed Miss Sylverton and Charlie in the "Black Brunswicker," and Mabel and Roy Blount as Lancelot and Elaine, which also were much admired and applauded. Then came "The United Kingdom,' when Frances Sylverton, as "Ire-

land," undoubtedly carried off the crown of victory. Perhaps altogether Miss Sylverton might have been termed the great success of the evening. The tableau terminated with a scene from the court of Louis XIV, the dresses for which, as for most of the others,

were sent from London. After the tableaux followed a ball. to effect a change of raiment for which soon caused the rapid emptying of the

impromptu theater. Denzil, who scarcely felt in humor for balls or any other sort of amusement just then, passed through the library door which opened off the late scene of merriment, and sunk wearily

into an arm-chair. He was feeling sadly dispirited and out of place amidst all the gayety surrounding him; a sense of miserable depression was weighing him down.

growing almost past endurance, as he cling to the one great doctrine that witnessed the apparently satisfied manner in which she accepted his lordship's marked attentions. He hated himself for this fatuity-this meanness, as it appeared to him-that compelled him to love and long for a wom- all others is the sunshine of religion. an who showed him plainly every hour of the day how little she valued either

him or his devotion. Still he could As these thoughts rose once more unbidden to his mind and took possession of him, he roused himself determinedly, and getting up from his chair threw out his arms with a quick im-

pulse from him, as though resolved upon the moment to be free. (To be continued.)

CUT OFF HIS WOODEN FOOT. Man Caught in Trap and No One to

Help Him, John McLeod of Milford, Me., employed as a scaler on the lumbering operations in township 31, had a strange experience recently. He was caught in a bear trap, and was obliged to cut off his foot with a jackknife. Fortunately, he had a wooden leg, and the operation was not painful. He was going from one landing to an-

other, and thought to cut off part of such a way that he could not reach

the springs to release himself. The hand. She said, "My darling, what are

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Washington, April 14 .- In this discourse Dr. Talmage sets forth religion as an exhilaration and urges all people to try its uplifting power; text, Proverbs iii, 17, "Her ways are ways of pleasantness.'

LIGION" THE THEME.

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

An aged Christian minister said: When I was a young man I knew everything. When I got to be 35 years of age, in my creed I had only a hundred doctrines of religion. When I got to be 40 years of age, I had only 50

doctrines of religion. When I got to be 60 years of age, I had only ten doc-

trines of religion, and now I am dying at 75 years of age, and there is only of my belief and that part of my beman is a sinner and Christ is his Almighty and Divine Savior.

Now, I take these three or four in the first place and dominant above When I go into a room, I have a passion for throwing open all the shutters. That is what I want to do this

morning. We are apt to throw so much of the sepulchral into our religion and to close the shutters and to pull down the blinds that it is only through here and there a crevice that the light streams. The religion of the Lord Jesus Christ is a religion of joy indescribable and unutterable. Wherever I can find a bell I mean to ring

If there are any in this house this farmer replied, "It will be such weathmorning who are disposed to hold on to their melancholy and gloom, let that?" asked the other. "Well," said them now depart this service before the fairest and brightest and the most as pleases the Lord, and what pleases radiant being of all the universe the Lord pleases me." comes in. God's Son has left the world but God's daughter is here! Give her room. Hail princess of heaven! Hail, daughter of the Lord God Almighty! Come in and make this house thy throneroom

In setting forth this idea the domithe distance by taking the bank of the shine. I hardly know where to begin, nant theory of religion is one of sun-Athabasca stream. And he got into a for there are so many thoughts that bear trap, which closed upon his wood- rush upon my soul. A mother saw her en leg with a snap, and held him in little child seated on the floor in the sunshine and with a spoon in her

spot was far from the camps or logging you doing there?" "Oh," replied the roads, and John was in quite a predic- child, "I am getting a spoonful of this ament. But the situation was joyful sunshine." Would God that today I easily as a school girl in botanical leseven compared with what it might might present you with a gleaming sons pulls the leaf from the corolla! have been had he been blessed with chalice of this glorious, everlasting What a place to study architecture, two good legs, or even if he had been gospel sunshine!

THE UPLIFTING POWER OF REinere is a useless woman. in perfect health. There is an industrious and consecrated woman a complete invalid. Explain that. There is a bad man, with \$30,000 of income. "Her Ways Are Ways of Pleasantness" -From the Book of Proverbs, Chapter There is a good man with \$800 of income. Why is that? There is a foe of III, Verso 17-The Sunshine of the broslal. Come, Lowell Mason; come, society who lives on, doing all the Isaác Watts. Give us your best hymn damage he can, to 75 years of age, and about joy celestial. here is a Christian father, faithful in What is the use of postponing our every department of life, at 35 years of age taken away by death, his fam-

heaven any longer? Let it begin now, and whosoever hath a harp, let her ily left helpless. Explain that. Oh, thrum it, and whosoever hath a trumthere is no sentence that oftener drops pet, let him blow it, and whosoever from your lips than this: "I cannot hath an organ, let him give us a full understand it. I cannot understand diapason. They crowd down the air; spirits, blessed, moving in calvacade of Well, now religion comes in just at triumph. Their chariot wheels whirl that point with its illumination and its in the Sabbath sunlight. They come!

explanation. There is a business man Halt, armies of, God! Halt, until we who has lost his entire fortune. The are ready to join the battalion of week before he lost his fortune there pleasures that never die! were, 20 carriages that stopped at the Oh, my-friends, it would take a serdoor of his mansion. The week after mon as long as eternity to tell the joys he lost his fortune all the carriages that are coming to us. I: just set open you could count on one finger. The the sunshiny door. Come in, all ye week before financial trouble began disciples of the world who have found people all took off their hats to him as the world a mockery. Come in; all yes he passed down the street. The week disciples of the dance, and see the his financial prospects were under disbounding feet of this heavenly gladness. Come in, ye disciples of worldly amusement, and see the stage where kings are the actors and burning words vent people just jolted their heads as the footlights and thrones the spectacall, and the week the sheriff sold him is the morning of resurrection. The ular. Arise, ye dead in sin, for this joys of heaven submerge our soul! I store windows as they went down past pull out the trumpet stop. In Thy

There are hundreds of people who

are walking day by day in the sublime satisfaction that all is for the best, all things working together for good for one thing I know and that is that their soul. How a man can get along Christ Jesus came into the world to through this life without the explanasave sinners." And so I have no- tion is to me a mystery. What! Is ticed in the study of God's word and that child gone forever? Are you nev-His one thought was Mildred; his one in my contemplation of the character er to get it back? Is your property deep abiding pain, the fear of hearing of God and of the eternal world that gone forever? Is your soul to be bruisher engagement to Lyndon openly ac- it is necessary for me to drop this part ed and to be tried forever? Have you For the past week this pain had been lief as being non-essential, while I tion, and yet not a maniac? But when you have the religion of Jesus Christ in your soul it explains everything so far as it is best for you to understand. You look off in life, and your soul is leaves of my theology, and I find that full of thanksgiving to God that you are so much better off than you might

> arranges all the weather in this world -the spiritual weather, the moral weather, as well as the natural weather. "What kind of weather will it be

er as I like." "What do you mean by the farmer, "it will be such weather

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

A Place for Study.

And geology! What a place that will be to study geology when the

complained about anything. If all this TUTU is before us, who cares for anything but God and heaven and eternal WISCONSIN SENATOR MAY BE brotherhood? Take the crape off the PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE. doorbell. Your loved ones are only away for their health in a land; am-

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OF SPUUNER.

(Washington Letter.)

The eyes of some of the political prophets are on Senator John C. Spooner of Wisconsin. They think he is good presidential timber and has an excellent chance of succeeding Mc-Kinley. Spooner is an interesting figure. He is small of stature, quick and fiery in debate and one of the most independent men in the senate. He has been the ablest and most eloquent

defender of the present administration in the great crisis of the last few years and at the same time has shown the most independence. He threw down the guantlet to Senator Hanna and refused to regard the ship subsidy bill as a party measure.

A Powerful Debater. Spooner is called the little giant of debate in the senate. He does not speak often. He is reserved for emergencies and when he speaks there is a full senate to hear him. He has all the attributes of the orator and, coupled with these, all the methods of a great lawyer. These combined make presence there is a fullness of joy; at: him the most invulnerable debater in the senate. He has the fire of Tillman and the culture of Jones, the quiet wit of Mason and the profundity of Hoar; the eloquence of Depew or Foraker and the exactness of statement of Platt or Connecticut, or Hale of Maine. In debate he combines all the qualities of all the other forcible men in the senate and with all these attributes he has more independence than most of them. When there are differences of opinion, he holds to his own.

An Unmanage ible Article.

Spooner's one weakness as a presidential possibility is his unwillingness to be managed. Should he ever become a candidate for president his mana-Louis Becker, an Explorer, Wishes His, and allow him to think he was going his own sweet way when being most managed. If he discovered that he was ing after half a century of traveling not acting on his own judgment, or became suspicious that he was playing

Spooner is an Indianan by birth, but has been a resident of Wisconsin since 1859. He was educated there, enlisted to resting places on many lands. He in the Union army there, carried a musket in the ranks, and afterwards commanded a company in a Wisconsin In addition to his love of travel Mr. regiment; was brevetted major at the close of service and became private

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civilized and barbarous. For fifty years JOHN C. SPOONER. he went wherever his interest attract-Fairchild. He began his law practice ed. He was one of the first converts in the Wisconsin woods, at Hudson to the idea of cremation, and he helpwas elected to the legislature, and after ed to establish the first crematory in. that was known only as a promising Germany, at Gotha.-E: lawyer until he was elected to the United States senate in 1885. He attracted attention in the senate as an Photographing Jewelry, Photographing jewelry as a means orator in his eulogy in memory of the of its protection is likely to become "Black Eagle of Illinois" when Senator popular now that the picture of a valu-John A. Logan died. That eulogy able diamond brooch led to its recogstamped Spooner as one of the men of nition and recovery. But it is doubtrare excellence in the American conful if there is one woman among ten gress, and he has not disappointed his who owns costly jewelry that ever admirers since, whether he spoke from, thought of taking this precaution. One the heart deep sentiments or took up photographer who takes many picthe grave and intricate discussion of tures of women of wealth in New York constitutional rights or international; said the other day that few of them ever law. He has neither the commanding presence nor the full volume of voice their jewelry, since it had become the given to other men who measure words style to wear less jewelry than formwith him in debate, but his speech commands by reason of the great matriculate you into the royal college there was scarcely on any of their thoughts clothed in graceful language, the sound logic, and the knowledge of originals jewelry that amounted to law at his command. What a sublime thing it was that more than a few hundred dollars in Ruled by a Drummer. When Spooner ran for governor of Wisconsin about a dozen years ago the dollars. In England the custom of party managers could not govern him. wearing jewelry in photographs is There was only one man who could much more prevalent than it is in New travel with him in that campaign and York. Pictures of English women of make suggestions with the voice of auwealth and position usually display thority. That man was an old comthe entire contents of their jewelry mercial traveler-a big fellow who had boxes, and their tiaras, stomachers for many years studied the art of selland necklaces are frequently conspicuing plows and reapers to the farmers. He cared nothing for books and never means of identification were they bothered himself about the constitution stolen, although thieves rarely dare or the principles of law, but he knew to keep such things intact for even men, and he knew Spooner better than the briefest time. American women any of the political managers. He owning valuable jewelry are not likely could take the great lawyer and statesto possess any photographs of it, unless man by the arm, lead him away from they were especially taken. And that those who irritated him with sugprecaution has so far been observed gestions, and tell him exactly what he in few cases .- New York Sun. should do and say to the particular crowd he was to meet that day, and Spooner would follow his directions, A Judge as an Inventor. Judge Waltner of Wapakoneta, O., unconscious that he was being manhas distinguished himself by inventing aged, or rather unconsciously surrenda hydraulic disappearing safe operated ering the workings of his mental maon the principle of the disappearing chinery to the direction of a man who gun. The safe, controlled by hydraurepresented the practical and earthy in the ordinary humdrum existence of lic power, is lowered into a fifteen-foot well at night. When it touches bottom every day life. The commercial travelockwork mechanism starts it toward eler was the antithesis of Spooner in the top, which is reached about the everything and he could manage Spooner. Another senator or great time it is wanted for business the next morning. Judge Waltner does not lawyer making such suggestions as he think robbers could accomplish anymade would have invited discussion thing by tunneling to the safe. The and Spooner's mental machinery would judge has applied for a patent, have antagonistically begun work on but what if the machinery should be dean analysis of each and every arguranged some night and the safe left ment advanced. But here was a man who in no way suggested the antagonat the bottom of the well? ist or rival, who could be argued with on any point. There was no common A new military law of Peru makes ground for argument or reasoning. every citizen liable to compulsory ser-Spooner listened and obeyed. has five classes, the regular, supernu-The modical fo

shine! be. A man passed down the street without any shoes and said: "I have no shoes. Isn't it a hardship that I have no shoes? Other people have shoes. No shoes, no shoes!" until he saw a man who had no feet. Then he learned a lesson. You ought to thank God for what he does instead of grumbling for what he does not. God

today?" said someone to a farmer. The

Oh, the sunshine, the sunshine of

through Africa, and over all countries,

this city. After retirement he started' to explore the world. His friends say he was one of the first white men to explore the Sandwich islands. He went

cussion people just touched their hats without anywise bending the rim. The week that he was pronounced insolthey passed, not tipping their hats at out all his friends were looking in the

him.

All Is for the Best.

Thy right hand there are pleasures forevermore.

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

Brighter than angels, lo, they shine, Their glories splendid and sublime! My soul anticipates the day;

Would stretch her wing and soar away; To aid the song, the palm to bear, And bow; the chief of sinners, there. Oh, the sunshine, the glorious sun-

TO THE WINDS OF HEAVEN.

Louis Becker, of Brooklyn, N. Y., dy-

and exploring in many parts of the earth, asked that his body be cremated a part, he wouldn't play. and that his ashes be strewn to the four winds upon the high seas, perhaps to be borne by them, at their pleasure, had frequently said he wished his ashes to keep on traveling after his death. Becker was an enthusiast for cremation, and one of its first advocates. In: and military secretary to. Governor death he was true to his two great passions. In his will Mr. Becker laid upon his twin brother, 86 years old, the obligation of strewing the ashes upon the Atlantic ocean. The body has already been cremated, and in a few weeks the brother and an old friend will scatter the ashes broadcast to the four winds. Mr. Becker died on February 24 at his home, No. 52 St. Felix street, Brooklyn. He left by his will \$35,000, but that, it is said, is but, a tithe of the fortune he made in the chemical business years ago. Most of it was spent on expeditions to odd corners of the earth. Mr. Becker was born in Westphalia, Germany. In 1837 he started a ohemical business in

"Very like all balls, I think," Miss Trevanion answered-"a mixture of bad dancing, unhealthy eating, and time-worn compliments-a little sweetness and no end of blitterness."

"Then you didn't enjoy yourself?" said Mabel, with disappointment in her tone.

"Oh, yes, I did, immensely. Can anything be pleasanter, more heartstirring, than to hear your own praises sounded until long after midnight, all in the same drowsy tone?"

"Of course, you refer to Lord Lyndon. Then why did you dance so much with him?"

"To see how much of him I could endure-to see how much wretched dancing and idiotic nonsense I could put up with during one evening, I suppose. Besides"-with a mocking laugh-"have you forgotten, my dear Mabel, what an excellent thing it would be if Lord Lyndon should be graciously pleased to bestow upon me his hand and-ah!-fortune? Just fancy what a close. Nearly a month had elapsed a blessing it would be to the familya real live lord as son-in-law, brother-

in-law and husband! "Nonsense, Mildred; don't talk like that. I have to hear such speeches. A make up for everything; and you and Denzil were immense favorites. would be the last girl in the world to Sir George, too, seemed sorry at the sell yourself to any man."

say what may happen?" Miss Trevanion said, dreamily.

"Of course you would be," Mabel acquiesced, cheerily. "And now, talkyou to stigmatize all the dancing tonight as bad. Why, Denzil Younge is arguing, the "something," in the shape an excellent dancer."

"I didn't dance with him," Mildred ssaid, coldly; and then, after a slight pause, "He is not in love with you then, after all, Mabel?"

"In love with me!" echoed Mabel. 'Well, that's the calmest thing I have ever heard! Surely, my dear Mildred, you would not require any poor man to be in love with two sisters at once:" "I don't understand you," said Mildred.

"Don't you? I should have thought This infatuation for another member of this household was pretty apparent by this time."

"I nope he is not in love with me, if that is what you mean," Mildred exclaimed, with some show of irritation. "Why?" demanded Mabel.

"Because, should he ask me to marry him-which is a most unlikely thing to eccur," said Mildred in a low voice-" should refuse."

"If she would even encourage Lord Lyndon," said Lady Caroline.

"Ay, just so," returned Sir George; "but how she could throw over Younge for such a heavy substitute as Lyndon passes my comprehension. Besides, Lyndon's rent-roll is barely twenty thousand a year-not even half the other's.'

"Still, I think that would do very nicely," put in Lady Caroline, meekly. "If she could only be induced to look kindly on any one, I should be satisfied."

"So should I, so long as the 'some one' had Denzil's money," observed Sir George, and went back to his dressingroom.

CHAPTER VIII. The Younges' visit was drawing to

since their arrival, and Mrs. Younge began to speak seriously of the day that should see them depart. This she mentioned with regret-a regret audibly shared in by most of the young title is all very well, but it doesn't Trevanions, with whom the elder pair

prospect of so soon losing his old "The very last perhaps; but who can schoolfellow, while Lady Caroline, glancing at the son-in-law whom she would so gladly have welcomed, sighed a disappointed sigh with all sincerity. "We must give a ball, or something, ing of dancing, it is most unfair of before their departure," whispered Sir George to his wife; and, after much

> of tableaux vivants, with a dance afterward, won the day. When at length the night arrived,

King's Abbott was in a state of confusion impossible and hopeless to describe, the most remarkable feature in the whole case being that nobody seemed in a proper frame of mind, the predictions, an oceanic turbine vessel spirits of all being either too high or would be so economical as to have too low to suit the part allotted them, so that a sensation of mingled terror well as coal, and be able to thrash and delight prevailed through every dressing room in the house.

There had been numerous meetings and rehearsals, for the most part pleasurable, although here and there disputes had arisen about trifles light as air, and everything had been arranged on the most approved principles.

The guests were assembled in the drawing-room, facing the foldingdoors, behind which, in a small back apartment, the stage had been erected.

Well, I think you might do a great the audience showing evident signs of others a piece of it.

aught by the other. As it was, he whipped out his jackknife, and in a short time had whittled himself clear,

leaving a considerable portion in the trap. This he got out without much difficulty, and, taking it under his arm, with the aid of a stout stick as a cane hobbled to the camp. But Mr. McLeod has bitter thoughts and is very angry with himself. After he had told the story to the crew the little French 'cookee" observed: "Why you no take off your whole wood laig-ah? You get out um thrap, and no spile you wood laig 'tall-ah?" It never occurred to John that he might have unstrapped his wooden limb, and when he thinks of it he grits his teeth and carves away the more vigorously upon the new leg he is making.

FUTURE SEAS SPEED.

Efficiency of Steam Power Afforded by the Turbino System. Prof. Thurston, the greatest living authority on the steam engine, has recently given it forth as his opinion

that the steam turbine of the Parsons or De Laval type combines within ithighest thermal efficiency of any form of Prof. Thurston must be somewhat reciprocating engine. When we add to Prof. Thurston's declaration the fact | ten years. Every day of their existthat the Parsons Marine Steam Turbine company has contracted for a river steamer 250 feet long for Clyde ser-

the construction of a large deep-sea alive. boat, the prospect of the new means of marine propulsion exemplified in the

Turbinia and the Viper would seem to have a brilliant future. But there is rate of even thirty knots an hour? Ex-

A woman who has no mind of her Already were the younger members of own to speak of is the first to give

Sunshine of Christianity. First of all, I find a great deal of

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

There is a terrible reaction from all sinful amusement and sinful merriment. Such men are cross the next day. They snap at you on exchange or

they pass you, not recognizing you. Long ago I quit mere worldly society for the reason it was so dull, so inane and so stupid. My nature is voracious of joy. I must have it.

the street, and for that reason I have self the greatest simplicity and the crossed over into Christian society. I of steam power. Such a statement as like their style of amusement better. like their mode of repartee better. I this from an authority of the weight They live longer. Christian people, I sometimes notice, live on when by all disconcerting to Mr. Thorneycroft and natural law they ought to have died. lifted both hands, something supernattion on the inherent superiority of the sinued in their existence when the doctor said they ought to have been dead shine. ence was a defiance of the laws of anatomy and physiology, but they had this supernatural vivacity of the gosvice, and that they are contemplating pel in their soul, and that kept them

The Question of Self Dental.

I know there is a great deal of talk about the self-denials of the Christian. another side of the picture. Supposing tian has one self denial the man of the world has a thousand self denials. The Christian is not commanded to surroom for cargo during her voyage, as But what does a man deny himself her way across the Atlantic at the Christ? He denies himself pardon for would the rivets of the vessel stand the science, he denies himself the joy of strain of the concursive force implied the Holy Ghost, he denies himself a comfortable death pillow, he denies perienced marine sages say that no talk to me about the self denials of any more, neither shall the sun light together under such conditions.—Lon- in the Christian life there are a thou-

sand in the life of the world. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness." Again, I find a great deal of religious tears from their eyes." sunshine in Christian and divine ex-

mid the thrones and the palaces and the cathedrals-St. Mark's and St. Paul's rookeries in comparison.

Sometimes you wish you could make the tour of the whole earth, going around as others have gone, but you have not the time, you have not the means. You will make the tour yet, during one musical pause in the eternal anthem. I say these things for the comfort of those people who are abridged in their opportunities, those people to whom life is humdrum, who toil and work and toil and work and aspire after knowledge, but have no time to get it and say, "If I had the opportunities which other people have, had themselves photographed wearing how I would fill my mind and soul with grand thoughts!" Be not discouraged, my friends. You are going erly. He looked at random over half to the university yet. Death will only a dozen portraits made recently, and

Dr. Thornwell of South Carolina ut- value. Yet the majority of these wotered in his last dying moments! As men own jewels worth thousands of he looked up he said, "It opens; it expands, it expands!" Or as Mr. Toplady, the author of "Rock of Ages," I always walk on the sunny side of in his last moment or during his last hours looked up and said, as though he saw something supernatural, "Light!" and then as he came on nearer the dying moment, his countenance more luminous, he cried, "Light!" and ous enough to be serviceable as a ural in his countenance, as he cried, "Light!" Only another name for sun-

The Celestial Profession.

And then I stand at the gate of the celestial city to see the processions come out, and I see a long procession of little children, with their arms full of flowers, and then I see a procession of kings and priests moving in celestial pageantry-a long procession, but no black tasseled vehicle, no mourning group, and I say: "How strange it is! Where is your Greenwood?

Where is your Laurel Hill? Where is your Westminster abbey?" And they shall cry, "There are no graves here." And then listen for the tolling of the old belfries of heaven, the old belfries of eternity. I listen to hear them toll for the dead, but they toll not for the dead. They only strike up a silvery chime, tower to tower, east gate to west gate, as they ring out, "They

on them nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of

Oh unglove

water, and God shall wipe away all vice from 19 to 50 years. The army





After years of struggle to attain and merit public confidence, with a firm and steadfast belief that some day others would recognize in us the truth, good faith, and honesty of purpose which we know we possess, what a genu-ine satisfaction it is to succeed, and to realize the uplifting influence of the merited confidence of a vast army of our fellow beings. Thus stands the Pinkham name in New England, and all over /America, and nowhere is the faith in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound greater than in New England, its home. Merit, and merit alone, can gain this. ODGANIC INEL AMMATION

ORGANIC INFLAMMATION.

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I tell people I wish I could go on the platform and lec-ture on it. "Mytrouble was MRS. H. S. BALL ation. The suffering I endured pen cannot describe. I was treated by

one of our most prominent physicians here for five months, and found myself getting worse instead of better. At the end of the fifth month hertold me he had done all he could for/me, and he had done all he could zor/me, and that I had better go to the hospital. "My sister advised me to try your Vegetable Compound, as it cured her of backache. I did so, and took it faithfully, and am now cured of my trouble and in perfect health many trouble, and in perfect health, many thanks to your medicine. I cannot praise it enough, and would recom-mend it to all who suffer from any female weakness."— MRS. H. S. BALL, 461 Orchard St., New Haven, (Cenn.

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ages to attend the Episcopal general

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there has been placed at the disposal

SINGLLING SINGER. (By Charlotte Becker.) "He sang along the woodland paths When all the world was warm and life."

The birds half mocked him overhead, The shadows cooled his greenlit way. "The earth was sweet with growing things, The vintage promised full and fair; And one with eyes like larkspur buds, And garnered sunlight in her hair,

"Stood watching by the liex trees, A glow, a welcome in her eyes. He sank, too tired, at her feet And smiled through wistfal little sighs.

'Dear love,' he said, 'I cannot live, I shall not see the morrow's sun, But I am fortunate to die While yet my loving is not done. 'And weep no foolish tears for me, But when the vines with gold are

hung— Think, "Life was very good to him, For he had lived, and loved, and -Ainslee's Magazine.

### A Coincidence and a Reconsideration.

BY J. P. COUGHLIN. (Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) Paul Westover had every reason to congratulate himself upon the success of his new book. The public received it with gratifying approval, and the critics bestowed upon it well-tempered commendation. Being a first-born, however, the critics felt bound to patronize both it and its writer in their customary paternal fashion, and while lauding its other excellent qualities they pointed out and dwelt upon the

un-realistic improbabilities of the main incidents in which Mr. Westover's heroine was centered. That this should be so was only natural: Mr. Westover was ridiculously young to know anything of the impenetrable feminine, and yet he had dared to make "Gertrude Warner" the story of a woman's life, a story of many strange phases, and of curious though incorrect, said the reviewers,

insights into the workings of a young girl's mind. Westover was almost on the point of accepting the critic's dictum. He

had fancied that his portrayal of Gertrude Warner was well and clearly imagined, but after all what could he, a bachelor and impressionable, know of women. The reviewers must be right. Gertrude Warner was falsely drawn. But there was at least one person who did not think with the reviewers.

The newly-fledged author received in his mail from his publishers a long letter that was truly startling to his self possession. Its full length may not be given here but its gist is con-

tained in a couple of paragraphs. "You are evidently very intimately acquainted with the story of the darkest passages in my life, but surely it was unnecessary that the details should be made public so faithfully and so callously. I would like to think that your story was purely a coinci-

dence and evolved entirely from your own imagination, but the details up to the denouement, in every particular, are, so carefully true to fact that I have no other course than to believe

that some unworthy recipient of my confidence has in an idle moment betrayed my unhappy history. "Doubtless you will admit that I

explanation, the more especially, seenovel a title so like the name borne by her who asks it.

"GERMYN WARREN."

talk only of the serious things of life. She is indeed an ideal heroine-in real

Westover pulled himself up abruptly and laughed a quick, nervous laugh "Come, this won't do-contemplating such a thing already is making haste too quickly-but that's absurd. Why before I know it I'll be thinking of marriage. And marriage would be the ruin of a young writer. It would-" But then Westover repeated to himself all the familiar arguments against matrimony until finally he went to bed convinced if not exactly pleased. His encounter with Miss Germyn Warren, and the train of thought it prompted may have had something to

do with Mr. Westover's departure for the west, but the literary journals announced his trip as taken for the purpose of acquiring local color for a new novel.

During the two years that followed Paul Westover's literary output served to increase considerably his growing reputation. He returned to New York and prepared to settle down comfortably to meet the demands made upon him by his publishers. The novel, to



#### "Yes, everything Mr. Westover has written."

prepare which he left New York, was a pronounced success, and though his old friends, the critics, did not appear to notice it, Paul himself was conscious of a certain resemblance in type between his new heroine and his old, that is to say Miss Germyn Warren. He tried to reason that this new heroine was simply but a development of the Gertrude Warner of his first book, and thus he tried to dispel his lingering fears that he had drawn upon Miss Warren, his acquaintance of a single evening.

Again in his career Mr. Paul Westover had an encounter which caused him to become as discomposed and nervous as he had been at his first meeting with the coincidental heroine of his first book.

It was at a literary reception. "Permit me, Miss Warren, to introduce to you Mr. Paul Westover-you have, no doubt read his clever books." "Yes, everything Mr. Westover has written," said Germyn Warren, as she extended her hand to Faul, who stood bowing and blushing like a schoolboy. Then with a smile of gentle mischief playing around her lips as they were left alone she continued: And I can-

not think that Mr. Westover has forhave at least the right of asking an gotten me since some of my friends would have it I am portrayed rather ing that you have even given to your faithfully in your most recent novel and even in several of your magazine stories."

Westover was plainly surprised at Westover finished the reading of this | this frank challenge, and for the secletter with a rue expression. He ond time in his life he found himself whistled softly to himself and looked keenly observing the heroine of his blankly at the wall in an endeavor to fiction. He noticed the same clear, collect his thoughts and adequately blue eyes and wondered at how closeconsider the situation presented to ly he had remembered them all this





HON. DAN A. GROSVENOR, OF THE FAMOUS OHIO FAMILY. Hon. Dan. A. Grosvenor, Deputy Auditor for the War Department, in letter written from Washington, D. C., says:

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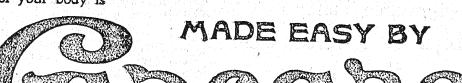
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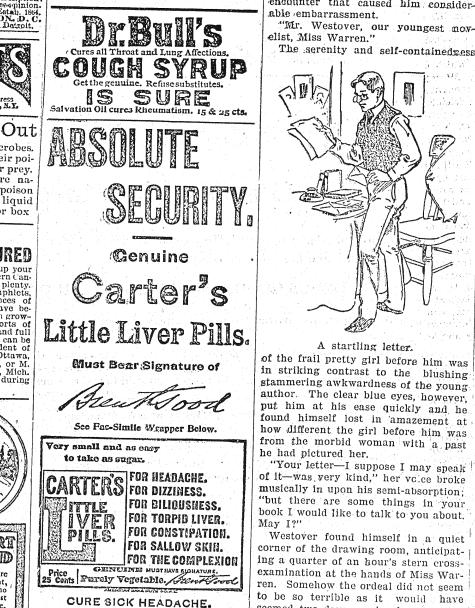
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In a moment the humorous as- time. He found himself on terms of pect of the affair dawned upon him and old acquaintanceship with this maghe laughed quizzically. "One of the delights of movel-writ-

If I am expected to reply to all such my hands will be full. Yet what a splendid answer to the critics. His better and more sympathetic part of the evening in the society of nature, however, for as yet he was not Miss Warren. experienced enough to be callous, asserted itself, and he penned a duly

consolatory letter to Miss Germyn Warren. A week later Paul Westover had an encounter that caused him consider-

able embarrassment. "Mr. Westover, our youngest novelist, Miss Warren.' The serenity and self-containedness

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A startling letter.

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netic little girl, for she was only a girl. For a moment until the preing," he murmured aloud; "is to run sumption of the thing struck him he across some hysterical woman who felt a tinge of regret being taken away finds your book a mirror of her past. from New York for so long. How that evening's reception passed he never knew. He had a very definite notion that he had spent by far the greater

> That night in the seculsion of his chambers, over his cigar, he came not unwillingly to the conclusion that aft-

er all: "What is to be is to be, and it seems to me that the fates have ordained

that I should create a heroine for myself. Either I am in love or am arifting refentlessly towards that happy state of mind. Of course marriage is

the to-be-expected outcome of love, and for a young man struggling for fame and fortune a sympathetic wife is a great helper, a constant incentive-" and thus he proceeded to adapt his wiews to the altered state of his circumstances.

#### Rings Off Escaping Gas.

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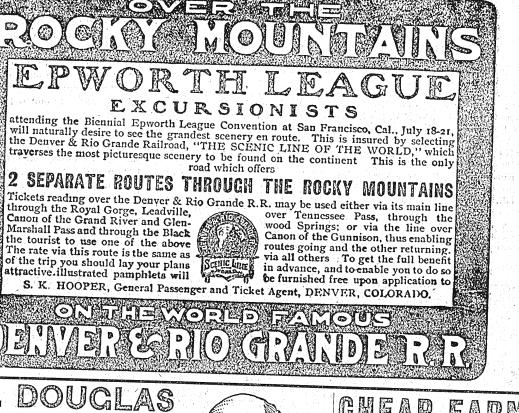
or if the gas jet in one way or anauthor. The clear blue eyes, however, other becomes wrongly set the gas will found himself lost in amazement at there encountering a sort of chemical run into the tube and rise to the top, how different the girl before him was hair-trigger arrangement which sends an alarm to the hotel office. The alarm shows the number of the room, flashes electric signals before the face of the night clerk, and also rings a bell in the room where the trouble is located. Not only does the machine give an alarm for escaping gas, but also works.

when smoke enters the tube or when corner of the drawing room, anticipat- the air becomes overheated.

"Who Is This Tennyson?"

ren. Somehow the ordeal did not seem When Tennyson was nearing 60 to be so terrible as it would have years of age, and his fame might fairseemed two days previously. Hy be assumed to be world-wide, Ed-Sitting in his armchair that night | ward Moxon, the publisher, decided to Paul Westover meditatively addressed approach Gustave Dore and commis-

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