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OUR large business is the legitimate result of always giving the best goods at the lowest price. We are proving it more conconclusively every day. Our combination of stores cuts the corners off the price for the benefit of our customers. - NO-TICE A FEW EXCEL-ENT

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All-woo	d serge, 38-in., black and all colors, were 39c, now
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Just a f	ew more of those Best Prints at
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UNDERWEAR:

New Capes and Jackets.

We have done an excellent business in this department and have a few odd pieces and kinds that we should like to close out at reduction. We have just the right kinds of Underwear, as we have made a special effort in selecting for this department.

Our ladies' and children's underwear at 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c cant be matched for the money. Our men's 50c underwear is being sold by others for 60c and 65c. We have a full assortment of ONEITA UNION SUITS for men and women. Have you ever worn them? If not, TRY THEM THIS YEAR.

Remnants especially cheap this week.

Our prices may be matched, because anyone can make prices; but these qualities are not matched, except for MORE money.

Special Bargains this week in Black Dress Goods.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

BARGAINS FOR OCTOBER

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We have some special bargains In Lamps, Dinner and Tea Sets, Toilet Sets; and in our FURNITURE DEPARTMENT, we have Bedroom Sets, Sideboards, Writing Desks, Fancy Rockers, Parlor Tables, Extension Tables, Couches, Parlor Furniture, etc. We have, also a large assortment of DINING CHAIRS.

HOAG— HOLMES._ See our 10-cent Cooking Crocks.

ADAM EPPLER

keeps constantly on hand BUTCHER,

Pure Lard, Fresh and salt Meats, smoked Meats, Best sugar-cured Hams, and everything kept in a filrst-class shop.

mmmmm REMEMBER-Everything you buy of me guaranteed of ADAM EPPLER. the CLEANEST and BEST.

Ann - Arbor - Electric - Granite - Works.

Designers and Builders of

Artistic Granite and Marble Memorials.

On hand large quantities of all the various Granites in the rough, and are prepared to execute fine monumental work on short notice, as we have a full equipment for polishing.

JOHN BAUMGARDNER, Prop., Ann Arbor.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

The generals have decided where the battle line is now, The battle in the middle states will be all the hotter be cause of the results in Florida and Georgia. These results are held to indicate, that in all but her border territory, the south may be pretty safely put down in the Bryan column. That is a fair essume, the late storm : "Well, de win' sho' did kind in existence, and that is not in as the Bryan column. That is a fair assumptar' 'roun' here much!" "Den you sed good condition as Mr. Castle's. tion. If state results in the east are accepted as assuring a verdict later of the same tenor, state results in the south are entitled to a similar interpretation. The east is then for Mr. McKinley, and the see Mr. McKinley gwine through groun's more provisional." Was discovered at

fight decisive. The success of the republican ticket by a narrow margin might prove to be a barren victory. If silver, as a disturbing force, is to be disposed of, it must be by a verdict of some emphasis. A return made by a bare majority of the jury would be the signal for a prompt appeal of the issue to the next congress election, and business would, necessarily, in a large measure remain unchanged. Mr. Bryan and his friends, after a brief rest, would resume their fight, with Mr. Bryan as the prospective nominee of the silverites for president again in 1900. These are the considerations which will enter into the contest from this time. And they will inspire the one side: s well

as the other. It is reported here, on good authority, that the total usufruct of the efforts of their fund raising campaign in New \$5,000. The exact amount as given by a gentlemen connected with headquarters is \$4,186. And the story that Mr. Sewall had given his check for \$25,000 turns out to be a cruel canard, and St. John, the Martyr, can scarcely keep the tears when, contradicts it. Mr. Sewall pulled out the precedent established by the late William H. English, the millionaire banker, who filled the second place on the ticket with General Hancock, some years ago. Mr. Eng!ish limited his contribution to \$10, 000, which Mr. Sewall considers a fit example for him to follow. But as an offset to the Sewall limit, the news comes that Mr. St. John, politically known as Sinjun, points with pride to the fact that although Mr Bryan is a poor man and pays only \$18 taxes annually upon his entire real and personal property, he has furnished a beautiful example by contributing \$5,000 to the democratic treasury. This money, it is said, has been furnished Mr. Bryan by a Nebraska admirer. There is a loud whisper to the effect that this admirer is Mr. John Creighton, who has the reputation of being the wealthlest man in Omaha. It is believed that he spends at least three-fourths of his income in charities every year, largely through the Catholic church, of which he is a devoted adherent. Mr Creighton has been a great admirer of Bryan ever since the latier came prominently before the public as a politician, and when Bryan was nominated at Chicago he handed him a check for \$5,000, saying that the money would be needed in his personal expenses during the campaign.

> mittee in Mr. Bryan's name. "Old Glory" floats again over the White House after a holiday of over four months. Its appearance in its once familiar place, on the executive flagstaff, indicates to the public that President Cleveland has concluded his vacation and has once more resumed the transaction of public business at the official home of the chief executive. His long vacation has done him a world of good and he returns to his desk equipped with a great store of health, mentally and physically, for the discharge of the presidential duties. He enjoyed his partial respite from official cares, and seems to have been much benefitted in every way by his summer's experience on the shores of Buzzard's Bay. Mrs. Cleveland, with the children of the household, is also back. They are domiciled in the White House, which has been made thoroughly comfortable for them, as the repairs to Woodly, the Presby the great storm, will not be completed for several weeks, and it is unlikely that. the place will be occupied again this

It is understood that he has duplicated

that check since, as well as subscribing a

similar amount to the campaign com-

Considerable discussion is just now current in the press anent the origin of the popular name "White House" for the Executive Mansion. For the sake of ac curacy it may be stated that it is generally conceded that the house was dubbed White House in honor and memory of the house of that name in New Kent county, Virginia, where Gen. Washington met and won the charming Widow Curtis. From the first the house was, in appearance, white, though it was originally a dismal white sandstone. After the burning by the British and its subsequent restoration it was given its present appearance by a

coat of white paint.

The Washington negro is an interesting study. In politics he is a sort of

voodeo prophet, Apropos of this, I was impressed by an interesting conversation I overheard the other day in a stroll is Was Found in a Pile of Rubbial with Many Other Valuable Stamps. through the White Lot. Two old negro "uncles," laborers on the Fifteenth street sewer, were passing, after their day's work, all covered with sewer mud. Said

Those enthusiastic opponents of the civil service law who imagine that a new President can destroy the law with an autograph are mistaken. The civil servfee law can be repealed only by Congress. It has been asserted that the presidential ight to extend the scope of the statute arries with it, logically, the right of conreed that such is not the case. Sec tion 6 of the civil service law specifically provides that any revision of existing classifications shall be for the purpose of "facilitating the execution of this act." The spirit of the statute is everywhere opposed to any such action as might be contemplated by hungry spollsmen.

The occultation of Mr. Bland is a matter Senator Gorman and candidate Sewall in of remark in the campaign. Perhaps Mr. Bland is too busily engaged in trying York city last week footed up less than to get back into Congress to do anything for Mr. Bryan.

J. C. Kaercher.

John Carl Kaercher died at the home of his son, Alfred Kaercher, on Madison street, Sunday, October 18, 1896, aged 75 years, 8 months and 10 days.

Mr. Kaercher was born at Leinfeld, Wittemberg, Germany, on the 8th day of February, 1821, and came to this country with his father in 1836. Their first set-

Mr. Kaercher lost his wife in 1876, since which he has spent most of his of the state-since 1891 with his son, Alfred, where he died.

Funeral services were held at the house where he died on Tuesday, October 20. The Rev. Gottlieb Eisen delivered a dis course in German, and Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., one in English, after which his remains were interred in Oak Grove cemetery.



"I suppose you get a good many tips,

'Oh, yes, sir, from everybody." "Then in that case there is no need for me to give you one. Good morning."-St. James Budget.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

For the Township of Sylvan. Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration for the Township of Sylvan, in the County of Washtenaw, will be its axis. in session on Saturday, the 31st day of ident's suburban home, made necessary October, 1896, at the Township Hall in the Village of Chelsea, from 9 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of registering the legal electors of said Township not heretofore regis J. E. McKUNE,

Township Clerk. Dated October 19th, 1896.

WANTED - SEVERAL FAITHFUL men or women to travel for respon-e established house in Michigan. Salary \$780, payable \$15 weekly and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National, Star building, Chicago.

Paper Hanging.

If you want your rooms decorated in an artistic manner at reasonable prices, give us a trial. Orders left at

THAT 84,400 STAMP.

The story was told a couple of weeks paid \$4,400 for a single stamp, known as the 10-cent Baltimore provisional

east is then for Mr. McKinley, and the greater part of the south for Mr. Bryan. The republican party is working for a big majority. The idea is to make the fight decisive. The success of the republicance of the firemen noticed a few odd stamps. Stamp collectors in Louisville heard of the find and bought the "rubbish," and everybody in Louisville began cleaning out long unused garrets, hoping to find old stamps. Among the rubbish that was dug up was found this 10-cent pro-visional, besides several provisional stamps of other cities. The first lot of traction, but the best authorities are rubbish proved, however, to be the most valuable, for a St. Louis stamp dealer paid \$28,000 for it. The same dealer ught the 10-cent "provisional" that Mr. Castle paid \$4,400 for, for \$2,000.

The provisional stamps were issued by the postmasters of several large cities before the Government began to

issue stamps regularly. The Baltimore stamp consists of a piece of paper, 13 inches long by 1/2 inch wide, bearing autograph of James M. Buchanan, who was postmaster of Baltimore from 1845 to 1847. The "provisionals" are the most valuable of all stamps in the eyes of philatelists.

SHE FORGETS NOTHING.

A Four-Year-Old Child with a Most Marvelous Memory. Baby Ethel Carroll, of Oakland, says the San Francisco Examiner, is a human phonograph. Every word of a conversation-no matter how longnames, dates, figures and bits of ora-tory of all degrees of merit, songs, and jokes spoken in her presence, she is tlement was in the town of Lima, where, able to recall, word for word, even in 1844, he married Miss Araminta Marthough it be weeks and months after. garet Ossius. The fruit of this marriage At her age-for she is only 4 years old was five sons and five daughters, nine of -much that she hears no doubt is whom, four sons and five daughters, are quite unintelligible to her. She simply still hving. One brother and one sister repeats everything from memory without knowing aught of the text of her

The first time that the child showed her phenomenal trait was at the age of time with his children, in different parts 11 months. At that time she was taken to see a play at the theater. Upon reby repeating, word for word, one of the popular songs. From that time until now little Ethel has been a regular play-goer. Now at the age of 4 her memory has developed so remarkably that it is a common thing for her after seeing a new play to sing song after song that she has never heard before She can also repeat the lines of the play with remarkable correctness. In spite of the fact that large numbers of people see her daily, drawn by curlosity, she never forgets the name of anyone who is introduced to her, and can tell even the exact day when she first met them, though it may be months

> Russian Proverbs About the Czar The Czar, too, dies when his hour

The Czar's lungs cannot put out the When the Czar takes snuff the people

If the Czar be a rhymester let the octs beware.

One has to bow before the Czar, even if the Czar be blind. The Czar has long arms, but they do not reach to heaven.

The Ozar may be the cousin of God, but he is not his brother. The crown of the Czar does not protect him against headaches.

When the Czar dies the Moujik would not change places with him. The fat Czar is not heavier for death to carry than a lean beggar.

Whoever needs the Czar's favor mus not disdain the good-will of his valet. When the Czar wishes to cut leather straps the peasants must furnish their

The Czar can shake the terrestrial globe, but cannot make it deviate from

He whom the Czarina hates is depised by her lady in waiting, hated by her tire woman, and sent to the devil by her chambermaid.

Matches Made of Paper. Paper matches are the latest. The time-honored scheme of rolling up a piece of paper and using it for a lighter has been used by an inventor in the manufacture of matches, and promises to revolutionize European match manufacturing. The paper used is strong and porous, and when immersed in a solution of wax, stearine and similar substances, burns with a bright, smokeless and odorless flame. Strips of half an Inch in width are first drawn through a combustible bath, and are then turned by machinery into long, thin tubes. They are then cut to match lengths, and the heads dipped into phosphorous wax and dried.

prices, give us a trial. Orders left at the Standard office will receive prompt R. J. & G. D. BECKWIH.

Persone wishing their pianos tuned by S. B. Tichenor are requested to leave their order at the Standard office.

Glazier & Stimson:

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Our prescription department is in the hands of registered pharmacists, and we' use nothing but pure drugs in thier preparation. We are also headquarters for everything that should be found in a first-class drug store, including

Dye Stuffs, Tissue Paper Chamois Skins Sponges, Perfumes **Toilet Soaps** Headache Tablets, Etc.

> We continue to hold our large coffee trade by selling nothing that will not suit you. Have you tried a sample of our 30c tea, it will please you better than a great many that you

> > WE ARE SELLING,

THIS WEEK-

21 lbs gran. sugar for \$1.00 4 1-2 lbs crackers for 25c 24 lbs brown sugar \$1.00 Full cream cheese 12c

Electric Kerosine oil 9c 10 lbs rolled oats for 25c 25 boxes matches for 25c Ammonia 4c per pint

Seedless raisins 6c per lb 10 cakes soap for 25c Pure Spices and Extracts 8 lbs clean rice for 25c 7 bars Jaxon soap for 25c Good tea dust 8c per lb. Try our 25c N.O. molasses Kirkoline 20c per pkg.

Sugar corn 5c per can Good tomatoes 7c per can Best pumpkin 7c per can 27-oz bottle olives for 25c 6 doz. clothes pins for 5c. 4 lbs Cal. prunes for 250 3 cakes toilet soap for 10c. Fresh gingersnaps 5c lb. 5 boxes 8-oz tacks for 5c. Heavy lantern globes 5c. Pint bottles catsup for 15c.

Choice honey15c lb. Good sugar syrup 20c gal. Choice table syrup 25c gal

We Invite

you to give our grocery department your attention. First-class goods, prompt and courteous attention to customers, and the lowest prices are our mottoes.

> Wall Paper Lamps

Fancy Crockery

Remember, you are always sure of getting the highest market price for eggs at the Bank Drug Store.

MARVELOUS GENIUS.

FAMOUS BLIND GIRL.

She Astonishes Cambridge Educational Critics-Corner-Stone Laid for a Monument to 6,000 Dead Union Veterans-Rockford Bank Failure-

Famous Blind Girl at College. girl in the world who is known to have mastered the extremely difficult accomplishment of lip reading by touch, has astonished her teachers by passing the entrance examination given at Radcliffe in English, German, French and history. This famous blind girl, after she left the Wright Humason School for the Deaf, New York, in June last, went to Cape Cod for the summer, and a few weeks ago entered the Gilman Preparatory School for Girls in Cambridge. Mass. She is now 16 years old. When she enters the college she will be much younger than the average matriculant and her teachers have no doubt that her standing will be high from the first. She submitted typewritten answers in the unofficial examination, which she passed some days ago as a test, and, although deaf and blind, the time she consumed was no greater than that usually allowed for the work when the usual applicants are examined.

Tennessee's Loyal Foldiers. In the presence of 10,000 old soldiers and their descendants the corner-stone of a monument to the 6,000 Union soldiers of Tennessee who perished in the war was laid at Knoxville, Tenn., Thursday by Grand Army Posts, Women's Relief Corps, and Sons of Veterans. A historical paper was read by William Rule, of Knoxville, past department commander, and the oration was delivered by Gen. G. P. Thurston, of Nashville, who served on Gen. Thomas' staff. In the historical paper it was shown that 20 per cent. of Tennessee's enlisted men died from wounds, disease, and in rebel prisons, a larger percentage than of any other State. Over 1,200 died in prison. The monument will be erected in the National Cemetery. It will be constructed of Tennessee marble; will be over fifty feet high and crowned by the figure of an infantryman in bronze. It will cost completed \$15,000.

BREVITIES.

Obituary: At Bourbon, Ind., Asa St. John, 81.-At Elkhart, Ind., Lucian M. Hopkins, 25 .- At Saginaw, Mich., Frank S. Erd.

Rear Admiral Gherardi, U. S. N., has been elected commander-in-chief of the military order of the Loyal Legion of the

Obituary: At Alto, Ind., William Har-Dr. R. D. Hanna .- At Bay City, Mich., James Shearer, 73.

It is rumored that a new Roman Catholic province is to be created in New York State and that the new archbishop will be Right Reverend John J. Keane.

The Marine National Bank at Duluth, Minn., has suspended and the bank examiner is in charge. Inability to make collections rapidly enough to meet withdrawals is assigned as the cause. The bank has a capital of \$250,000. No statement has been issued.

The National Live Stock Exchange, in session at Fort Worth, Texas, has elected these officers: President, W. H. Terasurer, Mr. Doud; Vice Presidents, I. Ingerson, Sioux City; E. McCall, Pittsburg; Joseph Adams, Chicago; A. D. Evans, East St. Louis; W. E. Skinner, Fort Worth; J. R. Siatter, Kansas City; T. D. Perrine, Omaha.

Secretary Francis received a selegram saying that forest fires were devastating the San Gabriel reserve in Southern California and asking if the Government could render any assistance. The reserve is under control of the Interior Departto protect it. Secretary Francis has asked the War Department if any assistance can be given by the troops.

James II. Wyatt, confined in the jail at Clinton, Ill., for larceny, confessed the murder of Daniel H. Gilham, in Alton, six years ago, and then choated the law of its prey by hanging himself to the bars of his cell. George Starkey and John Brown were convicted of Gillham's murder, mainly on Wyatt's cvidence, and sentenced to thirty years imprisonment. Starkey died in prison three weeks ago.

The resignation of Surgeon Hamilton, of the Marine Hospital service at Chicago, was accepted by the President Friday afternoon. In the controversy which has existed between Surgeon Hamilton and Surgeon General Wyman ever since the latter succeeded Dr. Hamilton as the head of the bureau the treasury officials have a'ways sided with Dr. Wyman and have given him their full support, and the statement is made on high authority that no exception will be made in the present instance.

The Comptroller of the Currency announces the failure of the Second National Bank of Rockford, Ill. Bank Examiner D. A. Cook has been placed in charge. 'The bank has a capital stock of \$200,000, and at the date of its last report had deposits to the amount of \$320,-000 and undivided profits aggregating \$70,000. Inability to realize on its assets is given as the cause of the failure. The officers of the bank are: E. L. Woodruff, President; W. B. Barbour, Vice President; George L. Woodruff, cashier; Willis M. Kimball, Assistant Cashier. Many of the wealthy men of the city are interested as stockhoiders.

In the United States Court of Appeals at St. Louis Judge Caldwell rendered a decision in the case of W. F. Werner, collector of taxes for Crittenden County. Arkansas, reversing the decree of the Union depot roads with a constable in the possession of property which the latter has levied on.

Dr. Herman Rakenius, of Chicago, who

EASTERN.

The Morgan Lumber . Company's big team mill at Glens Falls, N. Y., was comlled to shut down, owing to a scarcity of logs. There are about a hundred thouand logs stranded on the shores of Big Bay, but heavy rains and a freshet are needed to float them down-stream.

Great Barrington, Mass., was visited Monday night by the greatest conflagration in its history. The fire destroyed the major part of the business section WORK OF HELEN KELLER, THE of the place. It started in the Kennedy Hotel and spread rapidly to adjoining buildings. The department responded promptly, but the fire had gained such headway and the heat was so intense that they were driven from the street and could only fight the flames from the renr.

Zimmerman & Forshay, New York bankers, ask aid for the sufferers from the fire that wiped out half the City of Helen Keller, the one blind and deaf Guayaquil, Ecuador, which they describe as the only artery of communication between that country and the United States. Having sent a cable message to Jose M. Carbo Aguirre, governor of the province, asking whether assistance was required, the firm received the following response: "In the name of the government and the people of Ecuador I thank you for your offer, and if any assistance can be given by the New York Stock Exchange or others it will be gratefully received on behalf of the sufferers. The fire destroyed more than one-half of the city, including the rich est and finest part. The losses aggregate more than 100,000,000 pesos and more than thirty thousand persons are homeless and without bread.'

At daybreak Sunday morning the American schooner Luther A. Roby, from Schiverie, Nova Scotia, for Philadelphia, with a cargo of plaster, struck near the point of Cape Henlopen, Delaware, while a terrible northeast gale was prevailing. The force of the sea was so great that the vessed pounded to pieces on the sands before the life-saving men could get a line to it. Three of the crew lost their lives, and five were rescued after an year. awful experience with the elements. The dead are Harry Milley, Thomas Simes, and an unknown Norwegian sailor. One of the killed lost his life by being struck by the mainmast when it fell. When the schooner went to pieces the five rescued men managed to get hold of the deck house. On this frail raft they were buffeted about, at the mercy of the enormously high seas until they were seen by the life-savers. A rope was thrown to them and the five men, now nearly exhausted, were hauled through the roaring surf to a place of safety. A severe northeasterly gale raged all along the Atlantic coast Sunday night, accompanied by rain.

WBSTERN.

Ex- Gov. Silas J. Woodson died at the St. Joseph Hospital in St. Joseph, Mo., Thursday evening after an illness of more than a year. It was a gradual wasting away from the effects of old age. He was unconscious for twenty-four hours previous to his death.

The nominees in Illinois of the gold standard Democrats for Electors, Congress, and the Legislature will appear | Col. Christy, of counsel of the Amerion the official ticket under the heading of "Independent Gold Standard Democrison Finch, 74.-At Warrington, Ind., racy." This is the result of an agreement entered into at Springfiefild Monday by parties representing both sides.

> After being out several hours at Mexico, Mo., the jury in the January murder case returned a verdict of guilty and assessed the boy's punishment at ten years in the penitentiary. The prisoner, Will January, killed his father, Alexander January, in a horrible manner, first shooting him from ambush and then beating his brains out with a plank. He claims his father had threatened the lives of the entire January family.

Philip Zimmer, aged 24, a St. Louis blacksmith, attempted to kill his sister, shot his sweetheart, Celia Vietz, and Thompson; Secretary, C. A. Baker; then put a bullet through his own heart at the Vietz girl's home early Monday morning. Zimmer's victim, who is 29 years old, was taken to the city hospital. where it is thought she cannot live. Zimmer's actions can only be accounted for on the supposition that he was insanely jealous of the girl he shot. Before the shooting Zimmer asked Miss Vietz to marry him and leave the city, but she refused to do so.

Twenty-five years ago Dr. Charles Denison, of Denver, in an article on consumpment, but no money has been appropriated | tion and the beneficial effects of Colorado air, advocated the insurance companies send their consumptive policy-holders to sanitariums where their lives, by careful medical treatment, could be prolonged for periods ranging from two to twenty resist forcibly the approach of the Banyears. He says several big companies are now figuring on the cost of locating large sanitariums in the Rocky Mountain region and going into the scientific business of prolonging life of consumptives in a wholesale manner.

> Mrs. John Meyers and her 13-year-old son are in jail at Atchison, Kan., the latter charged with murdering Lester Dyke. the 12-year-old son of a neighbor, and the former with being an accessory to the crime. The trouble arose over a kitten belonging to the Meyerses, and the most reliable version of the affair indicates that the mother encouraged her son to commit the crime. The boys quarreled over the possession of the kitten, and Mrs. Meyers, it is said, incensed by seeing her hopeful get the worst of the scuffle, told him to get a knife and stab his adversary. He obeyed what is alleged to have been her command, by stabbing young Dyke over the heart. The latter cannot live.

The following figures tell the story of Chicago's observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the big fire: Mounted 2,274 Carriages Political clubs Bands Tallyhos Passing given point 5 hrs. 10 min.
Passengers carried to parade:

South Side surface lines 80,000 North Side surface lines 80,000 West Side surface lines80,000 Lake street elevated 40,000 Metropolitan elevated 20,000 Alley elevated 30,000 Chicago & Northwestern Grand Central station roads 12,000 Lake Shore and Rock Island 13,000 Nickel Plate 6,000,

a house surrounded by a sheriff's posse and riding four miles on his bicycle, one of the bandits who robbed the Sherburne, Minn., bank and killed the assistant cashier and a traveling salesman, seeing that he was doomed, sent a bullet crashing through his own brain and fell dead at the feet of his pursuers. A punctured bleycle tire was responsible for his falling into the hands of the men who were hungry for his blood, and who he cheated in the hour of their victory. Nearly all of the \$1,000 stolen from the bank was found in the possession of the tandit who killed himself. The other is under arrest.

Two hours and a half more of life would have cost the friends of W. H. Goble, of Sioux City, Iowa, just \$2,500. For the past twenty- seven years he had carried a policy for that amount in the Covenant Mutual Life Association of Galesburg, Ill. Under the terms of the policy and the laws of the State the annual payments on the policy are due thirty days before the policy itself expires. Goble was a poor man and frequently was compelled to take advantage of this period of grace. His payment for 1896 was due Sept. 1, but Goble was unable to raise the money at that time and at midnight on the night of Sept. 30 the policy would have expired. At 9 p. m. he was stricken with apoplexy and thirty minutes later he expired.

SOUTHERN.

High water in Savannah River, at Savannah, Ga., resulting from a strong northeast wind, caused much loss to rich planters, many of whom had cut and stacked the crop in the fields. Some of the city wharves were submerged. All vessels were ordered to remain in port.

Belle Freeland, the counterfeiter, who was convicted in Chicago in 1893 and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary but was soon thereafter pardoned by President Cleveland, was brought up before Judge Goff in the Federal Court at Clarksburg, W. Va., to answer to another indictment for converting \$2 bills into tens and twenties. She was convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for one

When it came out at Columbia, S. C., some time ago that Commissioner Mixson's sons had received considerable sums of money from the Live Oak and Peebles whisky concerns of Cinc nnati he offered to resign, but later declined doing so when requested by Gov. Evans, and as no one had power to remove nim he held on. Thursday Mixson, to the surprise of everybody, handed in his resignation, the effect of which will be either to force the calling of an extra session of the Legislature or the closing of the dispensary doors, as there is absolutely no provision for the appointment of his successor, even if he should die, and the business cannot be run with the office vacant. The situation is an extremely embarrassing one, and the result is awaited with interest.

WASHINGTON.

At Washington, D. C., the Supreme Council of the American Women's Protective Association re-elected Carrie C. Oostdyke President, M. Belle Kempster Secretary, and Mary Davidson Treasurer.

can Railway Union and the Knights of tice in Washington, D. C., and filed a petition to the President and the Attorney General for the pardon of W. H. Clune, Philip Stanwood and Isaac Ross, convicted in Southern California of conspiracy to obstruct and retard the United States mails during the railroad strike of 1894 and sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment. The petition shows that these men were in favor of moving the trains and that their arrest was a mis-

Washington, D. C. dispatch: The United States Government will try to scare the Sublime Porte with its little toy cruiser, the Bancroft. The Bancroft is to force its way into the forbidden waters of the Ottoman Empire and settle grave diplomatic questions of three years. The plan is an important move toward the settlement of numberless controversies with the Ottoman Government. Commander Charles Belknap has orders to proceed without delay to Constantinople, the hitherto practically forbidden capital port of Turkey. At Smyrna Minister Terrell will board the Bancroft, which will become the dispatch boat of our legation by this simple action. No formal request is to be preferred for the privilege of entering the Sea of Marmora and no opportunity will be given the Porte to exercise the powers of denial. It is not anticipated the Turkish authorities on learning of the purpose of Minister Terrell, will croft to their capital. That action is fraught with too many disastrous results. Besides, the United States Government has the racit support of Russia and other foreign powers in its movement to command the Sultan's attention.

FOREIGN.

Dispatches received at Havana Monday from official sources in the Province of Pinar del Rio say that another battle has been fought between the Spaniards and the insurgents under Antonio Maceo. resulting in another victory for the former. Gen. Echague was in command.

Miss Van Hocke, a young woman of Brussels, has brought suit for breach of promise to marry, claiming \$10,000 damages, against Capt. Lothaire, the Belgian officer who was recently acquitted on the charge of murder in hanging the British trader Stokes in the Congo Free State.

Germany has followed up the prohibi-tion of American dressed beef by shutting out American canned beef. It is required that all cans shall be inspected, and this practically is prohibition. There seems to be no disposition on the part of Germany to yield to the arguments of the Agricultural Department.

It is rumored in political circles at London that Sir William Harcourt has intimated his wish to resign the leadership of the liberal party in the House of Commons and that he has written a letter to Mr. Gladstone to show that no ignoble ambition has guided his action, which is said to be due to his failing eyesight.

The storm has caused considerable damage at all points along the English, Irish. and Welsh coasts. An unknown schooner has been lost off Holyhead, and the crew of five men were drowned. The boatswain of the steamship Germanic was washed overboard an! drowned off the Irish coast. In a collision on the Humber between the steamers Alexander and

were startled to see the supposed dead man comesto life. It appears that he had taken antipyrine for medicinal purposes. taken antipyrine for medicinal purposes, and the effect was that he was pro-nounced dead. The apearance of the skin indicated poison, and the authorities stopped the funeral for a post-mortem examination.

The Italian government has addressed a peremptory note to the porte in reference to a young Italian subject who was murdered in the recent massacres in Constantinople. The note says the young to the ground by a man in Turkish uniform. The note concludes by demanding the punishment of the guilty persons and the payment of indemnity for the murder of an Italian subject.

Berlin dispatch to New York Journal: Grumkow Pasha tells me that Turkey's only hope lies in being financially administered like Egypt. Europe must grant an enormous loan, place the Porte at her feet, and then assume entire charge of the finances, develop the natural resources, and stop corruption. The Pasha refused to say whether his plan would be submitted to the Kaiser at the forthcoming interview. The Foreign Office assumes that Russia intends to become the custodian of Turkish finances, relying on France and Germany to furnish the appropriation of \$10,000 and appointed

Archduke Heinrich was horsewhipped on the Koenigstetten road at Vienna by a female bicyclist Sunday. A bicycle meet had been arranged and by permission of the authorities a judges' stand was erected by the roadside. Guards were in attendance and kept the space in front of the judges' stand clear in order that the riders who competed for prizes might not be interfered with. There was an immenso gathering of wheelmen, and great was their indignation when the Archduke's horses dashed upon the throng. The crowd fell back, and, miraculously, all those in front of the horses escaped injury. The driver checked the horses in front of the judges' stand, and the bicyclists, not recognizing the noble occupant of the carriage, swarmed upon him. A woman snatched the driver's whip and belabored both the driver and the Archduke until she was thrust aside by the guards and the carringe driven out of the crowd.

Key West, Fla., dispatch: Advices from Remedios tell of the gallant deeds of a band of amazons headed by Senorita Martini Hernandez Perez, in the vicinity of Vueltas. Martini was informed that a careless watch was being kept by the Spanish garrison. At the head of her band she dashed upon the town. A picket of twelve Spanish soldiers at the gate were put to the machete almost before they knew an enemy was upon them. The amazons then rode through the streets of the place, cutting down other Spanish soldiers who were lounging in front of a cafe. In the plaza 200 Spaniards were charged. The Spaniards fired a volley, which killed three amazons, and then fled to the barracks. The amazons pursued the fleeing soldiers; slashing them with the machete until they found refuge in the barracks. Eight of these were killed. The amazons then looted several stores Spanish residents, but the raid on Yuel-

IN GENERAL.

Obituary: At Boston, Rev. Crosby H. Mrs. S. C. Witherell, 58.

The report that Bishop Spalding, of Peoria, has been nominated to succeed Bishop Keane, of the Roman Catholic University of America at Washington, is pronounced by the Varican authorities to be premature.

Near Pipestone, Manitoba, a prairie fire swept everything in its path, burning acre after acre of grain in stacks, buildings, cattle, horses and farm implements. The fire has been burning for several days. Many people are left homeless. Reports from other parts of the province also tell of extensive destruction by prairie fires.

The City of Paris, the crack racer of the American Line, which left New York on Wednesday bound for Southampton, was sighted 350 miles from Sandy Hook by the crew of the steamship Fuerst Bismarck Thursday afternoon, and found to be disabled. One of its engines had broken down. The accident had no other result than to delay the vessel's arrival in Europe for several days. The Paris did not ask for assistance, and its officers stated they would be able to proceed without

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$5.25; hops, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$3.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 23c to 25c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 18c; rye, No. 2, 34c to 36c; butter, choice creamery, 17c to 19c; eggs, fresh, 15c to 16c; potatoes, per bushel, 18c to 30c; broom corn, common short to choice dwarf, \$25 to \$60 per ton.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, common to prime, \$2.00 te \$3.50; wheat, No. 2, 67c to 69c; corn, No. 2 white, 24c to 25c; oats, No. 2 white, 18c to 20c

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 21c to 23c; oats, No. 2 white, 15c to 17c; rye, No. 2, 34c Cincinnati-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs,

\$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.25; wheat, No. 2, 74c to 76c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 25c to 27c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 42c. Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.00; hogs,

\$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 72c to 74c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 25c to 27c; oats, No. 2 white, 20c to 21c; rye, 37c to 39c.
Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 73c to 75c; eorn, No. 2 yellow, 23c' to 24c; oats. No.

2 white, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 39c to 41c; clover seed, \$5.25 to \$5.30.

Milwaukee Wheat, No. 2 spring, 07c to 68c; corn, No. 3, 22c to 24c; oats, No. 2 white, 19e to 20c; barley, No. 2, 30c to 36c; rye, No. 1, 37c to 38c; pork, mess,

\$7.00 to \$7.50. Buffalo-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 75c to 76c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 29c to 30c; oats, Na 2 white,

New York-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs,

KLAMATH RESERVATION SAID TO BE SHORT.

Commission of Inquiry Begins Its Work-Thos, W. Ferry Dies Suddenly -London Capitalists Said to Have Bought Tobacco Patents.

Discrepancy in the Survey. Col. Henry Brady and R. P. Hammond Jr., of San Francisco, are members of a Government commission to settle the disputed boundary line of the Klamath Indian reservation. The question has been in dispute for many years. The original survey and the later one observed by the settlers leaves a discrepancy of 60,000 acres in the reservation, which the Indians claim. It seems that the young Klamaths who went to school and received liberal educations have studied the question with a view of recovering the lands of their forefathers. They interested Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, in the matter, and the last Congress made an a commission to settle the boundary ques-

Three Bandits Dead, News has just been received from Meek er,in the northwestern part of Colorado, of an attempted bank robbery that occurred Tuesday. Three men entered the bank, North Dakota, 10; Washington, 16; Ore which is connected with the storeroom of J. W. Hugus & Co. Two of the men held J. W. Hugus & Co. the country the store employes at bay, while the third at large is 84.4 per cent., against 85.7 last went into the bank cashier's window, and, firing one shot, or lered the cashler to throw up his hands. The order was not quickly obeyed, and the robber fired Indiana, 71; Illinois, 80; Wisconsin, 80 again, whereupon the cashier's hands went up. The manager of the store was then forced to open the bank door, and after gathering up all the money in sight | 85; Oregon, 87; California, 94. the robbers marched the cashier and store employes into the street with hands uplifted. They then rushed out the back way with their booty. Citizens, attracted by the shots, had pretty well surrounded the building by this time, and being armed, opened fire on the robbers, two of whom, Charles Jones and William Smith, were killed by the first volley. The third man, George Harris, was shot through the lungs, dying in two hours. He is fully identified. Four citizens were woundnd, not seriously.

Fast Mail Looted.

The Union Pacific fast mail due at Ogden, Utah, at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning was held up by masked and heavily armed men a half-mile east of Uintah. No passengers were molested, the robbers confining their operations to the mail and express cars. The robbers surprised the engineer by suddenly appearing from behind the tank and covering him with their guns. They ordered the fireman to cover his head with a cotton sack which they handed him. The engineer was ordered to stop the train and rode away singing the Cuban battle and was told to indicate the express car, hymn. Since the amazons were organized which he did. While the attention of the they have been operating in the Remedios robbers was distracted the engineer ran district and have inflicted great loss on away and escaped to Ulntah, where he was followed by the express messenger, Labor, called at the Department of Jus- tas was the first attack on Spanish sol. and Supt. O'Neil was notified, signawhile 'he baggage and express cars were uncoupled by the robbers and sent ahead of the train a few hundred yards, and both cars were broken open. The robbers failed to open the safe in the express car. Wheeler, D. D .- At Atlantic, Iowa, The railway officials say all the booty se-Franklin H. Whitney .- At Rockford, Ill., cured was a few mail bags, the value of their contents being unknown.

Scheme of a London Syndicate. New York dispatch: Rumors that have recently attended the sharp upward move- September. There will be a very small ment in Tobacco stock of negotiations | rield from the top crop, and the reports pending for the control of large tobacco manufacturing plants by foreign capital- Nov. 1. ists have crystallized into a definite report that a London syndicate has been formed with a capital of \$600,000, and has purchased and will operate abroad the foreign patent rights of the National Cigarette and Tobacco Company. The National Company; it is alleged, is building fifty elgarette machines to be delivered in England by Jan. 1. In the domestic tobacco trade there are persistent rumors of impending startling developments of a bullish character, in the direction of a strong combination on Standard Oil lines.

Ex-Senator Ferry Dead. Ex-United States Senator Thomas W. Ferry died at Grand Haven very suddenly Wednesday morning of paralysis. He had been in splendid health, excepting attacks of sudden dizziness, until Sunday, when he took to his bed. Tuesday evening he was given a hypodermic injection. The family sat up with him a short time, when he seemed to be asleep. In the morning he was found dead in

NEWS NUGGETS.

The Italian Minister to China, Sig. A Bardi, is dead. William Courtney, the operatic singer

of New York, has been adjudged insane. An unknown man committed suicide by jumping into the Niagara River from Prospect Park. He was swept over the American fall and disappeared in an instant.

Helen Kellar, blind, deaf and without sense of taste and smell, has passed the Harvard examination with credit. She will enter Radcliffe (Hartford annex) at a younger age than most freshmen.

W. T. Rambusch, of Juneau, Wis., has disappeared. The affairs of the Citizens' Bank, of which he is president, are declared to be in excellent condition, but his personal accounts as custodian of trust funds are thought to be somewhat tan-

J. A. Tankard, of Ohio, is at Denver placing bets on McKinley's election. He has already put up \$100,000 at various odds from 4 to 1 down to 3 to 2.

The business part of Epping, N. H., suffered severely by the destruction by fire of several large blocks on the main thoroughfare. Loss, \$35,000; insurance,

Descendants of Jacob Royer, who settled on the site of St. Louis early in the present century, have decided to bring suit for a large tract of real estate in the heart of the Missouri metropolis worth

The wife of C. D. Smith, a farmer living thirteen miles east of Nevada, Mo. has been trying ever since last April to secure the possession of his two children, and the control of Bancroft, Iowa, one of the men who has been awarded their custody by Court has been awarded their custo

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT SENDS OUT A STATEMENT.

Wheat Is Short in Quantity and Poor in Quality - General Conditions of Corn Is 90.5 Per Cent, Against 91 in September.

Crop Statistics.

The returns to the statistical division of the Department of Agriculture for October show that the wheat crop will be generally short in quantity and poor in quality, owing to unfavorable weather, drouth at seeding time, deficiency of snow protection and excessive rains after har vest, producing scanty growth, shriveled grains and rust. The worst is in the great region of Ohio and Kansas and adjoining States. Crops are fairly good in New Jersey and Maryland and adjoining parts of Pennsylvania and New York, also in the Rock Mountain valleys.

The returns of yield per acre of all wheat indicate a production of 11.9 bushels, which is .6 of a bushel less than the preliminary estimate for 1895. The rate of yield of the most important States is as follows: New York, 15; Pennsylvania, 14; Ohio, 9; Michigan, 12; Indiana, 9; Illinois, 13.6; Wisconsin, 14.5; Minnesota, 14; Iowa, 15; Missouri, 10.7; Kansas, 11; Nebraska, 14; South Dakota, 10.5; gon, 15.5; California, 14.5. The indicated quality for the country

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year. The averages of a few selected States are: New York, 93; Pennsylvania, 84; Kentucky, 74; Ohio, 67; Michigan, 89; Minnesota, 89; Iowa, 83; Missouri, 80; Kansas, 81; Nebraska, 84; South Dako ta, 90; North Dakota, 87; Washington,

The returns make the general condition of corn 90.5 per cent., against 91 for the month of September. The averages of condition in the large and surplus corn States are as follows: Tennessee, 80; Kentucky, 97; Ohio, 106; Michigan, 102; Indiana, 106; Illinois, 102; Wisconsin, 98; Minnesota, 97; Iowa, 102; Missouri, 85; Kansas, 81; Nebraska, 101. The preliminary estimate of the yield

of oats is 24.3 bushels per acre, against 29.6 a year ago; quality, 74.9, ranging from 55 in Kansas to 104 in Montana. The average yield per acre of rye is 13.3: of barley, 25.6. Conditions of buckwheat is 86 per cent.; Irish potatoes, 81.7; tobacco, 76.9. Cotton shows a decline of 3.5 points from the September condition, which was 64.2 per cept., against 60.7 for the present month. The percentages by States are as follows: Virginia, 58; North Carolina, 64; South Carolina, 67; Georgia, 67; Florida, 66; Alabama, 61; Mississippi, 60; Louisiana, 61; Texas, 57; Arkansas, 53; Tennessee,

69; Missouri, 79. The department's report as to the condition of cotton last month is fully sus tained by the returns for the present month. In all the States east of the Mississippi River little or no top crop will be made and the crop will ail be gathered by the middle of the month. Damage is re perted from Mississippi by frosts on the 28 h and 29th of last month. Caterpillars and rust are complained of in the Sea Island district of Florida. A slight improvement has been made in some few Louisiana and Arkansas counties, but the crop will be gathered before the close of the month. There has been a general deterioration also in Texas. In some sections the crop has been injured by worms, rust, frost and heavy rains the last of say the crop will all be gathered by

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TEMPLE

Prettiest of Its Kind Recently Erected in New York City.

The religion of Christian Science has a new temple in New York City, and it is one of the prettiest of its kind in the country. It is the edifice at 137 West 48th street, and was formerly the house in which the congregation of All Souls' Protestant Episcopal Church worshiped. The building has been completely remodeled. Nothing remains of the original building but the four walls and the galleries. The brick front has been trans-



NEW TEMPLE FOR CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS. formed into an ivory color, and a brown stone stoop has been added to each of the three entrances. Each stoop has a wrought iron railing and fence. The windows are now of stained glass, and a heavy cornice ornaments the roof front In New York State are forty-six Christian Science churches. The preaching consists of reading selections from the Bible and from the book written by the founder of the religion, Mrs. Eddy. During the past ten years the growth of Christian Science has been truly remarkable. A decade ago the cult was limited to a few pupils of the Boston lady, who taught that Christ's mission was as much to heal as to teach. The philosophy of Mrs. Eddy claims more than 250,000 believers scattered over the whole country. Mrs. Eddy published her gospel of religion and health, "Scie ce and Health," in 1870. It passed th ough 110 ions, and is still in great demand.

The Laconia, N. H., Car Company, through its president, Perley Putnam, large creditor, petitioned for the appointment of a receiver. The entire indebted ness is \$850,000, of which \$150,000 is mortgaged bonds. The present financial difficulty is attributed to the general depression of business.

The State Department has received off

Mahone's Losing Fight. "That was one of Billy Mahone's most stubborn fights."

The New York and Michigan menhad been talking about the fierce battle which took place on the Weldon Railroad, a few miles to the left of Petersburg, thirty-two years ago today-the day upon which I am writing about it-Aug. 21.

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I guess the Michigan man was right, though Mahone had been in many a hot place and shown great skill and doggedness in pushing his enemy before that hot day in August, 1864.

It was the third of a series of fights. General Grant had sent General G. K Warren with the Fifth corps to take the Weldon Railroad, one of Lee's important lines of communication. His command left the line in front of Petersburg early on the morning of Aug. 18, one of the hottest days of the year. That afternoon Warren charged and took the Weldon Railroad at what has ever since been known as the Yellow House, not far from which General Meade had his headquarters during the winter of 1864-5, and up to the time the army broke camp for the last campaign that ended at Appomattox. The Confederates had been taken somewhat by surprise on the 18th. The next day, a rainy, gloomy, drizzly day it was, too, Mahone drove back three of Warren's brigades and came very near turning the Fifth corps commander's victory of 'he day before into a serious defeat. For an hour or two there was savage work with both artillery and musketry. The list of dead and wounded sickened the hearts of the men who were on the eve of being mustered out at the end of their threeyear term.

On the 20th both armies rested, but early on the 21st there were evidences of a coming clash. Cutler's division, which soon after became Crawford's, occupied a line of works in a semicircle, in an open field, not far from a rather dense forest. The men had been In line long enough to put up substan- in history as such, but it was, neverthetial breastworks. Mahone, with his less, a conflict fierce, and fire flew that large division of hard-hitters, was in day as never before. General Forrest line through the woods, and in front had sent to Spanish fort during the last ciation. As the horses were scoring Eddie of Cutler's troops. It was a bright, days of the war a sufficient force of Heller, a small boy, attempted to cross snnny day, the wind blowing briskly from the west. Scattering firing in the woods warned our boys that the Washington Artillery, Captain Cuth-Virginians, led by that dashing general, one of Robby Lee's pets, would soon | Slocomb was brought there, and there try titles with the Fifth corps division. fired its last shots when Wilson's raid-The skirmishers were driven in and tumbled over the breastworks, and a the Lady Slocomb, for a few hours bemoment later, three or four lines deep, came Mahone's troops, moving up as if on a gala excursion. Suddenly there l'ke an intelligent being, but to no burst forth from every Confederate avail, as the enemy numbered several throat that old familiar sound, the rebel | times as much as the garrison. yell, and in another instant a sheet of lead from Cutler's men swept the field and stunned, checked and drove back Mahone and his dauntless followers. The field where the volley struck them or less badly wounded.

Brigadiers sent word to the commanders of regiments to keep their and carried to Mobile, where it was men in position, ready for action at a purchased by Henry Badger, a prommoment's notice. In a brief space of inent Confederate of that place, who time a second charge was made with had served through the war, and knew a like result. Cutler's division had of the excellence of the Lady Slocomb. been slaughtered time after time, coming through the wilderness and else- Captain Cuthbert Slocomb, who went where, because it had been caught out in 1862 in charge of the Fifth Batwithout breastworks, and by Mahone talion of the Washington Artillery. The and his men. This time they held the gun at the battle of Shiloh spat out its man about 22 years of age whose parents an important victory. Cutler's men into the ranks of the enemy. Through were so well protected that they fought all the memorable struggles of the with little loss. It was not a common Army of the Tennessee it went, and experience for them. They had done most of their fighting in open fields nown. It was prettily mounted, and or in charging the enemy's fortifications, as the enemy that day charged a handsome gun. theirs.

Colonel Morrow of the Twenty-fourth Michigan said, after the Confederates had been driven back the second time: of the Confederacy, is to fall into the "General Mahone ought to know that hands of others. Years ago several efhe cannot drive this division from its forts were made by the Washington has been no rain in over three weeks. has; but if he will pound away until in all probability be heard from at the his men are all gone he can't blame us. sale.—New Orleans Picayune. We are here to give him this sort of a reception."

The Confederate General Hagood, who commanded a brigade that charged well to the left of Cutler's division, had a narrow escape from capture. His brigade rushed down to the line at a point where there was a depression, and the union troops were so situated that a flank as well as a front fire was pouring into them. While they stood there fighting and apparently undecided as to the next move a member of Cutler's staff, Captain Dennls B. Dailey, dashed up to Hagood and demanded his immediate surrender. Hagood drew his revolver and shot Dailey, and then hastened to retire

Years after the war, when Hagood was Governor of South Carolina, or a Congressman, he told a New York correspondent of his experience on the 21st of August, 1864. He said: "I saw in that battle one of the most daring, deeds that came under my observation during the war," and then went in to demanding his surrender—one man against a whole brigade! General Hagood said: "I disliked to shoot him, but the idea of surrendering to one man could not be entertained for a moment." In the story to the New York correspondent he expressed a desire to correspondent he expressed a desire to minutes.

hear from Dailey. At that time Col. MICHIGAN MATTERS Dailey, for he had won promotion up to that rank, was a lawyer at Council Bluffs, Iowa. He saw the story and wrote General Hagood. They had a pleasant correspondence. A few years ago Colonel Dailey asked General Hagood if he was willing to make an affidavit touching what he, Dailey, tried to do at the Yellow House, Aug. 21, 1864, and what he, Hagood, did in the matter of shooting him. Hagood made the affidavit, and it was upon that, very largely, that the colonel was given a pension.

A few days ago I met John Lindsay, a merchant, and for years postmaster at Marshall, near Madison, Lindsay was in the battle of the 21st. When he thought the danger was past be stood up and looked over the field. A sharpshooter saw him. Lindsay fell back like one dead; he was shot in the neck and shoulder. The surgeon said: this year, the usual concession being one "I do not think we can save him, but we will try." When the boys picked him up to carry him to the ambulance he asked: "What did you say, doctor?" "I said, 'we will try to pull you through,' John." "Doctor, just say you what saved him. Probably he has not been a minute without pain from that wound given him thirty-two years ago

to-day. I can see Bob Montieth as he rode up to our brigade and said: "General Cutler sends his compliments and asks General Bragg to assume command of the division, as he is wounded." Bragg asked where he was wounded. Montieth, the sober-sided Scotchman, answered, without a thought, "In the mustache." The answer provoked hearty laughter, when Montieth corrected his report by saying that he was wounded in the lip and that part of his mustache was shot away.-J. A. Watrous, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Fired the Last Shot.

The cannon which fired the last shot in the last battle of the late war is a gun worth knowing something about. Hence, the sale of the eight-inch Columbiad, Lady Slocomb, which is advertised in the Mobile Register to take place there on the 15th, arouses the interest of old soldiers and old soldiers' sons, for the reason that it is generally supposed to be the gun which fired so many deadly volleys in the last battle that took place during the civil war.

This last engagement, said an old sol dier, took place at Spanish fort. This engagement, of course, was not a reguiar battle, and is not, perhaps, recorded men to guard the place, and among the number was the Fifth Battalion of the bert Slocomb in command. The Lady ers stormed the place and took it. There fore the old fort was surrendered, belched forth fire and scattered death

After the surrender of the fort some of the members of Captain Slocomb's command one night rolled the Lady Slocomb off the eastern embankment into a lagoon, or old slush hole, and buried was covered with dead, dying and more it, giving as their reason that they did not want the gun to fall into the hands of the enemy. It was afterward dug up

The gun was named after the wife of everywhere it gained well-deserved rewas at that time, as it probably is now,

Now the old relic is to be sold. The estate of Henry Badger is being wound up, and the gun, along with other relics

Might Have Averted the Civil War. Ex-President Harrison in writing of the "Interior Department," and the distribution of public land in the Ladies' quarter section (160 acres) of the public land, where the lands were rated at \$1.25 per acre, or 80 acres, where the lands were rated at \$2.50 per acre, was adopted by Congress. The settler is required to make affidavit that the land is entered for his own use as a homestead, and the patent does not issue to him until he has resided upon and cultivated the land for five years. In the case of soldlers and sailors the time served in the army or navy, and in the case of those discharged for wounds or disability the whole term of enlistment may be deducted from the five years' residence required, but at least one year's residence is required in such cases. It was a wise and beneficent law, and if it had come twenty years before would probably have settled the question of the extension of slavery ing water. The boy was playing in the without any further help from our yard.

NEWS OF THE WEEK CONCISELY CONDENSED.

Fairly Satisfactory Crop Yields in Michigan - New Scheme for Dispensing Righteousness at Muskegon -Chelsea's Fair a Success.

Reduced Rates for Voters.

After a short conference at Chicago the Central Passenger Committee determined to make a rate of one fare for the round trip between all cities and towns in their territory for all persons who may desire to return to their homes for the purpose of voting. This rate, with the exception of those made to Canton, which in some cases are hardly over one-half a cent a mile, is lower than any made by these and one-third fares for the round trip. In order to prevent use of the tickets by scalpers it was decided that transportation for distances under 200 miles should be sold on Nov. 3 only. For distances over 200 miles they will be sold Nov. 2 and 3. This will enable persons to travel will pull me through; I am not going from one end of the committee's territory to die." His determination to live is to the other and be home in time to vote Returning, all persons holding these tickets must present them for passage before midnight of Nov. 4. 'The territory affected by the order is that in the United States north of the Ohio River and between the meridians of Cnicago and Pittsburg. The trunk lines' committee, governing the territory lying east of the meridian of Pittsburg and extending to the Atlantic coast, will undoubtedly take like action. Western reads have refused to make like concession, a proposition of the same character having been voted down. Passenger men of these lines declare more people will travel away from than toward home if low rates are made.

> Scripture on Bill Boards. A society for the distribution of Scriptural information by means of pictorial illustrations has been formed at Muskegon. Bill boards will be covered with Scriptural texts and members will distribute cards containing mild rebukes for profacity. The society is the idea of a commercial traveler, A. E. Standen, of Chicago. Following are the officers: President, Rev. Joseph P. McCarthy, A. M., Muskegon; Vice Presidents, E. M. Doty, Columbus, and Miss Nellie C. Goodell, Spencer, Ohio: Field Secretary, A. E. Standen, Chicago; Recording Secretary, Hon L. K. Soper, Muskegon; Assistant Secretary, Stephen Spaulding, Muskegon: Treasurer, E. H. Stafford, Muskegon.

Allowed Skin Games. The last day of the fair of the Chelsea Agricultural Fair Association was a success. The crowd was large enough so that the premiums will all be paid. The old-time skin games were allowed to run paying a nice snug sum to the the track and was struck by the sulky drawn by the track horse Judge Hatch He was only slightly bruised. The races were hotly contested, and won by the following horses: Two-thirty race, Green

ond; Roland, third. Best time, 2:50. The Crop Report.

Wilson, first; Gift Greenbacks, second;

Judge Hatch, third. Best time, 2:35.

Named race, Come Again, first; Fox, sec-

The official State crop report states that the average yield of wheat this year was 11.48 bushels per acre, the total yield for the State being 17,109,991 bushels. These figures are based upon returns from nearly 100,000 acres thrashed. The estimated yield of oats is 28.43 bushels per acre; of barley, 26.50 bushels, and of corn, 70 bushels of ears. Potatoes on high ground and on the lighter soils promise a full average crop, but these on low grounds and clay soil have been badly damaged by rain, the average for the State being but 72 per cent. Beans are estimated to yield 83 per cent. of an average crop; winter apples, 118 per cent., and late peaches, 96 per cent.

Boiler Blown to Pieces.

About 7 o'clock Friday evening the boiler in Ed Ehl's saw mill, located near Sanford, Midland County, blew up, killing the engineer, John Brown, a young were all right and found the water low. He immediately turned on cold water, an explosion being the result. The boiler was torn from its bed and hurled a considerable distance away. A piece of flying iron striking him in the left ear killed him almost instantly.

Big Loss from Forest Fires, Forest fires have been raging fiercer than ever before about Ontonagon. There position with ten times the troops he Artillery to buy the gun, and they will Many roads are impassable. Much farm been fierce fires all around the Halliwell Mining Company property at Camp Union, twenty miles west of Ontonagon. The mining plant and machinery may be saved by the powerful mining pumps. All the bridges over Union River are Home Journal says: "In 1862 the policy burned, also the Iron River bridge and of giving to actual settlers thereon a nearly all of the twenty bridges between

Short State Items

The janitors of West Bay City schools have been instructed to fumigate every school building on Saturdays during the epidemic of diphtheria.

Roswell W. Chamberlain, an old Jackson hotel-keeper, who came there overland in 1836 and afterward mined gold in California, died Friday.

At Kalamazoo Monday Miss Lavina McLinch was married to Gordon W. Flowers, of Cressey, although his father protested. Her husband to escape the wrath of his father committed suicide with morphine.

At Bay City the 17-months-old son of James Ballentine was drowned in a cis-The family was house-cleaning, and the mother had thrown a piece of sheet iron over the opening after draw-

Mackina wreported the first snow of the SURGERY IN THE BACKWOODS. E. W. Mahon, principal of the New

Haven schools, is dead. The Port Huron Council recently or dered plans for a \$12,000 auditorium, to be erected on the market grounds.

Ridgeway farmers are putting up large amount of second hay cutting, as corn fodder isn't curing in the shock. Among the exhibits at the Huron County fair was a five-legged cow. The fifth leg was on the back of the neck and per-

fect in form. Partridge are very numerous in Day ton Township, Tuscola County, this fall. They are very tame, often coming into the farmers' barnyards.

Apples in Tuscola County are selling for 50 cents per barrel, delivered at the railroad station. The crop of apples is the largest ever known in that section. A Lenawee County woman called upon an Adrian undertaker the other day and

made partial payment of a bill contracted twenty-one years ago. She made no explanation for the long delay. Within a few days 200 men have been naturalized in Muskegon County. The

other night fifty-seven from Whitehall were put through. They came on a special train with their employers. At Muskegon a big Newfoundland dog seized a bundle of meat which little Jen-

nie Williams was carrying home. Simon O'Day intercepted the brute and was terribly bitten in the leg. The dog was shot. A branch of the American Volunteers commenced operations at Manistee Saturday night. The old Salvation Army

Corps Las been holding the fort there for many years, and a lively campaign is expected. Section Foreman Couples, of Missaukee Junction, was killed near Cadillac.

An approaching freight train caused the men hurriedly to derail their hand car, but Couples was struck and the train passed over him. The funeral of Mrs. Samuel Ashley,

who died Sunday, was held at Davison Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Ashley was 86 years old and one of the oldest residents of the town. She came there from Scotland in 1837. Her husband survives her.

The funeral of Dr. J. P. Hinshaw was held at Jackson and was largely attended. The services were under the auspices of Edward Pomercy Post, G. A. R. Another large tuneral the same day was that of Arthur N. Sammons. Jackson Lodge, B. P. O. E., attended in a body.

The Doust school house in Elba, Gratiot County, was destroyed by fire the other evening. It was not discovered till the flames were breaking through the roof, and consequently the contents were entirely consumed. It is supposed the fire caught from a defective chimney. It will be rebuilt immediately.

In mandamus proceedings brought by the city of Muskegon Judge Russell held that the county had no right to withhold collections of delinquent taxes on realty and offset them against delinquent personal taxes owing by city and township. The city sued to compei the payment of \$1,569, holding that it did not owe the personal taxes till it had made collection. Other counties are said to have followed the same policy as Muskegon.

Dr. D. W. Wismer, of Flint, had a terrible experience on the farm of Joseph Walsh. He was passing through the yard when a sow attacked him, threw him down and was tearing his flesh when Mr. Walsh ran to the rescue. The hog turned upon Mr. Walsh and threw him down also, and an open knife in his hand ran into his wrist. A neighbor named Lavelle came upon the scene with a fence stake, and, after a hard fight, drove off the infuriated animal, which was afterwards

The five-story building at Detroit, formerly occupied by the Free Press, was gutted by fire Monday afternoon. The occupants are the job printing departments of the Free Press Company, the Habbin type foundry; and the Cliff & Higgins book bindery. The fire was caused by a small explosion of a lighted gas stove in an electrotyping room on the fourth floor. The total loss is estimated at \$90,000, with insurance about half. The Free Press Company's loss is \$60,000; insurance, \$35,000.

Some time ago W. Y. Chamberlain took the Lake Shore Road at Trenton to go to Flat Rock, a distance of 6.3 miles. The company had for years charged 25 cents, cinchers, behind breastworks, and won first smoke and spread its first desolation reside near Merrill. It was the intention but Chamberlain believed it could legally collect but 3 cents per mile. He offered short run after supper, and young Brown 21 cents, which was refused. He was put went out to see that his fires and engine off and walked home. A Circuit Court jury gave him judgment of \$400. In the Supreme Court the company claimed that Chamberlain should have paid the extra 4 cents, and then sued to recover. The Court affirms the judgment, saying the company was exacting an illegal fare.

In 1825 the paymaster at old Fort Drummond, near the mouth of St. Mary's River, became insane. Shortly before his death he buried a large sum of gold, chiefly English sovereigns intrusted to him for the soldiers. In spite of careful search, the gold was not discovered and the post was finally abandoned. A few days ago Byron Saltonstall, of Chicago, on the island known as "Judge Steere's Island," dug up an iron pot brim full of gold, all English sovereigns of the time of George II. He said his find amounted to more than \$1,000. Now everybody on the island is digging for buried treasure.

W. T. P. Burton, of Detroit, has been suffering for several months from a peculiar accident, but is now on the road to recovery. In alighting from a street car his heel struck the pavement before the ball of his foot did, and the result was a severe jar. One of the vertebrae in his neck was dislocated, and the upper portion of his body became partially paralyzed. Surgeons placed his neck in a plaster paris cast. Each morning Mr. Burton is hung by the neck, the process being gone through to gradually work the vertebrae into its proper posi-tion. For some reason or other Mr. Burton's neck has been drawn to one side for years, but the hanging is straighten-

At a switch at Imlay City a freight train broke in two and the rear part ran back on the main track. A freight from the west came rushing through, but the takes place and a kind of glue or colloengineer stopped it within a few feet of the other train.

At Elkton Daniel Shad, a traveling man from Unionville, temporarily deranged,

Dislocation Treated by Means of

Pulley and Steam Engine. "Probably as queer a piece of backwoods surgery as has been described," says a frequenter of the region, "was that performed by a Moosehead lake guide known as "Old Sabattus," twenty years ago. The man was not an Indian, as the nickname implies, but a Yankee, one of those rough fellows formerly characteristic of that locality. This guide was left on a lake steamboat at one of the far up landings while the engineer went ashore with the company. A man named Meservey came aboard and in fooling around the boat managed to tumble down into the fire pit and put his shoulder out of joint.

"Here was a dilemma. The other members of the party would not be back for half an hour, and the injured man was in great pain. The guide was a man of expedients. He got a rope and tied his patient securely to a post. Then he tied another rope around the man's wrist and hitched the loose end of it to a pulley of the engine. He managed somehow to turn on steam and the pulley began to wind up the rope. It drew the arm out tight in beautiful shape and presently the joint snapped back into its socket. Then 'Sabattus' jumped around to shut off steam while the pulley kept on winding. 'Holy Moses,' gasped the guide, excitedly, 'how does it go? I don't know where 'tis. I can't stop the blanked thing,' and the pulley meanwhile was slowly but surely pulling Meservey to pieces. His eyes were sticking out of their sockets and he screamed and gasped for breath.

"'Sabattus' danced around like a wild man, not knowing what to do, when he happened to spy a hatchet lying near and, jumping for that, he cut the rope and saved a dreadful catastrophe. This was done just as the party of city folks who had gone ashore came rushing back on to the boat, alarmed by Meservey's screams. It was some years afterward," says the narrator, "that I was present when a lot of summer company arrived at Greenville. 'Sabattus' was there, too, and presently a distinguished looking man, one of the newcomers, went up to him and said with a meaning smile: 'Are you not the man that practices surgery by steam?' and 'Sabattus' had to admit that he was 'that same feller.' "-Lewiston, Me., Journal.

Lost Through Carelessness.

Most of us lose friends through our quite passed out of your life; though, if you were living near each other so that you would meet occasionally, he is the kind of man in whose society you and hope that he may be happy. And that is the end of it. You do not send a present, or, what is more, a friendly note conveying your congratulations and good wishes. You do not identify yourself with your friend's happiness, is the same when you neglect to take note of a friend's afflictions. It is a real effort to write a letter of sympathy. But such a note may mean a vast deal to one in trouble, and by it you can bind a heart to your own with a hook of steel. The people who complain that they have so few friends have themselves to blame for it. They on their part have been unfriendly, and merely reap'as they have sown.

Not Affected by the Weather.

The seamless boat, for which there is a growing demand, seems to be able to stand any amount of rough work. This boat is pressed out of an ingot of steel and shaped by hydraulic power, and it fulfills all the requirements of an ordinary boat in a remarkably ingenious manner. It is claimed for these boats that they will last twice as long The "treating" habit supports many of as wooden ones, and that there is less danger of their capsizing, and that they are less liable to be affected by changes of climate. The method by which the seamless boat is constructed is a larger application of the method which has ufacturing cooking utensils and other articles of small dimensions.

His Worldly Effects.

A New York firm applied to Abraham Lincoln some years before he became President for information as to the financial standing of one of his neighbors. Mr. Lincoln replied: "Yours of the 10th received. I am well acquainted with Mr. -, and know his circumstances. First of all, he has a wife and baby; together they ought to be worth \$50,000 to any man. Secondly, he has an office in which there is a table worth \$1.50 and three chairs worth, say \$1. Last of all, there is in one corner a large rat hole, which will bear looking into. Respectfully,

"A. LINCOLN."

How Artificial Silk Is Manufactured. The process for the manufacture of artificial silk is based upon that employed by nature. The first thing used is wood-for mulberry leaves are in reality the equivalent of mulberry wood. The wood is worked into a paste, after being dipped in nitrie and sulphurie acids, is dried and placed in a bath of ether and alcohol. A transformation dion is the result.

Verse-Inspiring Tree.

which spreads ests of Christ in this world, ours will

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

SERIOUS SUBJECTS CAREFULLY 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 October 25. Golden Text .- "My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not."-Prov. 1: 10. The Proverbs of Solomon is the subject of this lesson, and is found in Prov. 1: 1-19.

As was remarked in the notes upon the lesson from Proverbs inst quarter, the book is a collection of sayings of many, different writers, of whom Solomon was one. It is the opinion of most scholars that the present lesson is not included in the portion written by Solomon. The first verse is the title of the whole book, not of the words which immediately follow. From the indications afforded by the various headings the following portions are probably to be ascribed to mon himself: 10:1-22:16 and 25:1-20: 27. The first nine chapters of the book have a certain unity, consisting a collection of discourses supposed to be spoken by wisdom, personified, and addressed to a young man-"my son." This lesson falls naturally into two parts: the preface of the whole book (vs. 1-6) and the first discourse (7-19).

"To know wisdom and instruction:" that is "this book is intended to teach men to know wisdom," etc.

"The instruction of wisdom:" revised version, "instruction in wise dealings. The idea is that the study of a wise book will make the reader capable of discrimination in the practical affairs of life as well as in moral decisions.

"Subtilty:" here a synonym of discretion. Subtilty does not always imply craftiness. The "simple" is of course the inexperienced youth, not the feebleminded.

"A wise man will hear, and will increase learning:" More probably, as in the revised version, "That the wise man may hear, and increase in learning. The verse describes another purpose of the book: not merely to give instruction to the simple, but also to add to the wisdom of

"To understand a proverb, and the interpretation; the words of the wise, and their dark snyings:" reference is here made to two of the most common varieties of "wisdom literature:" the similitude, or metaphor, and the riddle. Each needed some insight and sagacity for its understanding-The purpose of the book is therefore threefold: to assist the unlearned, to increase the knowledge of the wise, and to give instruction in the sci-

ence of interpretation. "The beginning of knowledge:" or, the carelessness. You receive an invitation chief part of knowledge. The latter gives to the wedding of one whom you knew perhaps a better sense, though either is well eight or ten years ago. He has easily understood. If we take "beginthe meaning is that not until a man ning. learns to fear God has he begun to pos-

sess true knowledge. Reverence for parents is greater in the East than with us. The authority of the would find real pleasure. When the in- father there does not cease when the vitation comes you express your pleas- children reach maturity. The wisdom of ure that Dick or John is to be married, age is more highly regarded than the precocity of youth. It might be well for us if something of the same feeling existed

among us. "An ornament of grace unto thy head:" nothing so well becomes a young man or woman as deference towards the parents. "Ornament of grace" is not a figurative and he secretly resents your silence. It expression; it means a string of jewels used for ornament.

"If sinners entice thee:" sinners always entice the inocent; it comes natural to them. Sin loves company. The sinner quiets his conscience by dragging others into sin and then arguing that he is no worse than they.

"Let us lay wait for blood:" here the temptation is to highway robbery or other violence. But the words are just as applicable to any other act of oppression or fraud towards one's neighbor. Warnings against the personal vices of intemperance, etc., are found in abundance in the proverbs, but not in this lesson.

"Cast in thy lot among us:" one of the most subtle temptations that can come to a young man is to accept the apparentty sincere offers of good fellowship and comradeship made by evil companions. An appearance of reckless generosity and willingness to share everything is very attractive to the inexperienced victim. our saloons. Put these princely givers in a place where they have a chance to pay an honest debt, and their true character is revealed.

"Walk not thou in the way with them:" thus avoiding temptation. When an innocent person begins to walk along by the long been used in this country for man-side of a tempter and listen to his arguments, his chances for resisting the temptation are small.

"Make haste to shed blood:" make haste in an evil cause, while the righeous are apt to be slow in doing good. Surely in vain the net is spread in the

sight of any bird:" even a bird is shrewd enough not to walk into a snare against which it has been warned. But men are sometimes less sensible

"For their own blood:" their violence shall recoil upon their own heads. "So are the ways:" their end shall be disastrous.

Next Lesson-"Building the Temple." -I. Kings, 5: 1-12.

Line Upon Line. The revival that is followed by cutting down the preacher's salary didn't begin right.

When the world gives treasure it always sends trouble therewith. How the devil would like to stone the house when he sees everybody looking

happy in church. The man who is resting in God will

be found busy for Christ. The man who knows Christ well will not look for perfection in anybody else. There are people who would like to

do good, if it could be done without effort or sacrifice. The fact that the devil is against a man ought to be good evidence that he

is on the Lord's side. Cares may come, but the Christian may give his all to Christ. If we give faithful heed to the inter-

be safe in the next. When some people are not nice, they can look as though they are.

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CHEISEA, THURSDAY, OCT. 22, 1896.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

Diphtheria is quite prevalent near Saline, and several cases have proved fatal,

The time for foolish election bets is at hand and here's one of 'em: Two citizens of Hillsdale, one a Republican and the other a Democrat, have a very novel election wager. One or the other will roll a peanut around the court house square with a tooth pick. If McKinley is elected the democrat will perform the tedious task and if Bryan is elected the republican will accomplish the job.

Mrs. Joseph Hammerschmidt, of 312 Ballard street, met with quite a serious accident to-day. She was washing clothes and had poured some gasoline into the washtub of water, gasoline being sometimes used in mixture with water in order to more thoroughly clenase articles to be washed. The clothes were transferred from the boiler to the tub, and the heat was sufficient to ignite the gasoline which blazed up, burning her very badly about the arms and face. Dr. Hull, the attending physician, thinks however that nothing serious will result as far as permanent scars or disfigurement is concerned. A two year and a half old child which was playing near was slightly burned also, - Ypsilanti Cor. Washtenaw Times.

A sad accident occurred in the Ann Arbor yards of the Michigan Central railway Monday evening. The 4:58 train going east was just pulling out of the station, when a little fellow named "Dannie" Panky jumped on a middle coach platform to ride a block or so. When he flung himself from the moving train in some way his feet caught on the brake rod, and he was thrown head foremost under the wheels. The whole train ran over his body before it could be stopped. He was dead when picked up. His head was crushed and mashed into a jelly, and all that portion of his body above his hips was mangled terribly. He was removed to his home on Fuller st. where his mother had been awaiting supper for him. The little fellow was 13 years of age, and with other of his companions had been in the habit of jumping on freight and passenger trains and riding out of the Michigan Central yards.

CHIVALRY AND KNIGHTHOOD,

During the palmy days of the Spanish monarchy over 800 orders were established in Spain, and any don could sport a dozen stars and crosses on his

The chivalric orders, hundreds of which were organized during the tenth, eleventh and twelfth centuries, admitted none but noblemen to their membership.

The article on chivalry in the "Encyclopedia Britannica" was written by Sir Walter Scott, and is perhaps the best resume of the subject ever given to the public.

The Council of Clermont, in 1095, not only sanctioned the first crusade, but also placed the institution of chivalry on a definite basis by giving it a religious standing.

The Legion of Honor of France was established as a reward for distinguished services in any line, whether military, civil, scientific or literary. It was founded in 1802.

The Crown of Italy was founded in 1868 as a distinction for those who were instrumental in bringing about a consolidation of public opinion and the unification of the country.

The Order of the Dove was an honorary distinction established in Castile in 1879. The dove is supposed to represent the Holy Spirit, and the order had a decidedly religious bias.

The Cross of the South was one of the few orders founded on this side of the Atlantic. It was established in Brazil, in 1822, directly after the secession of that country from Portugal.

The Knights of Malta once played an important part in the history of the Mediterranean Sea. The order was very powerful from 1521 until the beginning of the present century.

The Order of Christ was a semi-religious distinction in both Lisbon and Rome. Appointments were made alike making up for it in the manufacture by the Pope and the King or Portugal. and sale of cyclometers. This order was founded in 1317.

The Hindoo maidens have a feast of lamps, very prettily alluded to by Moore in "Lallah Rookh." A lighted lamp is set adrift on the Ganges, and from its fate is foretold that of the

France Has Held the Lead. France has been a ploneer in navy line of battle ships; she launched the er than 78,642 signals can be given. first steam ironclad; she was the first to substitute steel for iron, and to adopt oft steel plating for the hulls. Great Britain goes to France for her largest the largest offices in Britain. It has a staff of 1,600 clerks and 450 out-of-boilers for yessels.

CURIOUS FACTS.

When the planet Mars is nearest the earth it is 36,000,000 miles away.

Certain parts of the hippopotamus hide attain a thickness of two inches.

The skin is the only part of the human body that is not hardened by age. Moles can swim with great dexterity, their broad forepaws acting as pad-

It takes the moon exactly 42,524 minutes (twenty-nine days, twelve hours and forty-four minutes) to make its revolution around the earth.

The longest artificial water course in the world is the Bengal Canal in India, 00 miles; the next is Erie, 363. Each cost nearly \$10,000,000.

The Danube flows through countries in which fifty-two languages and dialects are spoken. It bears on its current four-fifths of the commerce of Dastern Europe.

The remains of lake dwellers, such as have been found at Burton Mere, in Suffolk, England, and near Glastonbury, in Somerset, are supposed by some to date back as far as 1200 B. C.

It is a mistake to suppose night air in towns is unhealthy. In most cases it is purer between 10 at night and 6 in the morning than any other part of the twenty-four hours. It is beneficial to sleep with the window open four inches from the top, and the door tight-

Hawaiian huckleberries grow in clusbrink of the brimstone beds, and are se numerous that a bushel may be easily gathered in half an hour. In appearance they somewhat resemble a cranberry, and the flavor is pleasantly suggestive of grapes.

The most curious use to which paper is to be put is that suggested by the recent patenting of a blotting-paper towel. It is a new style of bath towel, consisting of a full suit of heavy blotting paper. A person upon stepping out of his morning tub has only to array himself in one of these suits, and in a second he will be as dry as a bone.

One of the articles of food mos prized by the Chinese on the Pacific coast is dried duck. An American in Contra Costa County, Cal., has started a duck-drying business and has a monopely of the Chinese trade. He buys hundreds of ducks from hunters, fills them with salt and hangs them in the sun for six weeks. They become as hard as sole leather and will keep indefinitely. The Chinese used to import their dried duck from China.

GRAINS OF GOLD.

be better. Never waste any time in debating

with a doubt. The man who is not a friend will

often need one. It takes a warm prayer to bring down fire from heaven.

There is as much kill in selfishness as there is in poison.

Gonduct will never be right while convictions are wrong.

Things around us will look better, if we first look overhead.

He that swears tells us that his bare word is not to be credited.

Pleasure is the business of youth, business is the pleasure of age.

It is not those who have the best opportunities who make the best use of

The richest man is the one who can give away the most and regret it the

Give a loose rein to any kind of sin, and a runaway horse isn't a circum-

Pray that you may not enter into temptation, and then do your best to

keep out of it. It takes some men a long time to find out that they can never get rich by

keeping all they get. It is hard to convince a stingy man that he is robbing himself by keeping

his money in his pockets. ODDS AND ENDS.

Philadelphia has a Salvation army cavalry brigade in which the women ride as well as the men.

A master of Ireland is accused of giving his domestic a fatal blow because she did not make the porridge to his

In all countries in Europe a man is not permitted to become naturalized until he can show that he is both respectable and moral.

The people of Great Britain consume less tobacco per head than those of any other civilized country-only 28 ounces to the inhabitant.

A Paris shopkeeper who does not smoke is trying to get a divorce from his wife, the only evidence he offers of her infidelity being that her clothes always smell of tobacco.

Clock and watchmakers who found their regular business falling off on account of the bicycle craze, are now

Barney Barnato gave a dinner in London recently, to which a small party was invited. Every lady was presented at dessert with a large uncut diamond from the south African mine in which the millionaire was interested.

The flags to be hoisted at one time in signaling at sea never exceed four. It is an interesting arithmetical fact that with eighteen various colored flags, and construction. She had the first steam never more than four at a time, no few-

Britain's Railway Clearing-House. The railway clearing-house is one of Wonders of the Skies.

In December, 1891, the astronomers sheld the most wonderful sight that has ever greeted mortal eyes. They were watching the queer antics of a star of the ninth magnitude, when all at once it flamed up like a smoldering prices, by not charging for the holes in brush pile to which new fuel had just been added. Within forty-eight hours its brilliancy increased sixteen fold and then the star slowly disappeared from view. The astronomers believe that what they saw was a sun "burning up." The final flash which they saw probably left the doomed orb twenty or even fifty years ago. It is a well-known fact that there are stars removed from us by distances so great that they might have been wiped out of existence 100 years ago and the light still be coming to us through space.

Queer Conditions of a Will. Russian merchant prince recently died leaving a legacy of about £160,000 to his four nieces. But, being impressed with the saying that pride goeth before destruction it was stipulated in the will that before receiving her legacy each niece should have worked continuously for fifteen months either as chambermaid, washerwoman or farm servant. The three executors of the will are enjoined to see that the condition is scrupulously respected. The four legatees have, therefore, gone to work as farm hands and servants. But though the conditions are hard, 863 offers of marriage have already come in, and seedy noblemen in all directers on low bushes right on the very | tions are ready to put up titles at the lowest market prices.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, 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 Tuesday, the 13th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Orman Clark

Chauncey P. Clark and Dick Clark, executors of the last will and testament of said deceased come into court and represent that they are now prepared to render their final account as come into court and represent that they are now prepared to render their final account as such ex cuto s.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 17th day of November, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that the devisees, legatees ahe beirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons inferested 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, in said county and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it isfurther ordered that said executors give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the bendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. J. Willard Barbitt, (A true copy.)

WM. Doty, Probate Register.

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Probate Ordre.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, 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 2sth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety six. Present J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John K. Yocum

In the matter of the estate of John K. Yocum deceased.

Melyin F. Yocum. administrator with the will annexed of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday the 27th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interestd 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 árbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.

And it is further ordered that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Cheisea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. Willard Babbirt, Judge of Probate

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the Womans Home Missionary So grwill meet with Mrs, Keenan 28 all are invited to be present,

the M. C. R. R. will make an exnion rate of one fare for the round b to Jackson on October 87. Good return October 28.

A large number of Cheisea repubans attended the rally at Dexter evening. They took the K. O. T. , band with them,

W. F. Riemenschneider, who has geonfined to the house for some ne with rheumatism, is able to atd to business again.

A number of the admirers of Bryan des pilgrimage to Jackson Friday order to see and listen to their leadexpound the doctrine of free silver.

Married, on Monday, October 12th, Ford Foote and Miss Etta Glosky, both of Hillsdale. Mr. Foote na clerk at the Chelsea House for

Geo. A. BeGole, Bert Howlett, C. Maroney and J. W. Speer were in tile Creek Wednesday night atding a meeting of the Dramatic der of Khorassan.

m November 1 to December 15.

htheria, Lillian E., youngest daughr pure lily was too sweet for earth.

Why don't the school board appt a truant officer? There are a mber of boys in Chelsea who need king after and if the board does its ty they will appoint an officer to kafter these matters.

Sunday evening, October 25, there is be a roll call at the Epworth gue service. All members are reed to be present and respond to roll call, either with a testimony ssage of Scripture.

the concert given by Misses Cassidy Wortley Tuesday evening was atded by a fair sized audience, but at it lacked in size was made up in usiasm in all but the box office reis. Every number on the prowas rendered in first-class manand encores were numerous.

may be of interest to those who aso liberally to fill the box that t to O.tonagon to know it arrived due time. The chairman of the recommittee says: We have received box of clothing and bedding shipby you. It was just what our peoneeded for which accept our thanks.

he efforts of the Detroit papers to all voters in Detroit to have their es registered seems to have been understood by many in the states. sa local act that makes a new genregistration necessary in Detroit, has no force in the rest of the state. ou have not already been registered his township, do not fail to be on on Saturday, October 31.

person wager property. money ther things of the value of \$100 ore on any election he violates the and on conviction may be punished a fine not exceeding \$1,000, or a es imprisonment in jail or more. e amount is less than \$100 the fine ot exceed \$100 or three months in or both. That's the law of the e of Michigan. How much money you bet?-Adrian Press. Not a

erbert Foster of Mt. Pleasant (forof Grass Lake) and Miss Eliza-0. Mulcaby of Williamston, were ed in St. Mary's church of the place on Wednesday last at 10 Bert Foster acted as best man the bride's sister as brides maid. bewly wedded pair arrived in this ge on Thursday morning and af- and Mrs. T. McKune. reakfasting at Mr. and Mrs. E. J er's, took carriage for Sylvan at the parential home, a fine Charles Merker last week. er was served to a large company

In last week's issue we made the erfor of saying Rev. when we should nave said Mrs. R. Alexander. We regret that such an error should occur but in the hurry of going to press it was overlooked

The Wilde Family Concert company which was here last winter and gave such good satisfaction will appear at the opera house, Monday evening, October 26, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. At their last entertalnment here every number of the program was rendered in a skillful manner and was much enjoyed by all. Admission, 20 cents; children under 12, 10 cents.

claiming that this is a "hard up" year, and business is almost at a standstill, there is one bright spot on the face of were carried away on the faces of all. the earth—a veritable oasis, in factand that place is Chelsea.—Chelsea Standard.

on the map, look for Chelsea, and the and anxiety, so in the future we will United States will be found lying all endeavor to be more active, for their around it .- Adrain Press. That's sake. Perhaps the boys of "Senior"

The wheat market continues to advance. Short crops in several foreign countries is said to be the cause of it. Some are confident it will reach a dollar here before the first of January, while others expect a reaction any day. It now brings 78c here for red or white; rye 30c to 34c, barley 58c to 63c a hundred, oats 15c to 18c. The damaged grain that is offered causes prices to vary very much. Potatoes la our issue of October 3, we pub- 25c, onions 20c, carrots 10c, apples an item that partridge could be 40c per barrel for the very best varie at now, but this was a mistake, as ties; Beans about 60c for sixty pounds and that the open season is only as they come from the thresher; old beans are worth about 10c per bushel more than new ones; chickens 6c, eggs Dien-October 12, in Detroit, with 14c, butter 12c. Receipts have been free the past week and will probably of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellsworth so continue. The farmers are someal eighteen months and sixteen days. what encouraged over the advance in wheat and oats, though the quantity of wheat in this vicinity is quite limited. Wheat will now be held back here until the advance stops.

PERSONAL.

Miss Edith Boyd spent Sunday at Ypsi-

H. M. Woods of Ann Arbor was here day. Cuesday.

Faye Moon of Albion spent Saturday at Tommy Wilkinson of Ann Arbor spent

Sunday here. C. E. Letts of Detroit was a Chelsea

visitor Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon spent Sunday

with friends at Detroit.

Mrs. C. M. Davis spent several days of this week at Ann Arbor.

Miss Nellie Hall is spending this week with friends at Ypsilanti. Charles Cassedy of Grass Lake was a

Chelsea visitor Tuesday. S. B. Tichenor of Lansing is the guest of his parents here this week.

visiting friends at Farmington.

Miss Nellie Congdon is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Barr of Saline. Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Crowell spent sev

eral days of last week at Sharon. Mrs. M. Brenner of Ann Arbor was

the guest of relatives here last week. Mrs. Abbie Eastman spent several days

of this week with her son at Jackson. Mrs. Wm. Barr of Saline was the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. C. Congdon, Mon-

Mrs. A. H. Mensing is spending several weeks at Toledo, Ohio, with rela-B. E. Sparks has returned to his home

here, after spending the summer at South Mesdames Thomas Sears, C. S. Wines

and William Yocum spent Tuesday at We are pleased to note that Alva Steger has entered the produce business at

Mrs. George Fuller has returned to Bat-

tle Creek, after spending the summer at George Taylor, who has been spending several months at Detroit, has returned

Charles Carner of Toledo, Ohio, spent several days of this week with his pa-

Mrs. H. H. Fenn spent several days of Butter, Eggs, and Cheese, ast week with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Foster of Grass Lake.

Rev. and Mrs. G. Eisen and family left for Detroit today, where they will make their future home.

Miss Agnes McKune of Detroit is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Valentyne of Manchester were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Luella Townsend entertained the alives. From there the the tride following party of young people last Sat groom left the same afternoon for urday: Misses Cleora Watkins, Sadie leasant where they at once on- Larzelere, Lola Bailey, Libbie Robison, upon housekeeping in their own and Messrs. Eugene Close, John Lemm, furnished home, Grass Lake Ed. Mellencamp, Claude Raymond of 88 Lake, and F.J.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The members of the high school took a lesson in short hand Monday

The sixth grade room is being decorated in fine style by the members of day to receive treatment.

We were quite surprised to hear that one of our prominent young gents became so infatuated with a certain fair maiden, that he "popped the question" during school hours.

Over thirty of the Dexter young peo- ant, a good dollar or a good life? ple honored the class with their presence. We think we can say the same "For all that many people are of them that they did of us, that a more quiet and orderly lot of young people would be hard to find, Smiles

We "Seniors" trust that the "little Sophs' are in better spirits than they were last week, we regret that our in-Yes, sir! To find the United States activity has caused them so much pain name are wanting, yet the girls seem to be we ll supplied and we think the prospects of an "old maid" class are very slim.

A large crowd was present at the pole raising Friday night.

W. H. Guerin and son Charley of Ypsilanti spent Saturday here.

Miss Lottie Gentner has gone to the Ann Arbor hospital to be treated. Mrs. Frank Guerin and son Claude

of De Motte, Ind., are spending a few Of weeks here. Willie Morris found an insane man in the fence corner last Friday with

his throat cut. Sylvan.

Ed. Ward spent Sunday last in Ho-

her Chelsea visit.

Burleigh Whitaker has returned from his visit to Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Updike spent Sunday with friends south of here. Mr. and Mrs. George Milspaugh of

Chelsea were Sylvan visitors last Sun-

Mrs. Garfield, who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin, has returned

There will be but one service at our thurch next Sunday. The evening

ervice will be held at Francisco. Miss Lottie Gentner, well known among our young people, is again very ill, and was taken to Ann Arbor Mon-

The republican rally at the school house last Saturday night was a "howling" success. The Francisco band discoursed sweet music, while the speakers were educating the people up to the honest money standard. As we The Senior social was a grand suc- noticed the enthusiasm we were led to cess both financially and socially. ask ourselves, "Which is most import-

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with property belonging in way to house

or estate. She could not sell a picture or

a tree; everything was to descend to An-

"A strange will!" the listeners agreed.

but it only showed the implicit trust Sir

Lady Rooden was a little surprised her-

self. She had not expected such unre-

served generosity, and she had certainly

thought that provision would have been

made for Angela. She caught the child

in her arms, and kissed the fair young

"You shall not suffer, my darling," she

But Angela did not understand. She

only clasped her arms more tightly around

After Sir Charles' death, Lady Rooden

did not care to remain at Rood Abbey.

Her one desire was to go abroad, to seek

in change some relief from her present

sorrow. She was married so young-

when only seventeen-and the whole of

her happy married life had been so com-

pletely engrossed by her love for her hus-

band and a ceaseless round of pleasures,

that she had given little thought to for-

eign travel. Now a great desire came

over her to see all the famous countries

and cities of which she had read; and

She secured the services of a clever and

accomplished gentlewoman, Miss Ave-

land; and a few months after Sir Charles'

death Lady Rooden and her daughter

started for a tour which was to last four

years, while Rood Abbey was left in

the hands of faithful old servants, who

were to hold it in readiness for their re-

CHAPTER II.

Rooden was laid to rest. May had come

round again, with its wealth of foliage

and of flowers-a fair, bright May, such

as poets love to portray. The London

season was a brilliant one-there had not

been a better for many years. The draw-

ing-rooms had been well attended; a great

many presentations had been made, and,

better than all, an unusual number of

One of the most commanding houses

overlooking Hyde Park, one of a stately

row called Palace Place, was especially

noticeable this May morning for the love-

ly flowers that filled the light Italian bal-

conv. A beautiful girl stood near the

blooming hyacinths which occupied one

of the windows-a girl with a sweet, pas-

sionate face, and eyes that, lovely as

they were, could not be easily read. Near

her stood a tall, handsome man, Captain

Vance Wynyard. The girl's face revealed

her love-story clearly. It paled and

flushed as he spoke to her; the proud

sensitive lip trembled, the eyes deepened

and brightened, as his words of love fell

upon her ears. The beautiful, passionate

face and eloquent eyes were those of

Gladys Rane, a niece of Lady Kinloch, a

debutante of the season, whose beauty

Lady Kinloch, the mistress of the man-

sion renowned for its famous flowers and

known as Loch House, was a rich and

childless widow. She had adopted the

only child of her dead sister, and had

brought her up in the hope that the beauty

of which her girlhood gave promise would

develop to maturity, and that she would

whether Lady Kinloch would ever see

match she had hoped for was more than

doubtful, for Gladys had fallen in love

with handsome Captain Wynyard, who

had already lost two fortunes, and was

quite ready to lose a third, should it ever

The bejeweled white fingers toyed with

the flowers, which served also as an ex-

cuse for bending her face, lest he should

read the love so plainly visible there.

Suddenly she looked up at him, forgetting

"Have you heard of the new arrivals,

"Mother and daughter-Lady Rooden

and her daughter Angela. All London is

talking about them. The daughter is

seventeen, the mother thirty-five; but her

ladyship looks-so I am told-quite ten

years younger, and has been pronounced

one of the most lovely women in London,

Captain Vance's handsome eyes gleam-

"Rich, is she? Some people are fortu-

nate. To be rich and beautiful is to have

"Lady Rooden is the widow of Sir

Charles Rooden, of Rood Abbey. He died

quite suddenly four or five years ago-he

whole of his large fortune to her."

was drowned, I believe-and left the

"She will be a prize, then," continued

"Although he was so wealthy, Sir

"What will happen if the mother mar-

as well as one of the wealthiest."

ed with interest.

daughter?"

the hyacinths in the interest of her ques-

"What new arrivals, Gladys?"

come within his reach.

tion:

Vance?

had made its mark.

beautiful faces had appeared at court.

Five years had passed since Sir Charles

Angela was delighted with her plan.

declared, "for papa's generosity to me. I

will more than make up to you for it."

gela just as she had received it.

Charles had in his wife.

face in a passion of tears.

her mother's neck.

turn.

CHAPTER I.

A spoiled beauty-spoiled by a devotion and love such as fall to the lot of few women-Lady Rooden did not know the meaning of the word "care." She was only seventeen when Sir Charles Rooden woed and won her; and from that time the had surrounded her with such loving care that her lot among women was quite exceptional. Few knew such unalloyed happiness as she enjoyed. At times a fleeting regret that she had no son to succeed her husband would come over her; but even that regret was softened when she remembered how deeply he loved their little daughter.

The Roodens of Rood Abbey had been for many generations owners of that fair and fertile domain. The estate, which was situated in one of the most beautiful of the Midland Counties, was singularly favored by nature, and not the least of its charms was the bright flashing river Leir, smooth and peaceful in places, spanned here and there by rustic bridges and widening in its course until it developed into the broad, deep reach in front of the Abbey itself.

Sir Charles Rooden, the ideal of an English landlord-handsome, brave, generous, and a true lover of all out-door and manly sports-was still young when he fell in love with one of the most beautiful girls of her day, Laura Milroy, the only daughter of the Earl of Milroy. In his blind idolatry he never perceived that she was vain or selfish, that she was shallow at heart; he discerned in her only the attributes of a good and noble woman, and he loved her implicitly. His wife was the center of his hopes and plans, the one object of his care and worship and next to her in his affection came his little daughter, whom, because of her beautiful face and sweet serious eyeseyes in which dwelt a sweet brooding seriousness-they named Angela.

Angela had reached her twelfth year when her first great sorrow fell upon her. A sweeter, fairer maiden it would hardly have been possible to find. To those who knew how frail and uncertain human love is, there was something almost pitiful in the devotion of the child to her father. The blow, when it did fall, was therefore all the more terrible to her. For there came a day, bright and sunny, full of perfume and sweetness and song, when Sir Charles Rooden left home in the morning with laughing, jesting words on his lips and was carried back in the evening dead.

The evening was as fair as the morning. The wind stirred the lilacs and the long laburnum-tresses gently in the garden below; nature seemed to be reposing in the peaceful calm that had settled over

"I wonder what it is, Angel?" said Lady Rooden. "A crowd seems to be moving and coming in this direction. They are carrying something. What can it be?" "I do not see papa," said the child,

whom'nothing else interested; and they grew silent as the tall trees and the winding of the river hid the crowd from their

"I wish papa would come!" cried the child, presently; and then, after a few minutes, there was a sound of tramping footsteps, of hurried, hushed voices, and the old butler came hastily on to the ter-

"My lady, my lady, come in quickly!" he cried. "Do not look toward the river!

Lady Rooden turned to him in wonder. "What?" she gasped, her face growing white and rigid.

"My master was found in the river, my lady!" Jarvis replied, wringing his hands. "In the river? Found in the river, do you say? Then he is dead!"

'He is dead, my lady, and they are bringing him home!" answered the man. With a wild cry Lady Rooden flew from the house down to the avenue, where she met the men bearing the lifeless body of her husband. When she saw his dead face, she fell, with a low anguished cry,

to the ground, and was carried back home It was not until the first shock was over that any one thought of the child. They found her lying near the window of the room, in an agony of grief which no words

of comfort could abate.

The mystery surrounding Sir Charles Rooden's death was never solved. Whether he had attempted to cross the river where it was shallowest, and had been carried away by the force of the current, or whether his horse had become restive and dashed into the water, no one ever knew. No one had seen the baronet; no one came forward to say that they had an undue preponderance of this world's met him on that day. That it was an gifts. Tell me about them, Gladys." accident every one agreed, but how it occurred there was no living witness to

How deeply the genial, generous master of Rood was mourned was shown by the assemblage of rich and poor who came to pay a fast tribute of respect to a neighbor

In his will Sir Charles had not forgotten any of his faithful old servants or any of | Charles left no separate fortune to his the charities he had supported. Yet to daughter; but at her mother's death everythose who strengt to the reading of the thing goes to her-not before." document there seemed to be something strange in it. It was strange that no in- ries again?" asked the Captain. come had been settled on the daughter would have the full use of her wealth while she lived; King of Spain, had a lower jaw which much to choose from in point of freeaffection; strange that no dowry had been left to her; strange that not one farthing mother's death." of what must ultimately be a large fortune should reach her until her mother's
death; strange that so vast a fort
should be left to the absolute dispose

comes hers, to do with as sne wills. What cold-blooded questions you ask,

"I like to understand," he returned. "It s rather a novel state of things, and I am getting quite interested." "I wish to heaven that you had Rood ibbey and a large fortune."

"So do I," sighed Gladys. "What a curse poverty is!" he continred. "Here are you and I- we love each other-we have not said much about it, but we love each other-and yet-

"I know," she interrupted, raising her face, which was full of pain, to bis-"I inderstand."

"If my career had been a little less mad!" he sighs, regretfully. "I have wasted two fortunes, and I doubt much whether I shall ever have a third. We are in the same position, Gladys-you will have to marry money, and I must do

"I suppose it must be so," she said, resignedly. But he noted the pain-in her

eyes, and the trembling of her lips. "I know no two people in the world who would be so happy together as you and I," he added; "yet, because we neither of us have money, we must stifle our love and always live apart. I wish you had fortune, Gladys, or that people could do without money.

"So do I," said Gladys Rane, with bitter sigh.

Yet neither of them for a moment dreamed of what want of money and the desire to obtain it would do for them in the future. On that bright May morning, among the hyacinths in the sunlight, no warning came to them of the shape the future was to take.

Every one seemed to be talking of Lady Rooden and her daughter that evening. Captain Vance went to his club, the Royal, and found they were the topic of conversation there. Nothing so interesting, nothing so strange, had been discussed for some time-a mother beautiful and fair as her own most beautiful child; a child in grace and loveliness the rival of her own mother. The discussion was at its height when Wynyard entered the

smoking-room. "I think all London has gone craty about the new beauties," he remarked. "Ashton," he continued, turning to one of his most intimate friends, "you were at the Embassy ball last evening. Did you see them?"

"Yes: they were both there-Lady Rooden and her daughter."

"Which is the belle?" asked Wynyard. "I could not tell you. I have never seen two women so perfect. The old comparison of a rose and a rosebud is wenk. No one would believe them to be mother and daughter; they are like younger and elder sister-the daughter so slim and graceful, the mother tall and stately. There is not such another pair in London.

"Should you think there was any prospect of the mother remarrying?" asked Wynyard.

"Yes, I should think it is almost certain; and I think I can guess who the

"Who is he?" asked the ex-Captain, anxiously. "The one who flatters her most," laughed Mr. Ashton; "he will be the one to win

her. That is her ladyship's weak side." Neither billiards nor cards had any charm for Vance Wynyard that evening; he was unusually thoughtful and engrossed. If he sighed at times, it was because memory brought to him vividly the beautiful, sorrowful face of Gladys

(To be continued.)

Temperature of the Upper Regions. An interesting scientific experiment was made recently in Paris with the aid of a balloon, which was sent up from Villette at 10:30. The object of the experiment was to collect a quantity of the atmosphere at a very great altitude for purposes of analysis. The balloon was, therefore, sent up alone with the necessary instruments attached to it. These consisted of an entirely new kind of reservoir, capable of holding six litres of air. To this was attached a spiral arrangement terminating in a tap hermetically sealed, but so arranged with a clockwork apparatus that it would open just one hour after the ascent and close again one minute later. A good deal of ingenuity and been displayed in this invention. In order to preserve the reservoir from the intense cold of the upper regions, it was surrounded by a bath of soda water, which was expected to keep the apparatus at an even temperature. In one day make a brilliant match; but addition the balloon also carried two her adopted daughter make the brilliant baro-thermographs for registration purposes at high altitudes. Attached to the balloon are instructions to those who may find it, so that it may be carefully wrapped up and forwarded to Paris forthwith.

A Swift French Vessel. Probably the swiftest vessel in the world has recently been built in France. This extraordnary craft is the seagoing torpedo vessel constructed in Havre by the well-known house of Augustin Normand, the contract requiring that it should maintain a speed of from twenty-nine to thirty knots for an hour under usual steam. At its trial trip, it seems, this vessel, the Forban, ran a distance of more than thirty-one knots in an hour, this being equivalent to about thirty-five rilles, probably the greatest distance ever covered by a seagoing ship in sixty minutes-powerful engines being, necessary, of course, to drive the vessel through the water at such a rapid rate. On this score, therefore, the statement is not surprising that, although the displacement of the craft is only about 150 English tons, it carries engines of

3,250 horse power.—Revue Industrielle. The ancients had no marks of punctuation; all their letters were of the same size, no distinction being made between the Captain. "And what fortune has the | those which began a sentence or proper name and other letters. There wes no separation of the words, or even of the sentences, and hence much difficulty has arisen in construing many passages in the writings of the arcient historians.

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CYCLES and golfing sticks will soon be forgotten by the foxhunting members of New York's the swell set in New York ride to hounds. At the most the total number nerve, rare sense and rare horsemanship. Not every woman possesses these qualities. But the fortunates who do give the lie to the popular idea that the woman of fashion is merely some dainty thing whose sole mission in life is to sit still in her framings of finery and be admired. These women but in combining black and white great of the hunting set ride straight and care must be taken not to have too viotrue, never filnching when the pinch lent contrasts. A very beautiful cos-

MRS. KERNOCHAN. comes, and often beating scores of men whose nerves were not equal to the run. For instance, there was a run last fall near Hempstead, L. I., behind the pack | daughter. He recovered partially, but of the Meadowbrook Hunt Club. Seventy riders started, including a dozen Bessie at this time was cashier in a women. There were but ten in at the New York piano store. A short time death you doth part?" death, all of the others being unhorsed ago she received news that Don Jose or forced out of the hunt by the towering obstacles, the rough going and the swift pace. Of these fortunate and hardy ten the most conspicuous was Mrs. J. L. Kernochan, the only woman to finish. Since then Mrs. Kernochan has been playfully dubbed the "Queen of Rough Riders," and she deserves the title. In this particular run the distance traversed was twelve miles, over eighty different jumps, varying in height from three feet to five feet one inch. It is considered a stiff run when there are sixty jumps to twelve miles. Moreover, the pace was extremely fast, the run being made in an hour.

Horsewhipped Her Father's Admirer. Miss Elaine Clarrage, an attractive young woman residing in San Francisco, has just achieved notoriety by publicly punishing Mina Trimmer, a former friend, because of the persistent attentions she bestowed upon her (Miss Clarrage's) father. Miss Clarrage, in explaining the cause of the affair, said: "Mina Trimmer was formerly my



MISS ELAINE CLARRAGE.

my brothers about the matter, but they did not seem to believe that there was much danger. I finally won my point and she was told by the members of the family that she was no longer welcome at our house. Since then she has simply taxed her ingenuity to devise ways of annoying us. She has used opera glasses before to peer into our house, and has nagged and annoyed me on the streets. I could not stand it any longer and made up my mind to horse whip her."

Shop Girls in England. One can hardly enter a high-class London shop without noting not only the height and air of distinction the attendants possess, but their refined voices and manner. Referring to this one day, the manager of a large establishment said that the girls in their dressmaking department are required to have all these qualifications, and for the most part they come from good families, preferring this to the overcrowded occupations of nursery gov-Charles V., Emperor of Germany and erness or companion. There is hardly protruded so far that he could not dom, for all the girls are obliged to live water in which meat or fowls are boilnasticate his food. This was a femily peculiarity, and culminated in his successor, Charles the Idiot, who died of inantition.

These homes are doubtless comfortable, but the rules are extremely strict. No

RIDING FAST AFTER HOUNDS. | masculine callers are ever allowed and the house is closed promptly at 10. If a girl misses the closing hour on three occasions no excuse prevents a prompt dismissal. The management claims four hundred. Not by any means all of that these rules necessitate its attendants taking a proper amount of rest, and probably customers find it to their is not greater than three score, for fox advantage not to be obliged to listen to hunting is a rare sport, requiring rare an account of the last dance, or what "he said" and "she said" when they wish to be waited on.

> Magpie Evening Gowns. Magple costumes will be favorites this winter and are especially recommended to the woman of small purse, tume has a skirt of black moire with a bodice of gleaming white satin covered with embroidered chiffon, tulle or fine lace-like grenadine. A pretty dinner gown recently worn was made of white satin as to the bodice and skirt, with a bolero jacket and ceinture of Russian green velvet. There were deep Vandyke sleeve caps of the velvet, with close coat sleeves of the satin beneath, trimmed with pearl and gold passementerie, the same beautiful garniture showing on the satin bodice front and

> > Gains Fortune by Kindness.

Miss Bessie Almy lives in New York. Years ago one of Bessie's aunts married a Cuban and moved to Costa del Ruez, where her husband had large plantations. Miss Bessie has frequently visited her aunt and her cousins, remaining'in Cuba many weeks at a time. Adjoining the plantations of her uncle by marriage were those of old Jose Martinez, a Spaniard by birth and a wealthy sugar planter with two sons and one daughter. The insurgents laid waste the property of Miss Bessie's relative and Don Jose's two sons were killed in battle. This so shocked his daughter that she sickened and died. The old man was then taken ill, and Miss Almy nursed him as she had his later was stricken down again and died.



had left her his entire fortune, estimated at about \$1,500,000. Muffs Are Large. So large are the new muffs that they

will need chains to hold them, and give another excuse for bedecking ourselves with these same chains. It is stated that real jewels are to be used in the chains and ropes of pearl and incidentally rubies, emeralds and other preclous stones will be worn, but such a friend, and I introduced her to my fam- fashion has not good taste to back it, ily. We were friends for a long time, and cannot be more than a passing fad. but I discovered that she was too But that the musts are much larger friendly with my father and came to there is no question, and the long-haired ness or have acquired the state of marthe house only to see him. I saw how furs have the preference. This is in ital happiness. From this, Mr. Salms things were going and did not want to keeping with the poke bonnets and othsee our home broken up. I talked to er picturesque headgear and must the home, but sometimes wreck the inneeds have its day.

Rubies in Engagement Rings. Jewelers have unwelcome news for impecunious bridegrooms. Engagement rings, to be strictly correct, must now have ruby jewels set in them, the diamond having at last been crowded Saltus' phrases sound pretty, but the out by the more valuable stone. The are the veriest nonsense, written for ruby is supposed to be of all stones the the purpose of making copy. It is most lucky-a pretty legend connected with the gem is that Noah was supposed to have had a ruby of marvelous brilliancy in the ark, and that the roseate light which it emisted was sufficient people they cannot live with happily to illuminate the wonderful boat until ever afterward. Sane people hard all danger was past. Many of the oldest betrothal rings were set with rubles, these stones being the acknowledged love token of long ago.

Kitchen Hints. Melted butter will not make good

Veal should be white, dry and close grained. Mutton should be deep red and close

The colder eggs are the quicker they will froth.

The best poultry has firm flesh, yellow skin and legs. Nutmegs should be grated at the blossom end first.

To make good pastry the ingredients must be very cold. Lemons will keep for weeks if cov

ered with cold water. Pork should be fine, close grained and her trunk will be tucked away the rind smooth and thin.

The best beef is moderately fat and the flesh of a bright red color.

Soap and chalk mixed and rubbed on indewed spots will remove them. A spoonful of vinegar added to the

NORA AND BILL WERE WED. ride Comments on the Lonely L

Bring in Nora Reeves and Drake," said Judge Berry of the Sc division of the city court, and a look of solemnity settled upon the face of the young judicial officer as he prepare ed to perform his first marriage cen

"Your honor," said Mr. D. R. Rein. one of the lawyers present, "I this this occasion should be made as bridliant as possible, and I hope your hope. will appoint the attendants,"

"You are right, Mr. Keith," replied the judge, "and I think it would be nothing but proper for the sheriff to act as best man and for the clerk and Mr. Walker to act as attendants."

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These preliminary arrangements has ing been completed, the door was opened and Bill Drake, a simple-looking negro, who wore drab-colored puts and a faded jacket of blue much to short for him, came snickering into the room, followed by Nora Reeves, a great mountain of black flesh that loomed formidably above the little negro in front of her.

"Have you ever been married?" asked the judge, turning to the man. "Yesser, I wuz married one time," replied the negro.

"Well, where's your wife?" "She wuz daid, jedge, de las' time ! heered fum her." "And you haven't heard from her

since?" "No, sah; nair wurd." "Have you ever been married, Nora?" asked the judge, turning to the woman.

She snickered, shook her head and laughed to herself. "Nora, take the arm of Bill," said the

"Oh, g'way, jedge; I doan wan'ter tek de arm er dat ole nigger," said the woman. There was much laughter at this throughout the court room, but

Judge Berry repeated his command: "Take the arm of Bill." "Have you got a license, Bill?" asked the judge, and Bill, from the inside pocket of his vest, pulled out a license. "Bill," said Judge Berry, in his most ministerial tone, "do you recognize the wise dictates of Providence that it is not good for man to live alone, and also that it is the duty of man to multiply

and replenish the earth?" "Yasser, jedge," said Bill, fervently. "Do you?" continued the judge, "take this woman to be your lawfully wedded wife, to protect and cherish, to care for her in sickness and in health until

"Yasser, jedge." "Nora," said the judge, turning to the woman, "do you agree to take this man to be your lawfully wedded husband for better or for worse, to care for him in sickness and in health, to love, honor and obey until death you doth part?" The woman nodded her head, but her

lips made no sound. "I now pronounce you man and wife," said the judge, and some irreverent bystander said, in a low tone of voice: "And may the Lord have mercy on your souls."

The woman puckered up her mouth and poohed as she went out, and reaching the door, said: "I dunno why in de namer goodness dat jedge doan' tak an git married hissef, das wat I dunno, an' him a talkin' 'bout de wise dictates er Providence."-Atlanta Journal.

Divorce and Insanity. Edgar Saltus, a writer of novels who wants to be called a "generator," and not a "degenerate," has discovered that statistics compiled by the Germans show that insanity is ten times as frequent among divorced people of either sex, as among either those who have remained in a state of single blessed argues, that "divorces not only wreck tellect. Human affections are profoundly mysterious; the ties that association weaves are enigmatic realities; and when, through caprice, folly of sin, they are trampled on, it is nature that punishes and the killing of love becomes the killing of reason." Mr. deliberate putting of the cart before the horse. The German statistics only prove that it is people who are not perfectly sound mentally who many sense enough to marry a compatib companion, and grit enough to "gris and bear it" if they make a mistake.

Unabashed. When president of the court of appeal, Lord Esher, who used to keep up a running fire of "chaff" on learn counsel, sometimes got a Roland A his Oliver-as when a young barr in the course of argument, stated that no reasonable person could doubt of particular proposition. "But I double it very much," said the judge. The youthful advocate, not one whit abs ed, replied: "I said no reasonable pe son, my lord." The Master of the Roll could only gasp: "Proceed, sir, P

Care of the Clothes at the Se The woman who really succeeds always looking trim and spruce stylish at the shore is she who the it all carefully out beforehand. fron and a small oil stove ready use. Whenever the damp sea choose to ravage among her prethings she is a match for them. rement of even the best of su mer hotels is adverse to the kee nice of the summer wardrobe.

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The explosion of ordinary gunpowder is so sudden that for a moment that part of the gun around the powder charge has to hold the big volume of gas squeezed down under enormous pressure until the shot can make a start to get out of the end of the gun to make room for the gas. If, therefore, gunpowder could be made to burn more slowly, so that it would not all be burnt until the shot reached the muzzle, the the gun. Such powder was made first its manufacture was secret other countries analyzed it and soon made it better than Germany.

Apples Good for Dyspepsia.

Apples are useful in nervous dyspepsia; they are nutritious, medicinal and vitalizing; they aid digestion, clear the voice, correct the acidity of the stomach, are valuable in rheumatism, insomnia, and liver troubles. An apple contains as much nutriment as a potato, in a pleasanter and more wholesome

HER HAPPY DAY.

A CHARMING STORY OF MEDICINE AND MARRIAGE.

Two Open Letters From a Chicago Girl

-How Happiness Came to Her. Among the tens of thousands of

women who apply to Mrs. Pinkham for advice and are cured, are many who wish the facts in their cases made public, but do not

give permission to names for reasons as obvious as in and no name is ever published without the writer's authority; this is a bond of faith which Mrs. Pinkham has never broken.

Chicago, Jan. 5th, '95. My dear Mrs. A friend of mine, Mrs.

she says: "you did her so much good." am desperate. Am,nineteen years of age, tall, and weighed 138 pounds a year ago. I am now mere skeleton. From your little book I think my trouble is profuse menstruation.
My symptoms are * * * etc.

Our doctor (my uncle) tells father that I am consumption, and wants to take me to Florida. Please help me! Tell me what to do, and tell me quickly. I am engaged to be married in September. Shall I live to see the day? • • • • LUCY E. W.

Chicago, June 16th, '95. My dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

This is a happy day. I am well and gaining weight daily, but shall continue the treatment and Vegetable Compound during the summer, as you suggest. Uncle knows nothing about what you have done for me, because it would make things very unpleasant in the family. I would like to give you a testimonial to publish, but father would not allow it. • • • I shall be married in September, and as we go to Boston, will call upon you. How can I prove my gratitude? * * *

Just such cases as the above leak out in women's circles, and that is why the confidence of the women of America is bestowed upon Mrs. Pinkham.

Why are not physicians more candid with women when suffering from such

Women want the truth, and if they cannot get it from their doctor, will seek it elsewhere.

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THE FARM AND HOME

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO FARM-ER AND HOUSEWIFE.

Lesson in Up-to-Date Farming-Corn Shredders and Huskers - Second Growth Clover-Quality of Vegetables-Grain Cheaper than Hay.

How a Live Farmer Farms. I have fifty-eight acres of land, keep three cows, three yearlings, two work horses, fifteen sheep, forty hens and two hen turkeys, writes a farmer in Colman's Rural World. Have five the largest, thinking that these are acres of woods; balance of land is in cultivation and pasture. I will give est become fruitful. In almost every below my methods of raising crops. For oats, I plow in the fall so that freezing will mellow up the soil. Should advise plowing eight inches for stubble and six inches for sward. little difference. The growth and In the spring set the pulverizer as deep as the field was plowed the preceding fall. In drilling grain, put in one-half bushel grass seed per acre. ily was removing to another place. It If phosphate is used, get the best, had considerable top, and though this and mix half plaster with it; use about was cut back very severely, there were 400 pounds per acre.

If oats are sown broadcast, sow twice, then sow grass seed. If phosin Germany, but in spite of the fact that old-fashioned drag, go over it once crop. Paris green was applied with years growth. plaster. To sell hay and straw, cut early and when through the sweat, press it and put it on the market, send it to a good firm and avoid all the

commissions possible. turned, and the straw will be much better. In regard to selling produce, I have found it pays to sell stuff when it is ready to be sold. Last year I had three cows and one farrow. I sold veal calves for \$69.50; from seventeen ewes and a ram, wool brought \$15.12, vegetatior in contact with cold water. lambs brought \$20.70; miscellaneous receipts brought the total for the year up to \$238. I fed my family well, and carried stock through to grass. In marketing potatoes, three or more farmers should sell to one merchant. Order a car and ship by carload direct. This will save bother, extra commissions, freight and work.

The Corn Shredder. Last season's experience with corn shredders and huskers has developed publish their several objectionable features, the in mows. The first will gradually disappear, predicts the "Orange Judd Farmer." As the machines become more generally introduced and used, the first cost will be less, and competition among owners will necessitate a reduction of charges for work by the acre. The matter of knowing how to keep the fodder properly is more serious, and experience alone can determine the best method of storing. That It can be kept hardly admits of doubt. The problem is certainly not more difficult than that of determining just how dry hay must be before it can be put into the stack or barn. A little patience and a few trials will clear up the lack of knowledge on this point. It certainly will be unwise to discourage the use of the shredder because a few farmers have not been entirely successful with it. While some have failed, many have been pleased with results, and find the shredded fodder excellent feed for horses, cattle and

Second-Growth Clover. The late growth of clover is not usually large in bulk or heav; in weight, but it makes up in quality for what it lacks in quantity. Old farmers have long known it as an especially good feed for young lambs and young calves in spring. But there is a still better use for it, and that is as feed for hens in winter so as to dilute their grain feed. Clover grown after midsummer is much richer in nitrogen than are most of the grasses and vegetables that fowls pick on their ranges during the summer. Clover is also a lime plant, and it thus furnishes material for both egg and shell production. It is not concentrated enough to be a perfect ration unmixed with grain, but is just what is needed when wheat rye or corn are fed to fowls in winter. If only the grain is fed the fowls get too fat to proquee eggs and then cease laying. A certain amount of cut clover with their grain will cause the fowls to

keep in laying condition. Quality of Vegetables. There is great difference in quality f vegetables aside from their freshness. It is due to their method of growing. All roots need to be grown. quickly, which require that the soil be rich and moist. If the soil is poor or dry, the roots will be stringy and unfit either for human use or feeding. At the same time, it is not best that roots of any kind should be grown in contact with manure, which breeds worms, and makes the roots unsalable in an-Unequaled for Quickly Healing other way. If turnips are grown very rapidly they will dry out as quickly and become dry and pithy, not good even for stock feeding. Rutabagas, which are planted early, have more substance in them, and will keep till spring, long slikes it into the pail. Such milk is after the quickly grown fall turnips have become worthless for feeding.

Grain Cheaper than Hay. In all the Western cities the coarse grains, both cern and oats, are now

This will doubtless lead to a larger use of both corn and oats as feed, supplementing the deficiency of hay which has now existed on most Eastern farms two or more years. It is really better for all stock to have a part grain ration as it is better digested than the same nutrition in the larger bulk which would be needed to give it. the form of hay. When grain in moderate quantities is fed to breeding animals it means improvement in their progeny, thus increasing the gain from improved breeding.-American Cultivator.

Young Trees Best for Planting. It is very natural for purchasers in choosing trees for planting to select nearest the bearing age and will sooncase the smaller, if quickly grown, will have the most roots in proportion to its top and will make the best growth. The size at planting time makes but vigor of the tree after planting is what tells most. We once saw an old grape vine carefully removed when the famat least forty shoots growing the next spring. The result was that it took three bushels per acre, and sow be- fully two years to get that vine estabfore pulverizing, so as to put the soil lished in its new home. If left where on top of the grain. Go over the soil it grew it was more valuable than a new vine would have been, but if strain would be distributed all along phate is used broadcast, apply before transplanted it was no better, though sowing grass seed. Then, with the much more cumbrous and troublesome than a well-rooted yearling vine with and then roll, which will leave it in but a single bud left to grow. Some good condition. During 1894 I made 6 like two-year-old grape vines, but a per cent. Interest on my farm, and last | yearling that has made a vigorous root year 9 per cent. Had a big potato will be quite as good after three or five

> Draining Pasture Lands. Many fields are used for pasture only because they are full of cold springs of water which make them too wet and cold for profitable cultivation. Cut oats when one-half or two-thirds Such land will not produce a good quality of grass. It will be coarse and lacking in nutrition. In such cases there is no way to get the land in good grass except to underdrain it. The quality of its grass shows that the soil is full of humic acid from decaying This humic acid is rank poison to the roots of all but the poorest and meanest kind of vegetation. Drain it, admitting warm surface air, and hastening the decomposition of vegetable matter, and such soil is often found very valuable, producing any kind of crop luxuriantly, though usually somewhat deficient in mineral plant food, as its vegetable matter has always will be entirely cured. been lacking in this respect.

> > Making Squashes Productive. are on the main vine, which accounts for their being earlier than the female or bearing blossoms which appear on the side branches. To keep the main stem pinched back will force more growth into the side branches and consequently more fruit. There should be pincking back of new growth all around as the squash vine will set more fruit than it can carry to profitable marketing size.

Sheep Notes. What freed of sheep have you found best for the general farmer?

It is important that each lot of lambs have plenty of pure, fresh water, accessible at will.

Of the 565,137 sheep reported in Iowa on Jan. 1, 1896, a little over 100,000 are classed as Shropshires.

Sheep should habitually rest on sod, or on soll covered with straw; the soll, coming directly in contact with the wool, absorbs the oil and leaves the the earth works into the wool, giving cure by all druggists. it a frowsy appearance.

On any good farm, and under good their wlater feeding in the manure they make. Give them lots of straw, and they will convert it into the richest kind of food for crops.

No farmer is so poor that he cannot afford to keep sheep, and none so rich that he can afford to ignore them. They fertilize the fields, furnish food and clothing, and help subdue the fields so as to fit them to raise crops. The sheep is the farmer's best friend, under any and all circumstances.

The Dairy. A quart of good cream should maky a povnd and a half of butter.

The butter product of all cows is influenced more or less by the feeding and care given to the animals. Liberal feeding of the dairy cow

means that she must have as much wholesome, nutritious food as she can eat. Aigest and assimilate, and the more fully this is done the better will be the If the dairyman is to raise his own cows he ought to be reasonably certain

that they are good ones. One of the best plans for doing this is to use only a theroughbred bull from a good dairy breed, and to save the best of the helfer Some people boast that they keep the

cov's udder clean, and perhaps they dot but all the rest of the animal is left in a filthy condition. This dirt dries in the hair, and the act of milking unfit for human food. A cheesemaker who suspects that

someone is sending him tainted milk, has only to take off the lid of each man's can, and smell for odors. After milk has been shut up for an hour or more, very cheap. They are relatively cheaper than hay, and weight for weight, are any taint can readily be detected in r than the cost of hay when this manner. Look into this matter family medicine with us since 1865.—J. R.

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MARGARET ROSE.

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That Joyful Feeling, With the exhibarating sense of re-All growers of squashes or other vines newed health and strength and internal most serious being that they are too of this character have noted the fact cleanliness, which follows the use of expensive, and that the fodder too fre- that the first blossoms are barren. In Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few the following, quently molds when baled or stored other words, they are all male blossoms. Who have not progressed beyond the old If this is examined a little farther it time medicines and the cheap substiwill be found that these male blossoms tutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well-informed.

The World's Population.

In Asia it is estimated there are 825, 954,000 inhabitants; in Europe, 557,379,-000; in Africa, 163,953,000; in America, 121,713,000; and in Australia, 3,230,000. Of this total about 32,514,000 persons die annually-98,840 per day, or 4,020 per hour, or 67 per minute.

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into morals,-Horace Mann. So full of shapes is fancy that it alone is high-fantastical.—Shakspeare.

The amity that sisdom knits not folly may easily untie.—Shakspeare. Age without cheerfulness is a Lap-

land winter without a sun.-Colton. One who is afraid of lying is usually afraid of nothing else.-Froude.

All men would be masters of others, and no man is lord of himself.-Goethe Dishonesty is a forsaking of permanent for temporary advantages .-Bovee.

Which is the best government? That which teaches self-government .- Go-

Studious to please, and ready to submit; the supple Gaul was born a para-

Leave glory to great folks. Ah, casles in the air cost a vast deal to keep

God's livery is a very plain one; but its wearers have good reason to be con- 28

Misery is easily excited to anger, and ignorance soon yields to perfidious counsels,-Addison.

When workmen strive to do better than well, they do confound their skill in covetousness.-Shakspeare. It is far off; and rather like a dream

than an assurance that my remem brance warrants.-Shakspeare. I will not be concerned at men's not

knowing me; I will be concerned at my own want of ability.-Confucius. Judge thyself with a judgment of sincerity, and thou wilt judge others with

a judgment of charity.-Mason.

Costly followers are not to be liked, lest while a man maketh his train longer, he maketh his wings shorter .-

We go to the grave of a friend, saying "A man is dead;" but angels throng about him, saying "A man is born."-

You will, I believe, in general, ingratiate yourself with others still less by paying them too much court than too little.-Lord Greville.

HISTORICAL

In 1848 President Polk offered Spain a million dollars for the island of Cuba, which offer was refused.

An ivy bush, half a century ago, was the common sign of taverns-as a branch of mistletoe is to the present day in Normandy. In France a peasant who sells his vineyard has to hang a green bush over the doorpost.

The word "coasting," in the sense of sliding down an inclined plane, was used for the first time by the court of assistance, when Boston was three years old. The term "lumber" appeared first in the town records, in 1663 being employed to designate the embarrassment caused by the "lumbering" up of the streets at a time when the settlers were doing a great business in forest products.

The crowning of the Czar of all the Russias follows his accession to the throne by nearly two years, but this is no new thing in Russia. On Dec. 1, 1824, Nicholas L became Emperor of Russia; he was crowned on Sept. 8, 1825; Alexander II. acceded to the throne on March 2, 1855, but was not crowned until Sept. 7, 1856; Alexander III. became czar on March 13, 1881, and was crowned only on May 27, 1883. Nicholas II. succeeded his father on Nov. 1, 1894.

The climax of slave importation into New York must have been reached be tween the years 1780 and 1785. According to a report made by Gov. Hunter (June 23, 1712), the population of the colony in the year 1703 consisted of "Christians, 7,767, Slaves, 1,301;" and in 1712 of "Christians, 10,511, Slaves, 1,775." Collector Kennedy's figures (1726) show importation only, and not until we come to the census of 1731 do Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc we find a total of the slave population, then amounting to 7,202.

In 1596 the first potato was planted in England, in Holborn, about the time that Sir Walter Raleigh was planting the first Irish potato at Youghal, near Cork. For two centuries the potato continued as a botanical curiosity. When first eaten it was a delicacy, sometimes roasted and steeped in sack, or baked with marrow and spices, or preserved and candied. When Parmentier developed the plant in France, Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette wore the flowers as ornaments. Frederick the Great had to force the Pomeranian Propr. of The "City" Barber farmers to plant potatoes by the fear Shop. In the new Babcock Building of his soldiers. It was the famine of 1771-72 in Germany that first demonstrated the value of the tubers.

Use and Misuse of the Pineapple. The fibrous leaf of the pineapple is used to make a fabric of extreme delicacy and lightness. As a digester, the pineapple has no equal. It is of especial value to dyspeptics. Eaten as an accompaniment to meat, it facilitates digestion, but it should never be taken on an empty stomach, as, failing anything else to work upon, it attacks the lining of the stomach itself. It is this tendency of the pineapple that makes it so valuable in dyspeptic cases, often cutting the mucus that cannot be removed in any other way.

A Gigantio It itue of Buddha. The Japanese, in order to celebrate rya \$780, payable \$15 weekly and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National, Star Building, Chicago.

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WORLD'S HOLIDAYS.

According to the old Church canons, the Christmas festival lasted from Christmas Eve to February 1, by which date all the decorations must be removed from the churches.

The Moslems have two festivals of special importance, the Greater Bairam and the Lesser Bairam. The former is in memory of Abraham offering his son Isaac, and lasts four days.

Every seventh year among the ancient Jews was a Sabbath year. No labor was done, and the inhabitants of Judea lived on the natural produce of the earth during this year. "The Feast of Reconciliation" was a

religious festival, established by Queen Mary, to be held January 25, 1555, to celebrate the return of the Church of England to the see of Rome February 22, the birthday of the

Father of his Country, is a legal holi-

day in all the States save Arkansas,

Iowa and Mississippi, though in these also, it is generally observed. The fixed Christian feasts are: All Saints, November 1; All Souls, November 2; Candlemas, February 2; Christmas; Circumcision, January 1; Epiph any, January 6; Innocents, December

March 2 is the Texan Fourth of July, being the anniversary of Texan independence. It is generally observed in that State, and meetings of the veterans of the war with Mexico are com-

On August 5, 1889, an English bank holiday, the British museum had 5,200 visitors; the National Gallery, 8,400; the Kensington Museum, 18,100; the Zoological Gardens, 21,000; Crystal Palace, 40,000; the Kew Gardens, 64,000; besides 300,000 persons who left London on cheap excursions to other parts of the country.

CREDIT IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

In Italy but little credit business is done, and none without good security being given.

In Cuba the time fixed for payment is from four to five months after delivery

of the goods. In the Bermudas accounts are settled but once a year. June 80 is the day usually fixed for the payments.

do business without allowing a long credit, which is usually one of six In England a payment of the price of goods delivered is required at the end

In Austria it is scarcely possible to

In Spain four-fifths of the transactions are done on a cash basis, while in

quite long credit is generally allowed. In Turkey even objects of prime ne cessity are sold on credit, and in that country, as well as in Russia, the time allowed is, in most cases, twelve

In Mexico the large commercial houses willingly give credit from six to eight months, and in real estate trade long terms are given customers in which to settle their accounts.

In China it is not customary to give credit. Money is obtained from lenders, who exact an interest of 8 to 21 per cent. Business is nearly always conducted on a cash basis.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

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at Chelsea, Michigan

At the close of Business, October 6, 1896.

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Total..... \$228,892.07 LIABILITIES

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