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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1896.

during the next day or two prove quite a center of attraction to politicians, would-be politicians and newspaper men.—

How the Assessment is Apportioned.

Revival Conference.

TUESDAY MORNING.

11 :00 "What are we here for?" Volum-

AFTERNOON.

2:00 Devotional Service.-Rev. W. J.

3 :00 How Far is the Pastor Responsible

icial Board in Promoting Revivals.

D. Service of Song.—Rev. B. Gibson. —Sermon.—Rev. C. S. Eastman.

Consecration Service.-Rev. J.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

9:45-"The Kind of Preaching Best Cal

10:30-"Value of Personal Work in Re-

1 :15-Questions. Answered by Rev

AFTERNOON.

2:00-Devotional Service.-Rev. F. E

2:15-"Lay Forces in Revivals." 1

vivals.-Rev. F. O. Jones.

culated to Promote a Revival."-Rev

:30-Prayer Meeting-Rev. W. F

for Revivals?"-Rev. C. B. Case.

EVENING.

Bev. O. J. Perrin.

4:30 Pentecostal Service.

Nickerson.

Davis.

E. Gager.

H. W. Hicks.

-Rev. H. Canfield.

Doods.

tary responses, limited to five min

pealse.-Rev. T. G. Potter.

es each.

The following is the program for the

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT. it is reasonably certain, however, that he will ask a recount in five or six voting places, three of which will be in Ypeilan-

He was Horridly Mangled but Lived Five Hours after the Accident-Program of his pains."

freely expressed that he, as well as Mr. Dansingburg, will have "his troubles for his pains." Revival Conference-Doings of the Com-mon Council-Other Items of Interest. Office and the board of canvassers will

Horribly Mangled.

A shocking and revolting railroad ac- Washtenaw Times. cident occurred at the Michigan Central depot Friday evening in which Walter Richards, son of A. C. Richards of Chel-sea, was falally injured. Train 18, the sea, was falally injured. Train 13, the Grand Rapids Express, and due at 7:18 p. m. had pulled in from the east. One of the railroad employees was walking along by the track swinging his lantern when the ghastly remains of a man was seen twisted up under the trucks of the rear coach. He called for help and was removed at once to the baggage room and Dr. DeMay summoned. A lady passenger with remarkable nerve rushed into the room, and plied him with questions. the room, and plied him with questions, from Northfield and \$2,000 from Dexter. He talked quite coherently about some Manchester, York and the Second distange, told his name, that he had been trict of Posilauti are untouched. around Francisco all day and had taken the train there for Jackson. He said also that he had been working three miles north of Francisco this summer, and that Adrian District Minsterial Association he had an uncle living in Jackson. But and Revival Conference which will be nothing could seem to be obtained from held at the M. E. church, Chelsea, Tues-him as to how the accident happened. day and Wednesday, November 17 and 18:

His injuries were found to be of a horrible nature. His right pant leg was 10:00 Introductory Service. Prayer and filled with the pomace of the leg, it having been ground up fine by the car wheels close to the body so that the bowels protruded. The left leg was severed below the knee. His right hand to the wrist was a shapeless jelly. And finally -as if this was not gruesome enoughhis head with the the exception of the face, had the scalp torn off in large chunks and terribly bruised.

Hypodermic stimulants were administered and in a few moments after the 3:45 Power and Responsibility of the cident he was removed in the baggage wagon to the city hospital. Dr. Babcock shortly arrived but it was soon seen that amputation of the severed limbs was out of the question. The poor fellow was a pitiful sight indeed, his face blackened with dust and cinders, and his repeated appeals of "Don't hurt me" would tend. at least, to impress on one's mind the idea of exercising care on railroad trains. He said that he was 16 years ofd, but appeared a little older, tall, smooth face, blue eyes, curly brown hair and high forehead. Withal he appeared like a very intelligent young man and was well dressed, with white shirt and good clothes.

The couductor of the train does not remember seeing him. He had been dragged along some distance. When the Francisco te'egraph office opens up this morning it can be found out whether he had secured a ticket there. A telegram was sent to his father at Chelsea soon after the accident, and Mr. Richards was expected last night. Up to nearly midnight last night the mangled man continued to breath almost normally exhibiting a vitality amazing beyond words to express. "Am I hurt much doctor?" he asked. "Yes I am afraid you are" was the reply. His references to his crushed limbs were pathetic beyond description. He, however, passed away at 1:10 Saturday morning.—Jackson Patriot.

The remains of the unfortunate young man were brought to this place Saturday and the funeral was held at the Congregational church Monday afternoon, Rev. Thos. Holmes conducting the services.

The board of canvassers for Washtenaw county met in the office of the county clerk shortly before noon today prepared to canvass the election returns county and to grant certificates of election to the candidates having the largest chosen chairman. The law relating to the duties of the board was then read, af ter which an adjournment was taken to

When the board re-assembled in the afternoon William Dansingburg presented a request for the recount of the vote for county clerk for every one of the 32 voting places in the county. The required deposit of \$100 was on hand, and the board settled down at once to a job which is by no means a light one. If street was referred to the street committhere are any changes made by the re- tee. count Mr. Dansingburg will get back his \$100. He has everything to gain and and pratically nothing to lose. It is not expected that the recount will materially

collecting poll tax, carried. Moved and supported that the clerk be change the result as already announced. Instructed to notify the railroad commisturning everything about the county in watchman of the M. C. R. R. Co., Main

Statement of Choises Fair. Following is a statement of the re-WALTER RICHARDS KILLED BY THE fight at this late date is not increasing 1896; materially the friendliness of several of his own party to him. The opinion is

\$215.05 179.63 72.50 stands and privileges ... \$458.18 DISBURSEMENTS.

\$199,74 Premiums (1) ...

Thirty per cent, of the premiums will B. PARKER, Treasurer.

A Word of Advice.

"Knock him out wid an upperc Jimmy, an if, in de excitement of d moment, yez finds yez has got ter strike below de belt hit so hard he'll have spazzums an won't know de differ'nce."

SPOKEN LANGUAGE.

tain sounds quite familiar to us, The Chinese, for instance, has no sound equivalent to our "r." For America, a Chinaman says "Yamelika." The lety Islanders could not pronounce etc., at LOW prices. either "c" or "k," and the nearest ar

The sounds most easily produced in infancy, such as ps, ms, ds and the like, are generally used to signify father and mother, but it is a sin fact that what signifies father in one sometimes means mother in another In the Georgian language, for instance, spoken in the mountains between the Caspian and Black Seas, dada means

The English language of to-day is quite different in many respects from the English spoken only 100 years ago: on the other hand, the Dutch spoken by the Boers of South Africa does not differ greatly from the same language spoken 200 years ago, the Boers dur-ing that time having had very little intercourse with the mother country.

The word "whir" is regarded by some philologists as a natural symbo of the idea of revolution. The Ger man has "wirren," to twist; the French "virer," with the same meaning; the English, "veer" and "wear," the latter used with reference to the turning of a ship. The root of the same word is found in whirl, whorl, world, warp, worm, writhe, wrench, wrest, wriggle

The growth of the English language during the present century has been without parallel in the history of any tongue. The commercial associations of the English and American people with all the nations of the earth have brought contributions from every clime to enrich our mother tongue, and the result is that there are words in com-mon use in the English language from every known language on the face of

Remarkable New Building Material In Deseronto, Canada, the seat of ex-tensive lumber interests, a notable lo-cal industry consists in sifting a con-siderable portion of the sawdust arising from the vast and various operations involved, and, mixing it with an equal quantity of clay, working the same into a building material now coming into important use in certain sections—a material known as porous terra cotta brick. As described, this brick possesses some remarkable qualities of adaptation as a substitute for what has ordinarily been used for structural purposes. Among the merits enumerated in its favor is its aband, though very light in weight, will stand a prodigious crushing strain; ent shapes as desired, nails can be driven into it after the manner with wood, and, when heated even to s white heat, sudden immersion in wa

Lost-A blanket shawl, Finder will

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This is the right way for a baby to find out that water is wet. The only way for you to find out that

Our Teas



are better than those you are buying of other dealers for the same money, is to try them. We have a full assortment of meat-jars in * 8-10-12-15-20-25 and 30-gallon

Try the New Orleans Molasses we are now selling at 25c per gal. It is a fine baker.

SYRUPS.

Good Sugar syrup, per gal. 20c Choice Table syrup, " 25c Best Sugar syrup made, " 38c This will suit you. Try it.

Silver plated Knives, Forks, Spo

Try our Poultry Powder. 15c and

We will sell you good Brooms cheaper than any other store in Chelsea.

We are making a specialty of selling our customers

SPICES and EXTRACTS.

We have a complete assortment of Rings, Chains, Stude, Cuff Buttons, Thimbles, Speciacles, Colored Glasses.

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Alarm Clocks

we are selling at 95c to wake you up.

Market Price for EGGS.

WE ARE SELLING,

THIS WEEK-21 lbs gran. sugar for \$1.00

5 lbs crackers for 25c 25 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 25c 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

Glazier & Stimson.



Trade at Holmes'. It Pays!

We have just MARKED DOWN 18 Jackets—all this year's make-were \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00 and \$10.00-to \$5 and \$6. These are such values that we expect they will be closed out in a few days.

JUST RECEIVED-A lot of Capes and Jackets that are of especially good value and good style. Pall and Winter Overcoats. We are selling the best made and nobblest Overcoats in Chelsea. Ours at \$7.50 and \$10.00, are especially cheap and good. Have you seen the ORESOO CORSET? This

is "the Corset that cannot break at the hips." We give a new one for everyone broken at the hips. Sold only by us. Ask to see them in our corset department. H. S. HOLMES MERCANTILE CO.



BARGAINS FOR NOVEMBER

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.

DAM DEPLOR

keeps constantly on hand

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

REMEMBER—Everything you buy of me guaranteed of CLEANEST and BEST. ADAM EPPLER.

Ann - Arbor - Electric - Granite - Works.

Designers and Builders of Artistic Granite and Marble Memorials.

In 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.

Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

To Canvass the Votes,

from the various voting precincts of the vote. Judge J. Willard Babbitt was

Hıram Lighthall, who has been over-

7:00—Devotional Service—Rev. Reuben Emry. 7:30 Sermon.—Rev. B. L. McElroy, D. D. Closing Service.

Doings of the Council. Board met in regular session at council rooms Wednesday evening, November 4. On motion, the following Lills were

Elmer Beach, hauling gravel....\$ work on scraper ... W. Sumner, work on street..... Matt Hauser, " Thos Wilkinson, work with team work on street. . Robt. Leach, drawing dirt..... Rush Green, salary for Oct.... Chelsea Electric Light Co., light for October.... J. W. Beissel, merchandise and collecting taxes.....

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR OCTOBER.

Cash on hand Oct. 1............ \$ 865 86 " Received during October., 1399 60 Total......\$2214 99 Orders paid during October.... 411 45

On hand November 1...... \$1853 51 Report accepted. The petition of T. E. Wood and eight others to place electric light on Summit

Moved and supported that the village attorney be instructed to test matter of

sioner that owing to recent change in the his efforts to discover fraud, declined to street is not properly guarded by a flag-

2:15 "Revivals Necessary to Success in Church Work."—Rev. C. E. Marvin. Many languages are devoid of cert a Chinaman says "Yamelika." proach they could make to the name of the celebrated navigator "Cook," who visited their shores, was "Tut."

mother and mamma, father.

and so their language remains almost "Class Leaders."-Rev. L. S. Ted-

man. 2. "Sunday school Workers." -Rev. H. Palmer, 3. "Epworth Leaguers."-Rev. M. H. McMaboa 3:15—"Ethusiasm Essential to Success." 4:00-"After the Revival." "Drilling the Recruits."-Rev. H. J. B. Marsh.

and many others.

solutely fireproof character, the fact also of its having a marked deadening effect when employed for partition walls in houses, is very warm and dry. the material can be sawn into co ter will produce no cracks.

please leave at Standar office.

CHELSEA, . REVOLTISSPREADING

WEYLER MAY BE SUPERSEDED IN CUBA

While Formerly in the Island He Won the Souhriquet "The Butcher" -Move to Confiscate the Real Estate of the Santa Fe in Kansas.

Revolt in Philippine Islands. Singapore dispatch: The rising against pain in the Philippine Islands is spread-Contracts have been signed at Peking for two Armstrong cruisers and four German torpedo-boats. Madrid advices say: Gen. Camilo Polavieja, who at one time was on the point of starting for Cuba in order to succeed Gen. Martinez Campos as captain general of that isiand, started Wednesday night for the Philippine Islands to replace Gen. Blank, captain of those colonies. Gen. Polavieja has had considerable experience in Cuba where he was given the nickname of "the butcher." He was a subordinate of Marzinez de Campos at the time of the Virginius affair, and the Cubans accused him of murdering prisoners and of other cruelties. He entered the army in 1868 when the ten-year war began in Cuba, and was steadily promoted until he became general. Before the close of the war he was governor of the Province of Santiago de Cuba, and after the revolution he was made captain general of Cuba, retaining that office until 1892.

Receiver for Santa Fe. Western railroad circles have a sensation in a second receivership for the Santa Fe. The road and equipment in Kansas was Thursday afternoon placed In the control of State Senator Charles F. Johnson, of Oskaloosa, Kan., by Judge Louis Myers, of the First District, at Oskaloosa. The property consists of nearly 500 miles of railroad, together with depots, shops, and engine houses, office buildings, real estate and other property. The action is brought under the Kansas law of 1891, which provides that no corporation, more than 20 per centum of whose capital stock is owned by aliens, shall acquire real estate in the State of Kansas, and that if any real estate should be acquired in violation of this statute it shall be forfeited to the State. The appointment of a receiver has been brought about, it is believed, by the men who opposed the recent reorganization plan of the Santa Fe. The anti-reorganization men do not show their hands in the present litigation, but they are charged with being responsible for it by the friends of the new company and its officers and attorneys. This action has cre ated a great sensation in Topeka.

BREVITIES.

Perrine, an assistant at Lick Observatory, has discovered a new comet.

The Archduchess Maria Dorothea Wednesday renounced all rights to the throne of Austria and then married the Duke of Orleans.

S. B. Howard was appointed receiver for the Pony Press, a co-operative paper, and the only free silver daily in St. Paul and Minneapolis. Chicago polled 46,055 more votes for

President in Tuesday's election than did New York. Father Knickerbocker's town still is ahead of Philadelphia.

Mayor McClelland, of Roanoke, Va. was run down by an electric car, and fatally injured. The Mayor stepped in front of the car when it was less than five feet

A jubilee over election and some bandying words resulted in a fatal assault upon James McGuire, 18 years old, Tuesday night, at Omaha, Neb. William Campbell, colored, has been arrested, charged with murder.

Machinery was ordered for a fuse factory to be built at the Santa Cruz, Cal., powder works at a cost of \$50,000. It will give employment to many men. The Loma Prieta Lumber Mill, which has been closed many months, will resume operations soon.

The Alumni Association has established a scholarship in the Yale graduate department, the income of which is \$300, for the benefit of a graduate of one of the universities to be named by the association. The present incumbent is Warren E. Lloyd, of Berkeley, Cal.

A dispatch to the wife of Edward Bodenhainer, a commercial traveler of New York, says that he came to life in an undertakeris room at Topeka, Kan., after his body has been prepared for burial. Mrs. Bodenhainer received a telegram from St. Joseph, Mo., Tuesday, saying that Bodenhainer had died while on a train en route for Topeka. Wednesday she learned that he was still alive.

The canal and locks of the cascades of the Celumbia River, which have been under construction for some sixteen years and represent to date an expenditure of Government money exceeding \$3,000,000. were thrown open for the passage of boats Thursday. For several months to come, however, navigation will be permitted only during daylight, in order that there may be no interference with that portion of the work which is still incom-

Arthur L. Snook, a Kansas City, Mo. brakeman, shot and killed his wife, Arletta, who was a general agent for the Monroe Publishing House, Chicago, Wednesday night, at the Belmont Hotel. Then he sat down on the steps and watched his wife die, when he placed the revolver to his head and fired two shots. At the time of the shooting the street in front of the hotel was filled with people. Jenlousy was the cause. Each was 36 years old. Snook was the woman's second husband.

Thursday was a day of wildest excitegent in Lexington, Ky. The hoodlums assaulted every negro they could find on the streets and beat several so badly that their life is despaired of. There have been several attempts to assault and kill groes, and only the prompt arrival of law and order men in several instances

Dr. C. L. Hawker, a leading physician of Jackson Center, Ohio, was found dead at his home by his niece, who returned from a buggy ride. He had a bullet hole in his head, having been murdered. There is no clew.

EASTERN.

An effort will be made before the next New York Grand Jury to indict owners and agents of transatlantic steamshillnes which, it is claimed, are organize as the Continental pool, otherwise known as the steamship trust. The evidence is in the hands of the District Attorney. The complainant is a partner of the shipping firm of C. B. Richard & Co., for a long time the local agent for the Hamburg-American Steamship Company now chartering two or three ships of the Furness Line. The Continental pool is said to be one of the most cast-iron combinations of the kind in existence. It was formed by the influential lines doing business between the Atlantic coast and all ports on the continent. While its members deny it is in any way a trust, its apparent aim is to monopolise the vast transatlantics trade.

The United States Pipe Line Company, which has been fighting the Standard Oil Company, and endeavoring for years to pump oil through its pipes laid in New Jersey to Tidewater, won a notable legal victory in Belvidere, N. J., Friday, and will at once commence pumping off through its pipes within that State for the first time since the pipes were laid, nearly two years ago, from the Pennsylvania oil fields. The trunk lines which make thousands on carrying oil have cooperated with the Standard Oil Company at every stage in staying the advance of its great rival. The railroads obtained injunctions to prevent the pipes being laid under their tracks, and when these were dissolved appeals were taken and other litigation begun. In this way the company was tied up effectively for a time, but every court has thus far declared in its favor, and Friday Vice Chancellor Emery dissolved the injunction obtained by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Road, preventing the company from pumping oil through the pipes laid under the railroad tracks.

The Methodist Episcopal bishops as an official board closed their work at Pittsburg, Pa., Monday afternoon. They will meet at Providence, R. I., next April to make appointments for the fall conferences in Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and west of the Mississippi River. The more important appointments for spring conferences made at the board's session are: Bishop Ninde-Central Pennsylvania conference to be held at Clearfield March 17; Troy conference at Schenectady, N. Y., April 14. Bishop Newman-Philadelphia conference at Bethlehem March 17; Washington conference at Annapolis, Md., March 10. Bishop Mallalieu-Baltimore conference at Baltimore, Md., March 3; Virginia conference at Roanoke March 11. Bishop Walden-Wilmington conference at Chestertown, Md., March 17; New York general conference at Brooklyn April 7; East German conference at Scranton, Pa., March 25. Bishop Merrill-New York conference at Sing Sing April 7; North Indiana conference at Kokomo, Ind., New York conference at Watertown, N. fled when the messenger put out the contest won by the insurgents, their ends Trenton, N. J., March 24. Bishop Andrews-Newark conference at Newark, N. J., April 7. Bishop Cranston-Lexington conference (colored) at Springfield, Ohio, April 1.

The New York World publishes the following special correspondence from Tokio, Japan: Count Okuma Shigenobu has entered upon his duties as Minister of Foreign Affairs. He assures your correspondent that nothing in the relations between Japan and America or Europe seems to call for any immediate change of policy; but, with respect to Eastern countries, it is desirable to infuse greater energy into the councils of the empire than has latterly been exhibited. For many years it had been Japan's wish to rescue Corea from political chaos and to assist in reorganizing its administration upon a basis that will enable it to hold a position of independence, not alone for its own preservation, but for the general security of Eastern Asia. To institute measures to promote the moral welfare and material progress of Corea will be one of the tasks of the new Cabinet. Among the duties awaiting the Government few seem to be more worthy than that of endeavoning to win the confidence of China and to engage her co-operation in developing the civilization she has hitherto resisted, but the advantages of which she can easily share by following the course that Japan has clearly marked out. While the schemes of military and naval expansion will be steadily carried out, rigid methods of economy will be observed and legislation will be introduced to stimulate business enterprise.

WESTERN.

Public schools have been closed at Galesburg and Ramsey because of the spread of diphtheria.

The Puyallup Indian Commission was ordered disbanded, to take effect Dec. 1, in accordance with the provision of an act of Congress.

The only Russian Greek church on the Pacific coast north of San Francisco was dedicated at Seattle, Wash., Sunday by Right Reverend Bishop Nicholas, of the diocese of Alaska and the Aleutian Islands.

Postoffice Inspector McMechene, of Denver, has been notified of the arrest of Assistant Postmaster D. J. M. A. Jewett, of Fort Stanton, N. M., charged with the embezzlement of \$151. Jewett was chairman of the Louisiana returning board of 1876 that decided in favor of the Hayes electors, defeating Tilden for the

Thomas McGuire, white, who says he s wanted in the Iowa State penitentiary, strolled into the police barracks at Savannah, Ga., and gave himself up. He says there is a twenty-year sentence awaiting him in Iowa for burglary and that a reward of \$250 awaits his captors He escaped in September, 1895 with two pals. He will be sent back.

Julius Mannow, confessed murderer of Carey B. Birch, was hanged in the county jail at Chicago Friday. Surprise was pictured upon the face of Sheriff Pease and his legal assistants over the nonchalance of the doomed man as he ap proached the scaffold. It was feared that he would collapse. But he walked upon the trap with a firm step, his hands not bound by shackles, at his own request. No minister of the gospel accompanied the companion of Joseph Windrath. Mannow lacked religion, but he was not a physical coward. His farewell message, delivered in low, firm tones, was national bank notes in the life he had led for in keeping with the life he had led for month of \$1,345,627, and for the year month of \$1,345,627, and for the year

ertion that Joseph Windrath, who was hanged some time ago for com the murder, was innocent, and that he, Mannow, did the fatal shooting. But Windrath's attorney says that from adsions made to him by Windrath there should be no doubt of the latter's guilt.

Gen. Joseph T. Torrence died Saturday night at his home, 88 Believue place, Chicago. Although he had been confined to his bed for only two weeks, he had been suffering two years with Bright's disease. Gen. Torrence was born March 15, 1843, in Mercer County, Pennsylva-nia. Before he had reached his teens he set out in the world to make his own way. His first employment was in the blast furnaces of Pennsylvania. There he learned the blacksmith trade, and it was not long until he was promoted to the foremanship of the furnaces. Gen. Tor-rence remained with the blast furnaces antil the breaking out of the civil war, when he enlisted as a private in Company A, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Regiment, Ohio Volunteer Infantry. Soon after his enlistment he became a non-com-missioned officer. During his services in the army he was wounded seriously four times. After the war he went to Newcastle, in his native State, where he was re-engaged in the work of supervising furnaces. In 1869 Mr. Torrence came to Illinois and became connected with the Chicago Iron Company at Bridgeport. Five years later he was appointed colonel of the Second Regiment of the Illinois National Guard. In 1876 Gov. Shelby M. Cullom promoted him to brigadier general, just a short time before the riots of 1877. The authorities adopted measures placing Gen. Torrence in absolute command of the city during the riots.

SOUTHERN.

Press Bradford, who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Haley in Henry County, Tennessee, committed suicide by shoot-

Thomas Ryan died at Newport, Ky. Thursday night from the result of a stab received Tuesday night as he was leaving a saloon. Pat Caulfield has been arrested charged with the murder.

At Louisville, Ky., the Grand Jury has ordered indictments drawn against four members of the General Council for bribery in connection with the recent election of Sinking Fund Commissioners.

Three masked men held up the southbound Katy passenger No. 1, a mile south of Alvarado, Texas, Monday night about 7 o'clock. Going to the express car, they ordered the messenger out. After he got out they made him get back in the car and told him to hand out the money. Instead of doing so he turned off the light and shutter-fastened the door. While this was transpiring the greatest excitement prevailed and the robbers, who were doubtless novices, were disconcerted by the action of the messenger. The engineer, realizing the situation, pulled the throttle open and ran into Grand View and wired Hillsboro. The robbers became alarmed and not get anything.

WASHINGTON.

The coinage executed at the United States mints during the month of October was as follows: Gold, \$5,727,800; silver, \$2,844,009; minor coin, \$66,900; total, \$8,638,409. Of the silver coined 2,350,000 were standard silver dollars.

Commodore Matthews, chief of the Navy Department Bureau of Yards and Docks, in his annual report to Secretary Herbert, makes a cut of two-thirds in the estimates for the maintenance and improvement of navy yards submitted by the various commandants. They ask for \$6,996,620, and he reduced hteir estimates to \$2,245,043.

About 1,202 acres of land around Cedar or Ely Lake, near Duluth, Minn., is involved in the case of G. A. Burns et al. vs. S. K. Murphy, the Security Land and Exploration Company, the Duluth Iron Range Company, Cloquet Lumber Company et al., in which the general land office decision has been affirmed by the Secretary of the Interior. The petitioners, represented as bona fide settlers, asked for survey and platting of the lands to allow homestead entries, while the defendants claimed ownership under patents issued and swamp land grants made by the Government. The decision directs the Surveyor General to contract for the survey asked for.

The monthly comparative statement of the receipts and expenditures of the United States shows the total receipts for the month of October to have been \$25,282,-829, as compared with \$27,901,748 for October, 1895. The disbursements during the month aggregate \$38,978,277, showing a deficit for October of \$7,655 .-458, as compared with the deficit of \$6,-601,687 for October last year. The receipts for the month are classified as follows:

Customs\$11,105,498 Internal revenue 13,363,156 Miscellaneous 1,814,180 As compared with October, 1895, the customs decreased about \$2,688,000, and the internal revenue increased about \$150,000. The total deficit since July 1, 1896, is \$32,889,577.

The October statement of the public debt shows the debt, less cash in the treasury on Oct. 31, to have been \$987. 498,956, an increase for the month of \$7,-195,726, which is accounted for by a corresponding decrease in the cash on hand The debt is recapitulated as follows: Interest bearing debt \$847,364,460 Debt on which interest has

1,607,010 ceased since maturity ... Debt bearing no interest . . 372,100,247

Total\$1,221,071,717 This, however, does not include \$564, 340.923 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding which are offset by an equal amount of cash in the treasury. The cash in the treasury is classified as fol-

Silver 509,058,741 Paper 154,654,286 Bonds, disbursing officers' balances, etc. 17,639,361

Total\$836,676,22.
Against which there are demand liabili ties amounting to \$603,103,460, which leaves a cash balance of \$233,572,761.

A statement prepared by the Comptroller of the Currency shows the amount of refer to himself as a confessed murderer, and, standing upon the brink of eternity, he nerved himself to strike back at the judicial hand that had signed the order for his execution. Mannow made the

ed to \$18,387,643, a decrease for the month of \$496,693, and for the year, \$5,-229,624. The amount of United States registered bonds on deposit to secure cir-culating notes was \$241,103,350, and to secure public deposits \$15,003,000.

FOREIGN.

The Dutch steamer Etna and the Pacific steamer Cordelia, from Montevideo Sept. 29, collided in the harbor at Hamburg, and as a result the Cordelia sank; J. Lamb Doty, consul at Tabiti, says he hopes soon to see a big improvement in the mail service and transportation facilities between San Francisco and

Cardinal Gustav Adolf von Hohenlohe Schillingfurst, brother of the Chancellor of the German Empire and arch-pries of the Liberian basilica, died at Rome Friday of apoplexy.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted upward of 4,000 London cabmen are now going out on strike. This is another chapter in the long and wearisoms dispute between the cabmen and the railroad stations. The dearth of cabs is

An official dispatch from Antananarivo, capital of Madagascar, announces that the Minister of the Interior, Rainaudianaupaudry and Prince Ratsimananga have been executed at Antananarivo for complicity in the recent rebellion, and that Premier Rainitisinbosify has resigned.

United States Consul Hurst, at Prague, reports to the State Department that the Austrian Government is about to treble the duty on glucose to effectually bar out the better and cheaper article from America. Within five months the United States shipped 2,640,000 pounds of this commodity into Austria, paying a duty of \$2.90 for every 220 pounds.

Poultney Bigelow, the well-known magazine writer, lawyer, and erstwhile schoolmate of Emperor William of Germany, was before Justice Van Wyck in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, in supplementary proceedings, because of judg-ments aggregating \$24,325, which have been obtained against him by Col. A. A. he decreed to the former company \$26,200 Pope. The latter's lawyer tried to discover something with which to satisfy the judgments, but failed. Mr. Bigelow denied owning any property. He said his income depended on his pen. He claimed that since his return from Africa, where he was in the employ of the Harpers, he had been suffering from American fever and was unable to work.

Spain's cup of woe will certainly be filled to overflowing if, as some suspect is possible, a spark from Cuban campfires blows Porto Rico-ward and proves sufficient to start the flame of insurrection there. The Government, far from failing to realize the situation, knows full well the inflammable nature of the material with which it is dealing and carries its precautions almost to the verge of exaggeration. If the people of Porto Rico tell the truth, however, there is no likelihood of any trouble there, while the struggle in Cuba goes on. That bitter April 14; New Jersey conference at lights. The robbers are described as gained, there can be no doubt that there will be an unrising in Porto Rico, but u til that time comes the island is not likely to give Spain any trouble other than may be made by contributions to the cause of Cuba through the junta in New York.

IN GENERAL

The office of the treasurer of Toronto University was entered, the safe blown open and \$1,500 extracted.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Dixey, who have been separated for the last six years, have settled their differences and are once more living together.

Obituary: At Omaha, Judge Elmer Dundy, 66.-At harrisburg, Pa., A. Boyd Hamilton, 89 .- At Toronto, Ont., Rev. Father Jibra .- At Vandalia, Ill., Mrs. J. D. Perine, 56 .- At Beloit, Wis., F. S. Fenton, 59 .- At Philadelphia, Jacob Z. Davis .- At Lynn, Mass., Owen

Dame. Official figures of exports and imports for the fiscal year ended June 30, issued at Ottawa, Canada, by the Government, show the total foreign trade of Canada to have been \$249,024,852, compared with \$224,420,485 in 1895. The total imports were \$118,011,000, against \$110,781,000 in 1895, and exports \$121,013,852, against \$114,638,803 in 1895. The exports to Great Britain were over \$66,000,000, an increase of \$5,000,000, while to the United States the exports decreased from \$1,000,000 to \$39,000,000 in round figures. There is a slight increase in Aus tralian trade, and also with New Foundland, but the exports to the West Indies dropped from \$3,000,000 to \$2,000,000. The imports from Great Britain increased by nearly \$2,000,000, and from the United States they increased over \$4,000,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$5.25; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$3.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 73c to 74c; corn, No. 2, 24e to 25e; oats, No. 2, 18e to 19c; rye, No. 2, 35c to 36c; butter, choice creamery, 17c to 19c; eggs, fresh, 17c to 18c; potatoes, per bushel, 15c to 25c; broom corn, common short to choice dwarf, \$35 to \$100 per ton.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, common to prime, \$2.00 to \$3.50; wheat, No. 2, 72c to 74c; corn, No. 2 white, 24c to 26c; oats, No. 2 white, 18c to 20c.

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 77c to 79c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 22c to 24c; oats, No. 2 white, 16c to 17c; rye, No. 2, 32c to 34c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.25; wheat, No. 2, 83c to 85c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 25c to 27c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 24c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 36c to 38c. Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs,

\$3.00 to \$3.50; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 82c to 83c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 25c to 27c; oats, No. 2 white, 21c to 22c; rye, 37c to 38c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 83c to 84c;

corn, No. 2 mixed, 25c to 26c; oats, No. 2 white, 18c to 20c; rye, No. 2, 36c to 37c; clover seed, \$5.35 to \$5.45. Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 spring, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 2, 23c to 24c; oats, No. 2 white, 19e to 21c; barley, No. 2, 30c to

35c; rye, No. 1, 36c to 38c; pork, mess, \$6.75 to \$7.25. Buffalo—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.25; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 86c to 88c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 30c to 31c; oats, No. 2 white,

New York-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 85c to 87c; corn, No. 2, 30c to 32c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 23c; butter, creamery, 15c to 21c; eggs, Western 15c to 20c

CANADIAN COAL FIELD A NATION'S THANKS

RICH DEPOSIT IN THE ALGOMA DISTRICT.

It Is to Be Developed Immediately-Sailors Who Saved the Foundered Strathuevia to Be Liberally Pald-Negroes Killed by Whitecaps.

Coal in Canada.

Four months ago there was a discovery of coal in Algoma, western Ontario. The Lehigh Valley Railroad dispatched experts to the scene of the discovery with instructions to test the coal thoroughly and if it was, in their opinion, of the quality represented to at once buy u the surrounding country and secure as option on the district. But when the Le-high Valley people had made up their minds to buy it they found Canadian cap-italists had got in before them and had a claim on the property. The Lehigh Valley combine has not given up hope of securing the coal mines. A proposition is now before the syndicate in which the combine offers to pay more than \$1,000, 000 if the present holders of the options will sell out to them the whole district which the syndicate has now secure The advisability of accepting the offer i being considered. The syndicate would prefer to start a Canadian company with \$1,000,000 capital stock. William Wilson, of Toronto, a representative of the Canadian syndicate, has gone to New York to meet capitalists there who may offer more for the property than the Lehigh Valley.

Cash for Sailors, Judge H. C. Hanford, at Seattle, Wash., has handed down his decision in the famous salvage case of the Canadian-Australian Steamship Line, owner of the Miowera, and the Pacific Improvement Line, owner of the steamship Minola versus the steamship Strathnevis, in which and the latter \$20,500 for their efforts in saving the Strathnevis, which foundered in the Pacific Ocean several hundred miles off Cape Flattery in the terrific storm that prevailed in December, 1895. The opinion is an exhaustive one, and fully covers the case, giving a graphic description of the efforts of the two steamers to tow the Strathnevis to a place of safety. The court complimented the crew of the Minola on their efforts, and decreeing the \$20,500, remembered every member of the crew in amounts varying from \$1,800 to Captain Pittsbury, to \$50 to the cabin boy. The owners of the vessel get \$12,000. In the case of the Miowera, the court gave to the owners \$18,000, and to every member of the crew from captain down, amounts ranging from \$500 to \$50.

Thanksgiving Day. On Wednesday President Cleveland issued his proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 26, as a fitting day for the observance of the annual Thanksgiving festival.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Matthew A. Grant, 75 years old, one of the famous Grant triplets, died suddenly in an epifeptic fit at his home at Burrville, Conn.

A settlement has been made at Boston Mass., by the Emerson Piano Company with its creditors on the basis of payment in full with interest at 6 per cent. from Oct. 1, and the trustees have turned over the business to the company.

Charles Horton, a wealthy and aged resident of Middletown, N. -Y., went to the polls and voted for McKinley. He fell dead on returning home. He was the father of G. B. Horton, of Brooklyn, of the United States Leather Company.

between a posse of Winchester, Ky., policemen and a squad of negroes Wednesday in the negro district of the city, in which nine people, six colored and three whites, were shot, three negroes being fatally wounded.

Judge Townsend at Hartford, Conn. handed down a preliminary decision in the case of ex-District Attorney George G. Sill against the United States, in which the plaintiff claims \$5,500 for services. The decision allows the plaintiff the sum of \$3,035.

Oliver Courtney, son of the late Henry Courtney, member of the match manufacturing firm of Swift & Courtney, was killed at Wilmington, Del., while driving the engine of the Phoenix volunteer firemen to a fire on the edge of the town. The horses ran into a deep ditch near the road and the engine falling in pinioned Courtney under it. He was 38 years

While Jeff Jackson, John Adams, Will iam Taylor and Robert Allison, negro laborers, were working at a sugar cane mill near Wild Fork, Monroe County, Alabama, Tuesday night, they were fired upon from the darkness by unknown persons. All but Taylor were instantly killed. He will die. It is supposed to have been done by a gang of white caps, who have been engaged in running all negroes out of that section. An official of the Cunard Line at Lon-

don informed a representative of the Associated Press that the increase in passenger rates which the French Transatlantic Steamship Company has announced its willingness to take part in is conditional on negotiations which are still proceeding, but, he added, in no case will it take effect for some months. The offi cials of the Hamburg-American Line later in the day telegraphed that the new passenger rates would go into effect on

William F. Clemmons, New York deal er in woolens, assigned to Jacob H. Semel, without preferences. Assets, \$70,-000; liabilities, \$55,000.

Salisbury, Matabeleand dispatch: Col. Cecil Rhodes and Capt. Ferena, with thirty-five burghers, captured and burned Pangoi's kraal Saturday, killing thirtyone rebels, including three chiefs.

Mrs. John Jacob Astor, who was s riously ill at New York for several weeks, was able to leave home Monday merning for the first time since her illness. She was taken for a drive through Central

Scott Linton shot and fatally wounded William Metzler and Belle Gray and then killed himself at Georgetown, Ohio.

In an Italian passenger list of a steamer at New York it was found that three "groups' were not on the ship's manifest. They arrived on the Clive. There is a fine of \$10 for each of these persons.

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PRESIDENT CLEVELAND NAMES DATE OF THE FESTIVAL

Proclamation Appoints Thursday, Nov. 26, as the Day for Acknowledgment to the God of Nations for Blessings Vouchsafed the United States.

Homage to the Universal Ruler. The President Wednesday issued the following thanksgiving proclamation: "By the President of the United States: The people of the United States should never be unmindful of the gratitude they owe the God of nations, for his watchful care which has shielded them from disaster and polated out to them the way of peace and happiness. Nor should they er refuse to acknowledge with contrite

God's teachings and to follow with sinful pride after their own devices. "To the end that these thoughts may be quickened, it is fitting that on a day especially appointed we should join together in approaching the throne of grace with praise and supplication.

earts their proneness to turn away from

Therefore, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby des ignate and set apart Thursday, the 26th day of the present month of November. to be kept and observed as a day of thanksgiving and prayer throughout our

"On that day let all our people forezo their usual work and occupation and, assembled in their accustomed places of worship, let them with one accord render thanks to the Ruler of the Universe for our preservation as a nation and our deliverance from every threatened danger; for the peace that has dwelt within our boundaries; for our defense against disease and pestilence during the year that has passed; for the plenteous rewards that have followed the labors of our husbandmen; and for all the other blessings that have been vouchsafed to us.

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"And let us, through the mediation of him who has taught us how to pray, implore the forgiveness of our sins and a continuation of heavenly favor.

"Let us not forget on this day of thanksgiving the poor and needy, and by deeds of charity let out offerings of praise be made more acceptable in the sight of the Lord.

"Witness my hand and the seal of the United States, which I have caused to be hereto affixed.

"Done at the City of Washington this 4th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-first. "GROVER CLEVELAND.

"By the President, "RICHARD OLNEY, "Secretary of State."

RAILROAD INTERESTS.

Prospects of Great Increase of General Traffic.

Chiengo railroad officials say that for months their business has been exceedingly dull and earnings have been below the dull months of the last dull year. Now a revival is looked for in freight circles, Officials predict one of the heaviest movements of merchandise known in many years. Country merchants as well as the jobbers in the large cities have allowed their stocks to run down to the minimum. The movement of west-bound merchandise has been the lightest for many years. Thousands of stocks must be replenished and country merchants will buy heavily. This means heavy loads for the railroads, and correspondingly heavy earnings. No falling of in the heavy east-bound movement of grain, which began under the cut freight rates A bloody post-election battle was fought of last month, is looked for. Orders for cars are coming into general freight offices from all points in the west, and more than one road fears a car famine. As most of this grain will move under contracts made at the reduced rates there will not be large increases in revenue from that class of freight, but the greatest economy of operation as well as the greatest amount of revenue will develop from the movement of loaded cars both ways. Passenger men are also expecting heavy business. Commercial travelet make up a large percentage of all roads passengers. Many merchants prefer buying their goods at the large centers to ordering of traveling men, and they, too, will soon be using passenger trains. The winter tourist business also has been

delayed. No Second-Class Fares. Lines members of the Central Passenger and Trunk Lines' committees are considering a proposition to abolish see ond-class fares. Another matter of more than ordinary interest to a large number of people concerns the policy to be followed next year in handling clergy business. . It is said many of the passen men are more than pleased with the manner in which Western roads handled t clergy business this year and that a like plan may be adopted by the Easter lines. That, however, is hardly likely. The misuse of charity fares, protect forms of excursion tickets, government transportation orders, interte party fares and a number of other inter esting subjects are docketed for consider

eration. Telegraphic Brevitics. The insurgents made an attack upon the town of Mariet, the northern term nus of the trocks, but they were repu by the garrison, assisted by a gunb

the bay. Prince August, heir aparent to Duchy of Oldenburg, was married Schwerin to the Duchess Ethelbert ter of the Grand Duke Frederick Fra

cis of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. Rev. A. C. Dixon, in the Hauson Plat Baptist Church, Brooklyn, before a la congregation, delivered a sermen on the subject, "Should John Y. McKane I Pardoned?" He followed the sermon a prayer for McKane's pardon.

Two firms assigned at Houston, I as-Brown Bros., dry goods, for \$88, and Saper Bros., gents' furnishings clothing, for \$20,000. Subsequent atta ments were made on Brown Bros.

A report has been received from

FAITHFUL RECOUNTING OF HER LATEST NEWS.

Railfoads Looking for Lake Connections Died to Sayo a Deaf Mute at Ionia-Statement of the Banks of Michigan-Hotel Fire.

To Better Holland Harbor. General Superintendent Flanders, of he Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinae. d Drake, of the Chicago and West Mehigan Railroads, were in Holland, in company with other officials of the road, interviewing the officials of the Holland and Chicago Transportation Company about the sum of money neces sary to place Holiand harbor in the best possible condition. It is understood the mads wish to combine in an attempt to get a large governmental appropriation, which, with the capital they feel willing to invest in the project, would give them a harbor to be depended upon in all sorts of weather and boom the resort hotel at Ottawa Beach, owned by the West Michigan Road, and also give the Mackinac a western outlet via Allegan and the West Michigan to Chicago and Milwaukee, as the transportation company intend putting a Milwaukee boat on the lake next season.

Died for His Friend. Robert Patterson and John Strong, a deaf mute, were at work on J. Webber's farm, east of Ionia, laying stone. The other evening they started for home on the Detroit, Lansing and Northern Rail road track. When about two miles from the city they were overtaken by a freight train, and stepped to the side of the track to let it pass. The train was followed closely by the section foreman and his crew on a handcar. Strong, net secing the car, stepped back on the track directly in front of it. Patterson, seeing the danger, jumped forward and drew Strong from his perilous position, but was himself struck by the car and thrown under the wheels. One arm was broken and his side stove in. He was removed to his home, but he was beyond help and

In Good Financial Condition. The State banking department of Michigan issued a consolidated report of the condition of the 174 banks and four trust companies of the State at the close of business, Oct. 6, which is of more than ordinary interest at this time. The total resources of the State banks are \$85, 035,972, of which \$66,616,089 is in loans and discounts, overdrafts \$199,076; banking house furniture and fixtures, \$1,794,-917; other real estate, \$1,094,815; premiums paid, \$25,940; due from banks and bankers, \$464,762; due from banks in reserve cities, \$9,393,600; exchange for clearing houses, \$277,088; checks and eash items, \$301,278; nickels and cents, \$23,116; gold coin, \$2,210,185; silver coin, \$277,640; United States and national bank notes, \$2,357,460. The liabilities as follows: Paid up capital stock \$12,505,700; surplus, \$2,860,281; undivided profits less current expenses and taxes paid, \$1,907,515; dividends unpaid, \$3,745; commercial deposits subject to check, \$15,110,040; certificates of deposit. \$7,948,544; saving deposits, \$41,915,262; certified checks, \$44,351; cashiers' checks, \$57,141; due to banks and bankers, \$2,-

able, \$55,000. Prof. Jones Dead. Charles R. Jones, of Gaines Township, Genesce County, died at his home at an early hour Thursday morning. He had been ill only a few days, and his death was a great surprise to the people of the county. Prof. Jones was born at Parma in 1868. For three years past he has been principal of the high school at Gaines, which position he held to the time of his death. Two years ago he was elected school examiner by the Board of Supervisors, and was recently re-elected to the same position by the present Board of Supervisors. In August last he was united in marriage to Miss Ida C. Andrews. Deceased was highly respected by all who knew him. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity.

319,282; rediscounts, \$309,048; bills pay-

Hotel Guests Routed by Fire. At an early hour Sunday morning flames burst from under the main stairway in the Franklin House at Manistee and rapidly ate their way upward, cutting off all communication with the street. Fifteen guests were compelled to jump from the second story in their night clothes. W. T. Kessick, a traveling man, first discovered the fire and aroused the guests. Mrs. Clark threw her boy into the arms of a spectator below and then jumped. Many were severely burned. The servants escaped by a back stairway into the kitchen. The fire department did good work, so that the damage will only amount to \$1,200.

Short State Items. Harry Wheeler, of Ypsilanti, has been appointed a clerk in the railway mail ser-

The new F. & P. M. steam car ferry was slightly damaged by fire in the Wheeler shippard at Bay City.

It is said that the pumpkin crop in Michigan this year is the smallest raised in the State for twenty-five years past. Mrs. Sarah Barber, of Adrian, swalowed a mouthful of aconite in mistake or cough syrup, but was saved by a stom-

David B. Greenfield, a F. & P. M. orakeman, was crushed between two bumpers at Wixom, and is in a critical

At Muskegon the Grand Rapids District M. E. Women's Foreign Missionary Society elected Mrs. H. J. Felker, of Grand Rapids, president. The district collected \$1,321.55 last year.

Hunters are flocking to the northern woods. Every Alpena and Mackinaw train from Bay City carries from twenty to fifty hunters and their traps from the

southern part of the State. At Jackson six children in the family of W. J. Billig have diphtherm. One has died, and others are in a precarious con-

The school at Pine Run, in Geneses County, has been closed on account of diphtheria among the pupils. It is thought that the drinking water used is responsible for the epidemic.

W. P. McAllister, an old and respected esident of Homer, died Saturday, aged

Bean thrashing has just begun at Davison. The crop is poor, and a large pro-portion of the beans are damaged.

During the month of October over 10, 000 barrels of apples were shipped from Davison, and there are lots more yet to

At Davison a large barn filled with hay and grain belonging to John Campbell was destroyed by fire. Origin of the fire is unknown. Insured for \$1,000.

Clinton can have fire protection if the village will furnish the pipes and hydrants necessary, the woolen mills offering to furnish the steam pressure and the Dumps.

The sidewalk damage case of Frances 6. Burroughs against the village of Milford has been settled by the payment of \$75 to the former, each side paying its ty, in New Hampshire, and is just 105 own costs. The case, which has been in the courts two years, has cost the village \$400.

H. B. Dickinson and William Miles, of Ontonagon, went hunting together, but soon became separated. Shortly afterward Dickinson shot at what he supposed was a deer, and wounded his companion so badly that he died from his wounds the next day.

George R. Allen, of Muskegon, one of the jurors in the famous Hughson murder trial, has commenced mandamus proceedings to collect pay for night service, the jury being shut up all the time the trial was in progress. He claims he should be paid for night as well as day service.

A Camden 4-year-old got hold of some matches and in playing with them set her clothing on fire. It was all ablaze when her mother discovered the state of affairs and extinguished the flames, but strange to say, the little one was not injured beyond slight burns on the face.

Game Warden Charles Weichsler, of Port Huron, seized a quantity of game that was about being shipped out of the State contrary to the game laws. There were seventy-two partridges and fortytwo quail in the box confiscated, consigned to Mrs. Geo. Williamson, Buffalo, N. Y., and designated on the shipping bill as butter. It was shipped over the Flint and Pere Marquette from Lea-

Burglars did a wholesale business at Dundee Tuesday morning. They attempted to enter sixteen different places of business and were successful in getting into L. B. Smith's shoe store, Smith & Miller's meat market, Hardy & Porter's grocery store, Hittig's jewelry store, E. G. Broad's book store, Hurd's drug store, Slayton's lumber office, Knabusch's saloon and Hershifeld's department store. The amount secured ranged from \$5 to \$10 in each place. The work is supposed to be that of amateurs and home talent;

The largest fire in Greenville for some time occurred Tuesday morning about 2 o'clock. The large warehouse of Miller & Miller was burned to the ground, causing a loss of \$10,000, which is partially covered by insurance to the amount of \$4,900. Besides the warehouse there were also burned four freight cars belonging to the T., S. & M. Railroad, on which the loss is \$2,200, and a building belonging to a man named Weaver was damaged to the extent of \$800, the loss being covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have caught from water dripping on lime that was stored in the back part of the warehouse.

Michigan is for McKinley by perhaps 40,000, and Pingree leads McKinley all the way from 10,000 to 15,000. The Republicans have nine and probably ten of the twelve Congressmen in the State. Corliss, Spaulding, Hamilton, William Alder Smith, Sam W. Smith, Snover, Mesick and Shelden are safely landed. The silverites elect Todd, in the Third and Brucker in the eighth, with a fighting chance for Hampton in the Tenth, though early estimates favored Crump. Republicans having carried over sixtyfive of the eighty-three counties for Mc-Kinley, there is little doubt that they have the Legislature by a big majority, though it is impossible to give details at present.

A warrant for tippling was issued against George Whipple, of Detroit, some time ago at the instance of his wife. Whipple has been a terror to his family during his drunken fits and as a measure of safety police court proceedings were instituted. Whipple had left the city and the warrant was not executed until the other day, when he was locked up at the Vinewood avenue station. Soon afterward he was found dead in his cell. He had a rope which he used for a belt. With this he had made a noose, placed it around his neck, and attached the other end to one of the bars at the top of the cell door. Then he threw himself over so that his weight would fall on the rope and strangled to death. Whipple was 45 years old and had several children.

The notorious Arnold Block at Battle Creek, wherein Adam C. Arnold murdered his son George H. Arnold, and which has been standing closed and idle since the murder, is to be taken possession of and fitted up by the Seventh Day Adventists as a mission building, similar to the big mission that they are now so successfully conducting in Chicago. This is a large four-story brick block, erected by Arnold expressly for gambling purposes and a resort of thieves and a place for receiving stolen property. Dark rooms were built throughout the block with bulls' eyes in the doors, and exits made to escape the officers. The deeds that have been enacted there would equal any in the darkest spot of Chicago. Two murders have been committed in the block, and others are suspected. When Arnold was on trial for the murder of his son George the jury was taken from Marshall by the Sheriff and shown through the building. The block is on a back street, but right in the heart of the city, and is rightly located for a mission. It will be open day and night. The entire building will be painted and renovated. The first floor will be used as a readingroom and lounging place for the unfortunate and those out of work, and the other three floors will be used for free

Merchants in the western portion of the Upper Peninsula are being victimized by means of forged checks, but no clew to the swindlers has been secured as yet, The Genesee Supervisors cut the County Treasurer's salary from \$1,500 to \$1,-400, the County Clerk from \$900 to \$600, and the Prosecuting Attorney from \$1,-

If the payment of taxes is any indication, then times are much better now than for some time past. Township treasurers are generally returning only small amounts to the county treasurers as ansoliected.

700 to \$1,400.

Mrs. R. D. M. Edwards died at her a soldier, badly wounded, was being carried to the rear, when he espied a suller woman hawking some very tough-looking pies.

At the close of a severe engagement thing to my relations to look at 10 years or so from now," he said. He was a member of Company E, First sutler woman hawking some very tough-looking pies.

"I say, old lady," called the soldier, husband and five children survive her. husband and five children survive her.

THE BOOMING CANNON

RECITALS OF CAMP AND BAT-TLE INCIDENTS.

Survivors of the Rebellion Relate Many Amusing and Startling Incldents of Marches, Camp Life, Foraging Experiences and Battle Scenes.

Hosea Brown, Oldest Soldier. Hosea Brown, of Grant's Pass, Oregon, is one of the six survivors of the war of 1812. When Mr. Brown was born the French revolution was at its height and the United States was a mere baby of a republic. He is a native of Westmoreland, Cheshire Counyears old. His father fought in the revolutionary war and was wounded in one of the early engagements near Boston. Hosea is one of thirteen children and the family is noted for its longevity. One of his brothers lived to be 90 and another to be 93 years old. A century ago the people of this country had not the same facilities for education they are now blessed with, and young Brown had to be content with what learning he could get in an. ordinary log schoolhouse of the early



times. Three months of the winter he attended school, and the other seasons of the year he spent on the farm. When he reached the age of 20 his father gave him a little money and Hosea went to New York and worked on a farm in that State for \$12 a month.

About this time the United States, entered upon its second war with England, and young Brown became a private in the company of Captain Burgiss' New York Volunteers and marched to the defense of Sackett's Harbor, Lake Ontario. When the enemy's boats began to come into view one of the American commanders, who had spoken of eating the British at sight, talked less valiantly, and as he saw the ships coming at him in a swarm, he doubted the ability of the American force to withstand the red-coats. He said he thought it would be advisable to retreat. As the boats approached the shore this militiaman said to his soldiers: "I know we shall have to retreat, and as I am a little lame I'll start now." And away he went. The United States commander (Brown, by name, too), was ashamed of his compatriot and tried to stop the cowards, but could not. The command to which Hosea Brown belonged refused to run with its friends and stood its ground unflinchingly. The battle was against such odds, however, that a retreat was necessary. The United States generals sent word to the flying militiamen that the enemy had been repulsed. This little trick had the desired effect, and back came the boys, who redeemed their lost honor by converting almost certain disaster into a glorious victory.

When his term of service expired young Brown returned to his old home. At the age of 24 years he married Miss Hester Smith, who bore him two boys and three girls. In 1825 he went to Cataraugus County, New York, and with no money made his real start in life. He built a cabin for himself, working upon it at night, and earning a few cents by thrashing grain for his neighbors during the day. In this place he lived forty years, and in that time lost by death his entire family. In 1857 he went to Missouri; sold out his property in New York, and for a time stopped in Worth County. Tiring of living alone, he finally removed to the home of his grandson, Orr Brown, with whom he now resides.

Notwithstanding his great age, Mr. Brown retains all his faculties. His head is clear, his memory good, and his nerves steady. But he has not walked for three years. He lives in a comfortable chair, and cordially receives the visitors who call to see the old soldier

of the war of 1812. Under the original pension law Mr. Brown received \$8 a month. This pension was increased ten years ago to \$12. and in 1891 Mr. Brown was granted a special pension of \$40 a month. Last year, in consideration of his extreme age, his stipend was further increased to \$50 a month. He is the oldest soldier receiving a pension, and the clerks in the office take a special pleasure in preparing his voucher and remitting the money before any other old soldier is paid.

During the past year a most remarkable change has come to him. For fifty years his hair, thick and soft, has been perfectly gray. Six months ago it began to turn black and now there is not a gray hair in his head.

Leathery Pies. President Lincoln, who greatly enjoyed stories about the humorous pranks of soldiers, once told Mr. Noah Brooks the following:

At the close of a severe engagement

who may have come from a Massachusetts "shoe town," "are those pies sewed or pegged?"

Happy with Her Rainbows. "I warm up my little den with bright little pictures and rainbow glories from prisms suspended in the windows. I am amused twenty times a day with their fantastic variations. Smetimes the portrait of Charles Sumner is transfigured by the splendid light, and sometimes the ears of my little white kitten, in the picture opposite, are all aglow. The moss on a stick of wood in the corner suddenly becomes iridescent, an:1 then the ashes on the hearth look like glittering soil where the metallic gnomes live. I am childish enough to find pleasure in all this, and to talk aloud to the picture of a baby that is being washed. But you must not infer from this that I live for amusement. On the contrary, I work like a beaver the whole time.'

Thus cheerily wrote Lydia Maria Child to a friend during the second year of the war, and she followed her little burst of enthusiasm for her rainbows by an enumeration of recent labors in behalf of soldiers, hospitals and contrabands, such as may well have-kept her busy as a bee, or a beaver.

Long after the war was ended and the slaves set free, Mrs. Child, then living alone in Boston, received a call from her old friend, Mrs. Fields, who brought with her Elizabeth Stuart Phelps. In a recent chapter of her reminiscences, Mrs. Phelps-Ward gives a touching account of this visit:

"We climbed the steep stairs of the boarding house thoughtfully. Each one of them meant some generous check which Mrs. Child had drawn for the benefit of something or somebody, choosing this restricted life as the price of her beneficence.

"She received us in a little sitting room which seemed to me dreariness personified. Everything was neat, respectable and orderly; but the paucity of the interior contrasted sadly with the rich nature of its occupant. I particularly remember the tint of the carpet-a lifeless brown. The room was so devoid of color as to seem like a cell; and the winter day had been a dark

"As we sat talking, the sun battled through the clouds, and then we saw that Mrs. Child had the 'afternoon side' of her boarding house and knew how to make the most of it. She rose quickly and taking a little prism, which she evidently treasured, hung it in the window so that it caught the southwestern ray.

"Instantly the colorless room leaped with rainbows. The sweet old lady threw them all over the empty spaces and plain furniture. She had, I thought, a little in her mind the consciousness of my companion's own beautiful library, and richly endowed life. It was as if she said, 'You see I have not "much to offer, but I give you my best."

The visitors drew on the lovely old lady to talk of her anti-slavery experiences, and among other questions, Mrs. Phelps-Ward asked her how, in assisting fugitive slaves, she was able to guard against fraud-to know just whom she might safely trust and help.

"'Oh,' she replied, 'there was a password! It carried any escaping slave through the underground railway to safety. Sometimes it was written on a slip of torn, soiled paper. Sometimes it was only whispered for dear life's sake. But any colored person who came to us with that password was received and passed on without a question. It carried him anywhere, and gave him every chance that we could

"She paused and looked at the rainbows in the lodging house window dreamily. Her heart had gone far

"'What was the password?' we ventured to urge. "'I was a stranger and ye took me

in,' softly said the old abolitionist." So impressed was Mrs. Phelps-Ward with the bare walls and the beauty-loving soul of the dedicated woman who lived there so poorly, yet so richly, through her own noble choice, that she has always kept a prism hanging in her own study windows in memory of that of Mrs. Child. "It did me good," she, says, "and I do not want to forget it."

It was a beautiful and strange coincidence that when Lydia Maria Child was borne to her rest in the late afternoon of an October day, just as her body was lowered into the grave, a glorious double rainbow appeared in the heavens, and remained spanning the burial ground with its arch of glowing beauty, as the funeral train turned homeward from the place.

Sidney Wright, of Sand Lake, is one of the bravest men in Michigan. At Petersburg, Va., July 30, 1864, although a mere boy, he pushed forward in the storm of bullets and won a gold medal

for personal bravery. July 31, 1896, thirty-two years after the act was performed, the War Department wrote him a letter, forwarding him a gold medal, suitably engraved.

In a foot note the commandant of the division at the time says; "This boy not alone showed great personal bravery in going in with his comrades, but when they fell back he still remained, refusing for a time to retreat, and only did so in the face of the enemy and amid a perfect storm of shell and bullets." does not look his age, attended the re-

Mr. Wright, who is a small man, and cent brigade reunion in Jackson. He is very modest. "It will be worth something to my relations to look at 100 years or so from now," he said. He was a member of Company E, First and useful when once fairly set at

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

THOUGHTS WORTHY OF CALM REFLECTION.

A Pleasant, Interesting, and Instructive Lesson, and Where It May Be Found-A Learned and Concles Review of the Same.

Lesson for November 15. Golden Text .- "The blessing of the Lord, it maketh rich, and he addeth no

sorrow with it."-Prov. 10: 22. This lesson is found in I. Kings, 9: 1-19. and has for its subject God's blessing up on Solomon. This lesson is to be placed some years after the dedication of the temple, when Solomon's building operations were completed, and he had porhaps already begun the downward career which ended in sin. The lesson, as several writers remark, is poorly named, for t is the warning rather than the blessing that is prominent.

Explanatory.

"All Solomon's desire which he was pleased to do:" a phrase of wide meaning. omon had tried almost every pleasure including some that were not of the highest sort, and was upon a lower moral plane than he had been thirteen years before when the temple was dedicated. He is represented in the book of Ecclesiastes as having spent years in a vain search for happiness through the building of houses, the planting of vineyards, the gathering of great numbers of slaves and other possessions. "Whatsoever mine eyes desired I kept not from them; I withheld not my heart frmo any joy. Then I looked on all the works that my hands had wrought, and behold all was vanity and a striving after wind" (Eccl. 2: 4-11). Not all his experience is to be placed before the second appearance of God to Solomon recorded in this lesson, but the beginning of it must already have occurred.

"If thou wilt walk before me, as David thy father walked:" here the inappropriateness of the lesson title becomes evident; it is strictly a conditional blessing that is here promised, and if, as seems probable, Solomon was in danger of not complying with the condition, it is rather a warning than a blessing.—The setting up of David as an example shows God's estimate of him. We should be careful how we judge a man like David by our own imperfect standards, when God in his all-seeing wisdom pronounces him as, on the whole, a "man after God's own heart." Virtue is measured by what is avoided as well as by what is attained.

"Then I will establish the throne of my kingdom upon Israel forever;" all the promises and prophecies of an everlasting kingdom in the Davidic succession were conditioned upon the righteousness of kings and people, though it was not always expressly so stated. Even the disobedience of the people could not prevent | wrong." the ultimate fulfillment of the prophecy stood smiling in the midst of them. She in Christ, but it could and did prevent was coming, but he piloted the prodirected them this way and that, and any such fulfillment as was looked for by prietor around to the table where he

"But go and serve other gods, and worship them:" this was the national sin of Israel, from the days of the wandering in the wilderness down to the Babylonian captivity. Solomon was largely responsible for the idolatry of his own and later | held it out for inspection. ages because his foreign wives were the cause of the introduction of much heathen worship.

"This house, which I have hallowed for my name, will I cast out of my sight." An important truth is here stated, namely, that not even for the sake of his own glory or honor will God bear with the iniquity of a people beyond a certain

"Because they forsook the Lord their God:" the issue is to be clearly drawn. All the world shall know that the nation perished by their own fault, not from any want of care or power on the part of the God to whom they owed allegiance.

Teaching Hints. Blessing and warning are always closely related. When we are most prosperous, the danger of a fall is sometimes the nearest. And a tone of admonition sounds in some of the brightest promises of the Bible. Solomon needed the warning more than the assurance of prosperity at this time. The trouble was that he had too much assurance of prosperity, and felt confident of retaining his posi-

tion, whatever befall his successors. A godly father saves nobody. If Solomon walks before God, as David his father walked, then his throne shall be established. Otherwise the son shall suffer

for his own sins. The tremendous responsibility of a leader for the destiny of his people. Solomon represented Israel; his sins were their sins, his downfall meant their ruin. He had profoundly realized that this was the beginning of his reign, and felt his own inability to meet the demands of his wisdom did not keep him from forgetting his public duties in the absorbing search for pleasure and power.

It is unsafe to trust in the church, in one's position in society, in one's pros perity, in anything except Christ. Solo mon thought that the magnificent temple which he had built would somehow pre serve the spirit of religion in the land even though devotion had departed from his own heart; but the wish was vain. He could not live on a past religious experience, any more than we can to-day.

God remembers our prayers even when we have forgotten them. Browning says: "What I aspired to be, and was not, comforts me." He might have added: "What I aspired to be, and am not, nor longer wish to be, is my curse."

Next Lesson-"Rewards of Obedience." -Prov. 3: 1-17.

Making the Most of It. We may not have much ability, but | bled. if we are faithful in the exercise of the

little we possess, we may, without even so much as intending it, either awake or ensourage others of greater power to do their best. Everybody can do something to help

on the work of the church, and most of us can do some things for which we do not yet perceive our own fitness Tastes, circumstances, natural advantages and evident opportunities suggest how we can work best, but even those who are not aware of any particular call of duty will soon become interested. spiritual enterprise soon appear.

THE DAY FOR GREEN CHECKS Scheme Used by Restaurants to Avoid Being Swindled.

It was at one of those places where you can get a good meal for fifte cents. If your finances have run down to an unusually low ebb, ten cents will suffice to meet the demands of your appetite. Still, it is there as every place else. If you get a spread of first-class viands you have to pay for it.

It is one of the regulations of the establishment to charge up its patrons on squares of heavy paper that vary in color on different days, red, yellow, and green being the preferred tints. About a week ago a young man went

in and ordered a ten-cent lunch, As soon as it was brought in the walter gave him a check. The young man lingered long over his cheap repast and noon paper, and at last the waiter evidently forgot that his

customer had been ticketed once and gave him another check. The young man thought he saw the hand of Providence in the double deal, so he cautiously slipped one into his

inside pocket to use on a future occasion and gave the other to the cashier. That day the checks were red. It was a week later when the young man's hunger mounted to such a pitch that nothing but a meal of generous proportions would satisfy him. Re-

hidden away in his pocket, he had no hesitancy in ordering whatever he wished. The value of his lunch was an even dollar, but when he got to the cashier's desk he laid down his ten-cent check. Instead of accepting the dime and passing him along to make room for the next customer the cashier looked at the

membering the ten-cent check that was

young man suspiciously and detained him a moment. "Where did you get this check?" he asked.

The young man's face took on an ex pression of surprised innocence. "The waiter gave it to me."

"When?" "Just now."

"Which waiter was it?"

A clammy perspiration commenced to break out all over the young man's body, but he thought he might as well brave it out.

"The one close to the window," he gaid.

The cashier calls one of the proprietors, who was standing near by.

"Will you kindly have this gentleman show you the man who waited on him?" he said. "There is something

The young man didn't know what had eaten and pointed out the attendant. "There he is," he said.

The proprietor took the red ten-cent check from the young man's hand and

"Did you give this out to-day?" he asked, sternly.

"No, sah," was the glib reply. "I 'member this gem'man cos he et so much. No, sah, I give him a check for one dollah. He'll find it on him some-

wheres." The young man saw it was useless to protest and paid his bill.

It was a day for green checks .- Philadelphia Item.

A Plague of Hyacinths. The rapidly increasing water hyacinth will soon become a thing of serious menace to inland navigation on the smaller streams of Louisiana, according to the New Orleans Times-Democrat, unless some panacea is found for the evil. A year or two ago the presence of these plants in the two city navigation canais brought forth considerable comment, and at the time proved a source of serious annoyance and inconvenience to the vessels which use the basins. Now no one seems to know whence they came. The innumerable bayous of the southern part of the State are gradually filling up, and in many instances have become completely blocked with the hyacinth. Even the giant Atchafalaya is filled with great floating masses of the plants, and the streams south of this city extending almost to Grand Lake, are dotted with islands formed position without divine aid. Hence he of the beautiful flowers. It appears prayed for wisdom. But now, even the that many years ago, according to several of the Atchafalaya steamboatmen, navigation was impeded in the tributaries of that river and on Bayon Teche, owing to the presence of the hyacinth, but after a few years the plant disappeared altogether.

Human Coal.

An English authority informs us that an audience of 2,000 people, listening for two hours to a concert, are not only cultivating and indulging their musical taste, but are engaged in the somewhat prosaic occupation of producing no less than one hundred weight of coal and seventeen gallons of water from the impurities and moisture of their own breath, and that if they were all performing themselves, instead of listening, this quantity would be nearly dou-

It is far more wholesome to drink the undiluted water of the Thames at Blackwall than to breathe the air of a crowded and unventilated room, and how cleanly people can be content to do so is only explicable on the principle that what the eye does not see the heart does not grieve over.

Lamp Thrown In. "I don't want the wheel. It is too

"Say, I'll throw in a lamp. That'll make it lighter."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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COUNTY AND VICINITY,

H. G. Prettyman, Arthur Brown and Judge Babbitt make up the board of election canvassers whose duty it is to review and certify to the result of the recent election in this county.

Ruthie May is confined to the bed with injuries received at school by playing "crack the whip." She is anable to use one limb although no bones are broken or dislocated .-Stockbridge Sun.

A man not a thousand miles from here tried to lead a horse across the cattle guard on the railroad Sunday night. That horse was no fancy rope walker, and the natural result followed. -Stockbridge Snn.

A pretty good thing is told by Charles Schmitt-saloon keeper-on himself. Whatever his intentions were matters not, but his vote was a straight Prohibition vote. His friends have the laugh on him .- Milan Leader.

The gentleman who was buying apples at the depot has quit and has gone home. He was paying 50 cents per bar rel, the price went down and he couldn' conger up nerve enough to ask the farmers to take less than 50 cents.-Fowlerville Observer.

Rev. W. L. Tedrow introduced novel feature into his service at Trinity Luthern church last evening. The church was darkened and a large number of excellent views illustrating the life and time of Luther were thrown half times the extent of colonial terriupon a screen, the speaker accompanying the display with an interesting and helpful discourse, A good sized audience was present and all were pleased and profited by the service, - Washtenaw Times.

The report has gained general currency that the late W. P. Philips, If Italy and Russia be included, the whose body had been placed in the total expenditures in an ordinary year vault at Highland cemetery, had only been in a trance and that the body had turned over in the coffin. How the report started is not known, as there was no foundation whatever for ure which involves additional expendithe story. The deceased was dead beyond the shadow of a doubt shortly after he dropped to the floor on the day of the demise, and the body was afterwards enbalmed which latter fact would preclude any possibility of the truth of the story .- Ypsilanti Cor. Washtenaw Times.

During the voting in one of the wards Tuesday afternoon an old Irishman came in to cast his vote, and came out with the ballot crumpled up in his hand. "See here, Mike," said one of the aldermen, "You must take your ballot back and fold it up before you put it in," "And what for?" said Mike. "O, because it's the right way -because all the rest do it that way," answered the alderman. "Indeed and I won't," said Mike. "I'll put it in this way or I won't put it in a tall, "See here," and he opened the ballot in full view of the alderman, "I've voted for Mr. O'Brien because they told me he was the best man, but I've a notion now that Mr. McKinley was the berry bush, and gorging himself with best man after all."-Ypsilanti Cor.

By means of apparatus which Prof. Carhart is using in his experiments observers are enabled to examine bones of a man's body. One of the most curious experiments was made a few porch of the cabin sat the brown bear nights ago, when Dr. Novy acted as with one of its forelegs in a sling. subject. The doctor allowed the spectators to count his ribs, examine the condition of the sternum and clavicle and suddenly it was discovered that a gun. They turned and ran, the man the heart was visible and its pulsations after them. They got away in safety, could be watched and counted. The heart was misty in outline, not distinct like the bones, but there it was, treated. moving regularly, and the spectator counted its pulsations while Dr. Herdman stood with his finger on Dr. Nov. Sultan at Constantinople is unequaled ey's pulse to verify the count and by any other building in Europe, and make sure it was not the dickering of from the celling hangs a superb Venethe light that misled the eye. An effort will be made after a while to fix sun. At each of the four corners of the a large screen in a doorway so that all room tall candelabra in baccarat glass of a large audience in a dark room can are placed, and the throne is a huge see the picture simultaneously. In seat covered with red velvet, and havthis way the whole skeleton of a man may perhaps be shown at once.-Ann Arbor Register,

CARD OF THANKS.—The parents and miles, which was the range of Krupp's grand-parents of Walter Richards, whom 130-ton steel gun, firing a shot weigh-God thought best to remove from our ing 2,600 pounds. The 111-ton Armmidst so suddenly, wish to thank the strong gun has an extreme range of friends and neighbors who so kindly as-friends and neighbors who so kindly as-friends and neighbors who so kindly as-1,800 pounds, and requiring 960 pounds d them during the great affliction 1,8 through which they have just passed; and also for the beautiful flowers.

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ANIMALS AS CRIMINALS

Instances in Which They Were Tried in Civil and Ecclesiastical Courts. During the middle ages, and even as late as the time of Shakspeare, animals were considered legally respon their acts. They were tried for various offenses, and if found guilty were convicted and punished. Mules were oc casionally deprived of their ears for wrong doing, and this altered the appearance of the animals, whether it improved their morals or not. There was mind! Put him in the bill; I'll make another punishment inflicted on mules which suggests that there was method in the madness of the authorities. A mule which was particularly wicked 6d.; shooting a waiter, £5." was made forfeit to the crown, and the king had a corral of asses which could not be equaled for depravity in the

Occasionally the animals were tried before an ecclesiastical tribunal. Swarms of files, bees, leeches and other insect pests were often condemned to vacate within a certain time under penalty of "malediction." As a rule certain sections of the country were set aside to which the condemned animals might retire and live in peace and quiet.

A horde of flies that bothered the resonce, and escaped punishment because of their small size and extreme youth. Rats one time began eating the barley of a European war, have the old world of France and were tried in court. They were defended by an eminent lawyer named Chasseneux, and he actually won the suit and the rats escaped punishment. In Naples an ass was triedby a jury of his peers, no doubt-and sentenced to die at the stake. The sentence was carried out, and that ass never committed murder again. About the year 1700 the practice died out, and some time after the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was organized, and since them domestic animals have been better treated.

THE COST OF PEACE.

Five European Nations Expend \$600, 000,000 for Ships and Soldiers.

Although Germany has but recently entered on colonial enterprise she expends nearly \$18,000,000 annually on her navy. France, with two and onetory, approximates \$49,000,000 for the same purpose. The United Kingdom spends less proportionately in naval expenses, but is obliged to expend \$70,-000,000 a year, and is in perpetual fear lest its naval efficiency fall below a strength necessary to cope with the ambitions and jealousies of the other pow-

on this arm of the service are \$200,-000,000, and in an extraordinary year, under the influence of a war scare, half as much again may be appropriated to build up and equip new ships, a meastures in many directions.

A similar estimate of the cost of the army would give an even greater sum. For every dollar annually spent on the navy three are expended on the army, and the five powers named pay out for the service \$600,000,000 each year. Of this one-half may be considered as nec essary for home defense and to cover the educational advantages incident to the system; the other half may be set down as the requirements for imperial

Their Turn to Run.

A bear hunt which terminated in a manner at once disappointing and surprising, is described by the Portland Oregonian. It occurred in the mountains of Oregon, whither two gentlemen had betaken themselves for a vacation

Several days were spent in trout fishing. Then one of the men expressed a strong desire for a day's shooting, for large game. They set out the next morning bright and early, and after hours of fruitless tramping, were about returning to camp, when suddenly they and grocery store at Battle Creek. saw straight before them a brown bear sitting on his haunches under a blue-

Both hunters fired, and the bear, with an ugly growl, disappeared. The men hastened after him, but were unable to overtake him. For half an hour or more they followed the trail. Then all at once they came to a clearing. In the clearing was a cabin, and on the

The hunters were greatly taken aback, as may well be supposed, but were still more surprised when they saw a man hastening toward them with OLIVE LODGE NO 156, F. & A. and learned afterward that the bear was a family pet, the owner of which

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Cost of Shooting a Waiter. Dr. Cahill tells the following st

n illustration of the "persecution Some soldiers were passing a hotel, ato which they entered. In some difference or frolic they shot the waiter dead. The landlord, deep in grief, made a statement of the grievous murder to the colonel. This gentleman treated the matter quite coolly, saying that he must have given some reaand jocosely said: 'Oh, never it all right!" So; gentlemen, the waiter was put in the bill, which ran as follows: 'Breakfast, 1s. 6d.; dinner, 2s.

Depends on Us for Leather.

According to an address delivered the ther day at Paris by M. Allain, one of the greatest leather merchants in Europe, the old world is at the present ment altogether dependent upon the United States with respect to leather. He claimed that the production of the latter in Europe is altogether insuffisient to supply the demand, and so large is the quantity of hides that is needed from this side of the Atlantic to meet European requirements that those idents of Mavence, France, were tried American speculators who last year made a corner which sent up the price of some 50 per cent would, in the event completely at their mercy.

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Probate Order,

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH tenaw, s. s. At a session of the probate our for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wonday, the 2d day of November, in the year me thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present J. Willard Babbitt. Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Martin Manz, tecessed.

leceased.

Upon reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Barbara Manz praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to Probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to herself and Ludwig Geiger, the executors in said will name I, or to some other suitable person.

Thercupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be allowed; and.

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

WILLARD BARRITT, Judge of Probate (4 tene copy.) (A true copy.)
WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenhw, 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 deceased.

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 such executors. Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 17th day of November, next, at ten o clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that the devisees, legatees ahe heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said executors 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 Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. J. Williard Babbitt, (A true copy.)

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er, a daughter. Phil Steger has been very sick the past reck with peritonitis.

Chicago is quite a city after all. It at 46,000 more votes than New York.

The J. T. G.'s gave a banquet at the

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wening, Nov. 18th.

H. Moore is preparing to start a machine and repair shop in the Staffan building north of the Chelsea House.

Major McKinley is the only Republican candidate for the presidency who has ever carried New York city.

The chrysanthemum season is now upon us. It is said that 6,000 varieties now hold the worshipers of the oriental blossoms spellbound with their beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wedemeyer are receiving the congratulations of their friends over the arrival of a daughter at their home, Saturday, November 7, 1896.

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the large cottonwood trees on the corner of Main and Park streets. One of them blew over during the heavy wind last Thursday, and it was thought best to take them both down.

A young woman interested in know-3,000 children. From these she finds that friends and home. Boys prefer those that are patriotic in character.

Friday evening, November 18, the Epbusiness meeting. After which the League will start on their imaginary trip to New Orleans where they intend to spend the winter. All their friends are invited to be present to see their

Wheat continues to advance; it now brings 84c in this market; other grains remain about the same : barley, 60c per hundred ; oats, 17c ; rye, 30c ; beans, 55c to 60c; potatoes, 20c; onions, 26c; chickens, 5c; eggs, 16c; butter, 11c. Apples are mostly in, but the best varieties bring assisted by local talent. Our readers are 50e per barrel.

prised Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Hamilton at balance of the cast: C. Miller, George their new home. The party were equally S. Laird, S. P. Foster, Bert Howlett, B. B. and agreeably surprised to learn from TurnBull, and T. G. Speer. We would the doctor and his wife that it was the like to give a more lengthy "write-up" of sixteenth anniversary of their wedding. the manner in which each carried his Tempting refreshments were served and character, but suffice it to say that everya pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. one was at his best, and the liberal ap-

wheel until next spring, then give your acter of the work done. The play will silent steed some attention and do not be repeated Saturday night, with the adthe machine in rags or in paper and hang the entertainment are for the benefit of condition as is today.

The total vote of Michigan appears to have been in round numbers, 458,000, of which Pingree received 275,000; Sligh, 205,000. Pingrees actual plurality has increased to 70,300. McKinley is about 16,000 less. The legislature is now estimated to stand as follows: Senate, 26 republicans, 6 fusionists; House, 80 republicans, 20 fusionists.

Following is the report of the school in district No. 5, Lyndon, for the month ending October 30, 1896. Attending every day: Kate and Grace Collins, Ernest Pickell, Calista and Floyd Boyce, Lillie Parks, Vincent Young. Standing 95: Kate Collins; 90, Florence Collins, Calista Boyce; 85, Ethel Skidmore, Madge Young, James Young, Alta Skidme Josephine Pergau, Teacher, Mrs. L. A.

"Farmers who feed pumpkins to hogs should see that the seeds have been extracted" said a prominent farmer "as at several points over the state, hogs have been dying off by the hundreds on account of indigestion caused by pumpkin seeds. Cholera was supposed to have been the cause of the deaths but a post the same by remarking that one of the the same by remarking that one of the same by remarking that one of the the same by remarking the

The next regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be November 18th at 2:30 p.m. The annual inspection will take place at that time and a good attendance is desir-

A fair sized audience was present at the opera house last evening at the presentaon of Pygmalion and Galatea by the Labadie-Rowell company, which was given in their usual happy manner. Miss Margaret McCrea rendered a pleasing monologue in an excellent manner. The entertainment concluded with a farce entitled "A Happy Pair," which kept the audience in a happy mood until the close.

The deer hunting season in this state opened last week Tuesday. About 20,home of Miss Minnie Davis, Wednesday 000 licenses have been issued up to date, which is 3,000 more than the total number issued in 1895. Experts who have counted every deer in the Upper and Lower Peninsulas of Michigan declare that this makes about five hunters to ev-A regular meeting of Olive Chapter ery deer in the forests. Washtenaw No. 108. O. E. S. will be held Wednesday county has full representation among the

> Mayor Pingree's plan to do away with conventions and nominate candidates for election at the caucus, instead of in conventions, as at present, is not new, but is in actual operation in Kentucky and is said to work well. Under the caucus plan the participants in the caucus each signifies his choice for every official to be chosen at the next succeeding election. The votes are collected and canvassed exactly as is now done after the final election, and in every instance the man getting the largest number of votes would be the party nominee. The plan appears very reasonable.-Washtenaw Times.

Word has been received from Grand Lecturer Clarke, of the Michigan Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, that ter supper' Wednesday evening, Novem. he will be in Ann Arbor Monday, Nober 18th. in the church parlors, at the vember 23, for the purpose of holding a of the past week at Howell. close of the Revival Conference service. school of instruction for the craft in Washtenaw county. In the afternoon day with relatives in Detroit. Phœnix Lodge, of Ypsilanti, does work In Michigan last year 37,904 persons in the first degree, and Olive Lodge, of took a chance in matrimonial lottery. Chelsea, work in the second. In the ev-An increase of 1,464 over the preceeding ening one of the local lodges will exemyear which goes to show that matrimony plify the work of the third degree. The sessions will be held in the Masonic Temple in this city and will bring a crowd of Two old landmarks are gone--two of Masons from all parts of the country.-

St. Mary's church, Chelsea, was the scene of a very pretty wedding last Tuesday evening, November 10, 1896, when Mr. Michael L. Noon of Leoni was united in marriage to Miss Mary J. Howe of South Haven where she has been spending the kinds of songs that school child- Waterloo. The Rev. W. P. Considine of- ing several months. ficiated. The attendants were: Mr. Martin of Chicago and Miss Gynthia girls as a rule like the best songs of Masters of Ann Arbor. The church, which was beautifully decorated, was filled with the relatives and friends of the happy couple. After the church ceremony the bridal party, with a few worth League will hold their monthly friends, partook of an elegant wedding breakfast at the home of Mrs. Stephen Clark on South Main street. Mr. and Mrs. Noon left at 11 a. m. for a brief trip to Detroit and Cleveland. This estimable couple have the hearty congratulations of numerous friends for a happy wedded life.

Notwithstanding the fact that Tuesday evening was stormy, a large audience was present at the opera house to witness the rendition of Damon and Pythias by Francis Labadie and Miss Hattie Rowell, all acquainted with the manner in which Mr. Labadie and Miss Rowell take their Last evening about thirty friends sur- parts. The following amateurs filled the plause that was bestowed by the audi-If you are determined to abandon the euce was sufficient evidence of the chartoss it in the corner. Go over every part mission prices at 25 cents for adults and of the frame with vaseline and then wrap 15 cents for children. The proceeds of It up out of the way and when you take Chelsea Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and it out in the spring it will be in as good we would urge all to go and help the boys.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Phillie Steger, being sick, is absent from school this week.

The Latin class began "Virgil" last Wednesday afternoon. One of our teachers gave her class

"calling down" and also a lecture on the error of their ways.

The students are requested to go home when school is out, and not tear around the building like a lot of "wild cats."

If anyone wants to have a good, hearty laugh, just visit the English class and hear their reproduction of Shakespeare! One member of the beginning Latin class created a great deal of excitement recently by saying, "The legs of the horse are many.

We wish to inform the public that one Review History student-who makes so many startling discoveries has found "Wall Street" in Chicago.

class is trying to form a new vocabulary, and has lately surprised his classmates by describing the "diabolical" nerve.

PERSONAL.

D. H. Wurster was a Scio visitor Mon-

Mrs. James of Dexter spent Monday in Mrs. D. Wuster spent Tuesday in Ann

Mr. L. Miller is visiting his sons at

Mrs. Ettle Wright of Wayne is visiting

H. J. Stimson of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here.

Mrs. H. Martin is visiting relatives at

Mrs. D. McLaren has been very ill the Miss Abbie Chase is visiting relatives

at Ypsilanti. Martin Howe of Chicago is visiting his

parents here. Mrs. Calkins spent a part of the week

in Ann Arbor. Dr. H. H. Avery spent the first of the Grass Lake.

week at Detroit. Miss Nellie Lowery, of Ann Arbor spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilbert were Jackson visitors this week. H. M. Woods of Ann Arbor was a Chel-

sea visitor Tuesday. Geo. Irwin has returned from a four

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doane of Dexter spent at 7 o'clock. Monday at this place. Mrs. Clara Haab of Dexter is the guest

weeks' visit at Leslie.

of Mrs. Barbara Manz, Mrs. C. Babcock spent a few days of this week in Ypsilanti.

Postmaster Beakes of Ann Arbor was Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Msss Ella Purchase spent several days Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glazier spent Sun

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Paine spent several days of last week at Jackson.

guest of her sister Mrs H. I. Davis. Mrs. Thos, Holmes is spending the week with her sister at Battle Creek.

Miss Mabel Lonsbury of Ypsilanti is the

Mrs. W. E. Depew of Alpena is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. B. Gates. Mrs. S. A. Furgerson and Miss Etta

Richards of Jackson spent the first of

the week here. Miss May Sparks has returned from

Miss Cora Beckwith visited her prother, Rolla, of Chelsea last Friday.

Miss Lottle Gentner of Lima, who has been ill for a long time, remains unchanged, and fears are entertained, as to her recovery.

It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a Silvanite to discover a silverite since the election returns have come in.

Instead of getting sixteen dollars for one, we will becompelled to work fifteen days longer to get the extra fifteen dollars. Too bad; but it can't be helped, for Bryan is a "goner".

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Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Updike spent Sunday last visiting relatives near

Miss Edith Boyd of Chelsea was a Sylvau visitor Sunday.

The winter term of our school opens on Monday.

There will be both a morning and an evening service at our church next Sab bath. Remember the morning service begins at 10:30 and the evening service

R. C. Campbell of Pittsfield is visit. ing at the home of Chas. Kellogg.

To say that the entertainment given by the "Ladies' Aid society," of this place last week Wednesday evening, entitled "Cinderilla and Her only speaking of it mildly. The prize of the fine crazy quilt was drawn by John Wortley's little boy. The receipts of the evening were just \$25.00. By request they are going to Francisco, and will repeat here some time in the near

Husking is being closed out this fine weather by some and stalks are being drawn.

Ed Hammond is vacating the Boyd farm this week.

The old mill started up this week.

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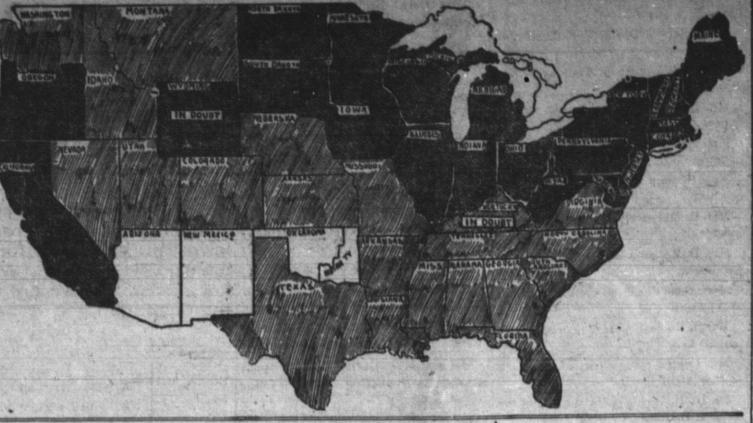
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SOLID SOUTH IS INVADED.

Republican Gains in States Heretofore Democratic.

Great Pivotal Commonwealths Give Unprecedented Majorities-The Vote of the Entire District North of the Ohio and East of the Mississippi Cast Solidly for McKinley-He Also Gets Enough of the Balance to Elect Him-Heavy Majority in the East-Latest Returns Make a Better Showing for Bryan in the West.

William McKinley has been elected President of the United States. His total vote in the electoral college, according to returns at hand when this is written, will be 263, with Kentucky and Wyoming still in doubt. Whichever side wins in Kentucky, conservative judges say the plurality will not be over 1,000. In Tennessee the figures seem to bear out, Democratic claims of victory for Bryan by at least 10,000. The McKinley people present totalized figures by sec-



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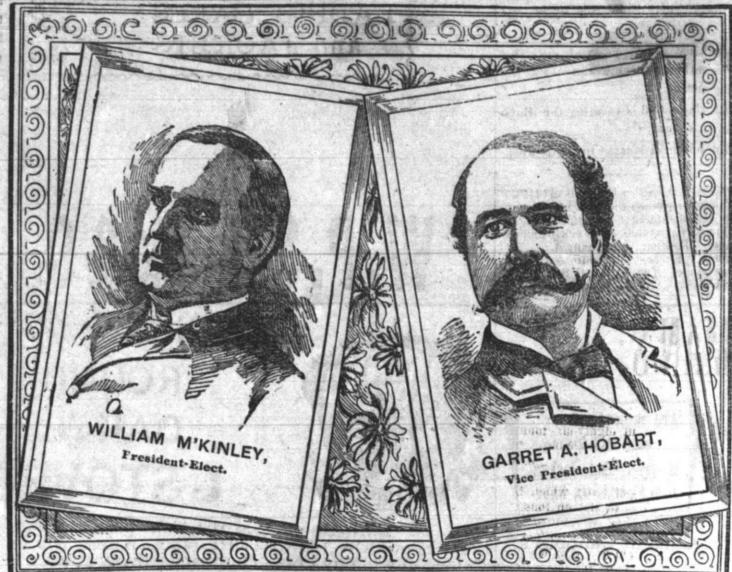
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PLURALITIES.



would seem, judging by the returns, that 53,000. Iowa gives 72,000 and Minnesota the burden of proof rests upon them.

Whether McKinley has over 263 votes in the electoral college depends upon the official returns from two States. In Kentucky the result hinges upon the vote in two counties, in the extreme eastern part of the State-a mountainous, "moonshining" region, in which there are neither railroads nor telegraph lines. But even with these counties heard from the contest is so close that nothing short of the official canvass will be decisive. The plurality for either ticket will be one of hundreds-probably less than 500. The conflicting claims of the rival State chair- tion since the war, gives McKinley 16, men go for nothing. Wyoming, which was first thought safely to be in the tucky, comes up with 12,000. Indianap-Bryan column, although by a narrow margin, is now counted among the Mc-Kinley States. The plurality will be about 500, and the Legislature will be of the same party faith. The situation in Wyoming, however, is substantially the same as that in Kentucky. The district still to be heard from is 200 miles from a telegraph office and the missing returns may not be received for some time. Should Bryan carry both Kentucky and Wyoming McKinley will still have a majority considerably more than enough to give him possession of the White House for four years to come.

Early returns indicating the result of the presidential election were from the cities where McKinley and Hobart made their heaviest gains. Returns received from the country districts, where the free silver idea had gained greatest currency, considerably reduce early estimates of Republican pluralities in several of the States. The returns, however, show that McKinley not only carried all the "doubtful" States of the middle West from Ohio to Iowa, together with New York and the New England States, but that he invaded the States of Maryland, Kentucky, West Virginia and, possibly, Tennessee, either winning in all of these States or ng such gains as must give him a signally large popular vote. He carried every State in the great region lying east of the Missouri and north of the Ohio and Potomac Rivers. There is not a break between the rivers and the ocean. Even Delaware joins the McKinley col-

In the battleground of the middle West the majorities are amazing. Illinois leads, with nearly 150,000, of which Chi-

adds 50,000 more. In the East the Mc-Kinley majorities are tremendous. Pennsylvania eclipses all records with a plurality approaching 300,000. New York is estimated at 275,000 in the latest returns. Massachusetts has given 168,000, and all the other New England States give large majorities. Ohio is put at 50,000. The great cities of the country have

given surprising McKinley majorities.

Philadelphia heads the list with 125,000. Chicago, which was Democratic four years ago, is second with 50,000. New York City, which has not been carried by the Republicans in a presidential elec-500. Louisville, the metropolis of Kenolis, which was carried for Cleveland by 1,000 in 1892, now gives McKinley 12,-000. Lincoln, Neb., Mr. Bryan's home, is 2,000 for McKinley. The Democratic cities of Rochester and Albany, N. Y., are now Republican. Detroit (Wayne County) is reported at 18,000. St. Louis and Kansas City have given heavy Republican majorities.

The Palmer and Buckner ticket is everywhere returned at small figures, indicating that four-fifths of the gold Democratic vote has been given to McKinley. McKinley's plurality of the popular vote appears to be nearly 1,000,000. The great est popular plurality ever given a presidential candidate in the past was 763,000 for Gen. Grant in 1872.

JONES TO THE NATION.

He Analyzes the Causes Which Led to McKinley's Election.

Chairman James K. Jones, of the Democratic National Committee, gives his analysis of the causes which led to Mc-Kinley's election in the following official address, which he issued as his final admission of defeat:

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The result of the presidential election is apparently no longer in doubt. It has been one of the closest contests that the people have been called on to determine in recent years. We have claimed the election on our advices from States that were admittedly in doubt, in which we knew there had been many frauds, and from which there were evidences of tampering with the returns.

It seems now to be apparent that, while Mr. Bryan, after making the most brilliant campaign in the history of our country and has carried most of the States claimed to be doubtful, has not carried enough to assure his success in the electoral college. Bryan electors have been chosen from all of the States south of the Potomac and Ohio except West Virginia and all those west of the Missouri except California and Oregon. He has 190 electoral votes, and this number may be increased by final returns from States yet in question. He has not obtained enough votes to carry the electoral college.

Thus this remarkable campaign closes with

money power, including threats of lockouts and dismissals and impending starvation; by the employment of by far the largest campaign fund ever used in this country, and by the subornation of a large portion of the American press.

The President-elect and his party are un-

The President-elect and his party are under pledge to the American people to continue the gold standard, and by its operation to restore prosperity to this country. As chief executive, Mr. McKinley will have the cordial support of millions of patriotic Americans who have cast their votes for William Jennings Bryan. They bow to the majesty of the office and abide by the result. They are confident the gold standard cannot give the promised prosperity, but will not give the promised prosperity, but will gladly welcome it if it comes. They will continue the great struggle for the uplifting of humanity and in the maintenance of the dignity of our country in the establishment of an American money system. And the Democratic party, aided by its present allies, will still uplift the bimetallic standard and bear it on to victory. JAMES K. JONES.

CANDIDATES RECEIVE THE NEWS Result of the Election Made Known to McKinley and Bryan.

Seated in the library of his own house, in his own town, surrounded by his family, Maj. McKinley received the news of his election.

On election morning, just as the voters in the nation were beginning to go to the polls to deposit their ballots for or against him, Maj. McKinley blacked his own shoes and shaved himself as usual. An ordinary man would be apt to cut himself while shaving under the circumstances, because of the excitement he would experience, but Maj. McKinley was certainly calm and free from excitement, perfectly cool and collected, as he has been all his life. He had never seemed to be excited over the election. His supporters throughout the country have laughed and wept over the contest more than he, and most of them have been under a more intense nervous strain. Wires had been placed in an adjoining room by the telegraph companies for receiving returns at large, but in addition to this a special wire connected the McKinley home with Chicago, where several prominent members of the force at national headquarters were located, and a long-distance ne kept him in communication with Chairman Hanna at Cleveland. The telephone company arranged also a special circuit taking in New York headquarters, Senator Quay's home and that

of Vice Presidential Candidate Hobart. Like Major McKinley, Mr. Bryan preserved an admirable equanimity through the day. He showed no severe traces of his arduous campaigning, and, except when in communication with his aids at

THE NEW CONGRESS.

Returns Indicate Republican Control of Both Branches.

Late returns confirm first reports that Congress will contain a gold standard majority in both branches. The present Senate, which has stood forty-seven to forty-two in favor of silver, will be succeeded by one which will consist of fortyseven gold supporters to forty-two free coinage advocates. Politically the Senate will be Republican, the new body having forty-nine of that political faith to forty Democrats.

Party lines will be somewhat broken in the Senate by the silver question. Messrs. Teller of Colorado, Dubois of Idaho, Mantle of Nevada, Cannon of Utah and Wilson of Washington are extreme silver men, who will act with the Democratic party on the currency issue. On the other hand, five Democrats-Messrs. Gray of Delaware, Lindsay of Kentucky, Caffrey of Louisiana, Smith of New Jersey, and Martin of Virginia-are gold Democrats, who supported the Palmer ticket, and will act with the Republicans.

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TALK OF M'KINLEY'S CABINET. Political Gossips Fill the Places in the

President's Official Family, The consensus of opinion among politicians as to what President McKinley's Cabinet will be is given in the list below. 11, of course, may be shifted, but the politicians think they have made up logical slate:

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THE FARM AND HOME

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO FARM-ER AND HOUSEWIFE.

The Broom Corn Crop and How to Care for It-Suggestion for Farm Schools-How the Times Are Made Worse-Farm Notes.

Caring for Broom Corn.

The broom corn crop is of vast importance and it is quite proper to give some consideration as to how the crop may be best cared for, says a writer. Quality and condition control the value of broom corn as well as other commodities, and best condition can be especially obtained by following certain rules and methods in caring for the crop. Cutting should be done before the corn is bleached out, as color is essential, and when green the brush possesses advantages both in attractiveness and for working. When corn should be, as soon as possible, hauled under cover, and have the seeds removed by running through the scraper, This done, it should be placed on shelves so arranged as to admit of a free circulation of air. In about ten days, if the weather is dry and all conditions are favorable, the corn will be ready to bale. It should be thoroughly examined, however, to see that it is dry and cured. After the broom corn is thoroughly dry the next step is to bale and this operation should receive great care and attention. There are too many shaky and lop-sided bales received annually and it bothers those who handle them to keep them from falling apart. ripe grapes will endure several de-It being of great importance to keep the ends of the bales square and as to warrant some warm weather after smooth, the brush should be handed to the packer in small lots, the butts of which, having been evened by striking down upon a table or other smooth surface, and the one who places the brush in the box of the press should take care sometimes comes and spoils those to keep the butts up close against the ends of the box and the brush properly lapped in the interior. Use No. 9 fence wire, five to the bale, and it is not a bad idea to have a tighter wire to tie at each corner, and press sufficiently to the arteries enters the extremities. If have a good, compact, tight bale which a vein is severed compress below the will endure the long journey and the handling. No matter how carefully and successfully every step in the production of the brush has been performed, the profit of the crop will depend, other things equal, upon proper baling. Great care and attention should be given to having the seeds removed, there being too much fraud practiced by baling up trash, seeds and crooked corn in the bales with straight brush. Bale the crooked by itself .- Prairie Farmer.

The agricultural college is undoubtedly the best place for a young man to learn the science of farming, but there are some who will not attend because they think that the college is not practical enough. Would it be practicable for large farmers to establish farm schools in connection with their farms? They could employ young men who do not wish to attend an agricultural college, but who wish to learn the best farm methods, have them work eight or ten hours a day, the evenings to be employed in reading, studying and attending lectures, the farmer to question and instruct them in their studies; also to give occasional lectures, supplemented by lectures by other capable men. The young men, by having the advantage of such instruction, could afford the glaze, return to the oven and finish to work for less than ordinary wages; they could thus get a very good education, while otherwise the evenings would be spent in idleness. The farmer would be benefited, too, because he would get a good class of help and could afford to spend some time in instructing them because he would not

A Suggestion for Form Schools.

have to pay so high wages .- Exchange. If there are no large farmers to open up such a school there are plenty of farmer boys in a neighborhood who could profit by such a school, which might be established by a number of farmers able to talk on agricultural topics and to impart practical knowledge in that line. Where this is impracticable some competent instructor could be hired at a small expense to those attending.-Rural New Yorker.

Makes the Times Worse. It is a fact without doubt that too much talk about hard times helps to make them worse. A farmer who is an occasional caller at the Rural Northwest, but never complains of hard times, was asked the other day why it was that he never had anything to say on the subject. His reply was that it could not do any good to complain about the hard times, and if everybody would keep a "stiff upper lip" and say nothing about the matter times would not seem half so hard and pretty soon they would not be so hard. The complainants' talk of hard times has a great effect in preventing people from engaging in new enterprises and prevents many people from spending money who could well afford to do so,-Rural Northwest.

Bottled Grape Juice. Pick the grapes from the sterns and mash them. Strain the juice into a kettle, boil it, remove the scum, strain it into bottles and seal it as you would canned fruit. The bottle may be tightly corked and sealing-wax put on above the cork. If only a small quantity of juice is to be used at one time, small bottles will be more convenient than larger ones. But it will keep sweet several days after being opened in ordin- articles devoted to farm matters. The cago contributed 57,330. Gov. Altgeld is cago contributed 57,330. Gov. Altgeld is defeated by more than 100,000. The las 190 electoral votes, and this number may be lectoral votes, and the line of her Navy—Redfield Proctor of Missouri R. Post of the Navy—Redfield Proctor of Missouri R. Post of the Navy—Redfield Proctor of Missouri R. Post of the Navy—Redfield Proctor of Agriculture—Law this number is contained by vermont.

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Another way is to pick and wash or grapes; add sufficient water to sta them in cooking, boil until the pulp is tender, and strain as for jelly; add small amount of sugar, sufficient to make it palatable; bring to a boil and can in glass.—The Horticulturist

Making Tile Porous. In city sewers there is obvious advantage in having the outside of tile or pipe glazed, and having the pipes closely fitted, so that no water from outside can come in at the joints. But for farm drainage the more porous tile is the best ter. The burned clay out of reach of frost, and coming in contact only with pure water, is practically indest ble. The more porous the tile is the more easily will drainage water leach through. Laid with porous tile, the pipes may be closely fitted, and yet effectually drain the land around them. The porosity of tile is easily increase by mixing sawdust with clay before the latter is burned. The heat required to harden the clay sufficiently for use burns out the particles of sawdust, learing a vacant place, and making the tile much lighter, while being even better for use than that of solid clay. In making brick especially for use in buildings the clay should be as little porous as possible. Brick buildings need painting every year or two to prevent the bricks from cracking, as they will when a sudden freeze occurs after a storm beating against them has filled their surfaces full of water.

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Grapes for Winter Use. Grapes need to be ripened wholly on the vine. They will not, like pears and apples, ripen in the cellar. The really grees of frost. If this occurs early, so it, some grape growers leave the grapes on the vines for some time after most of the leaves have been frosted. The grapes will ripen thus, but very slowly. It is a risky business, for a heavy frost grapes left to ripen late.

Odds and Ends.

When an artery is severed compress above the spurting surface. Blood from spurting surface. Blood in veins returns to the heart.

To freshen tan-colored shoes, dissolve a tablespoonful of salt in a little warm water and add to a pint of cold water, in which an ounce of salts of lemon has been dissolved. Wash the shoes with this, and, when thoroughly dry, polish with soft flannel or a bit of silk,

Move your pot plants into winter quarters. Clean the pots, trim away rank growth, decayed leaves and keep everything about the plants scrupillously clean to prevent decay. See that windows near the flowers close tight, as draughts are death to flowers.

The drain pipe should be disinfected at least once a week in warm weather. Dissolve a nickel's worth of copperas in half a pailful of water, and gradually pour it down the pipe. An iron sink may be kept from rusting by applying with a brush a quarter of a pound of asphaltum in spirits of turpentine.

If the bottom crust of fruit pies is glazed with the white of an egg it will not be soft and soggy. The top of meat and all kinds of raised pies should be glazed. Beat the volk of an egg for a short time and add one spoonful of milk. When the pie is two-thirds done remove from the oven, brush over with baking.

Farm Notes.

Michigan has a new turnip disease. It dries up the leaf. It is a fungus, which accompanies wet, muggy weather, The remedy, or preventive, is to burn all the affected tops.

When salt is kept where the cows can help themselves there is no danger of their eating too much. It is only when it is kept from them for some time that there is any risk of their doing so.

Peach trees can be cut back very low, which makes them stocky, but such trees when two or three years old are not as easily cultivated as trees that are higher. The low trees stand heavy winds better, however, and shade the ground around the trunks from the sun.

Where it is desirable to keep the dirt in place on any situation where the dirt may become loosened and fall away, it has been suggested by one who has tested them to use the Japanese honeysuckle or Virginia creeper, as the vines root as they grow, forming dense thickets of growth and take the place of sodding.

Ticks not only keep sheep poor, but enfeeble them. Experience has shown that late dipping of sheep in the fall, which destroys ticks, not only improves the condition of the flock, but the gain in growth of fleece is very marked. When free of ticks sheep will not only be more contented, but also escape disease to a great extent.

The roads would be much better if wide tires were used on all wagons, as they do not cut up the roads, but rather serve to pack the gravel. The State of Pennsylvania has a law exempting from certain taxes those who use wide tires, and as metal wheels are largely coming into use it is probable that in the future nearly all wagons will have

wide tires. Prof. E. B. Voorhees, of the New Jersey experiment station, is of the oping ion that the higher readers used in the country schools should contain mostly

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FISH STORY WITHOUT FISH.

perience with a Dog and Dynamite. As a Star reporter was browsing ing a first-rate time to be so far away from home. The clerk took the reporter over to the boy after a minute or

about that fish story. "Well," smiled the youngster, "it wasn't so much of a fish story as it was 10,000 in number, were called in. A a dog story, and it wasn't so much a stamp collector in New York in some dog story after it was all over as it was | way learned that these envelopes were when we first took the dog out with soon to be called in, so he bought us. You see, it was this way: Four or 1,500 of them before the postmaster five of us young fellows about two or had time to send them back to the dethree weeks ago took a notion we'd go partment. After all the others had been a-fishin', and we took a dog along. He was a nice little dog that was so fond of the water that people swore he'd at \$5 each to "stamp cranks." He paid never been raised in Kentucky, but he was. He was my dog, and I ought to know. We was fishin' in a pond, and after about three hours of it we didn't get a smell, much less a bite, and somebody come along and said the way to fish a pond was with dynamite.

"All we had to do was to sling a cartridge in, let her blow up, and we'd have fish to carry home on a freight car. The cuss that told us was a railroad hand and was working down the road about a mile, and if we'd go down there we could get for a half dollar enough to shoot all the fish in the country. Me the others was waiting.

"Then we followed directions, but we forgot the dog, and when I slung in the cartridge and the float the dog he gave a yelp of joy, and, bang! he went in after it. He got it, too, and started for | publication. shore with it, though we fired rocks at him let go. That's the kind of a dog he was; he never did know what to let go was. Well, we seen we couldn't Hobson and William Clarke. stay around there and we went a-whoppin', and the dog came after us, draggin' the dynamite, for it wasn't heavy, and catchin' up with us at forty miles an hour.

"He was friskin' his tail and yelpin' pleased most to death, and we were gettin' scarder, for we knew that stuff was goin' off pretty soon, and when it happened if it hadn't a-ben for a fence trace of the "Yellow Aster" in it. that we got over. The dog couldn't get The camera is assuming a large place see anything of the dog or floater or in Thrums." about four panels of fence. They all went together, and we felt so thankful organized a prayer meetin' right there and sung a hymn."-Washington Star.

A Peculiar City.

Fish City, which belongs to the State of Michigan, is an odd place with a watery flavor; it has no existence in summer, but is a busy place in winter, is not built on land and yet has nothing to do with boats. The ice of Saginaw Bay is used as a foundation for the city every winter, and the town is occupied by men and their families, who catch, clean and pack whitefish and in the same cove every winter, the winter, and this season the population has taken another jump forward.

Portrait Books.

portrait book, a ponderous volume, dein various styles of attire. This portures, it is not likely to become either general or popular.

Washington Youth Has a Novel Ex-

around one of the downtown hotels the bly 'o ply their vocation in the postal clerk pointed out to him a tall, gang- service. According to an official of the ling boy of 18 or 19, lolling over a chair Postoffice Department, who has been in front of a window commanding a in the service for over twenty years, view of the avenue and apparently hav- there has been no counterfeiting of ington as a Congressman. The weathtwo and introduced him, with the re- design of a five-cent stamped envelope

and another feller went along with him, and they fixed up a cartridge tied to a floater, and all we had to do was to run like the d-l. The dynamite would do the rest. We forked over the half dollar-course they bought whisky with it-and went back to the pond, where

Now that photograph albums are out of date, fashion presents us with the voted to the photographs of the owner in different stages of existence, and trait book no doubt obtains with girls whose features reproduce charmingly under the art of the photographer, but for those who make "unflattering" pic-

"I will make a free confession," said the client to the lawyer, "Free, sir? Indeed, you won't, sir!" roared the lawyer. "Say whatever you may, you'll be charged 13s 4d for this interview!" -Tid-Bits.

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's Sarsaparilla.

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Counterfelters do not find it profitastamps during that period.

eral ordered a reprint of an obsolete mark that the reporter wanted to know It was a mistake on the part of the department, and as soon as it was discalled in he had a monopoly of the issue, and he was selling them freely but five cents aplece for them, hence his profit was enormous.

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Ople Read's new story, "My Young Master," is announced for immediate

Henry D. Lloyd, of Chicago, is to be him and howled our lungs out to make the United States correspondent of the new London magazine called the Progressive Review, to be edited by J. A.

> The Scribners' collected edition of Kipling is to be sold only by subscription. Limited editions on Japan paper, both of Kipling's and of Barrie's works, will appeal to wealthy book lovers.

If we may trust the unanimous verdict of the London reviewers, Mrs. Mannington Caffyn's (Iota's) new novel, "A did there was goin' to be heavy thun- Quaker Grandmother," is a delightful der. I don't know what would have surprise of genuine cleverness, with no

the float through the cracks, and while in the field of modern illustration. Clifhe was draggin' at it and barkin' fit to ton Johnson has taken his camera to kill that cartridge went off right by his Thrums and produced the seventy nose, and when we got on our feet charming illustrations that distinguish again at the foot of the hill we couldn't a new edition of Barrie's "A Window

Richard Le Gallienne promises a book entitled "The Quest of the Golden Girl." when we picked ourselves up that we Gabriel Setoun is putting forth a collection called "The Child World." Volumes of poems are about due from A. C. Benson and John Davidson.

"The Political Situation" is the title of the book on Africa and the Jameson raid that has just appeared in London from the pens of Olive Schreiner and her husband, C. S. Cronwright Schreiner. It is said to be an unusually able and dignified indictment of Cecil Rhodes and his monopolistic company.

James Lane Allen's forthcoming novel, "The Choir Invisible," is by far his lake trout for the market. It is built most pretentious work in scope, length and general construction. The plot is houses being constructed of rough pine laid in the pioneer Kentucky days when boards. It had a population of near- the flery English-Virginians began ly three thousand in the winter of their epoch-making movement across 1893-94, nearly twice that number last the Alleghenies. Under Mr. Allen's exquisite literary workmanship this new material cannot fail to be productive of a novel of supreme interest.

Marie Corelli is preparing to run amuck again-this time against society. She will do it in a story for the new London magazine about to be started under the name of the Lady's Realm. By the way, Miss Corelli's last novel, "The Murder of Delicia," has already exhausted its first edition of 28,000 copies, and a new edition of 10,000 copies is in preparation. Though she despises the bicycle she is certainly both a record-breaker and a scorcher.

Always Shake the Milk.

To make milk digestible all that is necessary is to shake it well, and to sip it slowly. Shake the milk violently for a few minutes in a covered goblet, and then drink immediately, but not hastily, before it has time to separate again. After standing for some hours, as, for instance, all city milk has done on its way to town, the perfectly homogeneous article that came from the cow is separated, first by the rising of the cream from the gaseous or cheesy milk, and later by the tendency to divide into whey or curd. Although this latter process is perceptible only in souring milk, the fluid undergoes such constant changes that it should always | present. be shaken before drinking it, unless it is taken quite warm from the cow.

A Denial. "Did you tell a friend of mine," the small man exclaimed, indignantly, "that I could not tell the truth if I tried?"

"No, sir," replied the large man. "I wouldn't think of saying such a thing." "I'm glad to hear it."

"I wouldn't think of saying you couldn't tell the truth if you tried, be-

"So far as I am informed, you never

It is surprising how safely and persistently a drunken man can reel along teething; softens the grant part and that leads to hell. the narrow road that leads to hell.

RETAINED THE RIGHT LAWYER.

Congressman's Story of a Thief Who

Is Now in the National Legislaure, This is a story once told a few confidential friends by a strapping sixfoot, broad-shouldered statesman from one of the Southern States:

"I was making my first trip to Washer in our section of the country was A few years ago the Postmaster Gen- delightful, and so long as it remained so along my route I traveled on horseback. One night I put up at an old tavern near which they were having a county fair, and found such a rush of covered all of these envelopes, about business at the hostelry that two of us were assigned to the same bed. My roommate was a nice-looking fellow, but not talkative, so I was soon asleep. Later I awakened suddenly to see him dressed and helping himself to my valuables. Springing between him and the door, I expressed surprise that he was a thief. The fellow was cool, sharp and had the airs of a gentleman.

"What are you?" he asked. "'A lawyer and a Congressman." " 'Heavens!' he chuckled, 'I guess l was lucky to wake first.'

"I had to laugh, despite myself, and asked if he had any proposition to

"'I think I will retain you for the defense,' he said slowly. 'That means you will get your own back and all I have. Just my luck.'

"He had me in a good humor, and gradually I drew his story from him and believed it. I was not as skeptical then as I have been made by wider experience. I agreed to call it all off, gave him some good advice, took back my property and we returned to bed. What do you suppose became of him?" "Either hung or in the penitentiary," answered a cynical listener.

"No, gentlemen, he's in Congress him self now."-Detroit Free Press.

Ten Stories Underground.

It has been shown that with the aid of air shafts and other appliances quarters a story below ground may be rendered far more comfortable than these above and with care exacised in the ventilation, such quarters may be made perfect from a sanitary standpoint. If this is so one story below ground, why not three or four, and if two, three or four, why not ten or twelve if necessary? This may solve the problem of economy in building space and do away with the skyscraping buildings that are everywhere causing unfavorable comment. "It may be a long time hence," says an architect, "but I believe the time will come when there will be as many buildings ten stories underground as there are that number above the surface of the ground." This sounds chimerical, but perhaps it is not.

Some of our chief authorities on power appear to be of opinion that liquid fuel is likely to displace coal in the near future over a large area. The residue of the distillation of petroleum or shale oil, known by the name of mazouth and astatkis, is successfully used on more than seventy-two locomotives on the Volga Railway. In England there has recently been constructed a torpedo boat of about eighty-six tons dis-placement. She has a double bottom, divided up into eight water-tight compartments, which are used as tanks or bunkers for the oil, and which holds from fifteen tons to sixteen tons. As these compartments are emptied of the liquid fuel they are filled with water, so that the draught and stability of the boat remains always the same. This boat's engines are ordinary triple ex-

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Empress Carlotta, of Mexico; Emperor William's mother-in-law, the Dowager Duchess of Schleswig-Holstein-Augustenburg, and Archduke Leopold of Austria. The reigning Prince of Lippe is likewise a madman and under restraint, as is also ex-Suitan Murad of Turkey.

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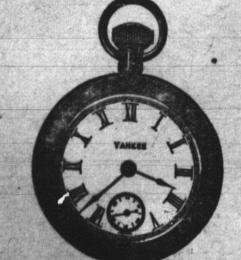




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A CONTRARY MAN.

His Poculiarity Exhibited to the

They were talking of "contrary" peo-

"Well, I can tell you of a man who ing in it in an obscene and dreadful beats any one you have described, be- ecstasy and shricking with a horrible cause he wasn't even willing to let his 'contrariness' drop when he died. He keeps his shambles red and dripping. Of helpless women and children, as of men, he cries, ad leones! It is all the come off only after that career had same to him. What he wants is slaugh-been ended on earth. This is the way ter. He reminds us of the Parls mob

by everyone in the town, lived alone slaughter. His very dreams are of in a little house built against the side massacres and holocausts. of a great mass of rock. At the par- Weyler has always been murderous-ticular time I speak of, the neighbors ly brutal. From the first day he set had for several weeks observed him foot on Cuban soil, as the successor of to be almost continually at work on that fine soldier and humane states top of this ledge in the rear of his shan- man, Martinez de Campos, he has had ty. Two or three of them at last mus- no thought but that of indiscriminate tered up courage enough to go and extermination. He has not gone forth see what he was about. By breaking himself to battle like Alaric or Attila the stone with an ax and putting in or the flerce, black-bearded warriors one charge of powder after another- of Gaul, who led their wild hordes to small ones, though, in order not to at-tract attention—he had cut a deep, ob-long hole down into the solid bed-and, like the poltroon despot that he rock. The stones which he had re- is, has sent his henchmen to direct moved were lying carefully piled up Spain's reeking abattoirs throughout

mi., and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school at 12. Christian Endeavor prayer meetings, Sundays at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meetings Thursdays at 7:30 p m. Pastor and family at home Tuesday afternoon and evening. Pastor's Bible class at the parsonage Friday evening at eight.

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Well, I'll tell ye, answered the old man, quite mildly for him. That's fore has he given such free rein to his savage and ferocious instincts. Never until this moment has he bared his evil nature to a shocked and terror-talk about your judgment day! When Gabriel blows his horn, I ain't a-comin'r."

CIVILIZATION'S SAVAGERY.

Horrible Torture in Past Ages In flicted by Man Upon Man.

During the middle ages and, indeed down into the last century, torture was regularly resorted to for a variety of causes, chief among them being religion. In the early part of the seventeenth century we read of a man named Zachat 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school at 12; Epworth League prayer meeting at 6:00 p. m: class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Sundays, Business meeting at manner as to crush the bones. After watching him for a while, the judges went out to supper, leaving him ir charge of the executioner. Druseman besought the latter, "by the wounds of Christ," to let him down, if but for a single moment, but the officer refused to do so except at the judges' command. After an hour the judges reday school after high mass. Mass on turned, all of them the worse for liquor. Druseman was dead. Little imaginathis story. Satan himself might hesitate to fill up the gaps of the narrative.

During the struggle between Spain and the United Netherlands torture was employed by both parties indifferently, and became very violent. The Dutchmen once tied a number of prisoners together in pairs and confined them in a large room. No food was given them, and in the course of a few days they were mad with hunger. At length they began to devour each other. They were kept in that room until the last man was dead. Terrible as was the Spanish inquisition, this affair goes far to even matters between them and the Netherlands. Another device of the lathim backwards and forwards on a rope stretched taut, until he was sawn asun-

Unfortunately Expressed. "I was going from Memphis to Louisville," said a gentleman whose talk is

reported by the Washington Star, "when I fell into conversation with a white-haired old lady. We became friendly, and by and by she told me that she was going to Louisville on a visit to her son, whom she had not seen for two or three years.

"He had written to her a few weeks before, urging her to come, and naming a certain hotel. She naturally expected him to meet her at the railway station, but he did not appear, and seeing how troubled she was, I offered to go with her to the hotel mentioned.

"I took her to the parior, and the went in pursuit of the son. The clerk had not seen him, but gave me a letter for the lady. I carried it to her. She opened it hurriedly, read one sentence, and dropped in a faint. "I rang for a physician and picked up the letter. The opening sentence was:

"'My Dear Mother-I am now in the penitentiary."

"No wonder the woman had fainted. But the writer continued: " I have a good position with the contractors, and it is impossible for me to

get away. Come on to Frankfort.' "It took us an hour to bring the dear old lady to, thanks to the thoughtiess ness of her affectionate son."

Owed Her One. The young woman was dying and the attendant leaned over the bed. "Have you any friend to whom you

wish to send a message " she asked.
The patient nodded.
"Yes; I have a dear friend, who—
She paused and shook her head. "What shall I write to her?" asked

The patient shook her head again, "Nothing," she answered. "I had forgotten for the moment that she owes

The Japanese Don't Kiss No kissing ever occurs in Japan except between husband and wife, not even between a mother and child; no "Course I can say it again. Micked \$8, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5,50 and up shaking of hands in salutation. If one its stixtics. Wha's matt'r with that?"

WEYLER, THE BUTCHER.

He Slays as Nero Did, Keeping His Shambles Red and Dripping.

We find it difficult, says the Washgton Post, after reading the authenlicated accounts of Weyler's latest desirable trait of human nature. The man from Connecticut had kept still for a long time. Finally, when the others appeared to have exhausted their reminiscences, he said:

ticated accounts of Weyler's latest massacres in Cuba, to believe that the man is sane. He riots in blood like some infuriated carnivorous wild beast. The smell of it seems to maden him. One thinks of him as rollden him. One thinks of him as rollat the zenith of the revolution, when "'Old Man Snow,' as he was called the mob was blind and drunk with

the island and stimulated emulation in "'What on earth are you doing that assassination by prizes for the longfor, Snow? asked his visitors in as- est death list. He has always been a manager of butchers-always the ge-"'Well, I'll tell ye,' answered the old nius of extermination. But never betion or examination. Whether they be taken in arms or snatched from innocent and peaceful occupations, whether they be Cubans or foreigners, soldiers, or civilians, his captives are shot or backed or bayonetted to death without delay. The American newspaper correspondent, Charles Govin, s native of the United States, was butchered just as though he were a Cuban insurgent taken red-handed on the field of battle. Women, harmless peasants laboring in the fields, even beardless boys, are slain in the fury of this tiger's lust for blood. Not even the Aztec sacrificial stone and the blood-drenched altars of the frightful Huitzilopochtli, all combined, could make such a revelation of inhuman carnage as the walls and trenches of

Weyler's Cuban prisons. Is it possible that this appalling creature has gone mad, or can it be that, satisfied at last of the United States government's immovable complaisnce, he is merely venting his de ate and calm instincts of soulless cruelty? Is this new and awful demonstration the fruit of irresponsible frenzy, or is it the result of our diplomatic assurances of undisturbed affection an

Not so Unlikely.

Three or four sea captains were capping stories, says London Answers, when one of them said: "Now, then, I will tell you a thing that really happened:" The other men smiled, and he

"One afternoon, in the Indian ocean, I noticed a shark swimming round the ship—a pretty bad sign, you know. The next day he was still with us, swimter was to strip their victim, and drag ming round the ship, till I got nervous and baited a hook for him.

"It didn't take long to catch him, and when we pulled him on board and cut him open, what do you think we found? Well, you'll never guesss—a newspaper,

wrapped up and addressed to me!" The other men began winking at each other, with broad smiles, which soon broke into loud laughter.

"I believe you said this was a true story," said one. "Yes," answered the narrator, "and

so it is. You see, my children had been playing in the cabin the day before They found in a mass of reading matter that had been brought aboard a batch of unopened newspapers. These they began throwing at each other, and one of them went out of the porthole. The shark saw it, swallowed it, as a matter of course, and there it

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Too Much Mixed. "George Todgers, where have you been until this time in the morning?" "Been havin' a little finanshul dis-

cushin, thatsh all." "Couldn't you do your discussing by daylight?" "Not thish time, m'dear. I had to

stay an' prove that t'other side sticked its matistics." "Did what?" "Sicked its mixtistics."

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