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We have just received two large lots of Coats and Capes that we place on sale today. We offer, among other good styles and values:

Good plush Cape 25 inches long, braided and jetted, best Thibet fur edge around collar and down both front edges, good silk lining, full sweep, \$12.00.

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Some special values in Children's Coats at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00.

We offer in our Dry Goods department, new dress goods, new dress trimmings, new linens and crapes, new outtings and flannels.

Remnants of 9c outting for 6 1/2c. Remnants of 8c outting for 5c.

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We have invested quite a sum in new Ingrain carpets in anticipation of the advance. We positively can show the largest assortment and best patterns ever shown in Chelsea. We are also showing better qualities of ingrans than were ever sold in Chelsea.

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Of Canned Goods, Fancy and Staple Groceries, as well as high grade but reasonable priced Table Delicacies, may always be found at my store.

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Goods delivered promptly. Highest market price for butter and eggs.

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JOHN BAUMGARDNER, Prop., Ann Arbor.

WHEAT GOING UP

The Price of Wheat is Advancing Again with Prospects of Staying up.

SUPPLY CLOSE TO THE DEMAND

And That Will Have the Effect of Keeping the Price up.

The market has improved since one week ago. Wheat now bring 90 cents for a good article red or white. Rye 43. Barley 70 to 78 cents. Oats 18 cents. Beans 65 cents. Clover seed \$2.75. Potatoes 40 cents. Apples 50 cents. Onions 50 cents. Eggs 13 cents. Butter 19 cents. Arrivals are now free and likely to continue so. Wheat keeps firm and inclined upward under free foreign buying. The strange thing about the market is that rye and coarse grain remain so low compared with wheat. It is evident that the wheat supply is so close to the requirements that prices on that staple will continue firm at prices if not better.

VERY FEW IDLE MEN.

So Say Correspondents of Labor Commissioner Cox.

Labor Commissioner Cox recently made written inquiry of the village clerks of the incorporated villages of the state as to the average wages paid to laborers and mechanics, whether work is plentiful, if many men are idle, and if any new en-

mill, Harbor Springs, stove factory; Hubbardston, sugar factory; Hampton, foundry, machine shop and one mine; Holly, patent fence concern; Iron River, hoop mills and saw mill; Lowell, cutter and buggy company; Luther, flouring mill; Manton, stove mill; Mt. Morris, foundry; New Boston, pump factory; New Haven, electric light plant; Ontonagon, saw mill; Otsego, electric light plant; Plymouth, machine shop, printing office, laundry; Paw Paw, canning factory; Quincy, manufacture of mud guards; Reese, printing office, bank and general stores; Romeo, electric light plant; Rochester, electric light plant; Shelby, fruit growers' package company, laundry, packing house, shears factory; Saline, creamery and cheese factory; South Haven, anchor fence company; Saranac, creamery; Three Oaks, water works and electric light plant; Thompsonville, stove and heading factory; Union City, cement factory; Williamston, new coal mines; Yates, grist mill.

JOHN J. ROBISON IS DEAD.

He Was One of the Best Known Men in Washtenaw County.

John J. Robison died at his home in Sharon township, Tuesday morning, after a long illness.

Mr. Robison was born in Palmyra, N. Y., August 13, 1824. In 1840 he moved with his parents to Michigan and settled in Sharon, where he had resided most of the time until his death. Mr. Robison taught school for thirteen years in Manchester and Sharon and was well liked by everyone who knew him. He had been a life-long Democrat and had held many positions of honor and trust, and always boasted the fact that he never solicited a nomination from a single delegate in his life. For several years he was supervisor of his town. In 1863 he was elected to

of the lack of some improvement. This question is coming to be of universal interest. The people of our towns and cities realize its importance as well as the country people, and the day is not far distant when stagnation of trade, owing to impassable roads, will be a thing of the past.—Blissfield Advance.

Real Estate Transfers.

George H. Haywood and wife to E. Bennett and wife, Ypsilanti, \$3,500.

A. G. Schemberger and wife to James Jones and wife, Ann Arbor, \$200.

Charles Black and wife to Ella Goodman, Ypsilanti, \$30.

John Miller to Bridget O'Brien, Ypsilanti, \$300.

Martha Gray to Hamett Warren, Chelsea, \$300.

N. M. Fowler to E. E. Fowler, Saline, \$1.

N. Schmid and wife to J. J. Brengel, Manchester, \$175.

Schalm & Kempf to G. H. Fisher, et al. Ann Arbor, \$500.

Helen Noll to F. Schmit, Ann Arbor, \$30.

Lillie Simmons to Ada A. Belcher et al. Ypsilanti, \$312.

J. T. Shaw and wife to John Howard and wife, Ann Arbor, \$800.

Martin Ryan and wife to John Dawson, Augusta, \$250.

Anna M. Meyer to Christian Klumpf, Lodi, \$400.

Eliz C. Felch to R. A. Winslow, Ann Arbor, \$800.

John Koch to Mary C. Whiting, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Pen. Savings Bank to J. V. Sheehan, Ann Arbor, \$600.

Sarah Holmes to Esther McCullum, Ann Arbor, \$1.

Rosa M. Bodmer to J. Koch, Ann Arbor, \$10.

W. M. White to J. T. Jacobs, Ann Arbor, \$1,300.

The Greatest Ride in History

A territory of 271,000 square miles, comprising Washington, Idaho and Oregon as they are to-day, was saved to the Union by one man. He had the courage and heroism to ride on muleback for three thousand miles. The ride was thrilling, the trials and hardships marvelous, the result a glorious one. The whole story, beautifully illustrated, will be given in the November issue of The Ladies' Home Journal, under the title, "When Dr. Whitman Added Three Stars to Our Flag," the closing and most intensely interesting article in the Journal's successful series of "Great Personal Events." The first women to cross the Rockies figure in the story, which proves beyond a doubt that they preceded Fremont, the "Pathfinder" by six years.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Cora Burkhardt, is now laboring in the sixth grade.

The solid geometry students enjoyed a delightful written test, Thursday morning.

Stolen Will, Saturday evening, October 30. Be sure to hear it. Best thing going.

The history class finished the interesting topic of the Revolutionary War, Tuesday.

The seniors are the most loyal students of the school, 98 rings being conspicuous now.

Chemistry students were welcomed to the laboratory, Monday, by the odor of chlorine gas.

The Albion Mirror man heard a story the other day about a tramp who went to sleep on the railroad track over near Homer just as the accommodation train was due. But the train was two hours late and in the meantime the tramp awoke and went to the nearest farm house to get something to eat. The owner of the farm house proved to be a buxom widow, whom the tramp afterwards married. Now he is consulting a lawyer with a view of bringing suit against the railroad company \$50,000 for not running their train on time.

We will shortly return to the Chicago Record, the petition that we have for the postal savings bank bill, those of our subscribers who have not yet signed it, and wish to get into the van should do so at once.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the liver and kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

Are You Buying Groceries at These Prices?

Sultana seedless raisins 8c
10 lbs best oatmeal 25c.
5 lbs Crackers for 25c
Pure cider vinegar 15c gal.
Pickles 5c per doz.
8-lb pail family white fish for 38c.
23 lbs. brown sugar \$1.00.
Choice whole rice 5c a lb.
6 boxes axle grease for 25c
7 cans sardines for 25c
6 doz. clothes pins for 5c.
25 boxes matches for 25c
Pure Spices and Extracts
7 bars Jaxon soap for 25c
Try our 25c N.O. molasses
Best pumpkin 7c per can
Fresh gingersnaps 5c lb.
5 boxes 8-oz tacks for 5c.
Heavy lantern globes 5c.
Pint bottles catsup for 10c.
Choice honey 10c lb.
Choice table syrup 25c gal
Sugar corn 5c per can
Good tomatoes 7c per can
Good sugar syrup 20c gal.
3 cakes toilet soap for 10c.

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It will pay you to give us at least a share of your patronage.

There is one sure way of telling a good brand of coffee and that is by drinking it. Try our 20c grade by this test. We have

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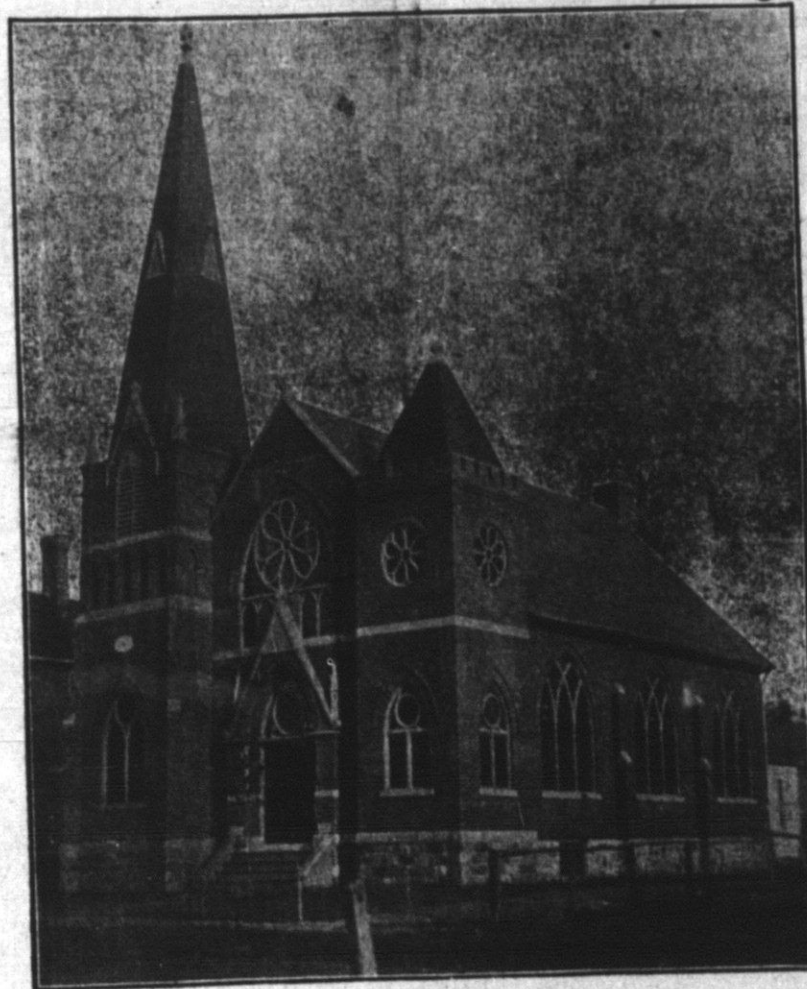
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ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

IN REGARD TO CUBA.

BLANCO HAS GREAT HOPES OF
RESTORING PEACE.

General Lee Will Not Leave Cuba Until
the War Ends—All the Present Offi-
cials to Be Kept at Their Posts—Con-
stitution's Centennial.

Will Be No Consular Changes.

Marshal Blanco just before sailing from Spain said he was confident of restoring peace to Cuba ere long. The war, one of his generals thinks, will be ended in seven months. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, consul general in Cuba, has announced to his friends that he expects to return to Cuba from Washington about Dec. 5 and remain until the conclusion of the Cuban war. Mr. McKinley has decided to make no changes of consular officers on the island until the rebellion in one way or another is brought to an end. The interests of this country and its citizens in Cuba will, the President believes, be better served by officers who have had experience on the island. In the belief that Congress, when it convenes, will desire information as to the attitude of the administration upon Cuban affairs, the President is keeping himself thoroughly posted, and is seeking information from all reliable sources in order that he may formulate his policy in accordance with the developments from time to time.

The Old Ship's Centennial.

The centennial of the launching of the United States frigate Constitution was celebrated in Boston. First there was a naval parade participated in by the sailors and marines from the United States ships Massachusetts, Texas, Iowa, New York and Brooklyn, the naval brigade and the naval organizations. Exercises were held in Old South Church. Gov. Wolcott presided, and addresses were given by the chairman, Secretary of the Navy Long and Mayor Quincy. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge was the orator of the day. The exercises were varied by the singing of patriotic songs by several hundred school children. In the evening the vessels of the North Atlantic squadron and other vessels in the harbor were illuminated. The celebration closed with a display of fireworks in the North End Park.

Largest in the World.

Charles T. Yerkes' splendid gift is now in the possession of the University of Chicago. Mr. Yerkes has formally presented to President William R. Harper the keys of the observatory at Williams Bay, Wis., which contains the Yerkes telescope. The ceremonies covered two hours, and the greatest refracting telescope in the world, having a forty-inch lens, is dedicated and ready to be used by astronomers from every part of the globe.

Jury Could Not Agree.

After sixty-six hours of fruitless deliberation, the Lutegert jury walked into court in Chicago and reported a hopeless disagreement and was then discharged by Judge Tuthill.

BREVITIES.

James K. Taylor has been appointed supervising architect of the treasury.

Russell Sage of New York is organizing a syndicate to buy the Union Pacific Railway.

Wilson Brothers, wholesale and retail jewelers of Boston, Mass., made an assignment.

The A. O. U. W., in session at Philadelphia, has selected Pittsburgh as the 1898 meeting place.

At Hannibal, Mo., Mrs. Virginia Todd was found guilty of having murdered her 16-year-old daughter.

George Westerman, 80 years of age, killed his stepdaughter at Madrid, Mo., and then shot himself.

The State officials of Alabama have fled from Montgomery, where yellow fever prevails, and are established at Birmingham.

Premier Salisbury has informed Ambassador Hay that Great Britain cannot now aid silver by reopening the Indian mints.

Tuberculosis in an advanced stage has been found to exist in a herd of cattle owned by the Kansas State Agricultural College.

Students of the Baptist university of Sioux Falls, S. D., went on strike against the President, who suspended two boys for a minor offense.

W. H. Lever, the great English soap manufacturer, has come to America to establish soap factories in the United States and Canada.

Sir Hamilton Lang has been appointed governor of the Imperial Ottoman Bank at Constantinople in succession of Sir Edgar Vincent, resigned.

The underground rapid transit system will be built in New York. A contract is said to have been practically signed with Gen. William Sooy-Smith.

Gen. Weyler is becoming mutinous and refuses to obey the minister of war and surrender his authority as governor general to Nimenex Castellanos.

Isaac Warren shot and killed Sheriff S. B. Lard at Leonardville, Kan., and a mob surrounded the jail at Manhattan, where the murderer was confined, determined to lynch him.

Never since 1892 has the potato crop of the United States proved so nearly a failure, says the American Agriculturist, as the final reports of the yield of 1897. Compared with the liberal crop of last year, there is an apparent falling off of nearly 30 per cent in tonnage.

Edna Davis killed herself with paria green at Lima, O., because her sweetheart had been ejected from the house by her father.

At Dayton, O., the shoe store of A. F. Diers was closed on mortgages aggregating \$20,000. The Dalton Shoe Company and Hathaway, Soule & Harrington have \$17,000 in the concern and are in charge.

The boiler of one of the steam launches of the battleship Texas, off Boston, blew up while it was alongside of the battleship, and a number of men, including two officers and a surgeon, were injured, none fatally.

EASTERN.

The 300 employees of John and James Dobson's Bradford, Pa., cloth mills, who have been on strike, returned to work on promise of a 10 per cent increase in wages.

Lotta Crabtree, better known as "Lotta," an actress, has sued the estate of Henry E. Abbey of New York for \$20,000 and two years' interest on promissory notes.

The 2,500 miners of the Pennsylvania river district, who have been idle for two weeks, owing to a dispute over the differential, have resumed work, pending a settlement by arbitration.

Mrs. Charles Loneragan of Syracuse has identified the body of a man found on the track at Matteawan, N. Y., as that of her husband. The body was sent to Chicago, where his mother resides.

The Knights of Pythias have raised \$12,000 for a monument to John F. Rathbone, the founder of the order. It will be placed in New Forest cemetery, in Utica, the owners of the cemetery donating a plot of 10,000 feet.

United States Senator Gorman has issued an open letter to Edwin F. Abell, publisher of the Baltimore Sun, in which he offers to relinquish the leadership of the Democracy in Maryland, providing Mr. Abell will accept it.

Evangelina Cosío y Cisneros has adopted this country as her home. She has signed her declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States at New York. Under the terms of her oath she has renounced all allegiance to Spain.

The prompt manner in which the Dauphin County, Pa., courts declared unconstitutional the anti-fusion law passed by the last Legislature came widespread interest in Illinois and neighboring States which have similar laws. In all probability test suits will be entered in other States as a result of the ruling of the Pennsylvania court. The anti-fusion law was passed in the shape of an amendment to the Baker "blanket" ballot act. It is stated that Gov. Hastings would not have approved the anti-fusion amendment if it had stood alone.

Warden E. S. Wright of the Riverside penitentiary at Pittsburgh has discovered that a number of the convicts confined in the institution have been manufacturing counterfeit 50-cent pieces. He has unearthed the metal from which the "queer" money was made, the molds in which it was cast and the names of several convicts who were connected with the matter, but as yet he has been unable to find the man who originated and carried out the scheme. The counterfeiters are magnificent specimens of the coiners' art. The die from which they were made is almost perfect, and the milling of the coins, which is the Government's chief protection of metal money from those who would imitate it, is as near perfect as it is possible for human ingenuity to make it. The counterfeiters had already secured a connection with outside parties and some of the bad money is now in circulation. Warden Wright has a list of nearly a score of convicts and other persons supposed to be connected with the counterfeiting, and when the full story of the crime comes out it is said there will be some sensational developments.

WESTERN.

John F. Kennedy, on trial at Kansas City, Mo., charged with being the leader of the Chicago and Alton passenger train robbery at Blue Cut, was acquitted.

George M. Pullman, the head of the great palace car company which bears his name, died suddenly at his home in Chicago Tuesday morning, of heart failure.

In Chicago, Frederick V. Bowers, who plays a part in "McSorley's Twins," eloped to Milwaukee with Miss Blanche Louie Barrett, daughter of Charles R. Barrett.

The falling of the ceiling in Robinson's opera house gave Cincinnati almost a repetition of the horrible panic of '76. Four persons were killed and thirty injured.

Judge Foster in the Federal Court at Leavenworth, Kan., sentenced Joseph W. Oliver, convicted of dynamiting the residence of Gov. Smith of the Soldiers' Home, to six years' imprisonment at Fort Leavenworth.

Thirteen-year-old Johnnie Matthews was arrested at Guthrie, O. T., charged with murdering the 5-year-old son of Capt. L. L. Bridges, a well-known attorney, formerly of Sedalia, Mo. The boys quarreled and a few hours later the murdered boy was found dead lying in front of his father's house, with a bullet wound in his head. The bullet came from across the street, apparently from the Matthews house, where a recently fired rifle was found.

Mill Creek, a small town in the Chickasaw nation east of Berwyn, I. T., was raided by thirty-five Chickasaw braves, who terrorized the inhabitants, drove the merchants from their houses and engaged in a wild orgy which ended in a killing. The Indians drew up in front of a cider mill, broke it open and drank all the hard cider and other drinks they could find. Then they began a systematic raid on the stores, helping themselves to whatever struck their fancy. The redskins kept up a continual shooting, having supplied themselves with ammunition from a hardware store. Luxy Lewis and James McKinney engaged in a duel in which the latter was killed.

Madeleine Lucette Ryley's "The Mysterious Mr. Bugle," which opened at McVicker's Chicago theater to a packed house, has been doing big business. In this production there is a combination of the two elements always necessary in any great stage success—a vehicle of interest and amusement to theater goers, and a company capable in every degree to present it. This company is headed by the popular Joseph Holland, who is widely known as a comedian of that character whose work is always brilliant and sparkling and never offensive. The production was constructed solely for laughing purposes. It is thoroughly French in motive and written with an aim to furnish innocent amusement. "The Mysterious Mr. Bugle" will be followed at McVicker's by Henry Miller in "Heartsease."

A remarkable and romantic case of mistaken identity has come to light at Akron, O., with the information from Big Bug, Ariz., that George Case, who was supposed to have died in the war and had been buried there, has in fact just died in Arizona, leaving quite a fortune to Akron heirs. George Case was the son of an Akron carpenter, who, being refused permission to join the army, ran away from home and enlisted in the Sixth Independent battery of Ohio, Jan. 15, 1864. His parents received information from Chattanooga, Tenn., that he was ill and in the general field hospital. Then

came a letter from a comrade saying that George was dead. The parents ordered the body sent to Akron, but when it reached there the mother declared that the remains were not those of her son. The body was interred in Glendale cemetery, and no further tidings were received. J. F. Selberling, the well-known manufacturer, recently received a letter from Big Bug, Ariz., telling of the death of George Case, whose only relatives, so far as known there, lived in Akron. The man had long lived there, but died of rheumatism on his way to Hot Springs, Ark.

SOUTHERN.

At Huntington, W. Va., Frank Wolcott, son of wealthy and influential parents, shot and instantly killed William E. Webb. Wolcott has tried to commit suicide three times in a year.

There is neither hope nor encouragement in the situation at New Orleans. The deaths have not run up to an unusual mark, but there were enough of new cases, and fatalities to disappoint those who believed the fever was on the wane. There were fifty-six new cases and four deaths in one day recently.

At Green Grove, Ky., Sam Smith of Kettle Creek and a son of Will Henry Ross of New Albany, Ky., while racing their horses collided, killing both animals instantly. Smith's right leg was broken once or four times above the knee and once below. He is injured internally and terribly bruised. His eyes are badly injured and his right arm crushed. Ross is in about the same condition.

Ever since the appearance of yellow fever in Texas refugees from Galveston, Houston and other cities in the Lone Star State have been flocking to St. Louis. A special train, carrying sixty-five passengers from Houston and Galveston, has lately arrived there. Among those on board was Dr. John Gutierrez, the yellow fever expert of the United States Marine Hospital service. He said there was absolutely no danger in allowing these refugees to come to St. Louis. Dr. Starkloff, health commissioner of St. Louis, takes the same view. A majority of these passengers will stay in St. Louis, while the others will scatter about the country on business or pleasure. Dr. Gutierrez said he was en route to his home in Philadelphia, as he had finished his tour of inspection in the South. He will make an exhaustive report of his inspection to his chief, Surgeon General Wyman. The Knights of Honor in New Orleans have organized a relief committee and notified the grand jurisdictions throughout the country that they are prepared to look after any members of the order who may be sojourning in that city pending the prevailing fever and see that fraternal care and attention be accorded such members as may become afflicted.

WASHINGTON.

Admiral John Lorimer Worden, hero of the battle between the Monitor and the Merrimack and one of the bravest sailor fighters ever produced by the United States navy, died in Washington of pneumonia.

Maud G. Badgley, a clerk in the general land office at Washington, committed suicide by jumping from Cabin John's bridge, about six miles west of the city. The drop to the ravine below the bridge is about 125 feet.

Col. Peter C. Haines of the engineer corps of the army, at present in charge of river and harbor improvements for the Baltimore district, has been appointed to be engineer commissioner on the Nicaraguan canal commission.

Chief Justice Fuller, when the Supreme Court met at Washington, announced that the Joint Traffic Railroad Association case from New York and the Laclede Gas Light case from St. Louis had been assigned by the court for argument on the first Monday in next January. The arguments had been set for this month, but Justice Field's retirement leaves the bench with only eight members, and, in view of the important constitutional questions presented by these two cases, it was desired that they should be heard by a full bench.

As to President McKinley's intentions regarding the appointment of a new Attorney General in case Mr. McKenna is promoted to the supreme bench, the general opinion in Washington is that Judge Day, the first assistant Secretary of State, will either be made Attorney General and a new assistant secretary selected or that Sherman will retire, Day be appointed to succeed him and other changes and promotions made to fit the circumstances. So far as can be learned by Washington correspondents, however, the President has no intention of asking Mr. Sherman to resign, and the Secretary has said that he had never given the idea a moment's thought, and that he would remain to the end. The result in both Ohio and New York will have a direct influence on the President's action in re-constructing his cabinet.

Unless the British foreign office of its own motion presses the negotiations in connection with the arbitration treaty, State Department officials in Washington say the matter will not again be taken up by this Government. In the past three months nothing has been done to expedite matters. When Secretary Sherman suggested to Sir Julian Pauncefote last June that the President would be gratified to see the negotiation of a treaty of general arbitration during his administration the latter expressed pleasure at the information and entered upon a discussion of the subject, which, however, was limited to generalities. Sir Julian then went to London to consult with Lord Salisbury on matters of importance and, acting under the instructions of the State Department, Ambassador Hay consulted with the British foreign office on the subject. Apparently the representations he made were not as enthusiastically received as were those of his predecessor. As a result the matter has languished, and now, department officials declare, Great Britain must be the one to revive the subject and push it to a successful conclusion.

FOREIGN.

The Spanish cabinet has decided to pardon all Cuban exiles.

Senor Sagasta, premier of Spain, is sick and confined to his bed.

Sir Edwin Arnold, poet and journalist, has married a Japanese lady in London.

Petroleum springs near Baku, Russia, have caught fire and the whole valley is a sea of flames.

It is said Li Hung Chang's health has failed and he is about to retire permanently from public life.

Merchants and manufacturers of France gave President Faure a great banquet in honor of his recent visit to Russia. The rebellion in the eastern part of Guatemala is becoming very serious and

the insurgents are encamped not far from the capital.

Fighting has been resumed in India. Gen. Sir Bindon Blythe having driven several thousand tribesmen from Chagru and burned many villages.

A German shop keeper in Valparaiso, Chili, has been fined and imprisoned for exhibiting a small copy of the famous group, "The Three Graces."

W. Hughes, correspondent of Black and White of London, has starved to death in Havana. He was maltreated and robbed by guerrillas and lost his passport.

The German Government, it is understood, has decided to rearm the entire infantry with the new six-millimeter rifle, said to surpass the weapons of all other States.

The German Government has granted the exequatur of Benjamin Nausbaum of Pennsylvania, recently appointed consul at Munich, against whom there was a strong fight.

The Lokai Anzeiger of Berlin says that Count Lyof Tolstoi, the Russian author and social reformer, is suffering from an illness which will necessitate the performance of a serious operation.

The American board of commissioners of foreign missions elected these officers: President, Charles M. Lamson, D. D., Hartford, Conn.; vice-president, D. Willis James, New York; treasurer, Frank H. Wiggins; auditors, E. H. Baker, E. R. Brown and Henry T. Cobb.

IN GENERAL.

M. B. Tucker, an Associated Press correspondent in Alaska, died of exhaustion on a trail.

All navigation upon the Yukon river is now closed by an ice blockade. Several vessels are frozen in.

The town of Windsor, N. S., was fire-swept and 3,000 people are homeless. The direct financial loss is \$1,500,000, with about \$500,000 insurance.

A jury has awarded Mrs. Lang \$20,000 damages against the city of Victoria, B. C., the death of her husband, Dr. Lang, in the Point Ellice bridge disaster in May, 1896.

The United States steamship Philadelphia arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu. She will transfer her crew to the Baltimore, which is being fitted out for a cruise to the Hawaiian Islands as speedily as possible.

At Montreal, an organization known as the Canadian Independence Club has issued a manifesto which was distributed throughout the city, stating that the time had come for Canada to throw off its connection with England.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Foreign trade in September, the heavy increase in iron production and consumption and the largest payments through clearings ever known in October are indications which outweigh hesitation in some markets. The increase in employment of labor has continued with further accounts daily of works opening, increasing force of hands or raising of wages, and at every point where actual production can be tested it appears greater than ever before. Sales of wool for two weeks have been 24,331,600 pounds at the three chief markets. Wheat has been fairly steady, but moving more largely than last year from the farms and from the country. Failures for the week have been 223 in the United States, against 325 last year."

The executive of the Independence League of Canada, at Montreal, which comprises many conspicuous French Canadians, has issued an address to the people of Canada urging immediate action toward securing the complete independence of the dominion from Great Britain. "Who is the man who would not be free?" says the address. "Relying on the justice of our cause we claim the privilege of using our inalienable right to free ourselves from British tutelage. A tutelage presupposes an incapable or an interdicted. Are the Canadian people so miserable that they will submit to such a disgrace? Will 5,000,000 of brave and honest men, occupying a greater country than the whole of Europe, continue to bow their heads beneath the British yoke? Certainly not, and as they have a right to do, they will proclaim their independence. Legally England cannot prevent them. The time to set is now. Not only our dignity refuses to longer accept the English tutelage, but the future of our country depends upon the energy which we show toward realizing as soon as possible the great project of free Canada. To those who are not blinded by English fanaticism, personal interest or ignorance, it is evident that Canada is marching with rapid steps toward bankruptcy." Thousands of copies of the address have been printed in French and will be scattered broadcast throughout the province of Quebec.

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.40 to \$4.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, red, 90c to 91c; corn, No. 2, 24c to 26c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 45c to 46c; butter, choice creamery, 21c to 23c; eggs, fresh, 14c to 15c; new potatoes, 40c to 50c per bushel.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.25; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$4.25; sheep, common to choice, \$2.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2, 92c to 94c; corn, No. 2, 21c to 22c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 48c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.25; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 95c to 97c; corn, No. 2, 21c to 22c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 48c; clover seed, \$3.30 to \$3.40.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 spring, 85c to 87c; corn, No. 2, 25c to 26c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 1, 45c to 47c; barley, No. 2, 40c to 45c; pork, mess, \$7.50 to \$8.00.

Buffalo—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, red, 95c to 97c; corn, No. 2, 21c to 22c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 48c; clover seed, \$3.30 to \$3.40.

New York—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, red, 95c to 98c; corn, No. 2, 31c to 32c; oats, No. 2, 17c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 48c; butter, creamery, 15c to 20c; eggs, Western, 16c to 18c.

CRISIS FOR AUSTRIA.

PREMIER BADENI MAY BE
FORCED TO RESIGN.

Confused Questions of Religion, Race
and Local Government—Hawaii Will
Not Ratify the Immigration Treaty
Offered by Japan—A New Star.

Badeni's Impeachment Demanded.

There is trouble in the Austrian under-
happ at Vienna, and it is believed that if
the members of the left continue in their
efforts to obstruct legislation Count Ba-
deni will resign, in which event a new
ministry will be formed. The recent rig-
orous proceedings are virtually a contin-
uance of the opening of the reichsrath
Sept. 23. These demonstrations, as was
the case with the former ones, are direct-
ed against the cabinet, and grow out of
the ill feeling between the Bohemian-Ger-
mans and the young Czechs. On the re-
assembling of the reichsrath a series of
motions was offered aiming at the im-
peachment of ministers. The German
popular party wants Count Badeni, the
premier, impeached because of the con-
duct of the representatives of the Gov-
ernment at public meetings. The Ger-
man radicals and the section of the Ger-
man opposition headed by Herr Schoener-
er demand his impeachment for prohib-
iting a meeting of German Bohemians, and
they call for the impeachment of Count
Gleispach, minister of justice; Dr. Billin-
g, minister of finance, and Baron Glang-
sd, minister of commerce, for an al-
leged violation of their ministerial powers
by the issuance of a decree authorizing the
use of the Czech language in Bo-
hemia. The immediate object of socialist
democrats in the reichsrath, secretly aided
by the remnant of the old German party,
is to produce a cabinet crisis and to bring
about the absolute defeat of the Austrian
prime minister, Count Casimir Badeni.

Hawaii Doesn't Like It.

The tension between Japan and the
Hawaiian Government has been increas-
ed. Settlement of the immigration dis-
pute is blocked and no one now ventures
an opinion touching the outcome. The
Dole government has put its foot down
against accepting a treaty formulated by
Count Okuma for arbitrating the affair.
This convention is all on Japan's side and
practically commits the Government of
Hawaii to the position that it has erred
in preventing the landing of Japanese
coolies. Minister of Foreign Affairs
Cooper had a rather exciting interview
with the Japanese minister was in-
formed that there must be material mod-
ification of the treaty before it would be
acceptable to President Dole and to his
cabinet. In fact, Japanese newspapers
predicted that the treaty as drawn up at
Yeddo would be laughed to scorn in Hon-
olulu. Minister Hatch has sailed, carry-
ing important information to President
McKinley.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Cavendish, who has been exploring Af-
rica, has arrived safely in London.

Chief Justice F. C. Truesdale of the
Arizona Supreme Court is dying at Phoenix.

Prof. James M. Crafts is to succeed the
late Francis A. Walker as president of
the Boston Institute of Technology.

The Canadian cabinet has decided to
appoint Nov. 25 as a day of general
thanksgiving throughout the dominion.

At Newark, O., a west-bound Pennsylv-
ania express killed Mrs. Frank Moffett,
who was carrying flowers to the grave of
her child.

The outhouses of the West Tennessee
asylum for the insane at Bolivar were de-
stroyed by fire. Damage \$25,000. No one
was injured.

One-third of the \$10,000,000 loan put
on the London market by the Dominion
Government will be taken up by a syn-
dicate of Canadian bankers.

Driven temporarily insane by business
reverses, George Young, a farmer aged
35 years, living about two miles southeast
of Blue Earth City, Minn., killed his wife,
his two children and himself.

Gen. Weyler has ordered the release
from the Isle of Pines of eleven prison-
ers, who were, it was alleged, concerned in
the uprising which resulted in the impris-
onment of Senorita Evangelina Cosío y
Cisneros.

At St. Louis, Alois Thoman, aged 70,
one of the most prominent Swiss in Mis-
souri, fired a bullet into his left breast.
He cannot live. Financial difficulties are
given as the cause. Mr. Thoman was
Swiss consul in St. Louis at one time.

In a head-end collision near Dayton, O.,
between passenger train No. 7, from Chi-
cago to Cincinnati, and freight train No.
60, both on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and
Dayton Railroad, two men were fatally
hurt and five persons more or less injured.

A mob of 100 masked men attempted to
enter the county jail at Liberty, Mo., for
the supposed purpose of lynching William
Foley and Frank Wade, two murderers
held for trial. The sheriff assembled a
few deputies and with a show of arms
compelled the mob to disperse.

The great telescope in the Yerkes ob-
servatory at Williams Bay, Wis., has al-
ready given promise of the important as-
tronomical discoveries which are confi-
dently predicted with it as a medium.
Prof. Barnard has announced that he has
already discovered a third companion star
to Vega. He found it solely because the
Yerkes telescope is more searching than
any other in the world.

Archibald M. Allerton, a pioneer in the
live stock trade, is dead at Moore's Fork,
N. Y., aged 75 years. He built the first
stock yards in New York City, also yards
at West Albany, at Suspension Bridge,
the National stock yards in East St.
Louis and the stock yards in Toledo. His
family holds a large interest in the Chi-
cago stock yards.

H. C. McCahn, one of the big coal mine
operators at Stahl, Mo., has begun suit
against the Omaha, Kansas City and
Eastern Railroad for \$30,000 damages for
discriminating against him in the matter
of furnishing cars.

The case of the Missouri, Kansas and
Texas Railroad, plaintiff in error, vs.
Charles Haber, which involves the consti-
tutionality of the Kansas law prohibiting
the importation of diseased cattle into
the State, has been reassigned by the Su-
preme Court for the first Monday in Jan-
uary.

THE FORT SHERIDAN OUTRAGE.

Inhuman Cruelty Perpetrated Upon
an Enslaved Man.

There has been as much solemn ponder-
ing at Washington over the Loving-
Hammond outrage at Fort Sheridan as

if the captain's life
hung in the balance.
When Maj. Gen.
Brooke's report from
his chief aid-de-
camp's point of view
was received by the
Secretary of War
that official consid-
ered it well and wrote
out his recommenda-
tions to lay before
the President. The
adjutant general also
examined the report.
When the President
saw the same report he thought of his
general commanding the army and sug-
gested that it be laid before him. Gen.
Miles read the report and returned it to
the Secretary of War with a few oral
comments on the action which the Sec-
retary proposed to take. Then Gen. Alger
carried the report under his arm to the
cabinet meeting, and the much-handled
document was discussed by that body.

Captain Lovering's act at Fort Sheri-
dan is very generally considered as one
of inhuman cruelty. The Fourth reg-
iment of infantry, Col. Hall commanding,
is located at the fort near Chicago. Sat-
urday Capt. Lovering was officer of the



DRAGGING PRIVATE HAMMOND TO COURT

day. Among the prisoners confined in the
guard house was private Hammond. Ham-
mond is not connected with the Fort
Sheridan command. He is stationed at
Plattsburg, N. Y., and a few weeks ago
asked for leave of absence to visit his
mother, who lives in Chicago. It was
denied him and he left without permis-
sion. There is a rule which makes it
difficult for a soldier to be absent from his
post longer than nine
days without permis-
sion. Hammond
came to Chicago, and
on the ninth day sur-
rendered himself at
Fort Sheridan, and
asked the officers to
notify the Platts-
burg Post. He was
placed in the guard
house to await the
reply.

The following
morning he was
notified by the officer
of the day, Capt. Lov-
ing, to report for work.
He refused to
report, on the ground
that he was not a regular
prisoner. Capt. Lovering sent four men
to take him out of the guard house. Ham-
mond lay down and refused to move. Lov-
ing then directed the men to cross his
legs and tie them with a stout rope. This
was done and then, under direction of the
captain, the men dragged Hammond out of
the guard house. Down the steps of the
guard house Hammond was bumped.

The four soldiers soon became sick of
their task. They hesitated when they had
crossed the road and got on the stone side-
walk. The captain would have no delay.
He prodded the prisoner several times so
that in pity the four soldiers hurried on
with their terrible task. None of them
had ever seen a soldier treated in such a
brutal way and they obeyed through fear
of similar punishment. Hammond's face
was distorted with pain and blood was
oozing from several wounds as he was
dragged along up the stairway to the sum-
mary court. There a light punishment
was meted out to him. It is said that
Lovering prodded Hammond with his
sword as he was dragged along the road.

STRANGLED BY BURGLARS.

Farmer Adam Hoffman Is Murdered
Near Brimfield, Ind.

Adam Hoffman, a wealthy bachelor
farmer, living near Brimfield, Ind., was
murdered by two men, whose intention it
was to rob him. Hoffman sold a large
amount of wheat and stock the past week

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

OCCURRENCES DURING THE PAST WEEK.

Witnessed His Son's Death—Explosion in an Adrian Malt House—Former Wanted at Traverse City—Meets a Frightful Death in a Belt.

His Son Killed.
Fred Hennig, a workman 25 years old and unmarried, was almost instantly killed at the Aker asphalt works at Grand Rapids. He was employed at a pile of about 110 pounds each. He loosened the pile, which toppled over on him, crushing him fearfully. He died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital. His father was working beside him at the time.

Workmen Hurt by Explosion.
By an explosion in Cook's malthouse at Adrian six people were seriously injured. There was too much steam in the boiler, and the end blew out. William Pratt, engineer, was struck in the body by a piece of iron and fatally hurt. Thomas Grinnell had his skull crushed by flying metal. Bert Kimball, a broken thigh and badly scalded; Lou Fath, fatally hurt; Jacob Schneider, scalded and bruised; and Albert Holte had bruises on his chest and arms, and was scalded. There are quite a number of injured, but none fatally. None of the women working in the factory were seriously hurt. The cause was a careless engineer.

Passed Forged Checks.
Traverse City officers are searching for a man alleged to have passed worthless checks. Lautner Bros. cashed a check which was presented in payment for shoes. The customer bought a pair of shoes for \$3 and received \$14 in change, the check being drawn on the First National Bank for \$17 to the order of Frank Elds. The check bore the signature of Glen Brigham. The man represented himself as Harry Burr, nephew of a well-known grocer, H. C. Burr, of Grawn. The officers find that Burr knows of no such nephew.

Made Mince Meat of It.
The blower which carries the shavings from one of the planers in Handy Brothers' mill at West Bay City became choked. Fred Merrick, who had charge of the machine, undertook to clear away the obstruction with his hand. In doing so the rapidly revolving knives caught his hand and slashed it to pieces as far as the elbow. He says he had done the same thing twenty times before, but this time happened to raise his hand too high. He is the only support of a widowed mother.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.
The department of vital statistics has issued its first monthly bulletin under the new law. The total number of deaths reported for September was 2,370, of which 382 occurred in Detroit and 102 in Grand Rapids. Cholera infantum and other diarrheal diseases carried away 432 children under 5 years of age; 201 persons died of consumption; 57 of pneumonia; 51 of typhoid fever; diphtheria and croup, 46; cerebro spinal meningitis, 25; whooping cough, 13.

A Frightful Death.
Daniel Brington, engineer of the Bay County electric light works, was caught in a belt running from a pulley making 300 revolutions per minute. His body was thrown to the ceiling, twelve feet high, and dropped to the floor. Death was instantaneous. The only person in the room was his brother, who supposed deceased had gone to supper. The first thing he saw was something fall from the ceiling and he thought it was a broken belt.

Three Convicts Freed.
Walter D. Porter, sent from Kalamazoo in 1894 to Iowa for six years for house breaking, and John Mir, Jr., sent from Van Buren County in 1894 to Iowa for four years for larceny, have been paroled by Gov. Pinckney. A pardon has been granted to Chas. Norman, sent from St. Clair to Jackson for seven years for burglary. He has only three months more to serve, and has promised to return to Canada, whence he came.

He Is a Millionaire.
Frank Phiscator of Baroda, who made a rich strike in the Klondike, has been dickered with an English syndicate for the sale of a two-thirds interest in his claims in Alaska. He offered to sell this interest for \$1,333,000. He has received a cablegram advising him that his offer had been accepted by the syndicate.

Founders in Lake Michigan.
The schooner Kate Winslow, heavily laden with pig iron, foundered in Lake Michigan off Seal Choke point. Capt. E. J. Cuyler and his crew succeeded in reaching the shore without loss of life and made their way to Whiteville. The schooner and cargo are a total loss. The Winslow was valued at \$15,000.

Killed by a Train.
John Hamilton, aged 60 years, was struck and instantly killed by an F. & P. M. passenger train at the Bay City curve. His body was terribly mangled. He was deaf and it is thought he did not hear the train.

Minor State Matters.
Frank Miller's barn at Dundee burned. The loss is heavy.
Geo. Schram, a Galesburg farmer, found a diamond in Portage creek.
There are twenty-nine criminal cases on the Circuit Court docket at Benton Harbor.

A well-known farmer living near Boyne Falls is said to have traded his wife for a mule.

Diphtheria has broken out again at Houghton and nine cases are reported in one family.

Port Huron Common Council has awarded the contract for building the Tenth street bridge to the Youngtown Bridge Co.

The house and contents of Abe Foster of St. Johns were destroyed by fire. No insurance.

Two Huron County men, Frank E. Dunster of Bad Axe and A. A. Snowden of Sand Beach have gone to the City of Mexico to establish a college for the purpose of teaching Spaniards the English language.

The Kalamazoo street fair was phenomenally successful, and its promoters are already preparing for a fair on a greater scale for next year. It is estimated that 140,000 visitors were in the city during the exhibition.

Alfred S. Follansbee has been named for postmaster at Ontonagon.
Grass Lake, in Branch County, has gone dry, leaving great quantities of dead fish.

The Bay Coal Company, with mines at Monitor, is now turning out about 250 tons of coal a day.

The project of bonding Corunna to build a municipal lighting plant was defeated by 46 majority at special election.

Henry L. Allen, aged 64 years, a resident of Grand Traverse County for forty-three years, is dead at Traverse City.

B. J. Orr, justice of the peace at Bay City, has been appointed assistant prosecuting attorney in place of U. R. Laranger, resigned.

Brighton has good prospects for electric lights in the near future. The Council are in favor of them, and the people seem to be coming.

Simon Beckwith, an old resident of Mt. Morris, fell over some old rails and broke a leg. The injury may prove a serious one on account of his age.

A tramp was badly burned in a fire which destroyed the Kohlhaas meat market at Calumet. There is a suspicion that he started the fire himself.

The coroner's jury in the case of the Edison child, which was killed at Saranac by a D. G. H. & M. train, brought in a verdict of neglect on the part of the trainmen.

Sparta has voted to bond the village for \$5,000 to enlarge the village hall. It is thought a good share of the money will be used to bring a furniture factory to the village.

The man run over by the Grand Trunk train between Perry and Shattesburg a week ago has been identified as Nicholas Perkins of Langdon, S. D. Foul play is suspected.

Harry Ogden, indicted at Kalamazoo on a charge of burglary at Vicksburg, is wanted at Toronto on a charge of murder. He was known in the Canadian city as Begelee.

Charles Wright of Belleville has been ordered by the game warden to put in fish ladders at his mill dam. All owners of dams on the Huron river will be compelled to do likewise.

A large number of lots in the burned district of Bay City have been bought in for back taxes. The purchasers will sell them cheap and endeavor to get families to build on them.

Mrs. Charles Drake, living three miles south of Ridgeway, took a dose of Paris green with suicidal intent. Her condition is critical. Family troubles was the cause of her attempt on her life.

At Wakefield, by the premature explosion of a powder blast in the Brotherton mine, Leander Peterson and Joseph Johnson were killed and a man named Harris was probably fatally injured.

In the Circuit Court at Kalamazoo John Devitt of Climax paid a fine of \$40 for illegal liquor selling, and Allen Lee and Ray Riley, Climax druggists, paid \$82.20 each for selling beer illegally.

The safety of the Genesee County jail at Flint for keeping prisoners is severely criticized by the jail inspectors. During the past six months 290 prisoners were detained in the institution, however.

Homer Harwood of Warren has a strawberry patch from which ripe strawberries have been picked for the last two weeks. The largest berry was three inches around. The bed was mowed down in July.

Lewis Wilson of Birch Run was building a shed the other afternoon. His 6-year-old daughter Agnes was inside and put her hand against a board, with the result that her hand was nailed fast. She will probably lose the hand, as in tearing loose she badly lacerated it.

There is much excitement at Sault Ste. Marie again over the Michipicoten district. The steamer Telegram returned with half a dozen passengers, who say that another find of undoubted value has been made. The vein is about three miles from Lake Wawa.

Diphtheria has been very prevalent in Oronoso and vicinity. It is now well under control except in the Second ward, where there are about thirty cases. To prevent the disease becoming epidemic the Emerson school in the Second ward has been closed for the present.

Thos. Murta, a Jackson shoemaker, lies at his home badly exhausted from the effects of a narrow escape from bleeding to death. In cutting leather his knife slipped and sank deep into his right leg above the knee, severing an artery. When found there was grave doubt of saving his life.

The body of Christopher H. Crosbie, night watchman at E. Bement & Sons' implement works in Lansing, was found standing upright in the river back of the factory in eight feet of water. The whistle failed to blow in the morning, and the workmen found his lantern on the bank, and later the body in the river. His key and watch that he made the last rounds at showed that he was seen hurrying from his home to the factory about 5 o'clock in the morning.

Another railroad is projected for Michigan that will traverse an undeveloped section of the State that is heavily timbered and open up the Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and Southeastern and West Michigan companies. It will start at Barker Creek and run up into Missaukee County to a large tract of pine owned by the Thayer Lumber Company of Muskegon. Later on the road will be extended to Grayling and Alpena.

Fitzsimmons' famous solar plexus blow was the cause of a death at the State industrial school for boys in Lansing. John Carson, 16 years old, asked one of the dormitory mates to strike him on the chest and requested Frank Martin, an inmate from Albion, to strike him. Martin responded with a back-hand blow over the heart and Carson dropped dead in his arms. Martin, who is but 14 years old, is held blameless, inasmuch as the blow was struck in sport.

R. Lee Root, superintendent of the Bay DeNoe Lumber Company of Escanaba, was killed at Nahma by being knocked down while trying to adjust the coupling of a tram car, one wheel passing over his chest and another over his neck.

Uncle Sam will soon let a contract for the removing of 15,000 yards of stone cuttings from the ground near the Government dock and the grading of the Government grounds on old Fort Brady reservation and beautifying it for a park. It is understood that the sum of \$10,000 will be expended for this work, and that it will be completed this fall.

TOPICS FOR FARMERS

A DEPARTMENT PREPARED FOR OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Grass Needs Mineral Plant Food—How to Keep Fruit in Winter—Hams Should Be Packed in Salt—Have Pure Poultry Stock.

Phosphate for Grass Lands.
Whenever the grass seeding fails the blame is usually laid upon the weather. But that is not always correct, even in part. Grass belongs to the same botanical family as wheat, only the grain has had a greater development of its seed. All farmers understand that the wheat crop needs phosphate to be grown successfully, year after year, on the same land. To be sure, the soil is cultivated, and there is a new seedling with some manure each year, for the grain crop. Yet farmers think that grass, without reseeded, and without new supplies of mineral matter, will continue to grow. The result is that the grass gradually dies out and is replaced by mosses or other weeds of low organization that can live without mineral plant food. Not only is the amount of grass lessened, but its quality is also impaired by lack of the mineral. On land that has long been without phosphate cattle will not thrive, and cows which give milk will take to the eating of old bones to secure the mineral nutrition they require. People who have learned that ground bone is good to make hens lay are apt to forget that the more bulky cow has an equally wonderful operation to perform. That is to take from her grass feed the nutrition required to make milk, which is less concentrated than the egg, but contains very nearly the same kind of nutrition. When we began using mineral manures on grain, we found that the second and third crops of grass seeded with the grain did not run out as they used to do. It is far better to apply the phosphate with the grain. The grass seeded with it will get the effects of the mineral fertilizing for at least two years thereafter.

To Keep Fruit in Winter.
If fruit and vegetables must be kept in the house cellar, a room should be partitioned off in the coldest part, if the other is too warm, and made secure against rats and mice. This is best done by having the partition of brick and the floor of good cement, laid so the rats cannot undermine it. No language can describe one's feelings on discovering the work of a family of rats in bins of apples, potatoes or other vegetables. Such a room should have a window open to the north, if possible, securely protected by wire screen, so that cold air can be let in when needed.

Keep apples on the coldest side and potatoes on the warmest, if there is danger of freezing. In extreme cold weather an occasional pall of hot water or a lamp or two may be needed, but the colder such rooms are, up to the danger point, the better stuff will keep.

Some think that young grass cannot bear sunshine, and that a grain crop is needed to protect it. A nurse crop in winter is often of benefit by holding the snow, and thus shielding the tender grass from cold, drying winds; but in summer grass likes sunshine as well as does grain. The grain robs the grass of needed moisture when both grow together.—New England Farmer.

Pack Hams in Salt.
Those who intend to keep any smoked hams and shoulders for next summer's use should use salt for packing. It is more cleanly, and better in every particular, than ashes or other articles commonly used. All that is necessary is to so place the meat that the pieces will not touch each other, covering well the top pieces. The salt will not be wasted, as it may be used over again or taken to make brine. Hams packed in this way will not be musty or dirty on the outside, nor will they take any more salt than had been absorbed before packing.

Pure Poultry Stock.
A great many farmers who keep a flock of Plymouth Rocks are careless in regard to keeping stock pure. Because a hen is speckled, it doesn't necessarily follow that it is a Plymouth Rock. One of the surest indications of impure stock is a feathered leg. Formerly it was not uncommon to see the Rock with more or less down and even feathers on the shanks, but it has become so rare that it is now taken as a pretty sure indication of impure blood. Always avoid a fowl so blemished, or serious trouble in this direction will follow before the difficulty is entirely eradicated. If all poultrymen would be careful and throw out specimens so blemished, it would be but a comparatively short time before the difficulty was entirely removed. Nothing can add more to the beauty of the Plymouth Rock than a clean, bright yellow shank.—Michigan Farmer.

Cultivation of Legumes.
The progressive farmer, who thinks closely about his business, will not expect any plan to perform miracles for him. He will fully understand that no clover nor peas can ever get from the air the potash and phosphoric acid that long cultivation has robbed his soil of, and he will, while supplying these, realize that he is enabling the plant to get for him, without cost, the nitrogen that he would otherwise have to buy, either by feeding purchased grain to animals, or by purchasing it in the form of a commercial fertilizer. Legumes will give us the nitrogen, and in a soil deficient in vegetable matter, will give us this, and it is found that applications of commercial fertilizers are more effective in a soil well stored with humus, than in a barren soil. But no plants, grown continuously on soil

deficient in mineral matters, will ever make that soil fertile in the full meaning of the word. That is, no impoverished soil can ever become permanently a fertile one from its own products. If a man is so situated that he can purchase food grown on other land, and feed it on his land, and return to his soil the manure thus made, he can increase the fertility of his acres. But there are few farmers thus favorably situated, and these are mainly dairymen. The man who cannot make a profit in feeding purchased food must get the plant food his soil needs, of a mineral nature, by the direct purchase of the phosphoric acid and potash, of which cultivation and cropping has robbed it. No plant that he can grow, will restore these things to his soil, and the sooner farmers generally learn the limitations of legume culture, the sooner they will realize the great benefits that come from their intelligent culture.—Hoard's Dairymen.

Dried Corn.
One of the ways of keeping sweet corn in good condition for using is to dry it. The method is very simple and easy. Only those ears should be taken that are still in their succulent stage. If the corn has begun to harden drying it will harden it still more. It should be boiled fully as long as would be required to thoroughly cook the corn on the ear. Then with a curved knife made for cutting corn from the cob, strip the grain off and put it in an evaporator. The more quickly the drying is effected the less danger there will be of flies laying their eggs in it, as they are apt to do when the corn is house dried. After a few hours exposure of the corn at a temperature of 150 to 160 degrees the corn can be taken out and placed in tight bags, which should be hung up where air can reach them. Two or three days later take out some of the corn. If it is damp, heat it all over again. This dried corn, if put up right, will keep as well as if in cans. It will be better than most of the canned corn that can be bought at stores, for the latter is apt to be too old, as there is much increase of weight when the sweet corn approaches ripening, though it is at the expense of delicacy of flavor and sweetness.

Farm Notes.
It requires but a small amount of capital to get a start with sheep, and in opening up a new farm they will help materially to commence the income, consuming much which would otherwise go to waste, both in the pastures and in the stables.

Cement floors to stables are said to be cold and uncomfortable in winter, which is an objection, but floors should always be kept well covered with cut straw, leaves or litter of some kind. There is no floor that serves better as a protection against rats, and cement enables the farmer to construct his floors in a manner to collect the liquids and thus enrich his manure heap.

Many farmers who are sufficiently progressive to invest \$1 or \$2 in a sitting of eggs from pure-bred fowls have been ridiculed for their extravagance in so doing, but after they have established good flocks their neighbors who ridiculed them usually promptly come over and request to "exchange eggs," so as to derive benefit from the enterprise of others at a trifling cost.

There is no poorer economy than in buying a poor harness because it is cheap. Well-tanned leather, with due care, will resist dampness and will keep sound a long time. Harnesses should never be kept in the stable. There is too much ammonia in stables, which will quickly cause a harness to rot. When used in warm weather the harness should be cleaned often and kept soft and flexible with oil.

Lowland pastures should always contain redtop in some of its varieties. It makes the cleanest, nicest looking and sweetest turf of any grass. The fine-leaved varieties should be selected for cultivation in pastures. Meadow fescue is a valuable pasture grass, where the soil is good, and on sandy soils red fescue is perhaps one of the best species we can cultivate, associating with it English bluegrass.

Dehorning cattle is now practiced extensively, but there is a right time for so doing. The horns should never be removed when flies and insects are troublesome, and the instrument should be scrupulously clean. Late in the fall is an excellent time for the operation, and it is better to experiment with a few, instead of dehorning the entire herd. Novices can have the operation performed by a veterinary surgeon, if preferred.

For many reasons fall tree planting is preferable to spring planting. There is much more time to do the work properly. The roots are firmly established during the winter. The tree or shrub is then in condition for immediate growth on the opening of spring. Nearly all deciduous trees and shrubs can be shipped and transplanted in autumn to advantage; also, roses in the open ground, when slightly protected with suitable clothing.

There is nothing "fancy" in breeding animals of pedigree. The animals are bred for merit, and any farmer can be a breeder of pure breeds. But few keep stock for pleasure or "fancy," the object being to secure as large a profit as possible. The loss resulting from the use of unfit animals on farms is larger than all the taxes paid by farmers, and the gain of a few more quarts of milk per day amounts to a large sum in a year.

In the winter of 1872 corn would not bring 12 cents a bushel in many parts of the West, and coal was \$11 a ton. In consequence a good deal of corn was burned for fuel. Now coal in some localities can be bought for about one-half the price of twenty-five years ago, while corn is worth rather more. If it was ever real economy to burn corn the time has gone by, probably never to return.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

INTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE LESSON.

Reflections of an Elevating Character—Wholesome Food for Thought—Studying the Scriptural Lesson Intelligently and Profitably.

Lesson for October 31.

Golden Text—"Be of good cheer; for I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me."—Acts 27: 25.

This lesson is found in Acts 27: 13-26, its subject being Paul's Voyage and Shipwreck.

Having appealed to Caesar, which appeal was granted by the procurator Festus, Paul must be sent to Rome for a hearing. Since there were few or no regular passenger ships in ancient times, and since the war vessels of the empire were seldom available for carrying ordinary merchant vessels. The ship in which they embarked at Caesarea was a coaster, bound for Adramyttium, a port on the eastern shore of the Aegean Sea. The time was in September, not long before the beginning of the autumn storms; but sufficient time was supposed to intervene for their voyage if everything went well. After clearing from Sidon, instead of sailing south of Cyprus in a direct course to their destination, westerly winds obliged them to sail towards the north of the island, and to keep close to the shore ("we sailed under Cyprus" is understood to have this meaning). At this time, however, the contrary winds seem to have ceased, and good progress was made along the southern coast of Asia Minor—Cilicia and Pamphylia—as far as Myra. There the centurion transferred his prisoners and soldiers to a great grain ship sailing from Alexandria to Italy. Alexandria was the greatest wharf market in the world, and many such ships left its harbor at this season. Though built on what we should call clumsy lines, these freight boats were often very large, and capable of making very respectable progress with ordinary weather. Starting from Myra, this Alexandrian ship was obliged to beat to windward along the coast of Lycia and Caria. After many days they came in sight of Cnidus, only 130 miles from where they started. It was impossible for them to make harbor here, on account of the rough weather; and also impossible to sail further west, because they no longer had the shelter of a weather shore. Therefore they did the next best thing and sailed southwest—about as near the wind as they could get in the open water—towards the eastern extremity of Crete, Cape Salomone. Thence they sailed westward, to the south of Crete, having once more the protection of the shore. But about midway of the island, at a place called Fair Havens, the shore turned abruptly to the north, making further progress impossible so long as the northwest wind prevailed. Hence Paul urged the centurion and the captain of the vessel to winter at that port, but his counsel was not heeded. They desired to reach the harbor of Phoenix, some forty miles to the northwest. Accordingly, when the northwest wind had ceased, and a gentle south wind had sprung up (verse 13), which they thought would certainly prevail long enough to sail forty miles, they weighed anchor and sailed along the shore. But that deceptive south wind, which "blew softly" as if summer had returned, soon gave way to a furious nor-easter.

Explanatory.
It is said by those who are familiar with the navigation of this part of the Mediterranean that sudden tempests from the north and northeast often spring up at this season of the year. The ship was "caught," seized suddenly and whirled helplessly about.

Not many miles southwest of Fair Havens they sighted a small island called Claudia. Securing the temporary advantage of this slight shelter, they sailed under the lee of Claudia, that is, to the south of it, and there, with difficulty, got the small boat which they had in tow on board the vessel ("we had much work to come by the boat"—"come by" being an obsolete expression for "to secure," "to make fast").

"They used helps, undergirding the ship": these helps were cables passed completely around the hull of the ship—presumably accomplished by sinking a loop under the bow, securing the two ends on deck, or taking a half hitch in the cable and repeating the operation until a series of loops had been passed around the vessel. The operation is easily illustrated with a bit of cord twisted about one's finger. Drawn taut, such a cable would strengthen the vessel against the strain which threatened to spring her planks apart, just as a split telegraph pole or axle is strengthened by winding wire about it. "Fearing lest they should fall into the quicksands" is better translated "fearing lest they should be cast upon the Syrtis." The Syrtis was a great quicksand on the north shore of Africa several hundred miles from Crete. But a northeast gale would not take many days to drive the ship under full canvas such a distance. Hence the sail was lowered.

"They lightened the ship": throwing overboard some of the heavier freight, spare tackle, etc. The main cargo, grain, was not sacrificed until the last (verse 38). The long continued clouds prevented the seamen from taking any observation of the sun and stars, hence they were in total ignorance as to their position. In the morning, after breakfast, the crew determined to beach the ship in an inlet where there was a bit of smooth sand between the rocks. They succeeded, but as the stern began immediately to break up in the surf, they were obliged to lose no time in reaching the shore, which they did by swimming and by floating on pieces of wreckage. The rest of the story comes in the next lesson.

Next Lesson—"Paul in Melita and Rome."—Acts 28: 1-16.

The finest shaving brushes are manufactured from badgers' hair, and "camel's hair" brushes are turned out in great quantities from squirrels' tails and from the hair that grows inside the ears of oxen.

Frequently the English idea of colors is startling to an American. In the description of gowns worn at a ball one girl is quoted as being "delicately gowned in sky-blue satin, with touches of geranium-red."

JURY FAILS TO AGREE

FAMOUS LUETGERT MURDER CASE ENDS IN A MISTRIAL.

Jury Was Out Sixty-six Hours and Stood on Last Ballot Nine to Three for Conviction—New Trial Will Be Necessary.

End of the Long Siege.

The great Luetgert trial in Chicago, the most absorbing criminal prosecution of the century, ended in a disagreement of the jury. For sixty-six hours the jury tried in vain to reach a verdict. For thirty-eight hours the vote was 9 to 3 for conviction and at 10:40 o'clock Thursday forenoon the twelve men announced an irreconcilable disagreement, and Judge Tuthill, being convinced that it was useless and inhuman to attempt to force a verdict, reluctantly ordered its discharge. The twenty-second and last ballot stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal. This was irrespective of any question of the penalty which had to wait on the jury's decision as to the guilt or innocence of the prisoner. The big sausage maker, the center of a series of the most dramatic episodes in the annals of criminal procedure, will have to go through this experience a second time, for he will be put on trial again for the murder of his wife.

The closing events of the famous trial made up a scene of not more than eleven minutes' duration. But a tense, feverish emotion was packed into every one of these minutes and even Luetgert, with his iron nerve, felt the strain. His face was bloodless as he entered the court room and a tangle of deep furrows extended across his brow. A keen, swift look shot from beneath his shaggy gray eyebrows and his glance seemed to take in at a flash that the supreme moment in his fate had arrived. As he came in from the jail a battery of eyes threw at him looks whose significance expressed all degrees of curiosity. In his walk, his manner, his mien, constraint was there and the anxiety that sent the blood from his cheek and put a purple tinge on his lips was visibly shared in by his counsel.

Court was opened and the jurors notified to appear. Nearly three days of wrangling, loss of sleep, and the close confinement had worked a wonderful transformation on them. They entered the room with lagging steps and sank into their chairs a woe-begone looking crowd. In response to command from Judge Tuthill, Foreman Heichhold arose in his place and announced as his positive belief that no verdict could be reached. The judge interrogated the jurymen individually and each positively declared that no influence or argument could change his opinion. The attorneys for both sides agreed that the jury be discharged, and it was done.

Thus ended the first trial of what must be regarded as one of the most remarkable criminal cases of the century. The trial was in progress nearly nine weeks and cost the State of Illinois over \$15,000. Of the disagreement it can frankly be said that the division of opinion in the great world outside the jury box, where every fact and incident of the trial has been followed with an engrossing scrutiny. It is probable that a poll of all those who have given intelligent consideration to the testimony and the law as laid down by the court would present a division of three to one in favor of a conviction. The proportion of those who believe in the prisoner's guilt is probably much greater. But belief in guilt and convicting a prisoner on circumstantial evidence such as that produced for the State in this case are two very different things.

While the majority of the public may believe that Luetgert was guilty of the terrible crime laid to his charge, there has always been room for a lingering doubt in many minds that would operate powerfully on a juror's mind to prevent conviction. But for this lurking fear of doing an irreparable injustice to an innocent man the circumstances of this case would have placed Luetgert beyond the pale of human sympathy. The trial with its disagreeable has blasted his life forever—a wrong beyond repair if he is innocent, a righteous retribution if he is guilty and its hideous evidences of crime told the truth.

M'KINLEY'S IMAGE IN BRONZE

Medals Now Being Struck Off by the Philadelphia Mint.

Bronze medals bearing the likeness of President McKinley are being rapidly struck off by the mint, and soon the whole issue will have been finished. This work is being done in accordance with an ancient custom that has prevailed ever since the time of Washington. The medals are



THE M'KINLEY MEDAL.

very valuable, inasmuch as the supply is limited and the demand is large. Some collectors have complete collections of these medals, from that showing the profile of Washington to that showing the profile of Cleveland. Several of the medals already struck off have been sent to the President for himself and the members of his cabinet. The profile of the President is an excellent likeness. On the reverse side is the date of the inauguration. Large orders for the medals are expected, and the receipts are for the benefit of the mint earnings.

United States Commissioner Toulson decided to hold Karl A. Karlson, who shipped as carpenter on the British ship Favonius to Rio Janeiro from Pensacola, Fla., charged with the burning of the ship at sea.

The Cleveland express on the Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad ran into a shifting engine in the West Park, Allegheny, Pa. Boss Griffin, fireman, was fatally hurt and a number of passengers were cut and bruised.

The complaint of Mortimer Hendricks of New York City against the Manhattan Railway Company, alleging that its directors had unlawfully paid out \$3,000,000, has been dismissed.

Weyler, it seems, drew a blank and Spain a Blanco.

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H. S. Holmes was in Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

M. L. Burkhart spent Sunday at Freedom.

Victor Hindelang of Albion spent Sunday here.

Miss Mary Pierson was an Albion visitor Sunday.

T. S. James of Dexter was in town Monday.

Henry Secklinger spent Sunday at Freedom.

Miss Etta Richards spent Wednesday at Jackson.

Rev. D. R. Shier of Manchester spent Tuesday here.

Mrs. R. McColgan is visiting relatives at Elora, Ont.

J. D. Watson spent several days of last week at Detroit.

Lewis Zinke of Ann Arbor was in Chelsea, Sunday.

Mrs. Timothy McKune is visiting friends in Jackson.

Mrs. Frances Thatcher is spending some time at Three River.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schenk were Pinkney visitors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gilbert spent Saturday at Grass Lake.

Martin Conway was a Jackson visitor the first of the week.

Miss Nellie Bacon spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. M. E. Becker of Grass Lake is the guest of friends here.

Miss Edith Warren, of Dexter, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

A. F. Freeman of Manchester visited Chelsea friends, Tuesday.

George H. Kempf is at Dowagiac this week, purchasing turkeys.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Babcock of Grass Lake spent Sunday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster of Grass Lake spent Sunday at this place.

Rev. G. Eisen of Detroit was a Chelsea visitor the latter part of last week.

William Holzheuer and Fred Gage of Dexter spent Sunday at this place.

William Bury of Ann Arbor called on friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. B. Dean of Grass Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sumner, Sunday.

Miss Catherine Welsh is being entertained at the home of Miss Alice Gorman.

Misses Ella Slimmer, Minnie Vogel and Flora Hepfer spent Sunday at Freedom.

Mrs. James Vilet of St. Louis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Burton, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank VanRiper of Hillsdale was the guest of friends in this vicinity, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Seoney of Hillsdale visited friends in this vicinity, last week.

Miss Met. Miles of Dexter spent the latter part of last week with Miss Lina Lighthall.

Miss Agnes McKune of Detroit spent the first of this week with her parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Webber of Webberville were the guests of Mrs. VanOrden, Sunday.

Mrs. George Irwin and Mrs. Benjamin Winans attended the convention at Dexter, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland are in Grand Rapids this week attending the carnival of fun.

Miss Bees Cummings of St. Louis was entertained at the home of Miss Vale Burton, Sunday.

Mrs. J. Kipp of Palmyra, N. Y., was the guest of Mrs. J. Shaver and Mrs. W. Canfield this week.

G. A. BeGole, Bert Howlett and J. L. Speer attended a meeting of the D. O. K. at Detroit, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Farnsworth of Howell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson, Saturday.

On Thursday last Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mensing went to Ypsilanti to help their daughter, Minnie, celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goodrich of Lansing spent several days of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Mensing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dancer and son spent several days of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soeger near Grass Lake.

Just received at C. Steinbach's the finest lot of horse blankets and robes of all kinds, that ever came to Chelsea. In order to turn them into cash quickly I will give bargains that will move them at once. Come and inspect them and get prices.

CANNED GOODS.

The Most Fragrant and Extensive Kind of Adulteration Are Practiced.

Under one heading we may consider several groups of food stuffs, which, while different in composition, are alike in the form of adulteration which is resorted to. These groups include the varieties of canned vegetables, fruit butters, jellies, preserves and catcups. The forms of adulterations common to all of these consist in the use of coloring matter, of imperfect vegetables or fruits, of other fruits and vegetables than those called for or preservatives. In the case of canned vegetables there is an accidental adulteration from the ingredients of the can, such as lead and tin, and which may, as a rule, be attributed to a lack of care in canning.

In all of the groups mentioned the adulteration practiced is of the most flagrant and extensive kind. Catcups are made of skins and cores instead of the pure vegetables, then colored with a coal tar product and loaded with salicylic acid to prevent fermentation. Fruit butters are nothing but parings and scrapings of fruit to which glucose, starch and coloring have been added, with salicylic acid as a preservative. Jellies are made from glucose flavored with essential oils and colored, to which salicylic acid is added. Some fruit jellies marked as pure have never seen a trace of fruit. What is true of jellies is true of preserves. Put together refuse material, the cheapest sort of glucose, some coloring and salicylic acid, and you have the composition of some of the cheaper forms of preserves that are to be found on the shelves of some of our grocery stores. Of these coarser forms of adulterations it will be unnecessary to say even a word. They are universally recognized as unfit to be used, and every honest dealer is of the opinion that the sooner they are driven out of the market the better it will be for trade.—Sanitarian.

Her Foot in His Pocket.

Of Princess Pauline Borghese, she whose charms Canova is supposed to have immortalized in his Venus Victor, Mr. Augustus J. O. Hare, in his "The Story of My Life," relates this anecdote, told him by Lady Ruthven: She used, when at Rome, to go to "la toilette des pieds" of Pauline Borghese. Regular invitations were issued for it. When the guests arrived, they found the princess, supremely lovely, with her beautiful little white feet exposed upon a velvet cushion. Then two or three maids came in and touched the feet with a sponge and dusted them with a little powder—"o'etai la toilette des pieds." The Duke of Hamilton used to take up one of the little feet and put it inside his waistcoat "like a little bird."

No Sound of R.

Many languages are devoid of certain sounds quite familiar to us. The Chinese, for instance, has no sound equivalent to our "r." For America a Chinaman says "Yamelika." The Society Islanders could not pronounce either "o" or "k," and the nearest approach they could make to the name of the celebrated navigator Cook, who visited their shores, was "Tut."

Notice.

To the Patrons of the Chelsea Water Works Company:

We are now prepared to obtain for our patrons, fire insurance in thoroughly reliable companies on dwellings, barns and contents, at a little less than half the ruling rates in Chelsea for the past five years.

Chelsea is now listed as one of the very best protected towns, by water works, as far as extended, in Michigan.

Yours for health, comfort and protection, Chelsea Water works Company.

A 7 year old roadster for sale. James Rowe, Francisco.

Wonderful are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and yet it is only because as the one true blood purifier, it makes pure, rich, healthy, life-giving blood.

Hood's Pills for the liver and bowels, act easily, yet promptly. 25c.

Shropshire rams for sale cheap. Inquire of Ed. Daniels.

A few buggies left for which I will make low prices. C. STEINBACH.

Two Millions a Year.

When people buy, try, and buy again, it means they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying Cascarets Candy Cathartic at the rate of two million boxes a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most delightful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists 10c, 25c, 50c a box, cure guaranteed.

FOR SALE.—One "B Daylight" Kodak. Inquire at Standard Office.

FOR SALE.—One set of Chambers' Encyclopedia. Inquire at Standard Office.

FOR SALE.—Baby carriage in good condition. Inquire at Standard Office.

Fine wool rams for sale, Inquire of Howard Everett.

Liver Ills

Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly.

Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The only Pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty-four hours: a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraordinary effort of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At drug stores fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention the Chelsea Standard and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietor of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price, 25c per box for sale by Glazier & Stimson Druggists.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the liver and driving all impurities out of the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Rudy's Pile Suppository

Is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50c per box. Send for circular and sample to Martin Rudy, registered pharmacist, Lancaster, Pa. For sale by all first-class druggists everywhere, and in Chelsea, Mich., by Glazier & Stimson and Dr. R. S. Armstrong.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor on Thursday, the 21st day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William Martin, deceased.

The administrator of said estate comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administrator. Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 19th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the 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 administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.) P. J. Lehman, Probate Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 15th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Philip Gruner, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John G. Feldkamp administrator with the will annexed praying that he may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered that Friday the 12th day of November next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of William Wood, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date of said order of said court, to-wit: on the 15th day of January, 1898, and on the 15th day of April, 1898, next, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Oct. 16, 1897.

WILLIAM GREEN, ROBERT GLIMM, Commissioners.

RACKET STORE.

CALL AND SEE THE NEW GOODS.

Lace curtains per pair... 45, 65 and \$1.00
More of those knit skirts... 20
Table oil cloth... 15
Men's white shirts... 35, 45 and 50
Collars... 10
Neckties... 10, 15, 15 and 20
Two quart pails... 5
Frying pans... 9, 15 and 20
Tea and coffee pots... 10
Blackening brushes... 10 and 15
Cuffs... 10
1 foot rules, folders for pocket... 5
2 foot rules, folders for pocket... 8
Lunch boxes... 20
Crumb trays... 20 and 25
Hand lamps... 30
Tumblers... 3 and 5
A beautiful assortment of glass-ware, any piece for... 10 cents
Tooth brushes, nail brushes, toilet soap, shaving soap, lather brushes, brush brooms, clothes brushes, hair brushes, thread, pins, needles, purses, tablets, box paper, etc.

Eggs taken in Exchange for Goods.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS,

H. E. JOHNSON.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

Chelsea Savings Bank.

at Chelsea, Michigan

At the close of Business, October 5th, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$ 93,389.01
Stocks, bonds, mortgages, etc.	92,668.99
Banking house.....	4,200.00
Furniture and fixtures...	3,851.83
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	51,062.04
Due from other banks and bankers.....	5,000.00
Exchanges for clearing house.....	64.32
Checks and cash items...	3,257.98
Nickels and cents.....	288.91
Gold coin.....	2,285.00
Silver coin.....	1,143.00
U. S. and National Bank Notes.....	5,314.00
Total.....	\$262,475.08

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in....	\$ 60,000.00
Surplus fund.....	5,671.00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	2,310.18
Dividends unpaid.....	156.50
Commercial deposits subject to check.....	22,546.42
Commercial certificates of deposit.....	74,357.01
Savings deposits.....	22,472.81
Savings certificates of deposits.....	74,961.16
Total.....	\$262,475.08

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, Geo. P. Glazier, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. P. GLAZIER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October, 1897.

THEO. E. WOOD, Notary Public.

(H. S. HOLMES)

Correct—Attest: WM. J. KNAPP

W. P. SCHENK, Directors.



If you need a Heater, why not get the best, the genuine

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It costs not a cent more than a poor imitation. We sell the

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Prices always the lowest.

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Any one wishing to secure the services of first-class Poland China Stock Hog, will find one at my premises. Service 75 cents, cash at the time.

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A GOOD COFFEE FOR 10c PER POUND.

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I WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD.

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Our buyer will be in Detroit the first of next week selecting New Goods and Novelties in Millinery. These will be placed in our store at once and on

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WE WILL HAVE A

GRAND OPENING

And we invite every lady in Chelsea and vicinity to call on us that day.

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From This Time On

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Will have to be paid for all meat purchased at my market. I sell the choicest cuts. Try some of my hamburg steak.

ADAM EPPLER.

REAL GOOD

COFFEE AND TEA.

We are particular in selecting our coffees and teas. We keep them fresh and up to the standard of strength and quality. If not exactly right any time, bring it back, and we will make it right or return your money. When we learn just what you prefer you'll get it every time.

Good Coffee 25 cents a pound.

Good Tea 25 cents a pound.

We keep everything a Grocery Store should have.

M. L. BURKHART & CO.

Down the Dumps.

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Local Brevities

Mrs. Stephens is very sick at the home of her son, Allan.

Charles Tomlinson has moved into the Kings house on South street.

Howard Congdon is now employed at M. L. Burkhardt & Co.'s store.

Fred Gillen, of Saline is now engaged at the Chelsea Steam Laundry.

Remember the Y. P. S. C. E. sociol at the home of J. Bacon, Friday evening.

Remember the date of the presentation of the "Stolen Will"—Saturday, October 31.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mapes are now occupying the William Yocum house on South street.

John Foster is having extensive repairs made on his residence on south Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson have moved into the Sparks residence on East street.

Duncan Clark's female minstrels at the opera house, Monday evening, November 1, 1897.

The subject next Sunday evening at the Baptist church, will be "Great men as boys."

Gabe. Freer is having his residence on the corner of Park and East street repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buss are now occupying the Blach residence on Summit street.

A coaching party of twenty persons passed through here Saturday from Jackson to Ann Arbor.

New side walks have been laid in front of the residences of Dr. S. G. Bush and Dr. W. S. Hamilton.

Dr. H. H. Avery wishes The Standard to announce that he will be absent on a four weeks' vacation beginning with the middle of next week.

Mrs. J. W. Schenk will be in Detroit the first of next week buying new goods. Read her new ad on fourth page.

There will be a regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 210, O. E. S., November 3. Commence promptly at half past seven.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hoppe are now residents of Chelsea, having moved into the Beach residence on Middle street, west.

Subjects for Sunday at the Methodist church will be morning, "Every Day Religion." Evening, "Gift of God Eternal Life."

The Glazier Stove Co., have placed a very unique weather vane in the shape of an oil stove, upon the foundry department of their plant.

The seniors should have a large audience to witness the presentation of the comedy-drama, "The Stolen Will" at the opera house Saturday evening.

Married, by Rev. J. L. Nickerson, Wednesday evening October 27th, at the bride's father's, Miss Etta Belle Richards, to Henry Frey, both of Chelsea.

Died, on Wednesday, October 27, at her home in Chelsea, Mrs. Ernest Helmrich. The funeral will be held at the M. E. church, Friday afternoon.

Michael Wackenhut, of Sylvan, on Friday last sold to M. L. Burkhardt & Co. twenty heads of cabbage that weighed from twenty to twenty-three pounds each.

Chief Rain-in-the-face, The-pace-maker, The-bad-man, The-bar-tender, and five other braves of the Jackson With or With-outa Cycle club, were Chelsea callers Sunday.

The Western Union Telegraph Co., have been making quite extensive improvements here, having erected new poles, and placed a large new cable into the depot.

Mrs. Florence S. Babbitt of Ypsilanti, was appointed Grand Chaplain of the session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held in Detroit last week.

Judging by the large quantities of bulbs which are drawn through this village, it looks as though most of the land to the south of us had been planted with that odorous bulb.

Rev. L. Koelbing has commenced German school, preparatory to confirmation at the parochial school building of the Lutheran church at this place. There are twenty-eight pupils.

Tuesday, November 2nd, will be the commemoration of all the souls in purgatory who have departed. A day of great devotion in the Catholic church. High mass requiem will be sung on that day at 9 a. m., in St. Mary's church.

On Sunday morning our reporter while strolling about the burg, in casting about his weather eye, encountered a married lady in male attire and her husband in the act of taking her photo.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Bennett of Fowlerville, parents of Mrs. H. E. Johnson, have moved to Chelsea, and will make their home in the Sparks residence on East street.

Another fine organ recital will be given in St. Mary's church, in the near future. An eminent organist and noted singers, with fine local talent will be secured. Popular prices will prevail.

Bishop Foley of Detroit, has requested in all the Catholic churches of his diocese a special collection next Sunday, October 31st, for the students who are studying for the priesthood.

The meeting of the Ladies' Society of the Lutheran church will be held on Wednesday, November 3. These meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of each month during the winter.

The work done by the pupils of Mr. Whinnery, who is teaching a class in drawing here, is of a very high order, and speaks well not only for their ability as artists, but also, his as a teacher.

George T. English has received a number of copies of report of the Michigan State Farmers' Institutes for the winter of 1896-7, and has left them at the Standard office, where all entitled to them can get them.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hoppe were pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening, October 19, by forty-five of their friends taking possession of their home for several hours. All present report a very pleasant time.

After we came out with the announcement last week that the seniors would present the play, "The Stolen Will" on Tuesday evening of this week, they changed their mind and set the date for Saturday evening.

The residence of Mrs. Pat. Murphy of Lyndon, was burned Monday, at 3 o'clock in the morning. The family barely escaping, and saved nothing but a few papers. It caught from a defective chimney. There was a very small insurance.

The Y. P. S. C. E., will hold a Grand Rally Day at the Congregational church next Sunday, October 31, both morning and evening, conducted by H. F. Pratt, president of the county union, assisted by Mr. Augustine and the Misses Pomeroy all of Ypsilanti.

The annual church roll call of the Baptist society will occur on Wednesday, November 10. At 12 m. a free dinner will be served, and the business meeting will be held in the afternoon. Every body is invited to attend whether members of the society or not.

The Glazier Stove Co. Band took possession of their new hall, in J. P. Wood's block, last evening. F. P. Glazier furnishes the boys with most of the instruments and also with a band room. They make their first public appearance next Saturday evening, at the Town Hall.

John Bachman, one of Sharon's good citizens, intends sometime this fall to remove to Ann Arbor or some other good town.—Grass Lake News. If Mr. Bachman is looking for a good town in which to locate, he need not go as far as Ann Arbor. Let him come to Chelsea, and his cup of happiness will be filled to overflowing.

Tuesday last Daniel Tichenor of this place celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday. "Uncle Dan," as he is familiarly called is an exceedingly spry old gentleman for one of his years, and is a familiar sight on our streets, and scarcely a day passes but what he visits the Standard office, the climbing of the stairs not seeming to bother him very much.

Secretary of State Gardner proposes to make it interesting for those clergymen and justices of the peace who do not make prompt returns of all marriages which they have solemnized. He has notified county clerks to inform the gentlemen that neglect of their duties will lead to prosecutions.

The many friends of Miss Martha McEntee of Detroit, were pained to hear of her death at her aunt's home from consumption on Saturday, October 9, 1897. Miss McEntee had frequently visited in Chelsea as the guest of Mrs. Sherry and her cousin, Miss Rose Cassidy, and was consequently favorably known for her many admirable qualities. Mrs. Sherry and Miss Minnie Howe were present when Miss McEntee passed away, Miss Cassidy, also attended the funeral, which was held in Detroit. May her soul rest in peace.

We ask every one of our subscribers who has not paid his subscription in advance, to do so at once. We have sent out a number of statements during the past few weeks, but the response has not been such as is calculated to please and make glad the heart of a man who has numerous bills to meet. We are doing our best to give our readers a new, clean paper, and it takes money to do this. We are pleased to say that there are many who appreciate this fact and are very prompt in their payments, but there are others. It is the latter class for whom this item was written.

Next Monday, November 1, will be the Feast of All Saints, a holy day of obligation in the Catholic church. Services will be held in St. Mary's church, at 6 and 10 a. m. After the high mass the benediction of the blessed sacrament will be given. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock the vespers of the day will be sung, followed by the vespers for the dead.

There will be a meeting of the board of trustees of the Lima church, Saturday October 30th, at 2 o'clock. The names of the trustees are, I. Storms, G. W. Boynton, O. C. Burkhardt, A. Beach, W. H. Dancer. All who are interested in the repairing of the church, and having services there are requested to be present without fail. This will be the final call for this purpose.

E. Everett Howe, has completed his new novel, after three months and one week of hard work, on a daily allowance of 5 hours' sleep. His friends are arranging public readings from his novel in the various towns. Mr. Howe's forceful work, "Break o' Day," won for him the encomiums of the press, and his new work will be largely awaited by his friends. As a public reader Mr. Howe is assured of appreciative audiences. His stories are human, homely, dealing with country life and manners, and they are founded on intimate knowledge of his subject.

Report of school in district No. 5, for the month ending October 22. Attending every day, Floyd Spencer and Calista Boyce, Alta Skidmore, Madge and Vincent Young, Grace Collins, Ernest Pickell. Standing 90 James and Madge Young, Calista Boyce; 85, Grace Collins, Lillie Parks, Ethel Skidmore, Vincent Young, Verne Beckwith; 80, Ernest Pickell; Madge Young and Calista Boyce have not misspelled a word in written spelling during the month. Lillie Parks and Grace Collins missing but one.

Mrs. S. A. STEPHENS, Teacher.

Loer—On Wednesday last a pair of gold bowed spectacles. Liberal reward. Leave at the Standard office.

J. N. Merchant wishes to announce that he has plenty of bran on hand at the Chelsea Mills.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchant, of Chilhowie, Va. certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for coughs, colds and consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stimson's Drug Store.

Schedule of Teachers' Examinations.

The regular examinations for all grades will be held at Ann Arbor the third Thursday and Friday of August, 1897, and the last Thursday and Friday of March, 1898. Examinations for second and third grade at Ypsilanti the third Thursday and Friday of October, 1897, and at Ann Arbor the third Thursday and Friday of June, 1898. Special examinations for third grade only at Saline the third Friday of September, 1897.

W. N. LISTER, Commissioner.

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FLORENCE MARYATT

CHAPTER III.

The solicitor was leaning back in his chair thoughtfully with a paper-knife.

"I am sorry to hear this, Sir Wilfrid, very sorry, because I presume—forgive me if I offend you, sir—that (as you did not care to announce your marriage to your late father) Lady Ewell is not, perhaps, quite in the same position as yourself."

"She is not," replied the young man, curtly.

"I am very sorry," repeated the lawyer, "very sorry, indeed."

"Look here, Mr. Parfitt," said Sir Wilfrid, "you were my father's and my cousin's friend, and I will make a clean breast to you. You know where I have been living for the last three years, down at Chelsea, at a place called Wolsey Cottage, kept by a lady named Warner and her daughter? It's the daughter—you understand—I married her two years ago."

"But, my dear sir, you were not of age," exclaimed Mr. Parfitt, with aroused interest. "I think I am right in saying you are two-and-twenty at the present moment."

"Of course I wasn't of age. If I had been I would have married Miss Warner openly. But I was only 20, and she 17, so we took French leave."

"And how, then, did you procure the license?" inquired the lawyer.

"At this question the new baronet grew very red."

"That was the most awkward part of the business, Mr. Parfitt. You see, I was quite ignorant of such matters, and when I applied for a license, I found I had to declare we were both of age. There was no other way of getting it. I had already decided to be married under my Christian names only, of Wilfrid Stanley, so that my father might not get wind of it; so the license was made out accordingly. It was very foolish and very wrong. I see that now; but at the time I was so much in love that I would have sworn to anything in order to obtain my own way."

"You took a false oath, in fact, Sir Wilfrid?"

"I did. I feel very much ashamed to confess it, but I looked upon the whole matter as a mere form, and of no consequence to any one but ourselves. And no more, I suppose, it is."

"Not from a moral point of view, sir, certainly; but looked at legally—"

"What of it, looked at legally?"

"Simply this; that it is no marriage at all."

"What?" cried Wilfrid Ewell, with the utmost astonishment.

"I repeat it, sir. A marriage entered into by minors, without the consent of parents or guardians, and under an assumed name, is invalid."

"I am extremely sorry to hear it, but it was not done wilfully, and, as I said before, no one has a right to dispute my marriage with her now," spoke Sir Wilfrid.

"Except yourself, sir."

"What do you mean?"

"That you could set aside this marriage without the slightest trouble—in fact, you are as free to marry as if you had never seen the lady under discussion. You would not even have need to appeal to the law; you are at this moment absolutely free."

not been so rash, you might have found some one else more suited to your rank and station. But never one to love you better, darling—never a more faithful and constant wife than I shall be to you."

"Don't talk rubbish, Jane, and don't get sentimental. When people are married they're married, and there's an end of it. You will see the necessity that has arisen for our keeping our marriage a secret for a little while longer. Not a word to anybody, Jane. Remember, not to anybody."

"Not even to poor mother! It would make her so happy," said the girl, regretfully.

"No! Your mother is the last person in the world to confide a secret to."

"And your mother, Will?"

"I shan't tell her, either, until we are settled at Lambcote Hall—if we ever are."

"Why do you say 'if we ever are'?" exclaimed Jane, with surprise.

"Only because 'there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip,' you know; and who's to tell what may happen in a couple of months? We may all be dead before Lady Ewell takes herself off to her father."

"Oh, Will! it's your turn to talk nonsense now. But about mother, dear; you won't separate us—will you? You promised me you never would."

"If I said so, my dear, it must be all right. I have not been in the habit of breaking my promises to you—have I? What time is it? Let me see. By Jove! five o'clock; and I've had no luncheon. I thought I was feeling ducedly hungry."

"She sprang to her feet immediately."

"How selfish of me, Will! Here have I been thinking of nothing but myself, whilst my boy was starving. What will you have, dear? There is a cold pie in the house, and some lamb chops, and a bunch of lovely asparagus."

"I'll have some cutlets and asparagus, Jane; and tell the girl to go round to the wine merchant's and order in a dozen of the best claret. How soon will it be ready?"

"In half an hour, dear; but I must go and look after it myself. I am not to be a baronet's wife till you go to Lambcote. You told me so. And when I get there I will be very good, I promise you, and pretend I never darned a sock or cooked a cutlet in my life. But I must teach mother not to talk about it—mustn't I? Poor mother!" continued Jane, with affectionate pity, as she left the room; "how she will enjoy herself at Lambcote!"

As a vision of Mrs. Warner, arrayed in every color of the rainbow, and with her tongue going like a water-mill, doing the honors of her residence with her daughter, passed through Sir Wilfrid's brain, he shuddered and closed his eyes.

"No," he thought, "that cannot be. What I promised Jane when I married her, and believed that this cottage would be our home for life, must not be allowed to stand in the way of her own advancement. Her slender chance with the county families would be ruptured at once, unless her mother is kept in the background. We must get someone to live at the cottage and look after the old lady instead. How extraordinary it seems to remember what Parfitt declares—that after all this time of apparent security, Jane is actually not my wife! I wonder if she will be cut up when she hears it! But I shan't tell her, until I am prepared to repeat the ceremony. She is not, perhaps, in every particular what I would have chosen for Lady Ewell, but she is a very handsome, intelligent girl, and there is no doubt of her affection for me. And, hang it all! after a couple of years a man could scarcely be such a scoundrel as to propose to annul the marriage. It would be too mean! But I wish Parfitt hadn't put the notion in my head."

Which proved that, in whatever light his conscience might regard such a contingency, Sir Wilfrid's inclination meant to have a fight for it when the time arrived.

(To be continued.)

THE CHIN AS AN INDEX.

Can You Tell a Person's Character by the Shape of His Lower Jaw?

A writer in the St. Louis Clinique, writing of the chin as an index of character, says:

"Protruding chins characterize men and women of the get-there type. Successful people usually carry their chins thrust forward, with compressed lips. This chin, if heavy, with broad ram and swelling masseters, indicates fighting blood."

"A retreating chin shows lack of force, mentally, morally and physically; usually of the yielding sort; soon discouraged; desires protection; small executive force. The development of other faculties often makes up for this defect."

A small, well-rounded chin, with mobile and red cushion of flesh upon it, indicates a pleasure-loving owner. If dimpled, all the more so, for dimpled chins belong to coquettes. People with dimples love to be petted and loved; like admiration and praise. Generally feeble. Usually this chin is healthy, recuperative and long-lived."

DEATH OF MR. DANA.

PASSES AWAY IN HIS LONG ISLAND HOME.

The New York Journalist, After a Long Battle for Life, Succumbs to Exhaustion—Nova Scotia Town in Ruins—The Triton Disaster.

Sun Editor No More.

Charles A. Dana, editor of the New York Sun, died at his home in Glen Cove, Long Island, at 1:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Death had been expected for several hours, and his family and physicians were at his bedside when the end came. His condition had been such for several months that the members of his family had kept themselves in constant readiness to go to his bedside at any moment. Saturday morning he had a relapse, and it was apparent that recovery was impossible. Several times, however, he rallied, but toward night began to sink. During the night there were feeble rallies, but they did not last long. In the morning it was seen that the end was but a few hours off, and his attendants remained almost constantly at his bedside. The cause of Mr. Dana's death was cirrhosis of the liver. June 9 he was at his office apparently strong and healthy. The next day he was taken ill, and he never afterward visited New York. He was 75 years old.

It is generally stated in newspaper circles that Mr. Dana had nothing to do with the editorship of the Sun for the last six months and had not had any financial interest in the paper for some time. Theodore E. Hitchcock, a Wall street banker, is reported to be the controlling owner and the publisher of the paper. Mr. Lahn is supposed to be the next in ownership. It is thus not believed that Mr. Dana's death will have any marked change on the policy of the paper for a time at least, though it is expected that a good deal of

square and of the 400 or more buildings occupying the section barely half a dozen escaped. During the past few years many handsome brick structures have been erected, but these were generally contiguous to old wooden buildings and all went together, before the furious flames.

The origin of the fire is somewhat mysterious. A severe lightning storm passed over the town before the flames burst forth and some think the barn in which the fire started may have been struck by lightning, but many strongly suspect that the conflagration originated through the carelessness of some drunken man.

When morning broke the site of Windsor was a scene of desolation, with hundreds of frantic, thinly clad and destitute men and women and children rushing back and forth through the smoky streets. Fortunately no lives were lost, although the streets were perilous with flying bricks and slabs which the fierce hurricane drove like thunderbolts from the roofs. No Nova Scotia town has ever been visited by a conflagration of such dimensions. Of the 3,500 people that inhabited the place few have homes of their own now.

GO DOWN TO DEATH.

Fate of the Passengers on the Ill-Starred Triton.

The gunboat Maria Christina, which left Havana for the scene of the wreck of the coasting steamer Triton, bound from Havana to Bahia Honda, Pinar del Rio, which sank between Dominica and Marie, returned, accompanied by the tugboat Susie, which went with her. The gunboat had on board nineteen and the tugboat twenty-three of the members of the lost ship's company.

The Triton struck the rock during a heavy rainstorm. Her cargo shifted, and fifteen minutes later she sank in 120 fathoms of water. A scene of terrible confusion and panic ensued as soon as the passengers realized the meaning of the crash. In a wild struggle they rushed for the boats. The first boat that was lowered capsized immediately, and all of its occupants were drowned in the whirling water. The next was struck by an enormous wave and turned over, drowning twenty, but the frail craft was righted again, and eight who had been thrown out regained. Four soldiers on planks whom the strong currents carried east of Havana, opposite Morro castle, were saved by a pilot boat going toward Cardenas. Many became food for sharks.

Those who were rescued tell heartrending stories of the scenes during the terrible quarter of an hour before the Triton sank. Just as the Triton was sinking Captain Ricardo, her commander, committed suicide by shooting himself with his revolver. It is impossible to give the exact number of those who were lost, but it is estimated that they were no fewer than 150.

Rebels Sack the City of Kuang Yang and Kill and Wound 1,000.

The city of Kuang Yang, in Hunan province, has been captured and its inhabitants massacred by a band of rebels forming part of a rebel army which is devastating Hunan and Kuang provinces, in southern China. Aug. 27 the bandits scaled the walls of Kuang Yang with the intention of capturing the provincial prison and releasing three of their members there imprisoned. One band tore down the prison, setting free several hundred murderers, thieves and imprisoned debtors. Another gang attacked the central part of the city, first murdering the magistrate who had sent the three bandits to prison. His entire family, numbering thirty-two, including servants, was killed. The entire night was spent in slaying and plundering. All mandarins and every civil and military officer in the city were slain. The number killed and injured exceeded

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THE VALUE OF LEGS.

Benefits of Correct Walking as an Aid to Good Health.

Few people appreciate as they should the advantage of having legs. It is true that many have awakened to the fact that legs are good for working the pedals on a wheel, and others think them serviceable in whirling their bodies two by two over the polished surface of a ball-room floor in the early morning hours, when they had better be sleeping. But how many there are who do not appreciate the blessing of having two sound legs to walk on, and who do not realize that, having them, they are independent of circumstances!

Young or old, rich or poor, in good weather or in bad, in the city or in the country, over rough roads or smooth, or no roads at all, they can take themselves out, they can spur up the circulation to its work of supplying new food to the boiler of the body and removing its ashes; they can expand the lungs with fresh, pure air, and blow out the seeds of disease that only ask to be left alone to take root and bear deadly fruit; they can clear the brain, brushing away the cobwebs of disengagement, doubt and melancholy, filling their place with the luscious fruit of content and healthful hope.

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Perhaps the reason why so few appreciate the treasure they possess in their legs is because so few know how to use them. The walker should step briskly, with head erect, shoulders back and arms swinging, breathing deeply with closed mouth. Strolling is better than nothing, for even that takes us into pure, open air; but there is nothing like a good swinging gait for putting life into one.

Quick walking is good at any time except just after a hearty meal, but best of all in the forenoon or at bedtime. For students the evening walk is invaluable. If hard study must be continued late into the evening, sleep will be much more certain and refreshing if the mind is cleared and soothed by a brisk turn of five or ten minutes. Such a turn is useful, too, if drowsiness comes before the task is finished; it tones up the tired brain cells and freshens the jaded memory—YOUTH'S COMPANION.

Using An Ape's Weakness.

The late superintendent of the London Zoo, Mr. Bartlett, used to manage the animals by indirect methods, akin to those by which nervous children are controlled by wise parents. A rhinoceros had a "bad place" on his face. The question was, Did the abscess come from a bad tooth, or did it only need lancing? Mr. Bartlett simply said to the keeper, "Give him a new birch broom." The rhinoceros at once set it, grinding up the bits with great gusto. "Ah! You see his teeth are all right," said Mr. Bartlett, and the next day he lanced the abscess with a sharp bill-hook.

The diagnosis was as ingenious as his method of managing "Joe," a refractory chimpanzee. The Spectator describes the "indirect method."

"The big ape needed exercise. This he obtained by being allowed the run of the large monkey-house instead of remaining in a side room before the visitors came. As he knew he would be caught and put back into his own room at this hour, the ape used to climb to the top of the other monkey cages and refuse to come down."

"As he could not be tempted by food, Mr. Bartlett appealed to his mind by working on what he had noted to be his weak points, curiosity and cowardice."

"Mr. Bartlett went to the keeper, and touching him gently on the shoulder, directing his attention in a mysterious manner to the dark passage underneath the gas-pipe which traverses the house, pretending to point out to Sutton some horrible unknown creature, using an energetic manner, but saying nothing except words to this effect: 'Look out! There he is! There he is! At the same time the two men would peer into the dark place under the gas-pipe.'

"The monkey used presently to come down to see what the subject of fear and interest was, when Mr. Bartlett and Sutton used to shout, 'He's coming out! He's coming out!' and rush away in the direction of Joe's cage. The monkey would rush for the same place of safety, which happened to be the door of his own house, and sometimes enter it before them."

"The monkey never learned the deception, but would be taken in by it whenever the time came to finish his morning's airing."

Oriental Railways.

A cog wheel railway is to be built from Mount Sinai to the spot where, according to tradition, Moses stood while receiving the Sacred Tables, the spot being already marked by a stone erected by the Empress Helena, mother of Constantine the Great. It is proposed to connect the road with a line from Port Said through the Isthmus of Sinai and Arabia, to Barra on the Persian Gulf.

The Persian Railroad Tramway Company finds railroading the land of the Shah beset with difficulties. The receipts for 1890 showing a decrease of 18 per cent., due to three months' suspension, a lot of boiler tubes ordered miscarried, and, when a second lot arrived, the Shah had been murdered and for fear of an outbreak train service was forbidden on certain parts of the line.

A girl may cry occasionally when fish gets away, but she doesn't shed real sorrow until she is so old she is out of bait.



CHARLES A. DANA.



LORD SALISBURY.

The Japanese Language. The Japanese language is said to contain 60,000 words, every one of which requires a different symbol. It is quite impossible for one man to learn the entire language, and a well-educated Japanese is familiar with only about 10,000 words.

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WILL BE A DEACONESS.

Path of Life Chosen by a Daughter of Ex-Governor Ingalls.

Miss Ethel Ingalls has entered upon her duties as a deaconess of the Protestant Episcopal Church. She has entered the house of deaconesses at Philadelphia for a probationary period. Then, if she feels herself spiritually, mentally and physically fit for the life and work of a deaconess and the board of admission approves of her she will enter upon her studies. After two years she may be ordained by the Bishop.



MISS ETHEL INGALLS.

op of Pennsylvania. A deaconess of the Episcopal Church renounces the happiness of married life. "If she were married," the house mother of the deaconesses said naively, "she would have to obey her husband. If she is a deaconess she must give her first obedience to the bishop. The two men might clash."

A deaconess devotes herself to alleviating suffering, to helping those who need help, temporal or spiritual. She comforts the sick in the hospitals, she visits charitable institutions, she tries to obtain work for the unemployed. Sometimes she goes out as a trained nurse, sometimes she furthers college settlement work. In a word, a deaconess is at once a woman and a ministering angel.

Current Condensations.

The London Stock Exchange has an orchestra composed of the members of the finest amateur musical organizations in the city.

A mill employing fifty men is now engaged in making paper from the bagasse, or sugar cane refuse, which was once the greatest nuisance to the sugar grower.

A woman of 97, now living in the South, recently had a proposal of marriage. She is Western by birth, is said to be wonderfully attractive and looks thirty years younger than she is.

It is proposed to remove the Grant statue in St. Louis from 12th street to Washington square, near the new city hall, mainly, apparently, to give unimpeded way for street car traffic.

A "new" father in a Missouri town found a \$20 gold piece tucked into the lining of a baby carriage he bought there, and in twenty-four hours there wasn't a baby carriage left on sale in the place.

The broom factory in Colchester is to start up very soon with a full force of blind people. This institution is run by the Connecticut Institute and Industrial home for the blind, and will make all kinds of brooms.

Prizes amounting to \$15,000 and \$15,000 Mexican money have been offered by the Mexican Ministry of Education and Public Works for the best design for a capitol building. The building is to cost \$1,500,000, and to be two stories high.

One of Gen. Gordon's empty uniform cases, marked with his name, was found in one of the dervish boats recently captured by Gen. Hunter at El Dameth, near Berber, Africa. The case has been sent home to Gen. Gordon's family.

The British museum has books written on bricks, tiles, oyster shells, bones and flat stones, together with manuscripts on bark, ivory, leather, parchment, papyrus, lead, iron, copper and wood. It also has three copies of the Bible written on the leaves of the fan palm.

"Pittsburg is to light London." It is with this somewhat broad statement that a smoky city newspaper announces the fact that the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company has received an order from the Metropolitan Supply Company of London for an electric-lighting plant. The order calls for three dynamos of about 3,000 horse power each. The cost is estimated at about \$450,000.

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PULLMAN IS NO MORE.

PALACE CAR MAGNATE DIES OF HEART FAILURE.

Had Come Suddenly in the Early Morning—Started a Poor Last at \$40 a Year and at Death Was Reported Worth \$40,000,000.

Career Is Closed.

George M. Pullman, president of the Pullman Palace Car Company, died at 530 o'clock Tuesday morning, at his home in Chicago. Death was sudden, and is attributed to heart failure. Monday night Mr. Pullman retired at 11 o'clock, after entertaining a party of friends at his home. At that time he made no particular complaint regarding his health.

During the past month Mr. Pullman had been ailing, but the trouble was not sufficient to interfere with his business, and Monday he was at his office as usual. Early Tuesday morning a friend, who was stopping with Mr. Pullman, heard a slight noise from his host's bedroom and entered to see Mr. Pullman make his way to a safe, where he fell gasping for breath. Physicians were summoned, but the sick man had expired before a doctor could reach his side. His very sudden death came as a shock to his relatives and friends, and as it became known throughout the city formed the chief topic of conversation in business circles. Mrs. Pullman was in New York at the time of her husband's demise.

Founder of a City.

George Mortimer Pullman, one of Chicago's most distinguished citizens and founder of the city which bears his name, was born in Chautauque County, N. Y., March 3, 1831. At the age of 14 he was



GEORGE M. PULLMAN.

a clerk in a country store at \$40 a year and his board. Three years later he went to Albion, N. Y., where he was employed as a cabinetmaker. During the following ten years he was engaged in contract work of various kinds. In 1859 he went to Chicago. Between 1859 and 1862 he remodeled several passenger coaches into sleeping cars. These cars were first run over the Chicago and Alton and Galena and Chicago railroads. In 1865 the first complete sleeping car, "The Pioneer," was finished at a cost of \$18,000. He then organized the Pullman Palace Car Company and established the plant at the town of Pullman, which was a plan of his own creation, and has grown to splendid proportions and is known the world over as a model city. At the time of his death Mr. Pullman is reported to have been worth \$40,000,000.

The Pullman Palace Car Company is the largest railroad manufacturing interest in the world. It employs a capital of \$40,000,000 and has assets exceeding \$45,000,000. About the time of the World's Columbian exposition it had in its service 2,239 cars and employed 13,855 persons, whose annual wages aggregated \$3,331,327, being an average of \$610 per capita. At present, however, both the number of employees and their wages are lower than then.

But, although Mr. Pullman was the moving spirit of this vast enterprise, his capacity for business was not fully satisfied in any single venture. Among the important interests with which he was identified were the Egleston iron works of New York, and the New York Loan and Improvement Company, which he organized and which built the Metropolitan Elevated Railway on Second and Sixth avenues. He had also been interested in the Nicaragua canal plan since its inception.

At the time it was constructed, in 1884, the Pullman office building, where the business headquarters of the car company are maintained, was probably the finest business and apartment block in Chicago, and it does not stand behind many to this day. His home, a mansion of brown stone on Prairie avenue and Eighteenth street, is one of the finest appointed residences in Chicago.

In business Mr. Pullman was prompt but never hasty. Socially, he was courteous in manner, but his familiarity was not such as to make him unapproachable. In 1867 he married Miss Hattie A. Sanger, daughter of James T. Sanger of Chicago. Their four children are Florence, Harriet, George M., and Walter, the last two being twins.

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A CHILD'S RECOVERY

FROM PARALYSIS AND SIX YEARS OF CONVULSIONS.

Little Fannie Adams of Umattila Cured of a Dreadful Malady—A Cure of Unusual Interest—A Reporter Investigates.

From the Lake Region, Seattle, Va.

For some time past the Lake Region has been receiving reports from Umattila, Fla., of an almost miraculous cure that had been effected in the case of Fannie Adams, a daughter of A. J. Adams, of that place, and last Saturday a representative of this paper made a trip to Umattila for the purpose of determining the authenticity of the same.

The family live a short distance from the village, where it was found that the people were cognizant of the cure which had been effected, and were rejoicing with the family in their new-found happiness. The father, A. J. Adams, is a hard-working honest farmer from East Tennessee, and the family came to Umattila four years ago in the hope that a change of climate would be of benefit to their afflicted child. Much of their earnings have gone for doctors' bills, whose services proved unavailing. The representative was greeted by Mrs. Adams, from whom he gained the story of her great trial.

Fannie, the youngest child, was born in East Tennessee, and was seven years old on the third day of February, 1897. When ten months old she was stricken with paralysis which affected the entire left side. This attack was followed by convulsions, and from the time little Fannie was ten months old until February, 1897, there was not a single day or a night that she did not have spasms of the most distressing nature. Not a single convulsion, but always three or four, and sometimes as high as ten in one day.

The family was all broken down with care, and Mrs. Adams states that for one year she did not go into her kitchen to superintend her household work. All the fingers of the right hand of the little girl are misshapen, caused by her biting them during the fearful suffering. The case baffled the skill of the best physicians, and they were frank to say that they could not determine the cause, or prescribe a remedy to aid the afflicted child.

But what a change now in that household; for little Fannie has recently been released from her six years of agony, which brings the light of happiness to the faces of the parents.

In January, this year, Mrs. Adams, who had purchased some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for her fourteen-year-old daughter, determined to try their effect upon little Fannie. After three or four doses she noted an improvement and then told the father what she had done. He at once went to the village and bought another box, and up to this time six boxes have been used. The first pills, Mrs. Adams states, were given in January, the latter part, and certainly not earlier than the fifteenth or twentieth, and the child had her last convulsion on February 23, nearly three months ago. Her general condition has improved in every way, and it was not a month after the first pills were taken when she began to walk without assistance.

The pills were bought at the drug store of Dr. Shelton, in Umattila. In answer to the question, did he, to his personal knowledge, know that the remedy had benefited Fannie Adams, as was stated by her parents, the doctor said that he was a regular practicing physician, and as such was loath to recommend any proprietary medicine, but still he was ready to do justice to all men, and he did know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People had benefited Fannie Adams, and also volunteered the information that he knew of other children in the village who had been benefited by their use.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppurations, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in a jar) built at 30 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Pathetic Incident.

An exchange prints a pretty and pathetic story said to have been related by Prof. Galland, the well-known instructor of deaf mutes.

The professor has a favorite pupil—a little deaf mute boy, exceptionally bright. Mr. Galland asked him if he knew the story of George Washington and the cherry tree. With his nimble fingers the little one said he did, and proceeded to repeat it.

The noiseless gesticulations continued until the boy had informed the professor of the elder Washington's discovery of the mutilated tree and of his quest for the mutilator.

"When George's father asked him who hacked his favorite cherry tree," signalled the voiceless child, "George put his hatchet in his left hand."

"Stop," interrupted the professor. "Where do you get your authority for saying he took the hatchet in his left hand?"

"Why," responded the boy, "he needed his right hand to tell his father that he cut the tree."

Hope Deferred.

"I'm afraid," said the Arctic explorer, "we won't find the North Pole this trip."

"Guess not," replied his shivering companion; "we'll have to state that the discovery has been postponed on account of the weather."—Puck.

The New Food Drink.

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From Bad to Worse.

An English gentleman was walking with a friend in Unter den Linden, in Berlin, and in the course of a discussion on the Kaiser's conduct committed a grievous error of Majestats-Beleidigung.

"The Emperor's a fool!" he exclaimed, whereupon an English-speaking police officer tapped him on the shoulder and said:

"You must come mid me to see police station."

"What for?" asked the Englishman.

"Mein herr did call se Kaiser a fool," replied the man.

"No, no," urged the cote Eriton; "it was the Russian Emperor I was speaking about."

"Dat will not wash," went on the constable; "dere is no Emperor a fool except the German Emperor."

If afflicted with scalp diseases, hair falling out, and premature baldness, do not use grease or alcoholic preparations, but apply Hall's Hair Renewer.

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My doctor said I would die, but Fies's Cure for Consumption cured me.—Amos Keiser, Cherry Valley, Ill., Nov. 23, '95.

TRYING ORDEALS FOR WOMEN.

Mrs. Pinkham Tells How Women May Avoid Painful Examinations.

To a modest, sensitive, high-strung young woman, especially an unmarried woman, there is no more trying or painful ordeal than the "examinations," which are now so common in hospitals and private practice.

An examination by speculum, or otherwise, is sometimes a positive necessity in certain stages of many diseases peculiar to women, so at least it is declared by the profession. This would not be the case if patients heeded their symptoms in time.

If a young girl's blood is watery, her skin pale and waxy looking, her lips colorless, bowels torpid, digestion poor, her ears and temples throbbing and she is subject to headache, begin at once to build up her system with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Do not allow her to undergo a physical examination.

Here is a letter from a young lady who requests that her name should not be used, but gives her initials and street number so that any inquiry addressed to her will be received. She says:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—It affords me great pleasure to be able to say a few words in regard to the merits of your Vegetable Compound. I was tempted to try it after seeing the effects of it upon my mother, and now I feel like a new person. I am a stenographer and was troubled with falling of the womb and female weakness in general. I continued to work until I was so weak I could no longer walk, and the last day I was forced to stop and rest."

"I was then so ill that I was compelled to stay in bed, and so nervous that I could not hold anything in my hands. The least noise or surprise would cause my heart to beat so loudly, and I would become so weak that I could hardly stand. I suffered for almost a year. It is different now. I can go about my work with pleasure, while before, work was a drudge."

"Trusting that my words of praise may help some other afflicted person, and be of benefit to womankind in general, I remain, Yours in gratitude, L. H., 444 S. East St., Indianapolis, Ind."

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Still Believed It.

Many strange superstitions are connected with sweeping the house. In Suffolk, people say that if after sweeping the room the broom is accidentally left in the corner strangers will visit the house in the course of the day; while others affirm in the Northern counties that to sweep dust out of the house by the front door is equivalent to sweeping away the good fortune and happiness of the family.

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Among the Jews.

In Jewish marriages the woman is always placed on the right of her betrothed. With every other nation of the world her place in the ceremony is on the left.

The Ever-Present Question.

First Cyclist—Oh, you wouldn't like Jobson; he's got a wheel in his head.

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SYLVAN.

Miss Florence Hammond spent part of last week at this place.

O. I. Cushman and family are spending this week at Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Parker are suffering from the effects of poison sumac.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer H. Boyd are visiting friends at Penn Yan, N. Y.

Mr. Crozier of Ann Arbor spoke both morning and evening at the Sylvan Christian Union last Sunday.

Miss Effie Ludlow is spending some time at the hospital in Ann Arbor, where she underwent an operation last Friday.

NORTH LAKE.

John Doody is just recovering from a severe illness.

M. R. Griffith spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah.

Peter Gorman's separator is idle on account of the breaking of his engine.

M. R. Griffith, who has been here the past two years, has gone to Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Watts, of Mason, were the guests of friends here Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a birthday social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Whelan, Friday afternoon and evening, November 5. Everybody invited.

UNADILLA.

Uncle William Gilbert is on the sick list.

Mrs. Charles Bulls spent Sunday with friends in Pinckney.

Herbert Lane of Howell, called on friends here, one day last week.

Alonso Lane made a business trip to Grass Lake one day last week.

Miss Katie Barnum entertained a friend from Howell over Sunday.

The C. E. society will hold a social at the hall, Friday evening. All are invited.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a social at the residence of Mrs. William Sales, Friday, October 29.

Married, on Wednesday, October 27, 1897, Miss Paulina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hadley, of Lyndon, to Mr. Lou Clark of Stockbridge.

LIMA.

Miss Adena Strieter is home on a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neihaus visited at Fredonia Sunday.

A number from Chelsea, attended the services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sumner, of Chelsea, visited at George Perry's, Sunday.

Rev. J. L. Nickerson will preach here one week from next Sunday, at 3 p. m.

The Misses Stabler are entertaining their cousin, Miss Rose Newman, of Detroit.

Henry and Miss Bertha Strieter begin German school at Fredonia, next Monday.

Mrs. Carr, of Bay City, spent the first of this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Perry.

Miss Linna Lighthall, of Chelsea, was the guest of Miss L. May Wood, Thursday and Friday of last week.

An Epworth League was organized at this place, Sunday, consisting of twenty-three members. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Fannie Ward; 1st vice president, Miss Bertha Spencer; 2nd vice president, Mrs. I. Hammond; 3rd vice president, Jay Easton; 4th vice president, Mrs. Henry Wilson; secretary, Russell Wheelock; treasurer, Miss Adena Strieter. They will meet at Mrs. Ward's on Friday evening. The League will hold a meeting at the church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Their meetings will be held the evenings of the Sundays when there is no preaching.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

For the past three months there has been an average out put of 22 thousand barrels of flour per month from the mills of Ann Arbor.

The city fathers of Marshall, are making experiments in paving, and it is represented that at a recent meeting of the council it was suggested by one of the members that "we put our heads together and build a wooden pavement this fall."—Albion Mirror.

Peter Krell, one of our best citizens, came home from Mason Wednesday and was taken from the train in an insensible condition owing to congestion of the brain. He was conveyed to the house of his daughter, Mrs. Leroy Brower, and is recovering.—Grass Lake News.

County Clerk Schuh enjoyed an unenviable experience yesterday. While looking after some plumbing in the basement of an Ann street block he stepped into a cess-pool and had to be taken home on a dory. His clothes were ruined, the contents of the pool reaching to his arm-pits.—Washtenaw Times.

Bees swarming in October is not a very common occurrence, even in this bustling vicinity of Stockbridge, but that is what happened one day last week, when Cordie Bowdish, coming home for dinner on his wheel, on Clinton street, had to duck his head and pump for dear life to get through.—Stockbridge Sun.

The lazy rascals of Munith who fill the position of husbands, in order to make wood sawing popular with the fair sex got up a wood sawing bee, offering prizes to the woman who would fiddle off the largest pile of wood in a given time. The prize was won by Mrs. Waidlick and the town is now wooded up for the winter.—Ex.

"He didn't use one grammatical sentence during the whole time we were at the field," expostulated one of the Oberlin football players after their defeat Saturday, referring to Michigan's coach. A ragged little newsboy, who happened to overhear the ungracious remark, tapped the speaker on the arm and ejaculated: "Say, Mister, that was a football game, not a spellin' match."—Washtenaw Times.

E. E. Osband is mourning the loss of \$25 worth of carpenter's tools which were stolen from his chest Monday night. He was working on a house in Normal Park, and left his chest there locked, but it was pried open. He has no clue to the thieves.—Ypsilanti.

Fred C. Weinberg has leased for five years the strip of land between Hill and Madison streets, on the east side of south fifth avenue and will at once commence operations to make a skating park out of it. The ground will be flooded and covered with ice as soon as the weather is propitious for such an undertaking.—Ann Arbor Argus.

Alva E. Lyon, a member of last year's graduating class, has won a fellowship in the Yerkes Observatory of the University of Chicago. The fellowship carries with it \$400 to be used in working for an advanced degree from the Chicago University. Mr. Lyon is a resident of Selo township and a son of Arthur Lyon.—Dexter Leader.

Just 41 years ago yesterday Dr. Watling opened up a dentist's office in this city. During this long period of service in his profession he has pulled several bushels of teeth, plugged up enough cavities with gold to make a Klondiker envious, has not been at all backward about giving advice against the use of tobacco and has served years on the U. of M. faculty.—Washtenaw Times.

Dr. Chadwick having sold his dental practice in this village to Dr. Stafford of Brooklyn, paid his last visit to this place on Monday. He expects to dispose of his practice at Grass Lake and move to Los Angeles, California, where he will establish an office. The doctor, born and educated here, has many warm friends who regret his departure, but when one hopes to do better somewhere else we can but wish them success.—Manchester Enterprise.

Intelligence has been received that Dr. Pratt, who started for the Klondike, last summer, decided to turn back on reaching St. Michaels, and he is now in Seattle. He was ill on the steamship and did not fancy the idea of wintering in that frozen country, and as he had an opportunity to sell his outfit and medical supplies he embraced the opportunity. He will winter in Washington state and go to Alaska in the spring.—Saturday Evening Star.

Frank S. Cooke, sporting editor of the Detroit Free Press, Charles Backus of the Richmond Backus Co., T. C. Oulette, and J. H. Herberston, all of Detroit, were in the city yesterday arranging for their annual breeders' bench show, which will be given in Ypsilanti about November 18, for two days if sufficient encouragement is given. Pontiac, Windsor and Jackson all tried to secure the show, but through the efforts of Ypsilanti dog fanciers, it will probably be pulled off here. Andrew Byers of the Opera House, has been appointed local assistant manager of the show, and Warren Lewis assistant secretary.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

Dr. Alfred Hennequin, formerly of the U. of M., lost all his household goods, manuscripts, paintings and family portraits, besides his fine library on dramatic art and literature, by the recent fire in Detroit. Dr. Hennequin's library was one of the most important of its kind in the country, and besides French dramatic works it contained rare editions of plays in Italian, Spanish and German; among others, annotated editions of Caleron's "El Magico Padrigoso," and Goldoni's "Le Donne Curiose," the annotations being marginal, and supposed to have been made by the authors. It is a loss which cannot be estimated.—Ann Arbor Argus.

L. Whitney Watkins our young deputy state warden, has been called to the upper peninsula by state game and fish warden Osborn to look after the deer hunters during the open season, and to prevent the shipment of game out of the state along the Wisconsin line at Ironwood, Watersmeet, Pembina, Crystal Falls and other points. His headquarters will be at Iron Mountain, where he must report by October 25th and from there he will make trips out among the miners' and lumbermen's camps and examine hunters for license, etc., in Iron, Delta, Gogebic, Dickinson, Menominee and other counties. He must serve in the far north until the second week in December. Another deputy will be sent down here to look after our lakes and woodlands while he is away. Mr. Watkins goes well armed and determined to enforce the law among the French Canadian and "half-breeds" in the pine woods as thoroughly as in the southern counties of the state.—Manchester Enterprise.

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