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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1895.

WHOLE NUMBER 315

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THE PEOPLE SO DECIDE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION.

The Question Carried by Seventy-seven Majority-Result of the General Elec-

Arc Lights for Cheisea.

Chelsea will soon be one of the best lighted villages in Michigan. The common council now has been empowered by the people to enter into a contract with the Chelsea Electric Light Company to light the streets for a term of years, with either twenty 2000 candle power lamps. or twenty-eight 1200 candle power lamps. We have interviewed a number of the citizens on this subject, and nearly all of them favor the 1200 candle power lamps, as they think the light can be more thoroughly distributed than with the others. There were 362 votes cast at the special election, 217 for and 139 against, making a majority of 78 favoring it.

The Election.

One of the most exciting elections ever held in Sylvan, came off on Monday There were 637 votes cast, the largest number in the history of the township. On the township ticket the democrats carried off nearly everything in sight, the republicans only saving two justices and member board of review. The pluralities | Board of Review. ranged all the way from 1 to 154.

The entire republican state ticket was elected by fully 40,000 plurality. Wm. W. Wedemeyer, for county school commissioner, was elected by about about 700 plurality. Chas. H. Smith was elected state senator from the tenth district, by a plurality of over 2,000.

STATE TICKET Justice of the Supreme Court.

J. B. Moore, R.	292-66	Daniel Wacker, D.
J. B. Moore, R. J. W. McGrath, D. M. H. Walker, P. R. B. Taylor, Pop. Regents of University. R. W. Butterfield, R. C. H. Hackley, R. C. Pailthorp, D. S. D. Brooks, D. N. W. Cheever, P. D. B. Reed, P.	292-66 229 32 7 288 288 221 221 31 31	Daniel Wacker, D. Lyndon. In Lyndon the democrate thing excepting two officers. Supervisor. James Howlett, D. Delancy Cooper, R. Clerk. Charles W. Miller, D. Frank Burkhart, R.
G. B. Smith, Pop. V. J. Bowers, Pop. LEGISLATIVE TICKET. State Senator. Chas. H. Smith, R. J. A. McDougall, D. Levi Decker, P. W. E. Goold, Pop. COUNTY TICKET.	8 8 8 292—73 219 82 8	Treasurer. Dick Clark, R Henry V. Heatley, D Justice of Peace. (full term) Allen Skidmore, R Andrew J. Boyce, D Justice of Peace. (vacancy) Henry Gorton, D Michael J. Graham.
Commissioner of Schools. Wm. W. Wedemeyer, R. D. A. Hammond, D. J. B. Steere, P. TOWNSHIP TICKET.	374—209 165 26	Highway Commissioner. John Young, D Harrison Hadley School Inspector, George A. Runciman, D William Collins, R
Supervisor. Hıram Lighthall. D. M. A. Lowry, R. Truman Baldwin, P.	870—154 216 31	Drain Commissioner. Daniel McLaughlin, D Ernest Rowe, R Board of Review.

J. Edward McKune, D. Geo. A. BeGole, R. 281 A. R. Congdon, P. Freasurer. J. S. Cummings, D. 294-August Mensing, R. Frank E. Storms, P. Highway Commissioner. Michael Wackenhut, D. 321-65 Philip Schweinfurth, R. Geo. W. Boynton, P.

Justice, full term. Edward A. Ward, R James Hudler, D Horace Baldwin, P Justice, Vacancy. 305 - 36J. D. Schnaitman, R. L. L. Glover, D. R. P. Chase, P. School Inspector. Joseph Sibley, D. 293-15 Frank L. Davidson, R.

Jacob Hummel, R. F. H. Sweetland, D. J. R. Gates, P. Edward Chandler, D. Herman Schaible, D. Wm. R. Lehman, D. August Boos, D. Geo. H. Foster, R.

Samuel Trouten, R.

N. W. Laird, P. Board of Review.

M. M. Campbell, R. Stephen Laird, P. Wm. Pottinger, P. Alfred Taylor, P. Morgan Emmett, P.

The amendment relative to circuit courts received 98 for and 174 against. The amendment relative to salaries of state officers received 65 for and 273 against.

In Lima the republicans elected all but three of their candidates.

oupervisor.	
Walter H. Dancer, D.	117-
Theo. Wedemeyer, R.	115
Clerk.	
Otto D. Luick, R.	134
Wm, Covert, D.	95
Treasurer.	
Jacob J. Klein, Jr., D.	129-
John Steinbach, R.	101
Highway Commissioner.	
Mason Whipple, R.	126
Paul Chas, D.	103
Justice (full term).	
George C. Page, R.	117-
Thomas F. Morse, D.	110
Justice (vacancy).	
Samuel W. Tucker, R.	116-
David E. Beach, D.	112
Drain Commissioner.	
Henry J. Heininger, R.	120
Eddie J. Parker, D.	108

120-11 Arlington Guerin, R. John J. Gross, D. Constables. John Steinbach, R. 116 George Savory, R. Chas. M. Morse, R. 115 Arthur Hunter, R. Jacob J. Klein, D. 110 Jacob Luick, D. 108 Frank Leach, D. 113

School Inspector.

Jacob Bareis, D.

Roland Waltrous, R.

Daniel Wacker, D. In Lyndon the democrate elected every

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Supervisor.	
James Howlett, D	91-2
Delancy Cooper, R	68
Clerk.	
Charles W. Miller, D	91-2
Frank Burkhart, R	64
Treasurer.	
. Dick Clark, R	87-1
Henry V. Heatley, D	73
Justice of Peace. (full term)	
Allen Skidmore, R	115-7
Andrew J. Boyce, D	43
Justice of Peace. (vacancy)	
Henry Gorton, D	87-1
Michael J. Graham.	71
Highway Commissioner.	
John Young, D	90-2
Harrison Hadley	6
School Inspector,	
George A. Runciman, D	85-1
William Collins, R	70

Louis Pane, R Board of Supervisors

Francis Beeman, D

James Canfield, D

George Stanfield, D

Jarvis Goodwin, R

James Moran, D

George Miller, D

John Lee, R

Wellington Bowdish, R

The following is a list of the members of the board of supervisors of Washte-

Ann Arbor City: 1st Ward—Wm. K. Childs, R.; 2d Ward—E. E. Oesterline, D.; 3d Ward—J. J. Fischer, R.; 4th Ward—Joseph Donnelly, D.; 5th Ward—James Boyle, D; 6th Ward—Arthur J. Kitson, R.; 7th Ward—Evart H. Scott, R. Ann Arbor Town—C. R. Tuomey, D. Augusta—S. F. Bibbins, R. Bridgewater—Geo. Walter, D. Bridgewater—Geo. Walter, D.
Dexter—Thos. McQuillan, D.
Freedom—M. J. Alber, D.
Lima—W. H. Dancer, D. Lima—w. H. Dancer, B.
Lodi—M. Grosshans, D.
Lyndon—Jas. Howlett, D.
Manchester—W. H. Burtless, R.
Northfield—E. E. Leland, R.
Pittsfield—M. F. Case, R. alem-Fred Wheeler, R Saline—E. A. Hauser, R. Scio—Byron Whittaker, D. Sharon—Wm. F. Hail, D. Superior—Walter Voorheis, D. Sylvan—Hiram Lighthall, D. Webster—E. Ball, R. York—A. Davenport, D.

Ypsi. Town—Jas. L. Hunter, R. Ypsi. City—B. M. Damon, R. Ypsi. City—Jas. M. Forsythe, D.

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IT WAS NO SHAM RIOT.

VICIOUS CONDUCT OF GIRLS IN THE CHICAGO HOME.

Farmers Make a Mess of a Train Robbery-Canaseraga, N. Y., Swept by Fire-Wheat Crop Needs Rain Badly -Nashua Bank Fails.

Like a Cage of Wildcats.

Mrs. Charles Henrotin, of Chicago, knows now what a riot in the Illinois Home for Juvenile Offenders means. So do Mrs. Caroline Holt and Mrs. T. W. Harvey, fellow trustees of that troublous institution where young girls are taught the error of their ways and given a new start in life-according to the plans and specifications on which the home was founded. Mrs. Henrotin will not speedily forget her experience. "The place was suddenly shrouded in darkness," said she, in describing the function of Thursday night, "and the breaking of glass and crockery ware was heard in every part of the dining-room. I began to comprehend that the girls had again broken out in riot and it did not make me relish my position at all. Lizzie Smith and some of her girl companions managed to get the matrons and Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Holt, with myself, into a corner and protected us from the more vicious of the frantic girls. Nothing could be heard in the room above the din and roar of breaking wood and falling glass." The numerous matrons and other employes were powerless, and after a few feeble efforts to restrain the hysterical young rebels, they were allowed to contique their work of destruction until they quit from sheer exhaustion. Finally three patrol-wagon loads of policemen forced their way into the establishment just as the three trustees were on the verge of hysterics. They were glad to see the officers, and under their protecting wing were conveyed to places of safety.

Bandits Were Footed.

Passenger train No. 54. Iron Mountain Road, which left Poplar Bluffs at 10:35 o'clock Wednesday night, was held up at Williamsville, a station about twenty miles north of that place, at 11:30 o'clock. As the train neared a lonely spot a short datance north of Williamsville some one pulled the bell rope and the train came to a hait. Two men, one of whom had a red handkerchief over his face, and the other a mask of black material, forced the porter at the point of revolvers to uncouple the engine, mail, and express cars from the train, and compelled Engineer Mattis to run a short distance up the track with them. The robbers then proceeded to the express car and ordered the messenger to open the safe. The messenger informed the desperadoes that he could not open the through safe, as he did not have the combination. He opened the local safe, but there was no money in it. Meantime the alarm had been given and the citizens were arming themselves. The robbers, becoming frightened, jumped from the train and ran through the woods. Before they left, however, they secured Conductor Webb's gold watch. It is believed that the holdup was the work of farmers living in the vicinity. Sheriff Hogg summoned a posse and started in pursuit of the rob-

The Wheat Crop.

The Cincinnati Price Current summarizes crop conditions for the past week as follows: "There has been some relief to the wheat crop by rains, in portions of Kansas and, to a limited extent, elsewhere, but most of the area is suffering more or less from insufficient moisture. The planting continues generally backward. A full restoration to a normal condition is improbable over a considerable part of the area. The general average condition was further lowered during the past week. Ample rains would soon shape the outlook more favorably. There have been but small interior offerings of wheat and fair offerings of corn. Oats seeding is delayed. The week's packing of hogs amounted to 280,000, against 220,-000 for the corresponding week a year

Village Is Wiped Out.

The entire business portion of Canase raga, N. Y., and thirty dwellings were burned. The fire started at 12:40 Thursday morning and spread rapidly. strong wind was blowing and the village had only the most primitive means for fighting the flames. Not until a special train had arrived from Hornellsville with two companies of firemen and a steamer was the progress of the fire checked. Half of the population are homeless. The total loss will be about \$100,000. insurance will not more than half cover it. No lives were lost in the fire, but several persons were injured.

BREVITIES.

M. Soubrere, a civil engineer, has been killed in a duel at Paris.

A second indictment has been returned by the Federal grand jury at San Francisco against President Huntington, of the Southern Pacific, for issuing an inter-

The Nashua Sayings Bank, the third largest in New Hampshire, has closed because of not being able to realize on Western investments. It had deposits of

nearly \$3,000,000. Robbers wrecked the safe of the Mount Morris, Ill., bank with dynamite, but are thought to have got only \$150, as the steel chest inside the safe, which contained about \$10,000, was not opened.

been defeated at Boyaca. The govern- bars. Wilson had been having trouble 3,000 having dropped off through fatigue and imbibed a large quantity of whisky or disease during the march, and of the of the brand sold in Canal street. When remaining 1,500 which gave battle to the he met Mary a quarrel ensued, and Wil-

EASTERN

Charles Broadway Rouss, the million aire merchant of New York, is losing h eyesight.

Chinese laurdry employes at New York are organizing a union and propose to apply for admission to the Knights of Labor. It is reported that the Chinese Six Companies is forming an opposition organization to embrace laundries all over the country.

The stage running between Cassville and Mill Creek, Pa., was held up about midway between the two places, by three men, supposed to be tramps. Five passengers, two women and three men, were relieved of their money, amounting to \$90. Watches and other valuables were not molested. The highwaymen escaped to the mountains.

"Steve" Brodie, of Bowery fame, made application at Boston, Mass., for permission to bury the body of Miss Hathaway, the Adams House suicide. Medical Examiner Draper said he was willing Brodie should do so if no one appeared having a better right. Brodie says the only reason he had for making the proposition to bury the woman was that the case attracted his attention and he could not bear to see the body consigned to the potter's field.

WESTERN.

The log cut in the Minnesota pine re gion, which is about completed, is about one-fourth larger than that of last year.

A four-foot vein of silver bearing 300 ounces to the ton has been struck on the Evans claim in Lincoln County, Oklahoma.

An extra session of the Missouri Legislature is to be called to complete business left unfinished at the recent hasty adiournment.

The general Western conference of the Brethren in Christ opened at Abilene, Kas., with 200 delegates. It was voted to extend the mission work.

The Spreckels Company has been successful in its experiments in growing sugar-cane in San Joaquin County, California, and is extending its operations there.

Four firemen-Captain Harold Hartwell, Lieutenant S. Brawley, Richard Dandeyrd and Stephen Martin-lost their lives by the burning of the St. James Hotel at Denver.

8. W. Currier and George Perkins have been arested for counterfeiting at Butte. Mont. A perfect set of dies for a \$10 gold piece of 1853 and for a silver \$1 of 1890 were captured.

Tremont and Solon McCloskey, brothers, employed by the Union Mining Company, at Cripple Creek, have been arrested charged with stealing between \$50,-000 and \$100,000 worth of ore.

Warden French will refuse to give up his post at the Prison North, Indiana, to his successor. Charles Harley, according to the program mapped out, and the courts will be called on to decide in a suit for possession.

Walter I. Blake, city editor of the Stockton Independent and one of the best-known newspaper men on the Pacific coast, was shot and dangerously wounded under the windows of the Palace Hotel at San Francisco.

The thirty-two ex-Pullman workmen at Hiawatha, Kan., have succeeded in interesting enough capital to start them in the manufacturing business. A building and two acres of ground have been bought for them and they hope soon to be at work for themselves.

For the last two weeks of the term of the school in Clinton Township, near Logansport, Ind., just closed, not a scholar attended. The teacher, Miss Cora Walters, opened the school building every day and drew her salary. The scholars struck on account of a disagreement with the trustee.

The State of Missouri is in danger of being left without citizen soldiers within the next three mouths. The National Guard of Missouri is in serious financial straits, and as the Legislature has refused to pass a bill granting liberal appropriations for maintaining the militia organizations, the soldiers are preparing their resignations.

The majority report of the Committee on Elections and Suffrage was presented to the Constitutional convention at Salt Lake, Utah. The report recommends woman suffrage in the exact language as carried in the Constitution of Wyoming. One section of the report provides that no person shall have a right to vote who shall not be able to read the Constitution of the United States.

Puyallup and Nisqually Indians have decided to go on the warpath and avenge the killing of Medicine Man Jim Bou chette, who was murdered by Jerry Dominick of the Muskleshoot reservation three weeks ago because three of his children had died after "Jim" treated them. There being no witnesses Jerry has been dismissed by the authorities. This will

be the first uprising in forty years. The packing houses of Reid Bros., at Armourdale, Kan., were damaged \$700,-000, fully covered by insurance. Seven persons were rescued from a burning res idence in Baltimore. One of them, a woman, will probably the of injuries. Three persons were injured, one of their fatally, at a fire in the residence of Frederick Klosman, of Philadelphia. Four firemen lost their lives in the Denver hotel fire.

Cornelius Lamenyon, a wealthy farmer of La Grange, Ind., called his wife and children into his room and compelled them by threats of instant death to remain while he removed one shoe and stocking, seated himself in a chair, placed a gun to the side of his head and pulled the trigger with his great toe. The charge mangled his head into a shapeless mass. He was addicted to the use of

George Wilson, a Chicago confectioner. offered his gold teeth as security to get out of the Desplaines street station Monday night. Sergt. Martin refused the offer and George was compelled to chew Colombian rebels are reported to have the cud of bitter reflection behind the heavily, 1,500 out of with his best girl, Mary Williams, lately, son threatened to kill her. His sanguinary intentions were frustrated by Policeman Moloney, who took him to the sta-

The Committee on Ordinance and Fed eral Relations submitted a report to the Constitutional convention at Salt Lake, Utah. The first section is as follows: "Perfect toleration of religious sentiment shall be secured, and no inhabitant of this State shall be molested in person or property on account of her mode of religious worship; and polygamy or plural marriage is forever prohibited." The convention adopted a resolution of sympathy for the people of Wyoming in the calamity which overtook them in the Almy mine disaster, and voted one day's salary of members for the relief of the wives and children of the victims.

SOUTHERN.

John Martin was shot and killed at Hot Springs, Ark., by Mrs. Larry, a widow. Jim Morrison, the Aiabama murderer, was killed at Toadvine, Ala., by a deputy sheriff.

Governor McKinley is ill with the grip at Thomasville, Ga. His symptoms threaten pneumonia.

Robert McDonnell, a Chicago sign painter, was killed by falling from a scaf-

fold at Greensboro, N. C. A bed of solid rock salt has been discovered on Joe Jefferson's Island, near

Abbeyville, La., at a depth of 680 feet. The Galveston (Texas) Grand Jury has indicted City Collector Gilbert and ex-City Auditor Tiernan for malfeasance The Louisville School Board has grant-

ed the use of about forty public school buildings for the G. A. R. encampment next September. Walter Bark was hanged at Tahlequah,

I. T., for murder. Joseph Valsin was hanged at Natchitoches, La., for murder. Both protested innocence.

The negroes went to work on the levee in New Orleans Monday morning without military protection. The soldiers are held in their armories in case of trouble. As many of the so-called rioters who made the murderous assault on he colored laborers two weeks ago are under arrest, it is not believed there will be any further violence until the murderers are well out of their present trouble with the law.

WASHINGTON.

Tom Reed intends to spend the summer in Europe with his family. An unknown woman is suspected of setting fire to two Catholic churches in

Washington. Minister Thurston has decided to return to Hawaii at once, without waiting for a formal notice of recall from his gov-

ernment. It has become a matter of considerable discussion in official quarters whether, under the recent Wolcott resolution providing for the appointment of delegates to a monetary conference, the President will name any one for these offices, and it is said in very well-informed quarters that such a doubt fills the President's mind as to the extent of his authority in the matter, and it will form one of the most interesting topics to engage the attention of the cabinet. Representative Culberson is the only one of the six delegates already chosen who yet remains in Washington, and he agrees freely with the views credited to Mr Cleveland.

A special from Washington says: "In a private cablegrom from Tokio received by a member of the Japanese legation Wednesday, from the highest official source in Japan, it is stated a German physician, an expert of high standing, was sent at the personal request of the mikado to examine Li Hung Chang's wound. After a thorough examination of his distinguished patient, the physician reported confidentially to the mikado that Li Hung Chang must die. The wound is in the face, and the bullet, which the surgeon had not succeeded in extracting, is apparently beyond reach. Moreover, Li is 70 years of age, and although a giant physically, his years are against him."

FOREIGN.

The New York Herald's special dispatch from Havana says: "It is reported that last Tuesday, at Santiago de Cuba, an English steamer, the Lorentia, was fired on by the Spanish coast guard for failure to heave to when ordered, but no official report has yet been made regarding the affair."

The Japanese Parliament passed resolutions deploring the attempt to assassinate Li Hung Chang. Immediately after hearing of the attack upon Li Hung Chang the Emperor sent two of his principal surgeons to attend the Chinese envoy and also sent his personal aid-decamp with messages from the Empress and himself.

Depredations by the Government forces marked the opening of hostilities on Tuesday in Lima. The troops sacked the Union and National Clubs and many shops. Then diplomats and the papal nuncio, Mgr. Machi, interveued. An armistice was arranged for twenty-four hours to give an opportunity to bury the dead and remove the dead horses from the streets, as there was danger of pestilence from the bodies. They were collcted in a pile and burned in the Plaza des Armas. As a result of the three days' fighting more than 1,500 combatants were killed and wounded on both sides. During the fighting all of the foreign legutions were exposed to the firing. The United States legation was in a particularly dangerous situation. Mrs. McKenzie, wife of the United States Minister, narrowly escaped being shot. More than fifty refugees sought an asylum in this legation.

The House of Commons at London by a vote of 176 to 158 adopted the resolution offered by Mr. Allen providing for the payment of members. No more radical measure probably has ever passed the English House of Parliament. For centuries a seat in the House has been open only to those who had the social position to insure a successful canvass ley to enable them to live in an expensive part of London the greater part of the year. This has been the practical situation until five years ago. Wealth was the one thing necessary; ability or popularity went for nothing, for it took a handsome income to be a

member of the House of Commons. change came when John Burns was ed as one of the members for South London. Burns was practically the first workingman—and a poor one at that— to take his seat in the House and the party which elected him found itself confronted with the problem of how his expenses were to be met. This was finally done by public subscription and the need of it directed public attention to the fact that only wealth was represented in Parliament. It took long for England to do more than think about it, but at last a bill was prepared providing for the payment of the expenses of those members who were unable to meet their own. This bill was defeated, but it was the point of the wedge and the father of the present bill.

IN GENERAL

The Galveston cup, now held by the Washington Fencibles, will be competed for at the intestate drill and encampment to be held in Memphis in May.

Phoebe Couzins says that she was betrothed to the late Senator Fair in Chicugo in 1893. A new claimant to the dead Senator's estate is alleged to have been discovered at Oakland, Cal., in the person of 7-year-old Ethel Jacobs, who, it is claimed, is his daughter.

The remedial order from the Ottawa Government makes a demand upon the Manitoba Government to abolish the clauses of the education act doing away with separate schools. The ministers say this will never be done, and they are prepared to set the Ottawa order at defiance.

Obituary: At Milwaukee, Colonel Henry A. Starr, 65; at Washington, Lycurgus Dalton, postmater of the House of Representatives, 50; at Pittsburg, ex-Adjutant General Walter W. Greenland; at St. Louis, Captain C. W. Bellairs; at Oskaloosa, Iowa, ex-Justice J. Seevers; at Gardiner, Me., Dr. Caleb S. Whitman, 99; at Waukesha, Wis., Edward Porter, 77; at Beardstown, Ill., Charles J. Norbury. 84; at Ottawa, Ill., H. J. Dicken, 81; D. R. Gregg, 89.

George Marshall Graham, of Toronto, Ont., after a hard fight with fate for thirty years, has just been identified as heir to the Scottish Earldoms of Strathern, Menteith and Airth. Two senior branches having become extinct the title and estates pass to the third branch, of which the Toronto man is the representative. The new Earl is entitled to a seat in the British House of Lords, and will claim it as soon as some necessary preliminary arrangements are made. Graham has for some time been working as bookkeeper in a florist's shop.

The police of Victoria, B. C., have decided that bloomers are not suitable for street wear, even when worn as a cycling costume, and have taken steps to enforce this decision. Miss Ethel Delmont is an enthusiastic wheel woman, pretty and graceful. The other week she made her appearance in the bloomer costume, and f Lady Godiva herself essayed a repetition of her famous ride the sensation could not have been greater. The town came forth to gaze and for the moment the policemen were petrified with amazement. Then they aroused to action and Miss Ethel received an official visitor, who informed her that a repetition of her appearance in the objectionable costume would mean a police court summons on the charge of creating a disturbance on a public street. Miss Delmont's

bloomers are discarded. R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "Indications of improvement in business grow more distinct. The most obtrusive of them, the speculative advance on cotton and in stocks, is the least reliable; nor can either of these be said to reflect actual improvement in business conditions. Railroad earnings are scarcely better and the speculation is largely based on expectation of more effective monopoly in coal and some other products. London was buying largely, but likely to sell on any rise. Cotton does not rise because there is more demand for goods, but that there is more demand for goods because cotton is dearer. More valuable indications are that the volume of domestic trade gains a little, money is in much better legitimate demand, and the force of hands at work gradually increases in some industries and in others is restricted only by strikes, which are presumably temporarily."

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.75 to \$6.75; hogs, shipping grades, \$3 to \$5.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$5; wheat, No. 2 red, 54c to 55c; corn, No. 2, 45c to 46c; oats, No. 2, 28c to 29c; 1ye, No. 2, 55c to 56c; butter, choice, creamery, 19e to 20c; eggs, fresh, 10c to 11c; potaotes, car lots, per bushel, 75c to 85c.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3 to \$5.75; hogs, choice light, \$3 to \$5; slieep, common to prime, \$2 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red. 54c to 541/2c; corn, No. 1 white, 45c to 451/2c; oats, No. 2 white, 33c to

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3 to \$6.50; hogs, \$4 to \$5; wheat No. 2 red, 54c to 55c; corn, No. 2, 42e to 43e; oats, No. 2, 30e to 301/2c; rye, No. 2, 59c to 61c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$3.50 to \$5.75; hogs, \$3 to \$5; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2, 58 to 59c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 46c to 47c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 31c to 32c; 1ye, No. 2, 58e to 59c. Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.75; liogs

\$4 to \$4.75; sheep, \$2 to \$4.50; wheat No. 1 white, 58c to 59c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 45e to 46e; oats, No. 2 white, 31c to 32c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 56c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 57c to 58c

corn. No. 2 yellow, 46c to 461/2c; onts. No. 2 white, 33c to 34c; rye, No. 2, 54c Buffalo-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.50; hogs 3 to \$5; sheep, \$3 to \$5.25; wheat No. 2 red, 60c to 61c; corn, No. 2 yellow,

49c to 50c; oats, No. 2 white, 35c to Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 spring, 50c to 57e; eorn, No. 3, 45c to 451/e; oats, No. 2 white, 32c to 33c; barley, No. 2, 52e to 53c; rve.

mess, \$12 to \$12.50. New York—Cattle, \$3 to \$6.50; hogs, \$4 to \$5.50; sheep, \$3 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 63c; corn, No. 2, 561/2c to 571/2c; oats, white Western, 37c to 41c; butter, creamery, 13c to 21c; eggs, Western, 1Jc to 12c.

ALL HEIRS AGREED

PROBABLE END OF THE DAVIS WILL CASE.

Financial Crash in Cincinnati - Re pulse of Train Robbers in Kentucky. Beef About as High as When the Cow Jumped Over the Moon,

Davis Will Case Settled.

The great Butte (Mont.) Davis will contest has been settled by a judgment of the court amounting to a victory for the First National Bank heirs and the pro-ponents of the John A. Davis will, but making liberal allowance by agreement with the New York and Boston contest. ants, represented by Henry A. Root, for whom Col. R. G. Ingersoll was leading counsel in the great battle of 1891. The estate was valued then at \$7,000,000 The disputed will was probated by consent of all parties to the suit and the following decree of distribution entered: The Sheffield heirs or the children of Asa Davis are given one-twenty-fifth of the estate. The remainder is divided between the heirs of John A. Davis, Andrew J. Davis retains the First National Bank stock. All parties to the suit are satisfied with the terms and the celebrated case will probably be heard of no

Three Robbers Shot.

Six men who tried to rob a fast through passenger train on the Cincinnati Southern Road, near Greenwood, Ky., at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, made a mistake which three of them did not have time to repent. Their intentions had become known to the railway officials, so when the attack was made the three armed men stowed away in the express car opened fire with rifles and without unnecessary delay, and at the first volley three of the robbers fell. The three others took flight, though they are supposed to be wounded. The attempt to rob the train was made at the south end of what is known as tunnel No. 9, which is a mile north of Greenwood. The signal tostop was given and the engineer, acting under instructions, obeyed it. As soon as the six robbers were in sight the fusillade began from the express car, where T. R. Griffin, superintendent of police of the road, was concealed with two of his men. The officers did not wait for any explanations. They turned loose with their rifles and one man fell dead, another was so badly wounded that he died in Greenwood an hour later, and a third lies at Greenwood without hopes of recovery. The three other men shot back at the men on the train, but hit nobody, and ther betook themselves to the woods. The work was done so quickly that hardly a passenger knew what had taken place until the execution was over. The train was delayed only ten minutes, and reached Chattanooga on time.

Choice Cattle Are Scarce.

Prices of all kinds of meats will be higher in Chicago this summer than they have been for ten years past, says a dispatch. Even the high prices which were made by some dealers during the World's Fair period will be exceeded by the figures asked for roasts, steaks, and chops from now on. Prices have already advanced about 25 per cent., and an additional advance of about the same proportion is almost certain. The cause of this is the short supply of cattle followed by the necessary increase in value which forced dealers to raise prices to consumers. While the prime cause of the advance is the scarcity of choice beef cattle, all kinds of meats have gone up partly through the sentiments of the speculative market and partly on account of the increased demand. All kinds of beef, from porterhouse to hash meat, are being sold now for from 2 to 5 cents a pound higher than a month ago, and pork products of all qualities, from pigs' feet to head cheese, are worth considerably more than they could be bought for on the first of the month.

Cincinnati Bank Fails.

The Commercial Bank, at Cincinnati, Ohio, the oldest institution of the kind in the city, assigned Wednesday afternoon, William H. Campbell, cashier, being named as assignee. The bank was compelled to make good \$50,000 in bad paper and this precipitated the crash. There was a hurried meeting of the board of directors, the clearing house situation was discussed and assignment decided upon. The assets and liabilities are unknown, but on good authority are said to be \$1, 000,000 each. The paid-up capital was \$318,000, the average deposits \$700,000. The bank had been rediscounting its own paper for two weeks, and bad manage ment is alleged.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Robinson & Co.'s stock barns, near De eatur, Ind., were burned by incendiaries. Loss, \$40,000.

Mamie Dean, a schoolgirl of Harmony. Md., was found with her throat cut. Lynchers are hunting for the murderer.

Tracklayers in Pittsburg, Pa., were dispersed by a fire engine company, which threw a stream of water on them. The city ordered the tracklaying to cease, but was not obeyed.

The Sultan has ordered that the sale of exhibition of portraits of Mr. Gladstone or Professor Brice, president of the British Board of Trade, be prohibited in Constantinople. Copies sent to Armenian clergy have been seized as "seditious lit-

George Curzon, M. P., son of Lord Scarsdale, will sail from London for New York on the White Star Line steamer Majestic April 10. His marriage to Miss Mary Leiter, daughter of L. Z. Leiter. of Chicago, will take place in Washington April 20.

John Y. McKane, the Grav now in Sing Sing, is reported to be insane. His hallucination is that he is "to be released to-morrow."

"Dr." Cook, a "Christian science healer." and Jesse Samis, whose wife died as a result of "Christian science treatment." have been arrested in Los Angeles, Cal. ou a charge of manslaughter.

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Muskegon Firemen Rescue a Young Man-Accidentia the University Laboratory-Thousands of Fruit Trees to Be Planted-Cheap Telephones.

In the Nick of Time.

When Muskegon firemen reached 489 Western avenue the other morning they found a family of four-father, mother. son and daughter- sitting on the roof of the adjoining building trying to dress themselves in whatever clothes they had been able to snatch from their rooms. The upper portion of the block was a mass of flames and the people on the roof-called frantically to the firemen that there was a man inside the building. The block had caught fire in the rear, and the key to the front stairway was lost. So the firemen entered by their ladders, and just in time to rescue a young man who was half-suffocuted. Then they rescued the shivering family of Schulers, and when they were safe deluged the flaming building. Loss about \$3,000; insurance, \$4,000.

Increase in Fruit Culture.

Between now and the middle of April 150,000 to 200,000 fruit trees will be set out in Western Michigan. Most of the trees will be peaches, but more pear and plum trees than ever before in a single season will be planted. One farmer in Berrien County alone has 13,000 trees, mostly peaches, ready to plant as soon as the season is ripe for operations, and there are many new or replaced orchards of 1,000 to 1,500 trees.

Down Go Telephone Rates. A few weeks ago the Gilliland Telephone Company, of Chicago, were grantal a franchise at St. Joseph and were to charge \$24 a year for the use of telephones in business houses. Then the Bell Telephone Company, which has for years been charging \$48 a year, announcal that they would furnish them for \$18. Lower rates are expected.

Chicago Student Badly Hurt. Wilbur G. Salter, a '96 engineer student from Chicago, fell from a ladder in the mechanical laboratory of the Ann Arbor University while carrying a heavy iron pipe. His head struck a nail during the fall, and it is feared his skull is fractured. He is still unconscious at the university hospital, but hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

Record of the Week.

Infidelity is not popular at Benton Harbor. Bob Ingersoll spoke to row after row of empty chairs.

Loren Anderson, in the Ithaca jail, attempted suicide, because the Sheriff's "grub" didn't suit him.

Hillsdale figured on getting a municipal electric light plant for \$15,000, but efore the plant was finished it had cost

A new wrinkle has been introduced in the high school at Greenville. It consists of fifteen minute lectures twice each week by well known citizens of the town.

Muskegon County market gardeners are going into celery culture quite extensively this season. The prospective planting is not less than 2,000,000 plants. Archie Barnhart, of Otterburn, heated ramrod to redness, then pushed it down the barrel of his gun to burn out some aper. The resulting explosion lacerated his right hand frightfully.

The contract for building an iron bridge over the Escanaba River, three miles west of Gladstone, has been let to the Gillett-Herzog Manufacturing Company, of Minneapolis, for \$5,700.

A Benton Harbor preacher last Sunday ropounded a serious question: "Can a usiness man be religious?" The Berrien springs Era answers: "Certainly, if he advertises and pays the printer.

Two freight trains indulged in a rearad collision at Crooked Lake. The caba car of the standing train was smashed pieces, while the engine of the rear train lies a complete wreck in a gully.

Grace Howe, a pretty 18-year-old girl, startled her fellow-prisoners in Jackson iall by a well-developed attack of deliritm tremens. Although a mere child, she has spent a large part of her life in jail.

Irving Palmer, a Montcalm boy, while unting in the woods in Antrim County, and the skeletons of two back deers with horns locked, in which position they andoubtedly starved to death. Their antlers were so badly interwoven that it would be impossible for two men to septrate them

George W. King, manager of the Michigan Drug Company, at Muskegon, has menced suit for \$10,000 by capias gainst M. Jensen, owner of the building ecupied by the drug company, who recently had King arrested on a charge of son. King, it will be remembered, was

Albert Pack has arranged to purchase e plant of the Huron Lumber Company, Alpena, together with several million tet of logs in the river. Mr. Pack will erate the mill with the 50,000,000 to 5,000,000 feet of white pine which, with feral other men, he recently acquired the Georgian Bay district.

Joseph E. Kirby, a man of 35 years, as convicted at Ann Arbor of assault on his 9-year-old step-daughter. He sixty-five days in the Detroit House Correction. It was proved that the de child was brutally beaten with a k until her back was raw. He said the next time he would kill the

Several smart Plainfield youngsters orhized a band of brigands. They held tings in the basement of a church, ound out before their weapons arrived names as Ed Hogan, of Tennessee, and william Burke, no residence.

Adrian will vote on a proposition to ond itself for \$00,000 for public imond itself for \$60,000 for public im-

The Amazon Hoslery Company, of Michigan City, employing 500 hands, will SERIOUS SUBJECTS CAREFULLY FLAMES CAUSE OVER \$1,000,000

The register of Marshall tramp house exhibits 1,100 entries during the past winter-a period of three months.

Eugene Groger, a prominent farmer of Cambridge, has died of injuries received by being struck by a falling tree,

A West Branch lady has saved all the dimes that came into her possession in the past four years, and they now amount

The cheese factory at Raisinville will begin operations on April 1, Dunbars & Jenkins, of Samaria, being the new pro-

Hay is sold at Muskegon at \$10.50 to \$11, and good beech wood is only worth \$1.25 a cord, and pine \$1 for a cord and a half. Chippewa County has 800 farms with-

in its limits, which makes it easily the banner agricultural county of the Upper An ice-boat ran from Mackinac Island to Bois Blanc light, a distance of seven

miles, in three and a half minutes, one day last week. Regents of the University of Michigan have ordered hose and chemical extinguishers purchased for every building

on the campus. A piece of machinery flew at James D. Wilson, of the Montague Iron Works, breaking several ribs and causing possi-

bly fatal injuries. The Plymouth Fair Association is in the field early with the announcement of their fair for this year. The dates are Sept. 17 to 20, inclusive.

Two foxes got into a chicken coop belonging to a Deerfield girl and killed fourteen hens. The girl killed the foxes, however, and sold the skin of one of them for \$12, so she isn't out much on the transaction after all.

The Supreme Court granted a writ of error in the case of Dr. Myron P. Fogelsong of Hillsdale, who was convicted at Hillsdale several months ago of poisoning his wife and sentenced to State prison for life.

A movement is on foot at Ionia to purchase a twenty-acre tract lying between the wagon works and the electric light works, and convert it into an amusement park, having baseball ground, skating rink, riding park, etc.

A farmer living near Pleasant Valley went to Shepherd one day last week and filled up on "forty-rod." He was so long going home that he froze both feet, which are in a terrible condition and probably will have to be amputated.

firewood this winter. He says it doesn't pay to encumber the ground with apple trees as long as the codling moth is so actively engaged in business.

A franchise to establish an electric light plant is asked for from Benton Harbor by Peter English. The power is to be obtained by damming the Paw Paw River about one mile from the city. The dam will be 1,000 feet long and give a fall of fifteen feet.

The Fifth Infantry Band, M. N. G. whose term of enlistment expires this month, has decided not to re-enlist in the State service. They were called into action for twenty-seven days at Ironwood last summer, and cannot afford to lose that much time again.

Clarence Eddy, of Chicago, will give a special organ recital during the May festival in Ann Arbor. This makes the fourth concert of the series which ends with the performance of Berlioz's "Damnation of Faust," by the choral union of 280 voices, the Boston festival orchestra of tharty-six pieces and the following soloists: Mme. Nordica, soprano; Rose Stuart, soprano; Gertrude May Stein, contralto; Rieger, tenor; Max Henrich, baritone; Clark of New York, bass. The festival will cost \$4,000, \$1,500 more than last year.

Sunday morning, between 2 and 3 o'clock, Postmaster N. McBair, of Owosso, was discovered in an abandoned mill race near the works of the brewing company. His face was bespattered with blood and his hair was matted. The blood gushed from a ghastly wound on the back of his head. The would-be assassin, believing his victim to be dead, it is believed, dragged the body to the secluded place where it was found for the purpose of hiding the crime until escape could be effected. The assailant attempted robbery, but he was evidently frightened away. Mr. McBain can give no account of the assault and the police are also mystified.

Calvin Deforest, a farmer near Oakley, shot and killed his brother George Tuesday. The act was committed in selfdefense, after Calvin himself had been seriously wounded. George, who was considered by many of unsound mind, has been the terror of the neighborhood for some time. He was terribly abusive to all his relatives. A short time ago he beat his aged father and mother severely, without any provocation whatever, and his brothers and sisters felt unsafe in his presence. His last and fatal exploit was when he drove his sister, Mrs. Alfred Beers, out of her home. The frightened woman called upon her brother Calvin for protection, when the shooting ensued.

Battle Creek police had a lively fracas with two tramps Tuesday. The men were offering razors, jewelry and revolvers for sale at suspicious prices, and as two officers attempted to arrest them in a barber shop each tramp pulled two revolvers and, getting the drop on the officers, escaped. A running fire was kept up for about two miles into the country, several officers and a crowd of civilians taking part in the chase. The tramps, realizing escape was impossible, threw away their guns and gave themselves up. cted president, treasurer and other No one was injured. The desperadoes ched stole \$10, sent for revolvers, and were arraigned on charge of assault with he citizens of their village. But alas, found out her gang-agley. They were controlled to commit murder, waived examination, and were bound over to the Circuit Court. In default of \$10,000 bail could out her court taken to init.

CONSIDERED.

A Scholarly Exposition of the Lesson -Thoughts Worthy of Calm Reflection-Half an Hour's Study of the Scriptures-Time Well Spent.

Lesson for April 7. Golden Text-"Hosanna: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord."-Mark 11: 9. This lesson is found in Mark 11: 1-11,

and has for its subject, "The Triumphal Entry.' There has been one 'Triumphal En-

try." There shall be another. In the first the cry went up, amid waving palies: "Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is he that cometh in the name of

the Lord. Blessed be the kingdom of our father David, That cometh in the name of the Lord;

Hosanna in the highest!" And in the next, when he cometh with clouds:

"Every creature which is in heaven, And on the earth, and under the earth, And such as are in the sea, And all that are in them Heard I saying-

Blessing, and honor, and glory and power, Be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, And unto the Lamb, forever and ever."

And the sure promise of it all: "Lift up your heads, O ye gates, Even lift them up ye everlasting door, And this King of glory shall come in. Who is the King of glory? The Lord of hosts-he is the King of

glory." Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus! Have you garments to cast before the Christ? Remember that blind man in the chapter just preceding who first "casting firm \$320,000. away his garment rose and came to that last week! Approximately, we quote | 75 per cent. of the value.

from our penciled margins, then was given by inspiration to this last week: A fifth of Matthew, a fourth of Luke, a third of Mark, and the half of John's Mount of Olives, east of the Holy City.

from which Christ looked upon the city and wept. At the foot then, the Garden of city but for a world. Wine-prest, indeed, oil well refined was here expressed. And A prominent farmer of Livonia has Jesus knew it all. Beyond was Calvary, chopped five acres of apple orchard into and on it even now to our Savior's eye the outlines of a cross. Beyond the shouting multitude he saw it all, saw it and yet permitted himself thus to be led. It was more than knowledge; it was love. Even the details he knew, and with prophetic eye. "Ye shall find a colt tied, whereon never man sat." God who had prepared the manger for the "heaven-born Child" has ready this meek beast of burden. The whole creation stood awaiting, as it were, this spectacle. It waiteth and groaneth still in expectation of another great event. "Say ye that the Lord hath need of

him." Say it again. What are the world's means of conveyance as one by one they emerge and stand, tied as it were and waiting, but steed and vehicle for the transfer of the divine blessing and the bringing in of the Kingdom. "And many spread their garments in the way." It must have been a beautiful and exhilarating sight as the jubilating procession, growing as it came, wound its way down the slope and across the valley. It is but a faint anticipation of the time when every eye shall see him, every knee bow. and every tongue confess. Be ready for it. "And now the eventide was come he went unto Bethany with the twelve, such his preference with men of low estate. It is eventide still, and he is with the twelve. And other evenings will come, and a black, black night. After that a glorious

morning. But Jesus alway! "Abide with me, Fast falls the eventide; The darkness deepens, Lord with me abide.'

Hints and Illustrations.

An appeal from the heart: "Let the Savior in." For once the people got beyond the control of the staid and watchful Pharisees. They broke loose, as it were, and for one brief hour spoke the instinctive homage of their souls. That glad welcome to Jesus at the city's gates was the true and proper tribute of nature to nature's God. It was the way all earth should have received the Savior, the way it would have received him but for its hard sin and selfishness. But just for a moment, a glorious moment, the deeper sentiment, of the human heart spoke out.

For doubtless it was in part this same multitude which cried "Hosanna," that a day or two later were howling, with clinched hands, "Crucify him, crucify him!" Fickle, changeful multitude.

"Thou many-headed hydra thing, O who would choose to be thy king.'

What was the trouble? Matthew hints it in the answer that was given of the people to the eager query. "Who is this?" And the multitude said, "This is Jesus the prophet of Nazareth of Galilee." That and nothing more. Not Lord and Savior, simply teacher, prophet. And stiff-necked, they were always slaying the prophets. Peter's confession is the real triumphant entry, the heartgates thrown wide: "Thou are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Make it, yourself. It is the office of the Holy Spirit to give us this apprehension of Jesus and to open the heart's doors to receive him. To the carnal heart Jesus is not coming; we hide as it were our faces from him, but to the spirit-moved he is the chief among ten thousands and the one altogether lovely. If only the Sunday schools of the land would once go out to the gates and greet the King! Why not to-day?

> "There's a stranger at the door, Let the Savior in. He has been there oft before, Let the Savior in."

DAMAGE.

Milwaukee's West Side Business District Scourged-Half a Dozen Mercantile Firms and the Plankinton Estate Losers-Loss in Chicago.

The Cream City Ablaze.

Lower Grand avenue, the heart of the west side, of Milwaukee, was the scene early Wednesday morning of one of the most serious conflagrations in the history of the city. The tire is the most disastrous since the Third Ward conflagration of Oct. 28, 1892, and the pecuniary loss will exceed \$1,000,000. It furnished a magnificent spectacle for the thousands that filled the avenue and watched it from surrounding buildings. There were, however, luckily, no fatalities.

Loss to the Plaukinton Estate. The buildings owned by the Plankinton estate were the large brick structure cov-ering half s block, occupied by Landaur & Co., wholesale dry goods dealers, and the Tanner Company, furniture, adjoining Landaur & Co. to the east, the building in the rear of Landaur & Co., occupied by the Reliance Storage Company, and the library building at the northwest corner of 4th street and Grand avenue. The estate will suffer a loss of about \$250,000 on the buildings occupied by Landaur & Co., Tanner & Co., and the Reliance Storage Co., which were practically new. They were totally destroyed. The insurance on them is estimated at 80 per cent., which would make the loss the insurance companies are to bear approximately \$200,000 on that structure alone

Max Landaur, of Landaur & Co., said the stock carried at present by his firm was valued at \$400,000, and he usually carried about 80 per cent. insurance, which would make the actual loss of the

The Tanner Company's loss was said Jesus." Have you done it? Drop every- to be about \$100,000, though no member thing and come. "They came nigh to of the company could be found to give Jerusalem" and to the cross. Everything any accurate estimate. It was thought is close now. How much was packed into the furniture stock was insured for about

Big Clothiers Burned Out. The Davidson estate was the owner of the building at 313 and 315 Grand avenue, located between part of the Plankinton building that was occupied by the Tanner Company and the Mathews building, in which the retail house of Morgan Gethsemane where Christ wept not for a the store-rooms in this building were Barling & Wambold, retail clothiers, but there were a few offices in the upper part of the two stories. The structure was one of frame, with a veneer of brick, so the fire underwriters say, and was worth \$20,-000 at the outside. The insurance was

said to foot up to about \$15,000. Barling & Wambold had just received a large consignment of spring goods, and the entire stock as well as the building was lost. With the new goods the stock was worth \$90,000 or more, so one connected with the firm in a responsible capacity said. The insurance was about \$70,000. Roebel & Reinhart, art goods and picture frames, were partially burned out and the stock wholly ruined by heat and water; insurance, \$60,000. Young Men's Christian Association Building on 5th street was burned; loss, \$75,000. There are many minor losses, including small stores and flats.

THE BELL IN FLAMES.

Big Clothing House in Chicago Suffers Its Second Fire.

Fire which imperiled many lives and caused a loss of \$176,000 broke out in the pasement of the Bell clothing store, State and Quincy streets, Chicago, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Bell building's contents were nearly all destroyed. Total insurance is \$106,000. The fire started near the furnace and shot up the rear stairways with great rapidity, spreading to each of the five floors. A panic ensued among the 100 employes. Many on the upper floors rushed to the windows and screamed for help. Charles H. Smith, a salesman on the second floor, climbed out of a window on the State street side, and in trying to catch hold of a projection to support himself lost his balance and fell to the sidewalk, badly crushing both feet. Richard Burns, a 17-year-old elevator boy, displayed great presence of mind. When the alarm was given he ran his elevator to the fourth floor and led Miss Martell, one of the bookkeepers, to the car and brought her safely to the ground, where she fainted. Miss Jennie Levy, the cashier on the first floor, had her desk on a sort of platform from which a stair led to the second floor. She ran up the stair and through Manager Curtin's office, crying "The store is on fire," and reached the elevator in time to catch it on its last trip down. Then the traps in the shaft, operated by electricity, fell, and the elevator could be run no longer.

A confidential employe of the Bell Clothing Company said the value of the stock in the building was \$200,000, and from what he could learn the damage was in the neighborhood of \$150,000. He could give no accurate figures concerning insurance, but said he thought the concern carried \$75,000 to \$90,000. The shoe stock, he said, was not more than half covered.

Jacob H. Cohn, the head of the firm, left for New York Monday afternoon to finish buying the spring stock. He was informed by teegraph of the fire and returned to Chicago at once. A serious fire occurred in the same building Aug. 28 last. The loss on the stock at that fire was \$93,000. The loss on the building was \$5,000.

Told in a Few Lines.

The Commercial Bank of Moscow, Idaho, has suspended with liabilities of tury. \$127,000 and assets of \$67,000.

What the Indiana Legislature needs is enrolling and engrossing clerk.

DOINGS AT LANSING.

WORK OF THE STATE LEGISLA-TURE.

An Impartial Record of the Work Accomplished by Those Who Make Our Laws-How the Time Has Been Occupied During the Past Week.

The Law-Makers.

Thursday, when Senator Jamison's bill for the repeal of the law empowering Roman Catholic bishops to hold property in trust came up on its third reading in the Senate, there was a warm fight, which resulted in the bill being laid on the table, although it will doubtless be taken up again after election and passed. It is not, however, a measure which will affect the Catholics very seriously, as the bishops now hold property in fee simple, which cannot be well prevented by legis lative enactment. A hot fight took place in the House over Representative Partridge's resolution calling for an investigation of the charges made against Representative Matthews in connection with the introduction of the patent medicine bill. Matthews defended himself and charged that Partridge had been actuated by animosity. The resolution was laid on the table.

The members of the State Legislature had a busy time at Ann Arbor Friday with their wives and children at the invitation of the Board of Regents to inspect the buildings on the campus. The invitation and inspection are the result of a request for an appropriation of several hundred thousand dollars to make improvements, especially in the laboratories. The legislators arrived 250 strong, and remained until evening. The entire day was occupied in the inspection of the university buildings. The party assembled in the chapel in the main hall and proceeded from there to visit the library. The physical and mechanical laboratories were then inspected and viewed in working order, full classes of students being present in each building. Then the event of the day took place. The legislators and families were conducted to the platform in University Hall and the whole college assembled in the body of the building. As the different classes marched into the hall each gave its class yell, and, being answered by those who were already there, pandemonium reigned for some time. President Angell arose and stretched out his hands in an appeal for silence one could not hear a sound in the vast assemblage of over 3,000 people. The President then delivered a speech, which was answered by the Chairman of the State Senate, and then several short eeches by the legislators followed. This gathering completed the morning's exercises and in the afternoon the hospitals and law library were visited and also the dental clinic and hygienic laboratories. At the Waterman Gymnasium the classes proved one of the most at-

tractive features of the day's program. The Legislature did nothing Monday but quarrel over the distribution of the

legislative manuals. The lower house of the Michigan Legslature Tuesday passed Representative Waite's bill requiring teachers in public schools to instruct pupils regarding the means by which dangerous communicable diseases are spread. Other bills were passed prohibiting the posting of bills on fences, and requiring corporations reorganizing under the law of the State to pay a franchise fee. The bill providing for local option by cities and townships was killed.

The unusual spectacle of a State Senator inviting another to fight was presented in the Senate Wednesday afternoon when the bill changing the age of consent from 14 to 17 years was being considered. Senator Clapp, the smallest member of the body, issued the challenge to Senator McLaughlin, the largest Senator. Clapp said if McLaughlin would adjourn with him to the ante-room he would "fix that head of his." Mc-Laughlin made no reply, nor did he make any further reference to Clapp The bill passed by a vote of 17 to 10 The joint legislative committees on public health made a favorable report on the Miller bill abolishing the State Board of Health and substituting therefor a boardorganized on radically different lines to be appointed by the Governor. The House spent the entire afternoon in committee of the whole on the Stoll bill repealing the law taxing mortgages. A motion to strike out all after the enacting clause was lost by a tie vote.

Sheridan Not in It.

Joseph Jefferson was playing Sheridan's comedy of "The Rivals" in Boston some time ago. His version of the play has been arranged in such a way as to give Bob Acres considerable more prominence, perhaps, than the author originally intended, occasionally at the expense of the other characters. William Warren, the old comedian, sat the play out, and at its conclusion was asked: "How do you like Jefferson's Bob Acres?" . "Capital, capital," replied Warren; "and Sheridan twenty miles away."

Holmes and Women and Children. "I've several things bothering me," he confessed one day. "First, I am anxious to find a suitable inscription for a child's porringer. I never wrote a poem to a child, I believe. I love children dearly; I always want to stop them on the street; but I have never written about them; nor have I ever written much about women. I don't know why, but I care too much to do the Tom Moore style of thing."-Cen-

Mosaic floors, laid with small pieces of different colored stones set in regu-Gov. Stone, of Missouri, has appealed lar patterns, were known to the Egypto the people of the State for aid for the poor of Kansas and Nebraska. this kind dated from 1100 P. this kind dated from 1100 B. G.

THE CHELSEA STANDARD

the basement of the TurnBuil Wilkinson block, Chelsea, Mich.

BY O. T. HOOVER

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CHELSEA, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1895.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. G. P. Glazier is visiting relatives in Albion.

Kate Hooker spent Monday last in Ann Arbor.

Andrew Morton, of Ann Arbor was in town Tuesday last.

Miss Mary L. Pierson spent Sunday with friends in Albion. Mrs. T. McKune has been visiting

her daughter in Detroit. Miss Florence Carpenter spent Sat-

urday last in Ann Arbor. Jay Wood, of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday last.

Mrs. Geo. Eder has been spending part of this week in Dexter.

DeWitt Chapman, of Detroit is the guest of Miss Frances McCall.

Herman Almandinger, of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

R. A. Bostwick, of Jackson called on friends at this place Monday last.

R. M. Speer, of Battle Creek visited his parents at this place Saturday last. . Mrs. Angie West, of Corrunna is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Armstrong.

Will Gibson, of Albion was the guest of Miss Matie V. Stimson, Tuesday last. Mrs. H. W. Schmidt is visiting her

mother who is quite ill, in Manchester. Miss Jean Whitcomb, of Albion has been the guest of her parents at this place,

Miss Maude Buchanan, of Dexter spent part of last week with Chelsea

Miss Cora Irwin has returned to Chicago accompanied by her brother

Allen Tucker, of Grass Lake spent Sunday and Monday with Donald McCall.

Miss Blanche Cushman, of Dexter was the guest of friends at this place

Miss Eva McNamara, of Jackson was the guest of her father at this place Saturday. Mrs. M. H. Colby, of Petaluma, Cal.,

is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Claude Martin. Mrs. H. M. Dean, of Detroit spent

Saturday last with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Canfield. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Allyn and son,

of Grass Lake were Chelsea visitors the latter part of last week.

Frank Greening returned to Chicago Tuesday after spending a week with his mother at this place.

Miss Carrie Case, of Jackson was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman the first of the week,

Mrs. B. E. Arnold who has been spending several months in Canada, will return to this place Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rowe, of Manchester were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. Tichenor, Mouday last.

Miss Minnie Steinbach went to Ann Arbor this week, where she has obtained a position in a millinery store.

Miss Marion Skinner, of this place, who has been visiting her uncle, A. J. Sawyer, at Ann Arbor, has returned

Dr. Thos. Holmes, Sam'l Heselschwerdt and Mrs. M. M. Campbell attend the funeral Monday of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Wing of Scio.

fifty years ago. It's on the way. It'll be here, May 10th. Look out for it

Measles

There are a number of cases of meas les in this vicinity, one case of which has resulted fatally. Measles is a "disease dangerous to the public health," under the laws of Michigan.

A New Volume.

This Easter issue is the initial number of Volume XIII of Munsey's Magazine. The volume just closed has the distinction of having shown a greater gain-a a vastly greater gain-in circulation than any single volume of a magazine in the whole wide world has ever had. It started with the October issue with a circulation of a quarter of a million, and ended with the March issue with half a million. The increase in these six months alone, represents a larger circulation than that of any other magazine either in the old world or the new, while the total circulation of Munsey's is in excess of the combined circulation of any other four magazines in America.—Munsey's Magazine for April.

Card of Thanks.

Grateful thanks are herewith extended to each and every one of you who supported me at the recent township election. The handsome majority given me is greatly appreciated.

J. D. Schnaitman.

I have made special preparations for taking care of spring trade by way of a very large assortment of Furniture. Carpets and Draperies and can insure prompt attention. Remember Book cases are sold at 25 less to make room. Martin Haller,

525 Main and 4 W. Liberty Sts. Ann Arbor, Mich.

Advertised Letters,

The following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Chelsea, April 2, 1895:

A. M. Hine, Mr. Choppel, N. S. Freeman, S. E. Cadwell.

Persons calling for any of the above please say advertised. GEO. S. LAIRD, P. M.

I occupy with my Furniture and Carpet business the store on Main Street 120 feet deep with a wing fronting on Liberty Street, three floors and basement giving 11360 square feet floor space and have recently rented and then Locality to use as a store room and in spite of this I cannot placeall my goods for spring trade. I am not able to take the goods from the freight houses at present have at both places a lot of dining chairs, parlor suits, baby carriages etc. which the railroad companies will not hold for me any longer and which I will have to place some where. I have there fare decided to offer my stock at a reduction of 25 to make room. Take advantage of this and buy your goods from a first class house. Respectfully

Martin Haller, 525 Main & 4 W. Liberty Sts. Ann Arbor, Mich.

For Sale-A new milch cow. Inquire of C. M. Bowen.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestions. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at F. P. Glazier & Co.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says t saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers of 139 Florida St., San Francisco suffered a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He It's coming, the Deestrick. Skule of is naturally thankful. It is such results. of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at F. P. Glazier & Co's Bank Drug Store, Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Our better halves say they could not keep house without Chamberlain's to be holden at the Probate Office in the Mill Creek, and ten acres off from the Cough Remedy. It is used in more City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if south end of the southeast quarter of the than half the homes in Leede, Sims Householders and physicians must immediately give notice of the first case and of every case of measles to the where it has been sold for years and is petition, and the hearing thereof.

Bros., Leeds, Iowa. This shows the it is further ordered, that said petition west quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said section four which lies south of the center of Mill petition, and the hearing thereof. clerk of the local board of health. This that there is nothing so good for colds, is required by law. The Board of Health not only request, but demand, cures these ailments quickly and pertain that this notice be complied with.

HIRAM LIGHTHALL,

The Board of Croup and whooping cough, that it newspaper printed and circulated in newspaper printed and circulated i AM LIGHTHALL,

Safe for children to take. 25 and 50c
Chairman Board of Health.

I have just received new importation of the latest shapes and styles in

Spring Millinery

And would be pleased to have the ladies call and examine them. Artistic trimming a specialty.

ELLA M. CRAIG

Over H. S. Holmes' store.

IF YOU WOULD BE

Be careful what you eat. There's a theory afloat that low grade food makes a low grade man. It may not be true. Still, owners of fine horses are particular about the feed-and man is just another kind of animal. It is just as well to be on the safe side and buy groceries of

R. A. Snyder

JUST LOOK!

Two packages yeast cakes 4c. 24 lbs granulated sugar \$1.00 6 lbs Butter Crax 25c Good canned corn 6c Good can peaches 10c 6 cans sardines 25c Shaving soap 2c 7 bars good laundry soap 25c Come and get a sample of our su

cured Japan Tea We have a good tea for 30c Try our 19c coffee Best coffee in town for 28c A good fine cut tobacco 25c "The Earth" for 15c Tooth picks per box 5c A good syrup for 19c

Best line of candies in town Try a sack of onr Gold Medal Flour Best Spring Wheat Patent Flour. all and see our 49c laundried shirts, white or colored, modern styles

Our line of work shirts can't be beat Our \$1.50 men's shoe is a hummêr We have the best line of neckwear to be found at 25c

15c handkerchiefs for 10c Good handkerchief for 5c Ladies' hose 10, 15 and 25c Headquarters for all kinds of produce

Regular 75c laundried shirts for 49c a R. A. Snyder's.

Probate Order.

OTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, s. s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 25th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lydia A. Letts, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of David B. Taylor praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself, David B. Taylor

able person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Mono'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for in the township of Sylvan, Washtenaw the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons all that part of the southwest quarter of interested in said estate, are required to the northeast quarter of said section appear at a session of said Court, then four which lies south of the center of any there be, why the prayer of the northeast quarter of said section four, netitioner should be not granted. And and the northeast quarter of the southpetition, and the hearing thereof, Creek-all said descriptions of land conby causing a copy of this order to be stituting one farm.

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ISS WALLACE,

DRESSMAKER.

Rooms upstairs in McKune Block. Chelsea, Mich.

W. S. HAMILTON,

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CHELSEA. MICH.

FRANK SHAVER,

Propr. of The "City" Barber Shop. In the new Babcock Building Main street.

CHELSEA, MICH.

Probate Order.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, s s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 7th day of March in the the year one housand eight hundred and ninety-five. Present, J. Willard Babbitt Judge of

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Stabler, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Anna M. Stabler praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to acob Richardon, the excutor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 8th of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the Learing of said petition, and the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of

hearing.
J. WILLARD BABBITT,
Judge Judge of Probate. [A TRUE COPY.] WM. G. Dory, Probate Register.

Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by Mary Broderick to Francis A. Westfall dated the twenty-seventh day of October. A. D., 1891 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan on the second day of May. A. D., 1892, at 11:30 o'clock, a. m. in liber 77 of mortgages on page 90, and by reason of said default, the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, and no proceedings having been in stituted in law or equity, to recover the deb secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of one hundred and eleven and 25-100 dollars are now claimed to be due and un paid on said mortgage also an attorney fee of thirty dollars therein provided. Notice is thirty dollars therein provided. Notice is therefore hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged prem-ises therein described, or so much thereof as may be necessary, viz. Commencing in the cen-ter of Main street in the village of Chelsea six chains and ninety-one links south of the north line of section twelve in the township of Sylvan, Washtenaw county, Michigan, and running thence east three chains and twelve links thence south parallel with Main street two chains and forty links thence west three chains chains and forty links, thence west three chains and twelve links, thence north along the center of Main street two chains and forty links to the place of beginning, reserving a strip one and one half rods wide on the north side for and one half rods wide on the north side for a highway, at public vendue to the highest bidder at the south door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county), on Monday the thirteenth day of May, A. D., 1895, at 2 o'clock, p. m. of said day, said premises will be sold to satisfy the foregoing amount with accruing interest together with premises will be sold to satisfy the foregoing amount with accruing interest together with the said attorney's fee and all costs and expenses allowed by law.

Dated February 12th, 1895.

FRANCIS A. WESTFALL, Mortgagee.

D. B. TAYLOR, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Real Estate for Sale.

State of Michigan, County of Washte naw, ss. In the matter of the estate of Maria M. Long, deceased. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said Maria M Long, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1895, there will be sold at Public Vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the TurnBull & Wilkinson block on the east side of Main street in the village of Chelsea, in the County of Washtenaw, in said state, on Friday, the twelfth and Stephen O. Hadley, the executor in o'clock in the forenoon of that day day of April, A. D. 1895, at nine (subject to all encumbrances by mort gage or otherwise existing at the time Thereupon it is ordered, that Mon-day, the 22th day of April next, at ten real estate, to wit: All that land situate county, Michigan, known and described as follows: The northwest quarter of

JOHN H. LONG, Administrator.

NEW SPRING

I am prepared to show a full line of all the latest nov. elties in millinery.

Commissioner's Notice, STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county
commissioners to receive, examine and adjust
all claims and demands of all persons against
the estate of Henry C. Stedman, late of said
county deceased, hereby give notice that six
months from date are allowed, by order of said
probate court, for creditors to present their
claims against the estate of said deceased, and
that they will meet at the law office of David B.
Taylor in the village of Chelsea, in said
county on the fourth day of May and on the
fifth day of August next, at 10 o'clock, a.m., of
each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated February 4, 1895.

Newton Prudden | Commissioners.

You will rememberr that Goliah was very much surprised when David hit him with a stone. He said that such a thing had never entered his head before. New ideas are numeroas in our stock of groceries. We always have what is latest and best.

J.S.CUMMINGS.

CENTRAL

The best of everything in the meat line is kept at the Central Market.

> All kinds of Sausages.

Give me a call.

ADAM EPPLER.



FARMERS

We want your trade on Wire, Pruning Saws and Hooks, Farm Implements of all kinds. Will make prices so low that it will be to your advantage to call on us before you buy. Our Furniture stock is complete and our prices make it an inducement. for every one to call and look through our stock. Our Baby Cabs are cheap.

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There will be a business meeting of he Epworth League, Friday evening, o the League parlors.

"The Crucifixion" will be the subet of the sermon at the M. E. church ext Sunday morning.

The Deestrick Skule of fifty years ago, s of the most popularamusements of neday will be here May 10.

The regular covenant meeting and al business meeting of the Baptist ch will be held next Saturday

The J. M. Letts place which was Mat chauncrey sale a few days ago, as purchased by R. A. Snyder. Conderation, \$2,625.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch entertainabout twenty-five guests at their ome on Middle street, Wednesday eve giving a progessive medley party.

W. 8 Hamilton has graduated from e Untario Veterinary College, and as returned to Chelsea, where he will cate. See his card on fourth page.

The W. C. T. W. will hold its mal election of officers, at Mrs. H. Taylor's, on Friday. April 5th at o'clock. A goodly number is expect-

Rev. Fr. Buyse, of Jackson, who was nown to many of our citizens, dat Milwaukee, Tuesday April 2d. he funeral will be held at Jackson,

There are a number of walks in Chelm that need a little attention, especily with a hammer, as the nails have orked up and are liable to trip up be unwary pedestrian.

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Owing to circumstances over which m have no control the celebrated '96 b will be unable to appear before public of Chelsea on the formerly drertised dates, but will appear on pril 26th and 27th.

The raising of sugar beets in Michn is being talked up once more. If mid that the soil and climate of this te are peculiarly fitted for produci ng saccharine vegetable, and that e is a gold mine in it.

Work is progressing rapidly on the porary building that the Glazier ne Company is erecting in order they may not get too far behind htheir orders, and the wheels will be more humming there next week.

When a man playfully points a pistol gun at you knock him down, don't particular what you hit him with see that he is thoroughly knocked n. If a corner inquest must be t let it be on the other fellow-he e't be missed.

Died, on Wednesday, April 3d. Sarah, thterof Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisk, about fourteen years. She has sick nearly all winter, and was toying, but was taken with measles week, and within a few days passaway. She was a member of the or League, and was beloved by all

Mm. W. Wedemeyer, for commisof schools, has made some phedruns in the county. He caror Courier.

A meeting for all interested in the Vermont cemetery will be held at the Vermont school house Saturday April 13, at 2. p. m.

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday. The solemn blessing and distribution of the real Palm will take place in St. Mary's church, Chelsea at 10: 30 a. m. the Rev. William P. Considine officiat-

At the request of a large number of Born, on Tuesday, April 2d, to Mr. citizens, the Columbia Dramatic club of St. Mary's church, Pinckney, will repeat the beautiful and romantic drama "Shamrock and Rose" at Clinton's hall in that village on Saturday evening April 20, 1895. Excellent vocal and instrumental music will be given.

When the Dexter bank was robbed last year there was \$700 reward offered for the capture of the thief, Detective Baker, of Detroit, located the man, but was not alone in the capture. The circuit court at Ann Arbor last week gave Detective Baker \$300, M. C. Peterson \$240, and C. W. Stebbins, \$160.

St. Mary's church, Pinckney, has now a most beautiful pedal practice organ costing \$875. It is one of the finest in this vicinity. It will be used for the first time on Sunday April 21, 1895, when special services will be held. The new organist, Miss Mollie Monks, with the new choir, will render Leonard's beautiful mass.

The two burglars who broke into J. J. Raftrey's tailor shop in Chelsea were arrested in this village Thursday evening and the goods recovered. They were tracked here by Deputy Sheriff 24 lb gr. sugar Staffan, who on arriving learned that they had sold an overcoat to Martin O. Miles for \$1.50. The balance of the goods were found at the Henderson crossing, west of this village, in a hole | bush. bags salt, 28 lbs covered over with dirt and chips. The thieves were taken back to Chelsea Thursday night about ten o'clock. They Oil per gal. appear to be tramps and were very well dressed .- Grass Lake News.

Do you remember, says an exchange how pleased you used to be when your parents called at the school you were attending? Do you remember how you would study so as to be sure of a perfect lesson when your class was called on to recite before your father and mother? Well, you have children In revising the registration list last of your own now, who are attending urday it was found that 45 voters school. Have you ever thought of visal either died or removed from the iting the school where your boys and girls attend? Remember the pupils of today are as well pleased to have their Lantern Globes 5c parents visit them as you were in your school days, and besides it encourages them to do better work and also convinces the teacher that you are interested in the work.

> The cigarette habit is becoming an unbearable nuisance, every little boy and a good share of the big ones, that one meets on the street has one of these deadly little rolls of tobacco in their mouth. It is acknowledged by every one that they are injurious to both health and mind, and if people choose to smoke them it is their own lookout, but they should go out in the alley or some other byplace and not compel people who come into stores and other public places to inhale the villianous smell which comes from the smoke of these things. There is a cigarette law in this state that boys under 18 cannot buy them. Why not enforce it, 'twould help some. - Eaton Rapids Herald.

The card of thanks custom will soon be a reminiscence. A Milwaukee paper has referred to it as "a peculiarity of the people of little country towns to publish cards of thanks in the local papers after any bereavement, the notice being made to include all who contributed in any way to the alleviation of their mistortune, The Milwaukee paper ironically refers to one recent notice found in a country paper in which the undertaker was thanked for the prompt and satisfactory performance of his duties. The absurd practice of writing and requesting the publication of poor and almost meaningless verses in connection with the announcement of a death, is also related Ivan by 209 majority, Ann Ar- to the card-of-thanks infliction and is Manchest Lima by 81, Lyndon referred to as a country custom that 20, Scio 40, Ann Arbor designation will bring both customs to Considering the heretofore a sudden end. That which remonsdemocracy of Scio, Man- trances and advice from newspaper , Lima and Ann Arbor editors could not do will be done byeir eres are simply astonish- the reference to " country town peculiarities."-Cadillac News and Express.

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The hasty, unequal marriage made no ensation. Few knew anything of Mr. Hurst, except that he was one of the gentlemen who visited the Hall. The beautiful girl who lived in the quite seclusion of Brynmar Woods was known and admired; no one expressed any surprise at hearing that she had married a "gentleman from London."

Stephen Hurst married the beautiful, simple country girl, and took her to London. He established her in third-rate lodgings in Pimlico. When fortune favored him he supplied her liberally with money; when it frowned he contented himself by abusing her. He was not naturally a cruel man; he would never rejoice in torture for torture's sake, but he was selfish and egotistical, mean and false.

It was some time before she discovered that he had no source of income save what he derived from gambling and betting. It was a bitter sorrow to her. She implored him to try some honest method when he could afford it he should open a gambling saloon at home.

Before long he did so, and then the real torture of her life began for Magdalen

Stephen Hurst seemed all at once to lose his good luck. He never touched a card without losing money; he grew moody and irritable, then desperate, and in an evil hour he fell into the lowest depths. He forged the name of a young nobleman who had frequently played at his house. The forgery succeeded, and the sum of money he obtained was a large one; but, as invariably happens, detection followed the crime closely. He was watched, arrested and tried. The gay, dashing Stephen Hurst, who had purposely thrown off all principle, and hated all again was Magdalen Hurst to claim her, restraint, found himself now a prisoner or call Hilda her child; never, let what for one of those crim which the law punishes most severely. Then, when the world justly fell upon him, when good and bad looked alike with abhorrence upon him, he learned the value of a wife's love.

Magdalen Hurst clung to him still. Others might believe him guilty-he might be condemned and punished-it made no difference to her, he was her kin, though a fallen one. Woman-like, she loved him even more tenderly and truly in his adversity than she had done in his prosperity. Others blamed him; she knew how he had been tempted; she | the large fortune left by her father. She made a hundred excuses for him, even while she deplored his crime. When the day of his trial came men gazed with wonder on the beautiful white face, so full of anguish and despair. Her eyes never left him, and her lips quivered with every word that told against him. When the sentence of ten years' transportation was given, one long, low cry, never forgotten by those who heard it, rang through the court, and Magdalen Hurst fell as one

Five weeks before Stephen Hurst left England, little Hilds was born; he only saw her once. What there was of a better nature in him was touched when his fair young wife laid the little babe in his arms. He half wished he had been a betther man; but the good impulse vanished almost before he kissed the little face. He made his wife promise that she would come to him if she could, and she intended at any cost to keep her word.

Magdalen Hurst never knew how the day passed that took her husband away. ix was one long dream of unutterable anguish. Awakening from it, she found herself alone in the great city of London -alone, save for her little child. She would not go home, where they would talk continually of the man she loved, where every idle word uttered against him would pierce her loving, faithful heart; so for three years Magdalen re mained in the great city working hard to maintain herself and her child. During that time Donald Burns and his wife died. Miss Erskine, who married Lord Hutton, returned with him from abroad, and went to Brynmar.

Then Magdalen received a letter from her husband, begging her to go out to him; but she had not the means. She tried to save money, but found it impossible, out of her small earnings. Another year passed, and then Magdalen put aside her pride and went back to Brynmar. She found her foster-sister, Lady Hutton, in the bitterest depths of sorrow; her husband and little child, to whom she was passionately attached, were both drowned by the upsetting of a boat upon the lake. She stood upon the bank and saw them die before her eyes, unable to render them the least assistance; she saw her little daughter's golden head disappear in the cold water; she saw her husband struggle

in vain to save himself and his child. Many suns rose and set before Lady Hutton saw anything again; and, on the very day that her husband and child were brought home to Brynmar to be buried, Magdalen Hurst reached the little cottage where her simple, happy childhood had been spent. She waited there many long weeks until Lady Hutton was able to see her; then, taking little Hilda by the hand, she went to the Hall.

Sorrow and illness had so completely changed Lady Hutton, that her fosterher again. There was daughter, and that I have another sother her. but little greeting between them until living away from here."

Lady Hutton's eyes fell upon the child;

"Is that your child, Magdalen?" she asked. "Is that Stephen Hurst's daugh-

When Magdalen replied that it was, Lady Hutton led her to her own room, where hung the portrait of a lovely little girl, not unlike the one who gazed upon

"See," said she, "your child is like mine, Magdalen; you must give her to me; look at the violet eyes and the golden hair." There was, indeed, some faint resem-

blance between the two fair little faces. "You want money, Magdalen," said Lady Hutton-"money to take you to your husband; you shall have it-as much as you like to ask me for-if you will give me your child. Let her be mine.'

At first Magdalen Hurst was deaf to all entreaties; she would not hear of it; then the master-passion of her life came into play. He whom she loved had sent for her, and sent again. She yielded at length, and consented that Lady Hutton should adopt her child. It was a hard struggle; how hard none knew but her-

It was arranged at last to give little Hilda a trial; she was to visit Lady Hutton; if she appeared happy and contented her mother agreed to leave her there; if not, she would forego the great wish of her heart. But Hilda was quite contented; she liked her new and pretty dresses, the grand house, and, above all, the stateof living; she offered to work for him, but | ly lady who was so cold to everyone else, he only laughed at her ideas, and told her and so kind to her; for Lady Hutton loved the child with a love beyond all words, and when that little golden head rested on her heart it seemed as though her own Maud was there again. Better, a thousand times, the pattering of little feet than the hushed calm of a house where no child lives; better the musical prattle of a stranger's voice than the unbroken silence; better the clasp of those tender little arms, the kisses of the sweet, childish lips, than the haunting memories that were never still.

> So for three weeks Magdalen Hurst lived alone in her little cottage, and then consented to part with her child. The conditions Lady Hutton made were hard ones, but she would not alter them. Hilda was to be as her own daughter; never would happen.

Lady Hutton was liberal in her own way. She did not spare gold, and Magdalen Hurst left England amply provided for, and never saw the face of her fostersister again.

CHAPTER IV.

Ten years passed by and brought with them great changes to Brynmar. Sir Ralph and Lady Erskine slept with their ancestors in the family vault. Lady Hutton was sole mistress of the Hall and of heard once from Magdalen Hurst; and then a silence, deep and unbroken as the silence of death, hid the mother of Lady Hutton's ward from all who had ever known her. The letter was a brief one, stating that she had found her husband. and, in accordance with her promise, never told him to whom she had confided her child. Hilda had been adopted, she said, by a lady who did not wish her name to be known; he seemed quite indifferent about it, and asked no questions.

Lady Hutton read correctly enough that a broken heart was revealed in every sad word of that letter. Magdalen Hurst sent no address; she asked no questions, and Lady Hutton never heard from her

Day by day Lady Hutton grew fonder of her adopted daughter. Hilda was taught to call her mamma, and in every way she was treated as her own child.

No one knew the girl's history, and even among the servants only a small number knew that she was Lady Hutton's adopted daughter-most people believed her to be the lady's own child. She was called Miss Hutton, of Brynmar, and it was generally known that she would inherit Lady Hutton's fortune.

No question ever came to Hilda as to what she would do with her life, its calm, simple pleasures sufficed; she never looked beyond them; but Lady Hutton was ambitious for her. Day by day she watched the growth of that wondrous loveliness, and built her hopes upon it. The world she had given up and ceased to care for should smile upon her ward. She spared no pains over her education, and she rarely allowed her to be long out of her presence.

As soon as she reached her seventeenth year Lady Hutton intended taking her to London. With her beauty and prospects, lovers in plenty would surround her, and from them Lady Hutton decided she should choose the noblest and the best, but not one word of these plans did she ever mention to Hilda.

"Her heart will be untouched," thought Lady Hutton; "her fancy will be free. If use my influence, she will marry whom please, and that will be the most eligible man who presents himself. She will be something different from the general run of young ladies. I shall have no troublesome love affairs with her.

With her talents and wealth Lady Hut ton could do much, but she could not control fate. Once, and once only, had the girl asked any questions about her par-

"Mamma," she said one day to the stately mistress of Brynmar, &I am not your very own daughter, am I?" "Who has been talking such nonsense

to yeu, Hilda?" was the impatient ques-"Elpsie, your old housekeeper," teplied Hilda. "She says I am your adopted

"Elpsie will leave Brynmar if I hea any more gossiping," said Lady Hutton, haughtily. "Listen to me, Hilda. You are my adopted child; no one else in this world has any claim upon you. I had a little daughter all my own once, and when she was taken from me you supplied her place. You have no friend but

"Lady Hutton," said the young girl. earnestly, "who was my mother? Tell me something of her." Her fair young face was pale and wist-

"There is nothing to tell you, my dear,' replied Lady Hutton; "she was my friend we were children together-I adopted

you; and surely, Hilda, you want no one else save me? Seeing that the very mention of the matter agitated and annoyed Lady Hutton, Hilda never alluded to it again; and as years passed on, and she grew older, the fact that she was only the adopted

daughter of her stately benefactress grew more vague and indistinct.

One beautiful morning in May, Hilds rose carlier than usual. Elpsie had told her on the previous evening that any lady who for nine mornings together bathed her face in May dew would be beautiful forever. Hilda resolved to try it, and on this particular day rose almost with the sun, while the dew still lay upon the flowers, little dreaming that on that day the tragical story of her life would begin.

A golden glow seemed to have fallen over the earth when Hilda stood on the hill near Brynmar woods; the air was full of an indescribable melody and fragrance; the birds sang, the flowers bloomed, the hawthorn shone white upon the hedges; all was fresh, fair and beautiful. Heaven seemed smiling upon the bright face of the earth.

There was plenty of dew upon the heather; it glistened on the long blades of grass and shone upon the green leaves; and before long the fair young face was bathed in it.

An artist meeting Hlida then would have sketched her and called his picture "The May Morning." She looked just us fair and bright; the violet eyes were clear and lustrous; the beautiful face tinged with the loveliest color, and the golden hair waving over her graceful neck and shoulders.

The way was long and pleasant, and she lingered in the deep shades watching with loving eyes the wild flowers that grew round the tall trees; watching the bees, which could never decide whether cowslips, bluebells or primroses were the most delicious and sweet; forgetting, as the warm sunny hours rolled on, that Lady Hutton would be waiting for her, and that the time for breakfast had long passed. While looking at the flowers some pretty fantastic lines she had read came into her mind: "My own bluebell, my pretty bluebell,

I have come from the bower where the

My wings you view of your own bright And, oh! never doubt that my heart's true blue.'

"What words!" said the young girl, laughingly, as she bent over the bluebells, "what words to put on a butterfly's lips!" Then in her rich, musical voice, she began to sing them. The sweet voice rose high in the clear morning air, until one could have funcied the trees, and flowers, and wind listened in hushed silence.

Hilda thought she was quite alone, sing ing, as she gathered the pretty bluebells, but down the broadwood path there came a young and handsome man. He stood for a few minutes silently watching the beautiful golden-haired girl, doubting whether the figure before him was real. Turning suddenly, Hilda saw him, and a rush of color dyed her fair face crimson. He advanced toward her, holding his hat in his hand and bowing reverentially as though she were a princess.

"I beg you to forgive me if I have alarmed you," he said. "I have lost my way in the woods and cannot find the path to the high-road. Will you have the kindness to point it out to me?"

"The one to the right," replied Hilda, raising her eyes to the handsomest and noblest face she had ever seen.

Then he should have bowed and left her, and she should have walked away, never once looking behind; but the sun shone and the birds sang. They were both young, she beautiful and fair as the morning; and instead of leaving her he spoke again.

"These are bonny woods," he said. "I have not seen fairer in all Scotland. They belong to the Brynmar estate, I sup-

Hilda bowed. She had not recovered her powers of speech. Who was this handsome stranger? Where had he come from?

"You are losing your bluebells," he said, gallantly. He stooped and, gathering them together again, offered them to her. Those were pretty words I heard you singing," he continued; "they are quite new to me. May I ask whose they are?" Hilda forgot her shyness then, and told him that she had read them the day before, and could not forget them. His eyes were riveted upon her beautiful face, his ears were charmed by the sound of her voice; he could have stood there, he thought, forever. Was ever picture so fair? In the soft light that fell through the green foliage, her fair face and golden hair shone brightly. He never forgot her as she stood then, with shy, drooping eyes, and the bluebells in her pretty white hands. He lingered until he knew he ought to go.

"Will you give me one of those flowers?" he said, touching the bluebells "just as a little memento of the most pleasant morning I ever spent, and the most beautiful picture I ever saw-only one; I beg you will not refuse."

Half-smiling, half-coyly, she drew out a single flower, and offered it to him. His face flushed as he took it from her. Other words trembled upon his lips. He longed to tell her how beautiful, how fair and modest she was, and that he could never forget her; he longed to ask her name, where she dwelt, and why she was alone in the shades of Brynmar woods. But he did none of these things-he bowed he would have done to a queen, and left.

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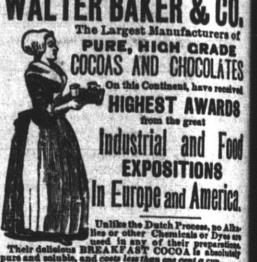
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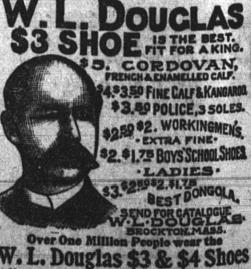
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As Li Hung Chang, the Chinese peace envoy, was returning to his lodgings in Shimonoseki, Sunday, after having attended a conference with Count Ito and Viscount Mutsu, the Japanese peace plenipotentiaries, a young Japanese fired a pistol at him. The bullet struck Li Hung Chang in the face. It is believed that the wound is not serious. Prime Minister Ito telegraphed to Hiroshima asking that Dr. Sato, the imperial physician, be sent to Shimonoseki to attend the Chinese Commissioner. The Minister of State and a number of other officials visited Li Hung Chang and expressed their deep sorrow at the occurrence. Every precaution was taken by the police and military to prevent any trouble. The attempt to assassinate the representative of the Emperor of China caused the most intense excitement and on every side there were expressions of deep regret. The would-be murderer was arrested. It is believed that he was prompted to the crime by misguided patriotism. The news of the attempted assassination of Li Hung Chang created much excitement at Yokohama. The Emperor and Empress sent a messenger to Shimonoseki to express to the distinguished Chinese statesman their regrets at the most unfortunate occurrence.

Great Excitement in Washington. The news of the assault on Li Hung Chang has caused a sensation in diplomatic circles in Washington. Cases where an envoy of any kind has been assaulted in the country to which he is accredited are rare, and those in which a peace commissioner is attacked are almost unheard of in modern days. The opinion



in Washington is that Japan will suffer greatly in consequence of the assault, and that the position of China will be so strengthened that she may be able to secure better terms of peace than she could otherwise have hoped for.

The incident may lead to the breaking off of peace negotiations, which were proceeding so satisfactorily, or at least may postpone further action in this direction until Japan has guaranteed the safety of Chinese envoys and made prop-

The Chinese legation received prompt notification of the matter, but their advices contained nothing not in the press dispatches. Minister Yang Yu did not care to discuss the subject. It was stated at the legation that it was not believed that it would lead to the total breaking off of the peace negotiations, although it might cause them to be interrupted for

The Attack on the Czarowitz. The attack on Li Hung Chang calls to mind the attempt made on May 11, 1891, to kill the czarowitz, now the Emperor of Russia. In November, 1890, the czarowitz, in company with his cousin, Prince George of Greece, started on a tour of the world. They visited Vienna, Athens, Cairo, Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Bangkok, Siam, various places in China and Japan. While at Otsu, Japan, the czarowitz was attacked with a sword by a fanatical Japanese officer and quite severely wounded. He would in all like-lihood have been killed had it not been for the bravery of Prince George, who sprung upon the would-be assassin and felled him to the ground. The affair caused the greatest excitement, and the mikado traveled to Otsu to visit the czarowitz and express his regret for the attack.

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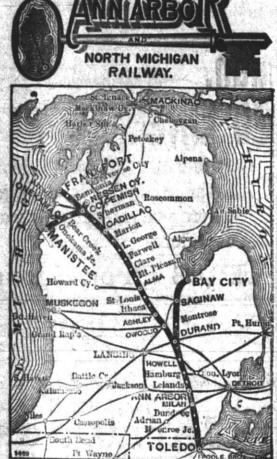
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Grover Cleveland must feel that he is getting the whole world on his hands-Our international complications have multiplied so rapidly that we almost lose sight of our domestic troubles. There can be no concealing the fact that the diplomatic relations of the United States with certain nations of Europe are in such a condition as to make the exercise of great care absolutely necessary. At the present time there is no war cloud on the horizon nor is one likely to arise unless the present difficulties with Great Britain and Spain regarding the Nicaragua and Venezuela on the one hand and the Allianca affair on the other should become much more serious than now seems probable. The great difficulty in the way of satisfactory Adjustments that will preserve the American prestige in the south lies in the fact that the Monroe doctrine has never obtained the recognition among the European nations that Americans generally believe that it has. But there is no doubt in the minds of most Americans that the Monroe doctrine is sound doctrine and that the best interests of this country require its rigid enforcement. With our diplomatic troubles with Spain. Great Britain, the French in the Madagascar affair, the Thurston incident, and commercial difficulties with Germany and other nations, taken altogether the lot of the present secretary of state is by no means an enviable one and it is not to be wondered that he shows an extraordinary amount of nervous irritation.

Evidence is multiplying to show that some of the members of the fifty-third congress were very thrifty fellows, and that they did-not let anything get away from them. Many of them did not draw any stationery during the three sessions of congress, but instead took the \$375 in cash, the equivalent of their stationery accounts. The mileage privilege, of course, is an old story, and the congressmen had a rich haul in this for the three sessions. The men who did not travel on 7 bars good laundry soap for 25c passes were few in number, but they all 4 lbs fresh California prunes 25c raked off the mileage. Evidences are also Strongest ammonia 3c per pint plentiful of wholesale disposals of govern-Sulphur 2c per 1b ment publications for cash by members of the house. But the traffic in free seed is a new feature of of congressional thrift. The secretary of agriculture tells a very interesting albeit not a pretty story about congressmen and garden seeds. He says that members of the august body which uses the capitol are in habit of turning into merchandise the seeds confided to them by the government for free distribution among their constituents. The edy. result of an investigation set on foot by him was a confirmation of his worst forebodings. The country generally is familiar with the hypothesis upon which the seed bureau of the Agricultural department is administered. Roughly stated. the understanding is that the bureau forms part of the nice little paternalistic scheme by which our government proposes to endear itself to the needy agriculturist. Like the fish commission and the scientific annex for the investi gation and extermination of pernicious bugs, and the analysis of diseased hog's liver, or unsatisfactory sweet-breads, vegetables, grasses, etc. The congressmen are regarded merely as agents for equitable and judicious distribution. Great latitude has been allowed, of course, Members have been left free to place a package of "mammoth pumpkin" where they thought it would do the most good, and to scatter the "early rutabaga" or the "peerless watermelon" on such soil as promised the richest harvest for a campaign year. But, for all that, it has been a generally accepted theory that, in one way or another, the seeds were to go into the hands of the farmers without cost to them, and that the congressmen were not to use them as a private asset with a marketable quality. There can be no doubt that a member, in taking the seeds and selling them for his own private benefit, commits an act morally detestable. If

not legally outrageous. The statement of Librarian Spofford that more than 55,000 publications were copyrighted in the United States last year, as against only 23,000 in 1884, shows an immense increase in the business of his office. But in 1884 the international copyright law had not been passed. At that time, and for some years thereafter, the works of foreign writers were pirated in the United States. Much of the increase reported by Mr. Spofford is due to the change of law in this regard. Another source of increase is the growing habit of copyrighting metter that appears in the newspapers. Probably there is ten times as much of this class of copyrighted matter as there was ten years ago. Unfortunately, as a result of the great increase, it happens that thousands of utterly useless books can be seen at the great library in the National Capitol. If,

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