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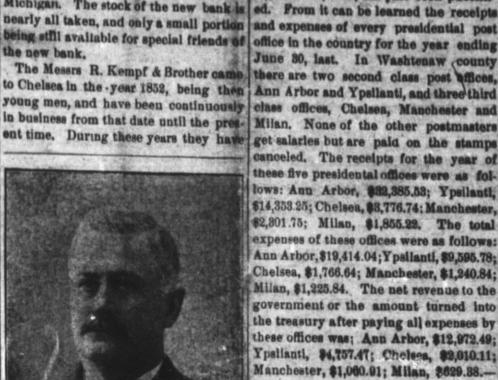
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Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M. for 1897. Jan. 12, Feb. 16, March 16, April J. D. SCHNATTMAN, Sec. R. P. CARPENTER, W. R. C. NO. 210. meets the Second and Fourth Friday in R. M. WILKINSON, Secretary. Geo. H. Foster, AUCTIONEER Satisfaction Guaranteed Terms Reasonable. Headquarters at Standard Office. We Cannot Please

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AIRSHIP THAT FLIES.

MAXIM CLAIMS HE HAS PER-FECTED ONE.

Says It Was His Ship that Caused Such Extraordinary Interest Through the West Last Summer-Government Is After the Missing Word Contests.

Can Fly Through the Air. A special from New Kensington, Pa. states: If what Hiram S. Maxim claims is true, aerial navigation is an accomplished fact. Mr. Maxim, who is the inventor of the Maxim gun, says he has traveled across the continent and back to his starting place in such an airship. Indeed, it was his strange craft which aroused such extraordinary interest last summer and which was reported having been seen at Denver, Chicago, St. Louis and other Western cities. Mr. Maxim's craft is cigar-shaped, conical at both ends, with an apright aeroplane at the stern for steering apparatus. The skin of the ship is double and filled with hydrogen gas. Every part of the ship and motive power is made of aluminum; the motive power being naphtha. The whole thing weighs 5,000 pounds, occupies 106,000 cubic feet of space, can attain easily a speed of 100 miles an hour, and will carry passengers and freight parcels. New Kensington aluminum furnished the material. Mr. Maxim's company is the Atlantic and Pacific Aerial Navigation Company, of which C. A. Smith and M. A. Terry, wellknown business men of San Francisco, are respectively president and secretary. A trip to the Klondike will be made soon.

Worse than Lotteries.

The Postoffice Department is taking a firm stand against the so-called "missingletter" and "missing-word" contests which are being conducted by a number of publishers to increase the subscriptions to their papers. The lottery law directs that the Postmaster General, upon evidence satisfactory to himself that a concern or person is operating through the mails a lottery or scheme offering prizes dependent upon lot or chance, to prohibit the delivery of all mail matter to it. All newspapers and periodicals containing advertisements of this character are forbidden'transmission in the mails. This law, it is now announced at the Postoffice Department in Washington, will be applied to all schemes which are violations of it, if they are continued in operation or advertisements of them are published. Missing-letter contests are held to be such violations, because many correct answers can be given, but only one list is deemed

LASTERN. The New York dry goods firm of Hil-n, Hughes & Co., which failed in 1896, tified its smaller creditors that

their claims will be paid in full on pres-At New York, William C. Woodward alias "Big" Hawley, who was convicted of attempted blackmail on Samuel W.

Brighom, was sentenced to five years' im-Joslah Quincy was nominated for Mayor of Boston on the Democratic licket in one of the stormlest conventions ever held there. Every speaker, no matter what he had to say, was hissed and cheered, till the convention appeared more like a riot than a deliberative meeting.

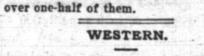
Fire destroyed McCoulough's hardware store, Beale's dry goods store, Heilman's house furnishing store, the Armstrong Water Company's building, Merchants' National Bank and the office of Attorney Ross Reynolds at Kitanning, Pa. A num-ber of other buildings were badly damaged. The loss was \$60,000.

Martin Thorn, accused of the murder of William Guldensuppe, the Turkish bath rubber, was pronounced guilty by the jury at New York. Thorn received the verdict with a laugh, but he seemed to have lost his nerve as he was led back to jail. The court denied a motion for a new trial and set the day for the passing of the sentence.

The wife of Antonio Milagno died at Erie, Pa. Antonio was drunk, and went to the cellar to get more liquor. He fell and his wife came to his assistance with a lamp, but he throw a hammer at her head and missed the mark. He then came upstairs with a can of oil and tar, which he threw in his wife's face. In an instant the mixture caught fire from the lamp and she was enveloped in firmes.

The New York World's first figures of Cuba's starvation were timidly moderate. They showed the death rate of only 200,-000. But every painful fact unearthed tends to prove them nearly double that number. When the grim returns are all in it is now almost certain that this Cuban massacre of the innocents will reach 400,000. And this awful number does not

include those killed in battle or the thousands and thousands of women and chil dren who have died of exposure, disease and massacre in the "managuas" and swamps. It now seems certain that more than half a million people, for the most part loyal subjects of Spain, have been killed by Spanish war in Cuba. The figures of Spanish official reports show but a part of the mortality. They only give the number buried in consecrated ground -they do not give that fully. And yet these official ultra-Spanish reports of burial permits issued admit that in the Province of Santa Clara there have died and been buried since Weyler's fiat 71,-847 persons. The number of people for whose existence Weyler was directly responsible is 155,132 in Santa Clara Province. And of these he killed 86,216, of



wred lands by the Mexican Gove offered lands by the Metican Government very cheap. Not being able to agree on a leader to conduct them to the promised land in their own action, United States Agent Wisdom was finally selected. The Indians propose to sell their lands to the United States and with the proceeds purchase new homes. The Dawes commis-sion is authorized to negotiate for the In-dian lands. Agent Wisdom has not yet decided whether to accept the offer.

Chesterfield, Ind., was almost wiped off the map by the explosion of eighty quarts of nitro-giveerine, which had been brought overland from Montpeller and placed in an open field, a half mile from the town. Marion Mansey and Sam Maguire were working at a gas well near by when the explosion occurred. Mansey was thrown fifty feet, but not fatally injured. Ma-guire was also thrown 100 feet in the air and badly lacerated, but will recover. The little town of Chesterfield is a mass of ruins. At Dalesville, two miles away, and at Yorktown, five miles distant, the damage was almost as great. The jar of the explosion was felt for fifteen miles in all directions. The explosion was spontaneous. Though many were hurt, no person was killed.

Dr. T. J. See, one of the staff of ob servers at the astronomical observatory maintained at Flagstaff, Ariz., by Per-cival Lowell of Boston, has described the recent important work undertaken at the observatory. The study of Mars is the chief work, and the problems to be solved in the planet involve the measurement of fine lines supposed to be canals, which are found on its surface. Since 1896 the work has been prosecuted with the new 24-inch telescope. It was announced at Harvard College that since August, 1896, Dr. See has discovered with the Lowell telescope about 500 new double stars, besides measuring some 700 objects noticed by previous observers. The new double star discoveries are interpreted by Dr. See to suggest that this formation of rings

is only an exception to the rule; that the more usual method of the formation of a system from one great original mass is that central mass divides en masse, the satellite beginning life as it were in nearly its ultimate form.

SOUTHERN.

General Cassius M. Clay's child wife Dora, is seriously sick at the cottage of her brother, Cecil Richardson. She has peritonitis, the result of being thrown from a horse several weeks ago.

Al Chastan, deputy sheriff of Panhan dle, Tex., has wired the Topeka (Kan.) officers to help him find the Rev. A. E Morrison, charged with poisoning his wife. Morrison was released at Topeka the other day after the police had held him for three days, awaiting some action on the part of the Texas authorities.

The jury at Sevierville, Tenn., in the case against Pleas Wynn and Catlett Tipton, charged with the murder of William Whaley and wife in that county last December, brought in a verdict convicting Wynn and acquitting Tipton. The crime of which the men were charged was a the white cap organization existing in

days. On the 12 the world for two days. On the 12th th hurricane reached Leyte, and struck th capital of Tacloban with great fury. In less than one-half hour the town was a mass of ruins.

Charles Sonne York, now a resident of Vryburg, in Brit-ish Bechuansland, Africa, and a mem-ber of the Cape Parliament, is on a visit to this country. He is chiefly interested in the plan of the British Government, to come up at the next session of the Cape Parliament, to break the pre treaty existing among the nations of Ger many, Great Britain and the United States in relation to South African goods. The United States, England fears, is getting too much of the importing business of South Africa, and it is itself anxlous to take some away. Canada also wants to get a slice of the business, and is waiting to have the treaty broken that it may begin shipments of its own goods to South Africa. The commercial treaty has been in existence many years. Under it a great quantity of machinery, petroleum, furniture, agricultural imple hardware, canned and dried fruit, fish boots and shoes and cigarettes and tobacco are sent to South Africa by the United States. The goods are better and cheaper than can be procured in Ger-many and England. Many merchants do not want to pay higher duties, as the English wish them to do, according to the prospective new treaty, and they are already preparing to fight the matter. Mr. Sonnenberg says that it is of the greatest importance to the United States that this Government should take some steps at once to meet the coming fight,

IN GENERAL.

The steamer Dauntless has again eluded the officials of the Government and is off for Cuba with a cargo of arms and munitions of war.

Canada's postmaster general announces that after Jan. 1 the rate of postage on letters from Canada to all parts of the British empire will be reduced to 3 centa an ounce.

Mrs. John Biddulph Martin, formerly Victoria Woodhull, is preparing, it is said to leave England shortly for America, where, according to rumor, she will wed a wealthy Westerner.

The plan to consolidate the wire rod. wire nail and other wire industries of the United States is reported to be near completion. It is understool that each mill is to be purchased outright and that the enterprise will involve \$00,000,000,

A monthly steamship service has been established between New York and India. The first steamer, the Sahara, has arrived. Heretofore American trade with the far East has been usually done by transfer in English or Mediterranean ports.

The British City Line steamer Exeter City, which has arrived at New York from Bristol and Swansca, fell in with the British schooner, Elite, dismasted dastardly one, and was an outgrowth of and in a sinking condition, and rescued her crew of five men and brought them

RUSH OF PATIENTS.

THAT IS WHAT THE PATENT OF-FICE EXPECTS.

The Cleveland Law Takes Effect January First, So Foreign Inventors Have Only a Short Time to Protect Themselves-Passengers as Freight.

Expect a Rush.

The patent office at Washington ex-pects to do a rushing business during the onth, owing to the fact that the paten law passed during the Cleveland admin-istration takes effect New Year's day. Heretofore it has been customary for American manufacturers wishing to engage in the manufacture of some new article to have an examination of all American patents until they find some attractive device. After the present month, however, they will be able to sele manufacture any foreign patent that has not been patented in this country. These ideas and inventions they can use with-out payment of any kind to the inventor, inasmuch as the foreign patent does not cover American rights. After Jan, 1 no patent can be obtained in America for any invention already patented in a foreign country, save where the foreign application is of very recent date. Hence the present holders of foreign patents who desire to realize from their inventions will have to file their claims within the next few days; otherwise they will become public property on this side of the

Reports of Indian Agents.

water.

From Washington comes the news that some interesting reports have been made by Indian agents in their annual review of developments in their fields. At the Pottawatomie and Great Nemeha re vations in Kansas there are about 16,000 acres of surplus lands in the Prairie Band reserve that are likely to be a subject of contention in the future, and there seems to be a growing sentiment in the tribe favoring their sale. At the Omaha and Winnebago agency in Nebraska the assumption and dissolution of the marriage relation at will, without form of law, is common, and it is predicted will neces-sarily cause endless trouble. Maj. A. E. Woodson of the Cheyennes and Arapahoes, in Oklahoma, reports: "The motherin-law is much in evidence among these people. She makes herself a 'holy terror' unless the family affairs are conducted according to her ideas. Much of the agent's time is occupied in the settlement of family quarrels." Many of the Indian agents recommend discontinuance of the issuance of rations and clothing and urge the substitution of a policy of making cash payments to the Indians for a time. At the Green Bay agency, in Wisconsin, the tribe is reported as retrograding, owing to factional troubles.

Human Beings as Freight.

Hereafter immigrants who are steerage passengers will be forwarded by a "routing committee" of the western passenger pool over such route as it pleases. The immigrant may have a preference, and he may express it, but he will go according to the pool's decision or stay in New York. This is the result of a contract entered into between the railroads and the steamship companies. BREVITIES.

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dicine Hat was proud of itself day. It had the reputation of he coldest town on the continent, stuck Atself full of plumes. The went into its burrow for the w ating. It got as far as 22 dep w zero, and during the day used and out of its hole, for the his point it reached was 12 degrees

Medicine Hat is just across m Montana, but the best that con one on the American side was 6 be at Havre and Bismarck. Uncle Sa thermometer at Havre nearly diarant itself, for its silver column actually a as high as 0 during the day.

But Medicine Hat's glory may be a lived. Away off to the northwest are stations of Battleford and Edmin which generally hold the record, Bin ton has long had the reputation of her the breeding place of the blizzard, is that distinction may be wrested from when the wires bring Dawson City Point Barrow within hearing dis At Calgary, west of Medicine Hat, and Swift Current on the east the th ters registered 20 below, while Winnie came trailing after with a record of below. Helena, St. Paul and Duluth to the breath of old Boreas, the mer lipping well down toward zero.

FACTS ABOUT THE NAVY.

Secretary Long Gives to the Pat His Annual Report.

Secretary of the Navy Long, in his r port to the President, declares that if prime need of the naval service is not an ships, but new docks, wharves, munition men and facilities. He says in part: "Hitherto for more than a decade f increase of the navy has very proper been in the line of new ships, and wis so, as this has hitherto been the vi need. In the opinion of the department the time has now come when that incrit should be on adjunctory lines in order bring our naval facilities up to the an line of, advance. The principal need to-day is that of sufficient docks, of whit there is a deplorable lack; of adeq pplies of the munitions of war, wh should never be at the hand-to-mo stage; of an equipment of our navy ya equal to the demand upon them of the in creased number of our ships, and of a enlarged corps of officers and men to the work.

llery, ca hat he h is batter rorking ras' ver "Additions to our fleet may be here necessary to bring it in case of an ener gency to an extent commensurate w the growing necessities of the country, iew of the devel ewn mu Alaska, which is a continent in itself, "'Gen. of the possible annexation of islands uard ba the Pacific. On the other hand, it is o take n mistake not to recognize that our m power has more than doubled within the set of ne to wo apt. Co last few years; that the case of, any ene gency beyond our present resources is the very rare case; that until it comes sh beyed. and of t will be gradually taken out of commission and put into reserve in order to relat d all w running expenses, and that a due reg rork wa is necessary to the relation of the nati tound a oldier w expenditures to the national revenues "The department therefore recom that the authorization of new ships by the coming Congress be limited to one ba ship for the Pacific coast, where, after the five now under construction are com ed, there will be only two, while a the Atlantic coast there will be seven; ! also to a few torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers, both of which are paratively of little cost, and more of the are desirable in order to bring the st mobile and handily effective arms service up to its place in the ge scheme for coast defense. "The present effective fighting fores the navy consists of four battl the first class, two battleships of the se ond class, two armored cruisers, siz cruisers, fifteen gunboats, six doublets ands to reted monitors, one ram, one dyn sunboat, one dispatch boat, one transport gher w ate for are under construction tive battlesh dered, J the first class, sixteen torpede bails a " The 1 one submarine boat. There are sixty and other naval vessels, including these up oke the id he b as training, receiving and navalas calle ships, tugs, disused single turreted ma bserved lose hi tors and some unserviceable craft "There is, further, the auxiliary This consists, first, of more than the n a new subsidized steamers which comply elieved) the requirements of the postal act d that a March 3, 1891, with regard to their ad al. He tability to naval service, and to an any ment of main and secondary ba second, of a very much greater number good h large merchant marine steamers, " "The can be availed of at any time of m ark mil fould w then the These auxiliaries, ranging from 200 12,000 tons, will, if occasion require, a powerful fleet of ocean cruisers, cap of swift and formidable attack upon e was c alled th enemy's commerce. Their great co pacity will also enable them to re-long time at sea in search of the """He nane colt abouts of hostile vessels. "The country is to be congrat a place on the results obtained in the to of the matr. While its ships are many und it is not necessary here be as those of some other great pour they are, class for d un away ut back "'I do tanged vas his they are, class for class, in power, workmanship and offensive and det talities the equal of vessels built a re else in the world." The Secretary recommends that ! officers who were discharged une officers who were discharge act of 1882 be restored to the service of examinations, and that the complete increase of enlisted men be largely incre

the "correct list" by the promoter of the scheme. The chance consists in guessing what words compose the so-called "correct list." Such schemes are held to be especially obnoxious, owing to the skillful wording of the advertisements, which makes the chance for obtaining a prize more remote than in the defunct Louisiana lottery.

Indians After More Trouble,

E. B. Thompson, who lives in the western part of Routt County, near the scene of the recent fight between Utes and game wardens, arrived in Craig, Colo., and gave the startling information that the Indians were again invading that section. Mr. Thompson says that although he has not seen any of them, he has heard the shooting, and on Douglass Mountain he has seen moccasin tracks and the tracks of ponies. The mail carrier, whose route lies between Maybell and Lily Park, reports having seen four Indians who were some distance from the road. Residents of Brown's Park also report having seen several Indians, and say that they are evidently killing game, as they heard a great deal of shooting.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Sibyl Sanderson, the opera singer, and Antonio Terry were married at Paris, Ex-United States Senator Patrick Walsh has been elected Mayor of Atlan-

ta, Ga. Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of the President, was stricken with paral-

ysis at Canton, Ohio. Mrs. Dora Clay, the child-wife of Gen. Cassius M. Clay of Kentucky, has decided to return to her husband.

Race riots continue in Bohemia, where the Czechs in numerous towns attacked the houses of Jews and Germans.

The French court of appeals has decid ed against the application of Mile, Hauvin to be admitted to the bar of Paris.

The steamer Egyptian, bound from Cleveland to Milwaukee with a cargo of coal, burned to the water's edge on Lake Huron, off Sturgeon Point.

Slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Wichita, Arkansas City, Pratt, Kingman, Wellington and other Kansas cities. The disturbance reached into Oklahoma.

Gen. Pando, in charge of Spanish military operations in Cuba, is reported to have been killed in an engagement with insurgents in Santa Clara province.

The Dreyfus-Esterhazy affair is expected to result in a large crop of duels at Paris. Emile Zola is already involved in a quarrel with the editor of the Journal.

Andrew Carnegie, the great Pennsylvania iron manufacturer, has written a letter saying he will give \$10,000 to the endowment of the Mechanics' institute at Richmond, Va.

An unconfirmed rumor says 200 mem bers of the German force occupying Kiaochou Bay have been massacred by Chinese. Russia, according to a London dis patch, is inclined to join with France and oppose German action in China.

Senator Cullom of Illinois declares that he will not resign to accept a place on the interstate commerce commission. He is urging David T. Lattler for the position. By the explosion of a "dinkey" engine

on the new street car line of the Titusville ction Company, near East Titusville. Pa., four men were seriously injured, two fatally.

that county. The Chinese government proposes to establish a school for Chinamen in San Francisco.

Receiver Jump of Russell Harrison's street railway and electric light company, at Terre Haute, has filed a report showing the total indebtedness to be \$1,338, 517

Charles M. Loring, the "father of the park system" and a prominent miller of Minneapolis, who was forced to make an assignment two years ago, has settled his accounts.

President John Gardiner, of Norwalk, Ohio, and Vice President J. O. Moss were appointed receivers by Judge Wildman for the Sandusky, Mansfield and Norwalk Railway.

The steamer Gogebic, bound from Chicago to Lake Erie without cargo to load coal, went ashore upon North Manitou Island, off the Michigan coast, during a heavy snowstorm.

M. W. Henderson was appointed receiver of the Willamette iron works at Portland, Ore. The liabilities of the company are about \$50,000, aside from the capital stock, which is \$300,000.

MaryLuxton, aged 22 years, shot and fatally wounded Ole Halverson, aged 25 years, at Inkster, N. D., as the result of lovers' quarrel. She tried to kill herself, but Halverson held her arm.

Word was brought to Phoenix, A. T., by a line rider that three train robbers-Jess Williams, Tom Anderson and an unknown man-who have been in jail at Fronteras since Thanksgiving day, have bought their way out from the Mexican officials and are at liberty in the Ajo Mountains.

Two footpads stopped Mrs. Richard A. House, wife of a Chicago and Alton engineer, at an outlying point near Kansas City and robbed her of \$50. Mrs. House made a show of resistance, when one of the men poured the contents of a bottle of sulphuric acid on her hands. The men escaped unidentified.

Samuel F. Tanner, late captain of Company C, Seventeenth infantry, Ohio National Guard, who was recently indicted for embezzling the company's funds, was sentenced at Toledo to the penitentiary for three years. Tanner had embezzled the rent checks due the county commissioners, and also the company's funds, the amount aggregating \$540.

Bud Scott, late of Highlands, Kan., Was found dead under a viaduct leading across the Union Pacific tracks to an implement warehouse in Omaha, Neb. It was thought he had fallen from the viaduct to the track below. Investigation developed that he was murdered. Several scalp wounds were found on his head and his skull was crushed, as by a blow from

a hammer. W. H. Banfield, principal owner of the

Irondale tin mill, has purchased a twentyacre tract of land in East Liverpool, Ohio, for a site for a big sheet mill and steel plant which is to cost \$250,000.

The projectors of the new plant claim that the work on the buildings will commence soon after Jan. 1. and that 400 men will be employed at first.

A report has reached Bismarck, N. D. from the Standing Rock reservation that the mother of Philip Ireland, one of the young Indians recently lynched at Williamsport, has committed suicide because of the disgraceful death of her son. There is a belief among the Indians that any person who may be hanged will never reach the happy hunting grounds-the heaven of the Indian. This is the reason

safely to port. At Valley View, Ky., the separation of

Dora Richardson Clay from her aged husband, Gen. Cassius M. Clay, has taken a sensational turn, the general sending William Richardson, his wife's brother, word that he would give him \$500 to leave the country, and if he would not accept he offer he would kill him. He believes Richardson is trying to prevent Dora from returning to Whitehall, and he in sinuates that Richardson has assisted in robbing him of his wife. He is furiously mad at his neighbor, Charles Haden, for building Richardson a cottage on his place. Gen. Clay says Richardson has been installed in his house so that he can keep watch over the movements of Dora and if possible prevent her from returning home.

FOREIGN.

Gales have caused numerous ship wrecks on the English coast. Lord Nelson's old flagship, the Foudroyant, has been dashed to pieces.

United States Minister White has been instructed to ascertain Germany's intention toward Hayti and to enter a protest should they include annexation or an excessive demonstration.

Col. Horomoso has planted the Paraguayan flag in Bahia Negro territory, which is in dispute with Bolivia. Two forts, armed by 200 men and two batteries, have been erected to hold the territory.

As a result of the decision of the Turkish Government to grant the demands of Austria, the flag of Austria was duly sa-25 in Canada, against 38 last year." luted at Mersina by Turkish guns, with all the ceremonial demanded by the Government of Austria.

Information has reached the administration that France, while ostensibly engaged in negotiations with this government looking to the conclusion of a reciprocity treaty, is taking steps to place prohibitory tariff upon a number of articles of American production.

An officer of the guards named Clay is being sued at London by a money lender for £11,113, due on two promissory notes cashed for Lord William Nevill. Clay charges that Nevill secured his indorse ment by a trick and says he supposed he was witnessing Nevill's signature to family documents.

H. Lowther, an Englishman, and nephew of Lord Lonsdale, accompanied by J. B. Heifon of London, have gone to Fort Edmonton, where as representatives of an English company they will establish a fast stage line to Dawson City. The route is an entirely new one, and will be less than 1,200 miles. The line will be in operation early next spring and the trip will occupy less than twenty days.

A frightful hurricane has ravaged the coast of Great Britain. Ships without number have been driven upon the beach and broken to pieces by the waves, and great masses of wreckage were thrown up on Goodwin Sands, telling of other crafts gone down. No estimate of the loss of life and property is possible at ent, but it is said to be unprecedented. A tidal wave drove up the Thames, inundating Woolwich arsenal and part of Londor

The typhoon which swept over the Philine Islands was the cause of one of worst disasters that have been reported from the southern ocean in many years. Thousands of lives were lost, inuding many Europeans, and the damage to property was something appalling. Several towns were swept and blown, away. Fully 400 Europeans were drown-

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "The heavy exports of wheat, with the renewed advance in price, is the most interesting and important feature of the week's events. Since August, when the extent of the foreign deficiency became realized, exports have been larger than in corresponding weeks of any previous year. The cotton exports also have become very heavy, and the outgo of corn falls but little below last year's unprecedented record, while in exports of manufacturing products, especially machinery, all records for the scason have been surpassed. Meanwhile imports are running behind last year's at New York nearly \$2,000,000 this month, so that another excess of exports over imports amounting to about \$60,000,000 for the month is probable. But this would make an excess of about \$225,000,000 in four months.

Western receipts of wheat are of enor mous magnitude, in four weeks being 27,-072,104 bushels, against 9,214,838 bushels in the same four weeks last year. Cotton declined to 5.81 cents, the lowest point for many years. The iron industry shows no decrease in production or consumption of pig, but with much reduced orders for products excess of production is expected. In bars, agricultural and railway manufacturing causes a heavy demand at Chicago, iron being preferred to steel. The woolen manufacture is still consuming heavily in execution of past orders and many agents are sold so far ahead that they seek no further business. Some reduction in prices of wool appears. Failures for the week have been 236 in the United States, against 300 last year, and

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime \$3.00 to \$5.75; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 95c to 97c; corn, No. 2, 25c to 26c; oats, No. 2, 20c to 21c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 47c; butter, choice creamery, 21c to 23c; eggs, fresh, 17c to 19c; new potatoes, 45c to 60c per bushel.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.25; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, common to choice, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, 93c to 94c; corn, No. 2 white, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 23c to 25c.

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs. \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2, 97c to 98c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 24c to 25c; oats, No. 2 white, 21c to 23c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 47c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.25; hogs. \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2, 93c to 95c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 27c to 29c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 23c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 47c to 49c.

Detroit-Oattle, \$2.50 to \$5.25; ho \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 90c to 91c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 24c to 26c; rye, 47c to 49c.

Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 98c to 95c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 21c to 22c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 47c; clover seed, \$3.15 to \$3.20.

Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 spring, 86c to 88c; corn, No. 3, 26c to 27c; oats, No. 2 white, 23c to 24c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 47c; barley, No. 2, 38c to 43c; pork, mess, \$7.00 to \$7.50

Buffalo-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.25; hogs. \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 95c to 97c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 31c to 33c; oats, No. 2 white,

The Badeni ministry has resigned Austria.

Dr. von Narquardson, the eminent Bavarian jurist and professor of Erlangen University, is dead.

Assistant Secretary Day of the State Department has declined to accept the attorney generalship.

Dr. Henry Drisler, emeritus professor of Latin and Greek in Columbia University, and formerly dean of the Columbia School of Arts, died at New York. He was 79 years old.

A Baltimore girl is making arrangements to have the first Maryland oysters and terrapin sent to Rome for an American luncheon, which she proposes to give on her return to the eternal city.

The Supreme Court of Missouri overruled the motion for rehearing in the case of George Thompson, a St. Louis negro sentenced to be hanged on Jan. 7, 1898, for the murder of a church sexton.

A veteran named Patrick Carr was found dead in a bathtub at the soldiers' home, Leavenworth, Kan., with the flesh so badly cooked that it dropped from the bones. The surroundings tended to show that he had committed suicide by jumping into the tub of scalding water. He was married to a young woman and is said to have had domestic troubles.

The Secretary of War at Washington has given a medal of honor to Thomas I. Higgins of Hannibal, Mo., who was colorbearer of an Illinois regiment during the war. At the siege of Vicksburg Higgins literally obeyed orders not to turn back, and alone pushed clear into the rebel breastworks. The medal was issued on information given by Confederate soldiers who witnessed Higgins' heroic deed. Fire was discovered in the F. O. Saw-

rer & Co. paper factory in Locust street, St. Louis, and within an hour the establishment was in ruins and a number of adjoining buildings were badly damaged. The general loss is estimated at over \$100,000. The building contained highly inflammable material and was soon a roaring furnace, the fire communicating across the narrow street to the Economic bindery plant, the Young-McKinney Printing Company, the Missouri Engraving Company, Woodward-Tiernan Printing Company and Higgens Map-Printing Company.

At Lowell, Mass., Frank A. Keith and Maggie Godfrey committed suicide together by inhaling gas. They were penniless. The North German Lloyd steamship

Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse made a new eastward record on her last trip from Sandy Hook to Southampton, her time being 5 days 17 hours and 45 minutes.

At Philadelphia the Court of Comme Pleas refused to enjoin the Mayor and other city officials from executing the lease of the city gas works to the United Gas Improvement Company for a period. of thirty years.

A cable dispatch from England indi- in deposit ates that the sale

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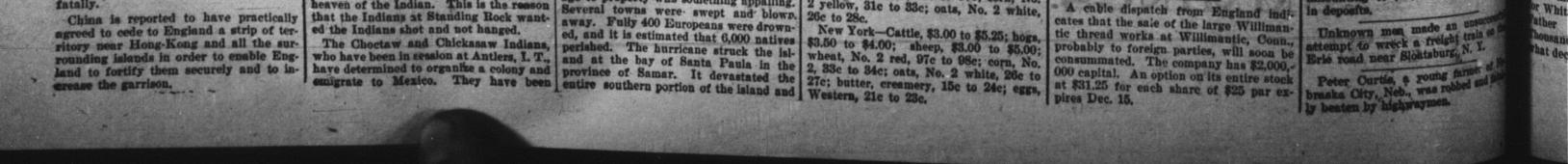
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The State Bank of Holstein, town of Adams County, Neb., is h ands of Bank Examiner Wilson. bank's statement of Sept. 8 shot the institution had loans and di-amounting to \$15,459.88 and \$16,

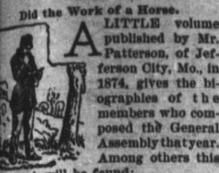


VEY TELL SOME INTERESTING ANECDOTES OF THE WAR.

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OLDIERS AT

or the Boys of Both Armies Whiled Away Life in Camp-Fornging Exariences, Tirosome Marches-Thriling freuew on the Battlefield.



ragraph will be found: Benjamin Alsup-Born in Tennesse d removed to Douglass County, Mis ri; was captured by Gen. Shelby ied as a spy and condemned to be at: worked in the brick mill of the hel tann bry at Little Rock all winter a horse and was released in the

To a group of frienrs Col. Henry A ewman, of Randolph County, Misand the other day related a truly steresting story about Mr. Allsup, ith whom he served in the lower use of the Missouri Legislature in 74. Mr. Allsup is now dead, but a st of relatives in Southern Missouri nd Northern Arkansas survive him. Newman said that he was first atacted to Mr. Allsup by reading the rief biography referred to.

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"This remarkable statement attractmy attention," said Col. Newman. and I hunted the old fellow up, and sked him what it all meant. I had andered him a little favor once, and eing a Tennessean myself (you know ennesseans are clannish), I succeed- attitude of thought there in the moond in obtaining further particulars light were a study, and at length rousom him. Here is about the way he old the story to me, as I now recall it: "It is true that I was captured by len. Shelby's men as a Federal spy. I ied to conceal.my identity under the mise of an ignorant old farmer, but it idn't work. Compromising papers rere found in my possession, which roved that I was a spy beyond ques-ion. This happened in the vicinity of little Rock. I well knew the penalty. drum-head court-martial followed nd I was sentenced to be shot just puside the camp at Little Rock. "'As the guard was taking me away

navy yard rom Gen. Shelby's tent, Capt. Dick collins, Shelby's gallant chief of ar-llery, came in and said to the General hat he had found a splendid horse for any beat, but simply stood in the shadorking in the bark mill. He said it shoot anyone approaching who did not

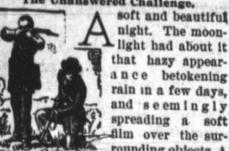
on his business in this part of Minneota, says a Windom exchange. His name is A. B. Irving

One day soon after Lincoln's call for 300,000 more men Irving, then a young man, was on his way to Defiance, Ohio, from Fort Wayne for the purpose of singing at a political and loyal meeting. He had considerable reputation as a composer and singer, and the Republicans had asked him to come and help them. On the way he read the poem which had just been published. Irving studied it, formulated a tune, hummed it and got the rhythm, and that evening at the Defiance meeting he sang the song for the first time. When he had

finished and the last echos had died away men mounted their chairs with wild enthusiasm, swung their hats and broke loose in cheers that rang with feeling. He sang it again and again, and they could scarcely let him rest.

The next night he sang the song at Fort Wayne, and again aroused the same enthusiasm. He wrote out the music and sent it to the publisher who had handled what he had composed, with instructions to publish it on his usual terms of royalty. It was published, and inside of a month more than 40,000 copies had been sold. In a few days the publisher failed, and Irving never received a dollar for the music.

The Unanswered Challenge.



ance betokening rain in a few days, and seemingly spreading a soft film over the surrounding objects. A delicious languor was in the air, while the katydids chirping their shrill notes answered one to another in the adjacent trees. The colonel was evidently in a reflective mood. His face and ing himself from his lethargy, he said:

"My mind has been busy with the scenes of other days. I am reminded to-night of an incident of the war in which I took part. It occurred while I was with the army in Tennessee. There was a crisp coldness in the atmosphere. however, while the snow upon the ground made it seem almost as bright

as day. The pickets had been doubled, and my companion and I, who were on picket duty together, had our coats buttoned tightly about the neck. Strict silence had been enjoined, as the two armies were facing each other in close proximity, and we were ordered to keep a sharp lookout at our post, which was an important one. We did not walk

AMINE AT 'DAWSON FEAR OF STARVATION CAUSES

DREAD ALARM.

Officials on the Tukon Urge the People to Fice from Certain Suffering and Disease-Notice with Startling Words Is Posted.

Must Go or Die.

Famine and starvation are threatening e people of the Yukon River between Minook Creek, Alaska, and Stewart River, Northwest Territory. There are over 1,000 persons in Dawson City without provisions. An equal number, in-cluding women and children, are lying in tents, and a heavy snow has fallen. Men are arriving at the rate of seventy-five a day, many of whom have less than half enough rations to last through 'the winter. " Beans, flour, rice, bacon and other provisions are selling from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a pound. Jack Dalton of Juneau and one or two other stockmen arrived lately with a few hundred head of live stock and tem-

porarily relieved the situation. Advices from Dawson City via Seattle say that no power on earth can prevent a famine. The people appreciate it to the fullest extent. Caches are being robbed nightly. One man was detected in the act of stealing food and was shot. He was driven to desperation by hunger. A dozen men have been arrested for robbing caches.

The gold commissioner could not get enough provisions to feed his office force and was compelled to send several clerks and assistants down to Fort Yukon, where 1,000 tons of food is stored. The winter has commenced. On the Alaska side of the Yukon River there are fully 3,500 people, and there is less than 1,200 tons of provisions to feed them. The Dominion police are sending scores of men down the river to Circle City and Fort Yukon to relieve the local situation. In Circle City a week or two ago two steamers, the P. B. Weare and the Bella, were stopped by thirty men armed with rifles and relieved of thirty tons of provisions. There is no concealing the true status of affairs. Before spring thousands of men and scores of women and children will be suffering from the pangs of hunger and disease.

Provisions will be needed in February and March to prevent great suffering. The commercial companies are doing what they can to relieve the situation by equalizing the division of food supply. Hundreds of men are in camp with a sack of flour each, forty pounds of bacon, twenty-five pounds of beans and five pounds of coffee to last until next June. No man can perform hard work on such meager food

The situation cannot be overdrawn or exaggerated. The Canadian authorities have issued bulletins urging the people to go to Fort Yukon for provisions. It is a sad prophecy to make that by May 1 is hattery in the Government tanyard, ow of the trees, having strict orders to hundreds of new graves will fill the little cemetery back of Dawson City, but it is dough. He swung a long,

Herr Wolff was further hu g dragged to a there locked up for a time. Police charges were made on mobe in Vienna and in Gratz, the capital of Styria. In the lat-ter place the military took a hand, and two rioters were reported killed and many wounded.

The performances in the lower house of the Reichsrath have developed each day new features of astounding interest. Dep-utics have exhausted the vocabulary of abuse and the engineery of obstruction. There is nothing in the history of parliamentary government in Europe that can compare with the proceedings which cul-minated in riots on the public streets and in demands that Count Badeni be to the guillotine.

BODY IN A DITCH.

Murdered Chicago Woman's Remains Are Found Buried.

Pauline Merry's body, bruised and bat-tered, was found in a ditch by the side of a lonely stretch of road at Western avenue and 87th street, Chicago. It was taken to the county morgue the mute witness to clear away part of the mystery and corroborate the testimony of her pra tling S-year-old boy, who told that she was murdered by the man she acknowl-edged as her husband. The body was be ginning to decompose. The neck was black and blue, and the imprints of a hand were visible. There was a cut an inch long over the left eye and another of the same length on the right side of the temple. The face and nose were crushed in

Guided by Thomas Hickey, a companion of Christopher Merry, a detail of police started out in search of the woman's body. Hickey's lack of familiarity with the streets and the fact that the body had been carted away at night made it difficult for him to find the spot where the body was hidden. Two or three times he halted the wagon and then changed his mind and said he was mistaken. At length the party reached the corner of Western avenue and 87th street, a quiet spot, and Hickey recognized the surroundings. He stopped and pointed to a spot at the roadside covered with dry leaves.

The policemen were soon at work with their shovels and when some two feet of earth had been removed they came upon a bundle wrapped in bed clothing, which was tied about with a clothesline. The body was identified by Hickey and Policemen Ryan and Keefe as that of Mrs. Merry. The disclosure which led to the discovery was the confession of Thomas Hickey.

THE "KANGAROO" KICKER

Kicked Holes in the Hopes of the Chicago University Team.

Pat O'Dea is the man-a-tow-topped son of Australia, but formerly of Ireland. Recently, at Chicago, he kicked holes into the hope of the Chicago University concerning the very important matter of capturing the western collegiate football championship.

He stood behind a row of ten University of Wisconsin oaks, and as composed as a woman cutting biscuits from soft

IICHIGAN MATTERS

NEWS OF THE WEEK CONCISELY CONDENSED.

Poverty Drives a Mason Man to Crim -Appointments for State Farmers' Institutes-A Much Married Man-Fuit for a Million Dollars.

Kills His Child and Himself.

At Mason, Scott A. Bowdish shot his 9-year-old daughter, fatally injuring her, and then killed himself. The tragedy was not discovered until the following morning. According to the little girl her father awakened her during the night, kissed her and asked her where her heart was. He felt about her breast and after locating the girl's heart he drew a revolver and shot her; again he fired, but the ball this time penetrated the child's right side. After this he located his own heart and shot himself to death. Bowdish was hard up and discouraged, but no other reason for the crime is known.

Farmers' Institutes.

K. L. Butterfield, superintendent of farmers' institutes, has made arrangements for fifty one-day institutes during the month of January. The meetings be gin at Capac, Sand Beach and Sunfield Jan. 4 and 5; Avoca, Port Austin, Grand Ledge and Montrose, Jan. 5; Lambs, Pinebog, Dimondale, Mt. Morris and Fowlerville, Jan. 6; Adair, Pigeon, Eaton Rapids, Mundy and Pickney, Jan. 7; St. Clair, Sheridan, Olivet, Brighton, Jan. 8; South Lyon, Jan. 10; Farmington and Chelsea, Jan. 11; Pontiac and Webster, Jan. 12; Rochester, Centerville and Sa-lem, Jan. 13; Holly, Mendon and Augusta, Jan. 14; Colon, Ypsilanti, Jan. 15; Forest Hill, Jan. 17; Elwell and Springport, Jan. 18; Lafayette and Rives Junction, Jan. 19; Washington Center and Munith, Jan. 20; Fulton Center and Norvell, Jan. 21; Partello, Jan. 24; Homer, Jan. 25; Eckford, Jan. 26; West LeRoy, Jan. 27, and Battle Creek, Jan. 28.

Sues for a Million.

Melvin B. Church has increased hi damages claimed from \$250,000 to \$1,-000,000 in his suit against the Antikalsomine Company at Grand Rapids, and has filed his declaration. He invented and patented the antikalsomine processes and in 1892 the company was organized with \$400,000 capital to carry on the business which he founded. He claims the other stockholders organized the Diamond Wall Finish Company and encouraged its development as a rival to the old concern, allowing it to use the patents and were aiding it in securing business. Included in his damages claimed is one item for \$25,000 for not prosecuting the World's Fair management for infringement of patent.

His Many Wives.

Dr. A. C. Mendenhall, who is under arrest at Warsaw, Ind., for bigamy, is well known at Jackson. One of his wives, Mary Poyle, resides there. The doctor has at least three other wives. He can

Adrian people would like to have a Gov-

A Miss Weller of Romeo was badly injured in a runaway accident,

A Detroit company has been organized to put in a lighting plant at Brighton. Two children of Valentine Karber of

Ovid township have died of diphtheria. Della Murphy, aged 7, fell into a 20-foot

well at Berrien Springs and was rescu uninjured.

Many fish are being speared daily in di-rect violation of the law in Maple river, near Bannister.

Reuben Fuller, a Grand Rapids painter, fell while decorating Lockerby Hall and was fatally injured.

Ida Bowdish, who was shot by her father. Scott Bowdish, before he committed suicide, died at Ma son.

The body of J. D. Cook, who committed suicide at Escanaba two weeks ago, has been taken to San Francisco for burial.

Four of Pontiac's saloonkeepers have been complained of because they did not expose their bars on Thanksgiving Day.

Curtis L. Wonch, a Grand Rapids livery man, quarreled with L. B. Strong over a woman. The former was stabbed in the side.

While hunting near Sparta, John Corey, a farmer, aged 35, accidentally shot himself in the side. Searchers found his body.

James Quigley was sentenced at Corunna to two years at Ionia on a charge of helping to burglarize a store at Morrice in June, 1896,

The State Dairy and Food Commission has begun the prosecution of Bay City grocers who are charged with violating the oleomargarine law.

At Grand Rapids, the Souvenir Wheel Company, manufacturing bicycles, filed a chattel mortgage for \$10,644 to George Clapperton, trustee.

The Fletcher mill at Alpena has shut down. It was the last of the mills there to close. The mills cut 120,000,000 feet of lumber the past season.

Chapter Kappa of Delta Tau Delta fraternity of Hillsdale College took a special train to Angola, Ind., and celebrated Thanksgiving with a banquet.

The truant law is being enforced at Traverse City for the first time. Wm. Mathewson, aged 15, was arrested and may be sent to the reform school.

Fire destroyed the agricultural implement warehouse of James and Michael Rork at North Lansing and Frozel's feed store: Loss, \$3,750; insurance, \$600.

A. J. Quigley of Mt. Clemens has fallen heir to a coffee plantation, valued at \$25,000, in Hawaii. Quigley befriended the testator at the World's Fair in 1893.

Mrs. Minnie Favor of Detroit, who has been at the Salvation army rescue home at Grand Rapids for the past three months, has been missing since Thursday last.

Cheboygan's street railway has gone hibernating. As usual, the cars will be lifted from the wheels and placed on sleighs -a winter railway that is unique in Michin.

as very light work and a broken own mule could pull the beam.

"Gen. Shelby at once called the uard back and instructed the soldiers take me down to the tanyard, rig up set of harness of some kind and put | ing back still further into the shadow to work and turn the horse over to of the trees, we awaited the coming apt. Collins. The order was strictly of the soldier, for such we now perbeyed. The soldiers tied the back-and of the harness to me and I woi'z-d all winter grinding tanbark. The ork was easy, but very monotonous. oldier was on guard with a rifle in his



MR. ALLSUP AT WORK.

ands to see that I didn't strike for gher wages or seek a change of cliate for my health, but, all things con-dered, I was treated fairly well. "The rebels would come around and oke their fun at me sometimes. One id he believed that "Old Hoss," as I as called, had the botts; another one served that "Old Hoss" was about lose his off shoe, and then I was giva new pair. One old fellow said he elleved I sad a sore neck and suggestthat a leather collar in place of the nick one I wore would prove benefial. He also advised a good feed of ats. All these suggestions were made good humor.

"The little conscript who fed the ark mill was very kind to me, and ould work in my place occasionally hen the guard was not around. But e was caught one day, and the guard alled the Corporal, with this explana-

"""Here's this derned little flaxenane colt that ain't half broke working place of Old Belshazzar. He will In away and break the mill." I was at back to work.

"I do not know just why the guard nged my name to Belshazzar. It as his duty to put on my harness. hich consisted of a belt around my aist and two straps over my shoulers, and then I was hitched to the sine-tree; the guard would "click" to me, If I were in reality a horse and tell te he would give me a good feed at light, and also a good currying down in morning if I worked well.

"'All this was fun enough for the els, and I had no particular reason mplain, as it was preferable to be is led out and shot as a spy. In this

answer the first hail.

being heard frequently. Hundreds of val-"After standing thus for a long time uable claims which could not be bought a we perceived the dim outline of a figmonth ago for any price are now being traded for provisions, and men with any ure approaching from the direction in amount of property or money are sacriwhich the enemy was encamped. Drawficing nearly all of their worldly possessions for food. Following is a notice posted in Dawson

City by the Canadian mounted police: OFFICIAL WARNING-LEAVE DAWSON OR STARVE.

The undersigned, officials of the Canadian Government, having carefully looked over his venturing too far beyond his own the present distressing situation in regard to the supply of food for the winter, find that lines. He stepped as carelessly as if the stock on hand is not sufficient to meet taking a stroll, and had now approachthe wants of the people now at Dawson, and can only see one way out of the difficulty, and that is an immediate move down the ed quite close to where we were posted. "'Halt" exclaimed my companion, in river of all those who are now unsupplied to Fort Yuken, where there is a large stock of a clear, ringing voice; 'who goes there?' while there was an ominous click of his

Within a few days the river will be closed gun, and I also made ready; but there and the move must be made at once. It is was no answer to the challenge, and absolutely hazardous to build hopes upon the arrival of boats. It is almost beyond a the man continued to advance directly ssibility that any nore food will come to this district. toward us. My companion's gun went

For those who have not laid in a winter's to his shoulder, and I saw his face supply to remain here any longer is to court death from starvation, or at least a certainty work convulsively in the moonlight, and in a low but distinct voice he again of sickness from scurvy or other troubles exclaimed 'Halt." but there was still no response and the man continued his even stride. A bright trail of fire sprang from my companion's gun and our below, where there are now large stocks of food. C. C. CONSTANTINE, strange visitor fell dead, his blood red-

Chief Mounted Police. D. W. DAVIS,

Collector of Customs. THOMAS FAWCETT, Gold Commissioner

VIOLENT SCENES IN VIENNA.

and Mounted Police.

The members of the Austrian ministry

Sunday tendered their resignation to Em-

peror Francis Joseph, who accepted them

and intrusted Baron Gautsch, who holds

the portfolio of public instruction of the

retiring ministry, with the task of form-

ing a new cabinet. The Emperor ad-

dressed an autograph letter to Count Ba-

During the assembling of the Reichsrath

dense masses of people, for the most part

workmen, thronged the Ringstrasse from

the university to the outer gate of Hof-

burg. A charge by the mounted police

with drawn swords failing to disperse

them, a body of hussars cleared the

streets at the saber's point, many persons

being wounded. The ambulance of the

city immediately sent two vans to attend

At least 10,000 people gathered about

the same time in front of the town hall

make a demonstration in favor of Herr

when being removed from the unterhaus

by the police, acting under the orders

lice; with drawn swords, dispersed them.

were held in various quarters of the city.

Upward of 3,000 people tried to organ-

ize a demonstration in the early evening

in front of the foreign office building, but

this was prevented by closing the ap-

proaches to the palace. After 8 o'clock

the city was quiet. The judge of the Pro-

vincial Criminal Court discharged Herr

but the police dissolved these.

the injured.

Reichsrath until further orders.

"'I am sorry I had it to do, but li Great Mobs Dispersed by the Hussars couldn't be helped,' and then resumed his position.

dening the snow. There in the moon-

light we looked upon his calm features

and upon his limbs stiffening in deatb;

and the picket said as he leaned upon

his rifle:

"Some home had doubtless been desolated by that shot, and we know not how many hearts were saddened, but it was one of the exigencies of war. A man became accustomed to many things, but it was a great deal easier to shoot a man while in the heat of battle than when one had time to reflect that he was taking life. We could never determine whether the man who was killed was deaf, walking in his sleep, very absent-minded or crazy. It was one of the sad mysteries of war times, and we did not have time to pay much attention to such matters then."

Death Wounds Don't Hurt.

"Wounds that kill almost on the spot hurt least," said an experienced surgeon. "I once saw a soldier hit in the knee by a bullet go marching on for about a hundred yards, when his comrades called his attention to the blood flowing from him. Then he dropped and died. You see, he didn't know he had been shot; he thought, poor fellow, that he had run against a standing thistle.

"It is slight wounds that hurt most A spent missile, that only raised a lump, will make a man feel as though a whole arsenal of balls had struck him; while soldiers with ghastly, mortal wounds will often insist that nothing serious has happened, and act up to the idea till death or exhaustion lays them low."

with the muscle of a giant. The ball



whizzed through the air as straight as an arrow from an Indian's bow. It sailed between the goal posts forty yards away and took with it all the money and expectations of the men who wore the maroon.

It added five points to the score of 4 to 0. It started the tide of defeat which swept on until darkness stopped the slaughter and Chicago limped from the field crushed, humiliated and lambasted to the tune of 23 to 8. The game was played before the biggest crowd of people who ever witnessed a football game in the West. It is estimated that O'Dea's good right foot kicked \$40,000 into the pockets of the backers of Wisconsin's

A GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY.

team.

California to Commemorate the Mineral Discoveries in That State.

Although California no longer has a monopoly of the precious mineral it is still deni decreeing the adjournment of the called the "Gold State." California has produced more than \$800,000,000 of gold since the first discovery of it in 1848. The exact date of this discovery has been fixed officially as Jan. 19, and some Californians are now preparing to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of that day on Jan. 19, 1898. It is intended to erect a monument designed to perpetuate and further extend the distinction of California as a State rich in minerals and to revive some of the earlier memories of the Argonauts who poured into California in the winter of '49 and the spring of '50 after the fame of California's gold fields had and the Provincial Criminal Court to become national. The monument is to be composed of as great a variety of mineral Wolff, who was to be arrested there on substances produced in the State as is posa charge of public violence committed sible. It is assumed that the ores, building stones, etc., will be given freely by counties, communities and individuals. of President von Abrahamovics. The poand for the artistic features of the monument it is proposed to raise a fund of Simultaneously meetings of workmen \$100,000.

The mineral wealth of California though chiefly, is not wholly gold. The silver product of the State, though not as large as that of Nevada or Colorado, is considerable, and California produces more than one-quarter of the whole world's supply of quicksilver. Copper and antimony are also produced, though not in amounts as large as in some other

Wolff from custody. There were dem-onstrations also at Gratz, Prague and

to Jackson about three months ago with the Poyle woman and after living with her about six weeks deserted her. When arrested at Clunette he was arranging to be married to Cora Hatfield of that place and was to go to New Mexico. He claims to be an Indian doctor. Mendenhall has been brought to Jackson for trial.

Eighty-eight Years Wed. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hiller of Elkton celebrated their eighty-eighth wedding anniversary. The husband is 108 years old and the wife 107. The former is quite hale and hearty, but the wife has lost her sight. They are believed to be the oldest married couple in the United States.

To Run Winter Boats.

The Graham & Morton Company has closed a contract with the Lake Michigan and Lake Superior Transportation Company for the steamers City of Duluth and City of Traverse to run on the Chicago-Milwaukee route from Benton Harbor all winter.

A Cass County Murder.

At an entertainment given in a hall in Calvin township Jacob Chavous, colored, was struck with a club on the back of the neck by Isaiah Monroe, colored. Chavous' neck was broken, and he died instantly. Monroe is an ex-convict.

Minor State Matters.

Mrs. Olive James, a popular school teacher at Lewiston, is dead. George F. Fish, aged 75, a resident of

Adrian for fifty years, is dead. He was once rich, but died penniless. Once more the sale of the Adrian street

railway system has been postponed. The receiver continues to operate the road. The Dwight Theater Co. has been or-

ganized at Jackson, with a capital of \$50,-000. An opera house will be built.

John Shafer, a far mhand working in Redford, will spend thirty days in the house of correction for looting a meat market.

It begins to look favorable for the proposed electric railway from Detroit to Farmington by way of the Grand River toll road.

Prosecuting Attorney John Crandell of Marlette has a baseball nine in his family with a tenth boy to act as umpire and a girl to do the scoring.

While hunting in Gilmore township Robert Gallagher and a companion came upon a full kit of counterfeiters' dies and tools, secreted in hollow logs.

in Escanaba harbor and before it could be controlled it spread to the ore docks, the largest in the world. Two of the crew of the steamer are known to be lost and severa' other persons are injured.

Asphyziation caused the death of three men in the Grand Trunk Railway tunnel at Port Huron. The dead are Henry J. Courtney, engineer of tunnel engine; Arthur Dunn, conductor; John Dalton, brakeman. The tunnel gas arises from the hard coal used by the locomotives.

The family of J. Spitsbergen of Zeeland is sadly afflicted by typhoid fever, which caused the death of his wife, a grown up daughter and a grown son. The others E.re seriously ill.

Five prize cattle belonging to Walter A.

Gaylord taxpayers will be given a chance to vote on the question of bonding the village for the extension of the water works system and the paving of Main street.

Gypsum has been discovered near St. Ignace. It is of fine quality and has been found in so many places as to lead to the belief that a wide section is underlaid with it.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Co. expects to buy this winter 100,000 ties between Owosso and Toledo. Last year the road, purchased 170,000 ties on its northern division.

A tract of 100 acres of pure marl in Climax township, Kalamazoo County, has been purchased by New York capitalists. who will engage in the manufacture of cement.

Charles S. Hovey of Centerville and Lon Valentine, Jr., of Atlanta had an exciting time with a 225-pound bear. Hovey got a severe hugging before bruin was killed.

Sanilac County brickmakers say that they have sold more brick the past season for homes than ever before. Brick buildings are in course of construction all over the county.

Joseph Hull of Dimondale was accidentally shot while hunting. Part of a charge of shot struck him in the throat. He will recover if blood poisoning does not set in.

The Chicago and Grand Trunk Railway bought a tract of seven acres of land along their trackr at Indian lake, three miles east of Vicksburg, and will move their ice harvesting plant to their new location this fall.

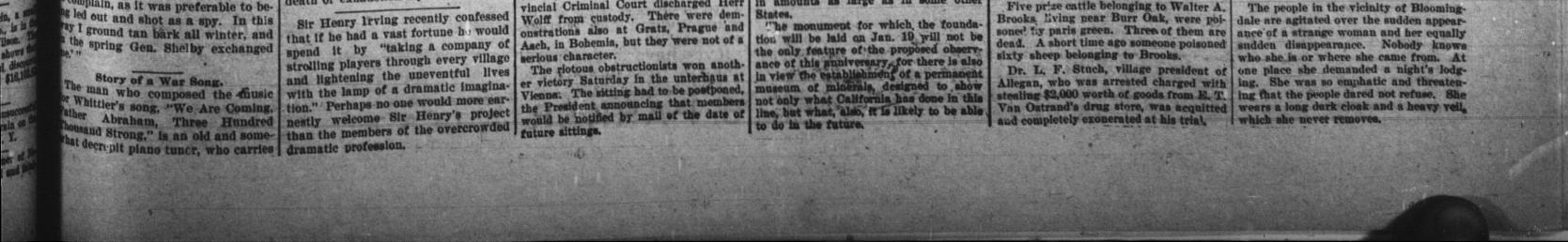
Leslie Jockett, aged 15, son of J. L. Jockett, station agent for the Lake Shore at Albion, has run away again. This time he persuaded Glenn Passmore, Henry Haight and Edward Smith, all about the same age, to go with him.

Clark R. Chamberlin has begun suit in the Circuit Court at Ann Arbor for \$2,-000 damages against John H. Miller of Ypsilanti. A year ago Chamberlin was arrested on a charge of breaking into Miller's store and stealing goods. He was acquitted on trial.

Col. C. V. R. Pond, adjutant general of the Michigan department G. A. R., has by request furnished Labor Commissioner Cox with some interesting figures regarding the number of veterans now residing in Michigan, which he places at 37,500. The average membership of the G. A. R. Fire broke out on the steamer Nahant | for the six years from 1888 to 1893, inclusive, was 20,633, and the average yearly death loss 272. Col. Pond estimates that there are 34,000 pensioners in the State and that they receive \$5,248,000 annually. The average age of the survivors of the war is 60 years. Physically, Col. Pond says, only a few are able to perform manual labor, but in mental condition very many are quite competent to perform the duties of any of the political offices in the gift of the State and should be remembered.

Maurice Quirk, a well-known citizen of Flint, was instantly killed at Otterburn. He attempted to drive across the tracks in front of an approaching Grand Trunk train.

The people in the vicinity of Blooming-

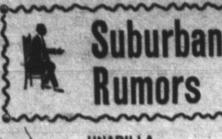


THE CHELSEA STANDARD, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1897.

THE CHELSEA STANDARD

BY O. T. HOOVER e and made kno tered at the post

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UNADILLA

Mrs. Betsey Piper, widow of the Rev. Jas. Piper, who founded the fa-Bond street Baptist church at Toronto, Can., died here Monday, aged S0 years. Mrs. Piper was born in New York state and moved to Ann Arbor, Mich, in 1837, where for several years she taught school. She was well known to old residents of the University town and at Adrian and Dexter, where her husbaud held pastorates for some years. The funeral was held at Gregory Wednesday.

LIMA.

M1ss Matie Hammond visited home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wheelock visited at John Wheelock's Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Strieter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niehaus spent Sunday at Freedom.

The Epworth League of this place will give an entertainment at the church on Christmas night. They want all to come, as they expect to have a good time.

FRANCISCO.

Henry Gieske, who has been sick, flicted with nervous prostration and will soon be able to go to work at for two months attended the Univer Grass Lake. sity hospital at Ann Arbor, and had

been around all summer under the Rev. Paul Wuerfel of the German doctors' care. A sick committee was M. E. church, conducted the services appointed to investigate the matter at Sylvan Center last Sunday afterand decided not to allow him any sick noon.

The German Epworth League held benefits when in October he presented its monthly meeting last Thursday a claim for six month's sick benefit at the will meet at the late residence, and that they will meet at the late residence of said de-ceased in the township of Freedom.in said coun-ty, on the 19th day of Feburary, and on the 19th day of May, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to re-ceive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated, Nov. 19, 1897. Herey Knu evening. An interesting program on \$3 per week. He was also expelled by the society for making a fraudulent claim. The plaintiff's attorney was M. J. Lehman of Ann Arbor and Salt dissolved in water, or sea-water the defendants' were A. F. and F. M. 44 Freeman. The jury were out for six Probate Order, hours and rendered a verdict of the STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH full amount claimed by the plaintiff. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, s. s. At'a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 23d day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and uinety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Albert Havens \$78.00. Schedule of Teachers' Examinations. The regular examinations for all grades

boots for wood.

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to the Patrons of the Chelses Water

Vorks Company:

Friday, December 10, the Epworth

League will hold a social at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Noab. Biscuit

and honey will be served. All are in-

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The Dexter township Sunday-school convention in the German church was

a success. The weather was fine and

the attendance was good, except when

it came to the ministers who failed to put in an appearance. There were

some very interesting papers presented

and much talk indulged in by the lay-

men. Officers were chosen and it was

decided to hold the next meeting in the

North Lake M. E. church in six

months. Those who failed to attend

missed a treat. Be sure and attend the

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

Sheriff Judson of Ann Arbor has

village. The case was tried before

Justice Kingsley and held in theopera

house belonging to the society. For

each of the four days of the trial not

less than 400 people were present.

It seems that Wuerthner had been af-

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

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Probate Order.

received a beautiful Petoskey stone from a prisoner at Jackson. It was packed in a piece of pine hollowed out for the purpose. It is oval in shape and have the probate of the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 25th day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninetysent. H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate and has a link of gold to attach it to a

and has a link of gold to attach it to a watch chain. Mr. Judson thinks that it is from a prisoner who was once in his custody. One of the most interesting law-suits ever tried in Manchester, ended Monday evening. It was the case of Carl F. Wuerthner against the Ger-man Workingmen's Society of that holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the peti-tioner 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 Stan-dard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. said day of hearing. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. A TRUE COPY.] P. J. LEHMAN Probate Register.

Commissioners' Notice,

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, s.s. 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 John P. Buss, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said probate

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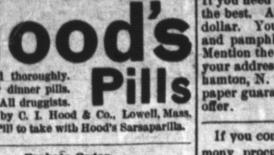
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is a good temporary treatment for a cough. This is what the members of the K. L. M. used last Friday evening to prevent the reading from being disturbed by coughing. The recipe was good, the reading better.

SYLVAN.

Mrs. Edmund Hummel is quite ill this week.

Mrs. Chas. Kellogg had the misfortuge to fall and break her arm Monday.

June, 1898. Special examinations for Mandus Merker of Willamston will move to the Eisenbeiser place this third grade only at Saline the third Friday of September, 1897. week.

Miss Effle Ludlow has returned home after spending six weeks at the U. of M. Hospital.

Mrs. George Steinbach of Lima spent one day of last week with her mother, Mrs. Chris Forner.

The Sylvan Christian Union will hold their Christmas entertainment Friday evening, December 24,

Geo. Merker has finished loading several car loads of cabbages at Francisco which are to go New Orleans.

Don't forget the stereoptican entertainment on the life of Christ and noted places of interest, given by the Sylvan Christian Union Tuesday evening. December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boyd returned BE SURE you get what you want when you ask for Hood's Sarsapahome Tuesday from New York state. A large number of their neighbors gave them a surprise that evening by gathering at their home and giving them a hearty welcome.

NORTH LAKE.

Some farmer near North Lake has field of corn out in the cold.

R. S. Whalian sells pancake timber delivered to your door, either by the hundred weight or sled length.

On reading and fling the petition, duly veri-fied, of George W. Havens, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Wm.F. Riemenschneider or some other suit will be held at Ann Arbor the third Thursday and Friday of August, 1897, and the last Thursday and Friday of March,

to Wm.F. Riemenschneider or some other sult-able person. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of December 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 farther ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pen-dency 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. Wiar Newskins, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) H. Laburen Dachate Bedistor

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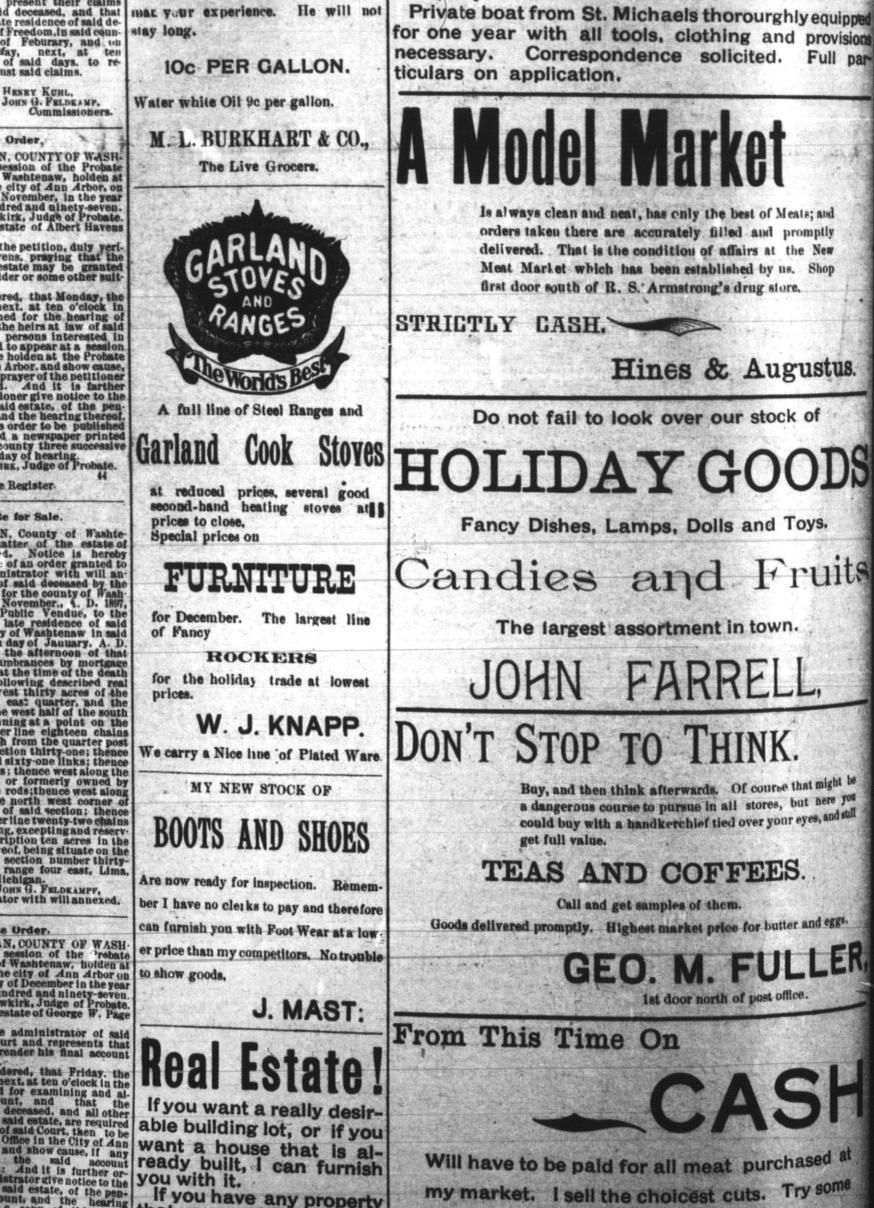
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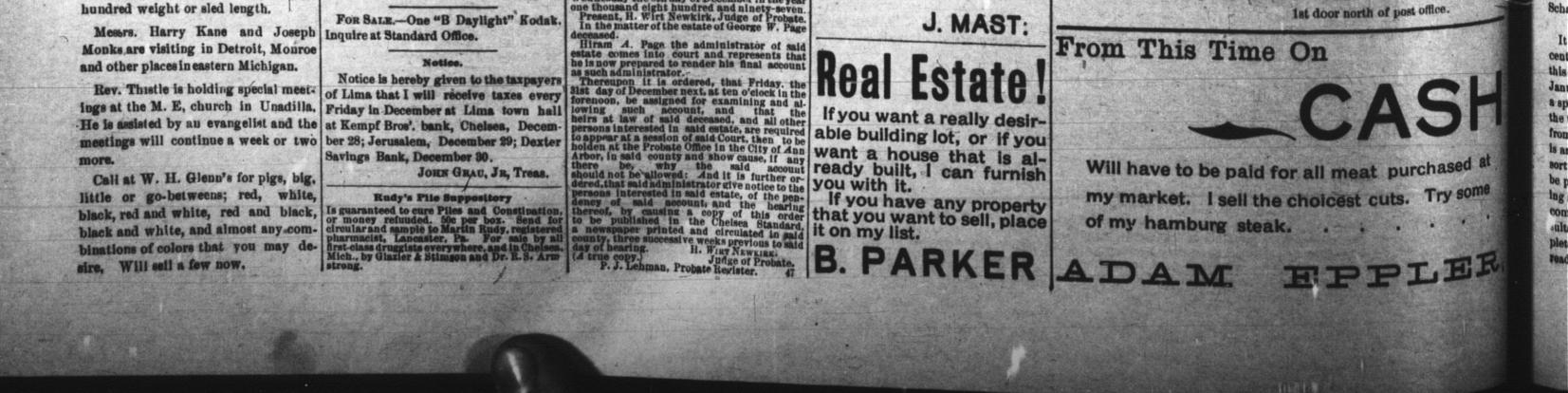
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH State of Michigan, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, s. s. At a session of the 'rebate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor on Wednesday the 5th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of George W. Page



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J. N. Merchant will put in a new mam noth crusher for feed grinding soon.

The W. R. C. will hold their annual election of officers Friday afternoon at 2-80 o'clock.

C. T. Tryon's subject for Sunday evening at the Baptist church will be "Christ as a Friend."

Born on Sunday, December 5, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. Preston Strong of Greater New York, a son.

amount cleared by the ladies of St. should have read \$80.

The attention of teachers is called to the meeting of the Washtenaw County Teachers' Association in the high school building at this place Saturday. The program was printed in last week's Stan-

ber 16, and ending January 3, there will something of interest to say to our readbe held at the Baptist church a series of ers. We hope that our correspondents revival meetings. Mr. Wilkinson of Ann in the various localities surrounding

The school board has adopted a new schedule of studies in the high school which will allow a graduate to enter the University of Michigan of Michigan, state Normal and Albion college, without an examination.

The reception given by the Epworth League to the members of the M. E. church and congregation at the church parlors Wednesday evening, was attended by large number of people, and was a very enjoyable occasion.

Fred Mapes has opened a "racket store" at Manchester. His many friends here will wish him all kinds of good luck, and while deploring the fact of his removal will congratulate the people of Manchester on their acquirement of so courteous a gentleman and accommodating a business man.

Report of school in district No 5, Lynm, for the the month of November tending every day, Grace Colline, Verne Beckwith, James, Madge, Vincent and Genevieve Young, Callsta, Sp and Floyd Boyce. Standing 90, Madge Young, Calista Boyce, Ethel Skidmore: 5, Alta Skidmore, Grace Collins, James Young. Genevieve Young, Alta Skidmore and Calista Boyce have not mispelled a word in written spelling during the month; Madge Young, Grace Collins and Lillie Parks missing but one. Mrs. L. A. Stephens, teacher.

Recently the Detroit Evening News sent cards of inquiry to members of the day at Ann Arbor. state legislature regarding the advisability of holding a special session of that friends here this week. body. Twenty-five replys were received, four favored an extra session, seventeen opposed and four were non commital. Those who opposed the extra session do so on the grounds that the legislature has already acted on railroad matters; that In last week's issue we stated that the nothing could be accomplished; that it would cost the state \$30,000, and that Mary's church at their entertainment the there is no question before the people night before Thanksgiving was \$20. It that will warrant the spending of the money.

Next week The Standard will issue Ohlo. the largest paper that has ever been printed in western Washtenaw county. There will be plenty of reading matter appropriate to the holiday season, and our merchants, who make it possible for us to issue a paper Beginning on Thursday evening, Decem- of the size intended, will each have Arbor will have charge of the song Chelsea will send in an extra large the guest of his brother, Dr. H. H. ing well pleased with the manner in amount of news on this occasion. If any- Avery, Sunday. one wishes to secure extra copies of this issue to send to friends they should leave their order early.

> One of the newest diseases is the "postage stamp tongue." The credit of discovering it is due to a London physician. It appears that the mucilage itself is injurious, and that, farther, it is an excellent cultivating medlum for germs of the worst character. In the allment "post- past week. age stamp tongue" the latter becomes sore and covered with red spots. A bad is not taken. Apart from the specific disease of the tongue, any contagious disease may be acquired through the medium of mucifage.

Mrs. S. A. Wolcott returned last week from the west where she has been visiting since last June with Ansell Gillett and Alvin Pickens near Elimdale and with Bert Fellows at Jamestown , Dakota. The Young Men's Parliamentary Club She says that Mr. Gillett has moved to use his cork leg more than half the time. On her way home Mrs. Wolcott visited friends in Chicago, and Mrs. H. Blackman at Battle Creek. She is now living with Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Fellows .- Sharon correspondent Manchester Enterprise. The market has been dull the past week with little business at this point. Wheat brings 84 cents for red or white. Rye 42 cents, Barley 75 cents for a good article but mostly going at 70 cents. Oats 20 cents. Beans 75 cents. Potatoes 40 cents. Onions 50 cents. Eggs 16 cents. Butter In the course of his remarks before 16 cents. Clover seed \$2.50. Chickens geese 5 cents. There are indications of a must now be free till after the first of January because of people's necessities. It looks as if the December deals will be settled without much of a pinch on the shorts to affect our market here. It is mostly confined to Chicago now in any event. The Foresters enjoyed themselves to the limit Wednesday evening. On that evening they opened their new hall in the McKune block, which has been handsomely fitted up. After the exercises at the hall, which included the initiation of John Watson into the mysteries of Forestry, the company wended its way to the dining room of the Chelsea House, where an elegant spread awaited them. After keeping the waiters busy for an almost incredible length of time, as only "hewers of wood" can, the cigars were passed, and Foastmaster Guy Lighthall called the gathering to order and before the end of the pleasant event nearly every gentlemen present had responded to the orders of the Chief. One of the pleasantest features of this gathering was the excellent music furnished by Mesars. Burg & Krieger. On Christmas night the Sunday-school of the Methodist Episcopal church will present a Christmas cantata at the town Andrew Oesterle,* Adam Mohrlok, Ida hall. It is a beautiful production and a large amount of hard work has been done to make it a success and insure a It was decided at a meeting held re- fine presentation. Santa Claus himself cently, to hold the farmers' institute at will surely be there for the httle people this place on Tuesday and Wednesday, and will bring with him his elves, his January 11 and 12. The state will furnish fairles and all of the rest of his queer a speaker for the first day's session and folks. A large number of pretty costhe talent for the second day will come tumes will add to the effect. If you from the surrounding country. As there is any amount of good timber for this sort of thing in this vicinity, all who will be present with the afternoon, come out and enjoy this be present will be assured of an interest- entertainment Christmas night; or if you ing and instructive time. The program have Christmas guests, give them a committee is hard at work arranging a chance to end the usual enjoyments of ultable program, and when it is com- the day with a little variety. It will

THE CHELSEA STANDARD, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1897.

Miss Edith Congdon spent Su Dexter.

Tony Neckel of Ypsilanti was in tow Wednesday. Miss Lillian Gerard is spending some

time in Detroit

Miss Nettle Wilkinson spent Thurs-

part of this week here. Howard Canfield was the guest Francisco friends Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Baldwin of Stockbridge spent Tuesday at this place.

Mrs. S. W. Holmes of Scio was th guest of relatives here last week . Geo. Spiegelberg and Henry Neeb to seek other fields and said that he have returned from a pleasant visit

Ben Bates of Jackson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Irwin the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfer of Jackson have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schenk.

Mrs. E. Stimson was called to Boston, N. Y., Saturday by the dangerons illness of her mother.

was the guest of Mrs. D. C. McLaren, that woman is man's equal mentally, his several days of last week.

Floyd VanRiper, who has been employed in Eppler's market for several years, has accepted a position at Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Patterson and daughter, Marcello, of Chicago, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch the

Miss Lizzle Winters who has been spending the past two weeks at her home sore throat is likely to follow if great care lieft Monday for Daytona, Florida, where she will spend the winter.

Election of Bank Directors.

The annual election by stock-holders Chelsea Roller Mills. of Chelsea Savings Bank of directors for said Bank will occur at its banking office on the second Tuesday in December

In spite of the new law compelling the destruction of truit trees effected with San Hose scale, State) Inspector U. P. Hendrick has found the insect pest in twelve orchards and two nurseries. The aw provides that a nurseryman be fined \$1 for every affected plant he sends out. Every Michigan nurseryman must take out a license and give a \$1,000 bond. Mr. Heudrick says that nothing but stringent measures will exterminate the

Judge Burlingsme, of the superior court at Grand Rapids, received a letter recently from a law student at Ann Arbor asking his advice about going to that city Dr. W. A. Conlan of Detroit called on to locate. The judge wrote in reply that the bar of Grand Rapids is already greatly William Bury of Ann Arbor spent overcrowed and that there are scores of excellent attorneys there in no shape financially to face a hard winter. The closing up of the lumber towns in Northern Michigan has driven many good lawyers in from outside, and these together with the great supply of new lawyers from the law schools overstock the market. The judge advised the young man

should not advise any young man nowadays to seek a professional career.

I have received the assessment roll for the township of Sylvan and taxes can now be paid at my office. GEO. A. BEGOLE, Deputy Treasurer.

J. M. KLEIN, Treasurer.

Mrs. Moore was greeted by a fair-sized audience at her lecture this week Tuesday at the Congregational church parlors. Dr. E. L. Avery and son of Howell was The ladies expressed themselves as bewhich she handled her subject, "Is Mrs. Aril H. Fillmore of Ann Arbor, Woman Man's Equal?" She claims superior morally, but regretfully acknowledged her inferiority from a physical standpoint. Mrs. Moore is introducing a hygicalc home treatment and any one wishing further particulars is invited to call at the home of Mrs. B. Winans,

South street, any afternoon for the next two weeks from 1 to 8 p.m. Consultation free.

Tip Top Buckwheat takes the lead all along the line. Chelses Roller Mills.

Tip Top Buckwheat may cost a little more but it is pure and all Buckwheat

They are coming right along for men, women, misses, boys and childon, and that the bargains are appreciated is shown by the number of people in our store. If you have not been .in to see what we have and to take your chance you had better come this week. Because the opportunity is too good to last.

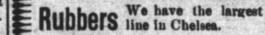
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Misses Shoes Exceptionally fine line from 1.00 to 1 50.

Childrens Shoes Complete. Mens Shoes good bargains at 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00. Boys Shoes st 1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00.

Rubber Goods We have the exclusive agency for THE STOUT Snag Proof Rubber Boots and Overshoes for Chelsea. If you have never worn a pair of them, try them and you will have no others.

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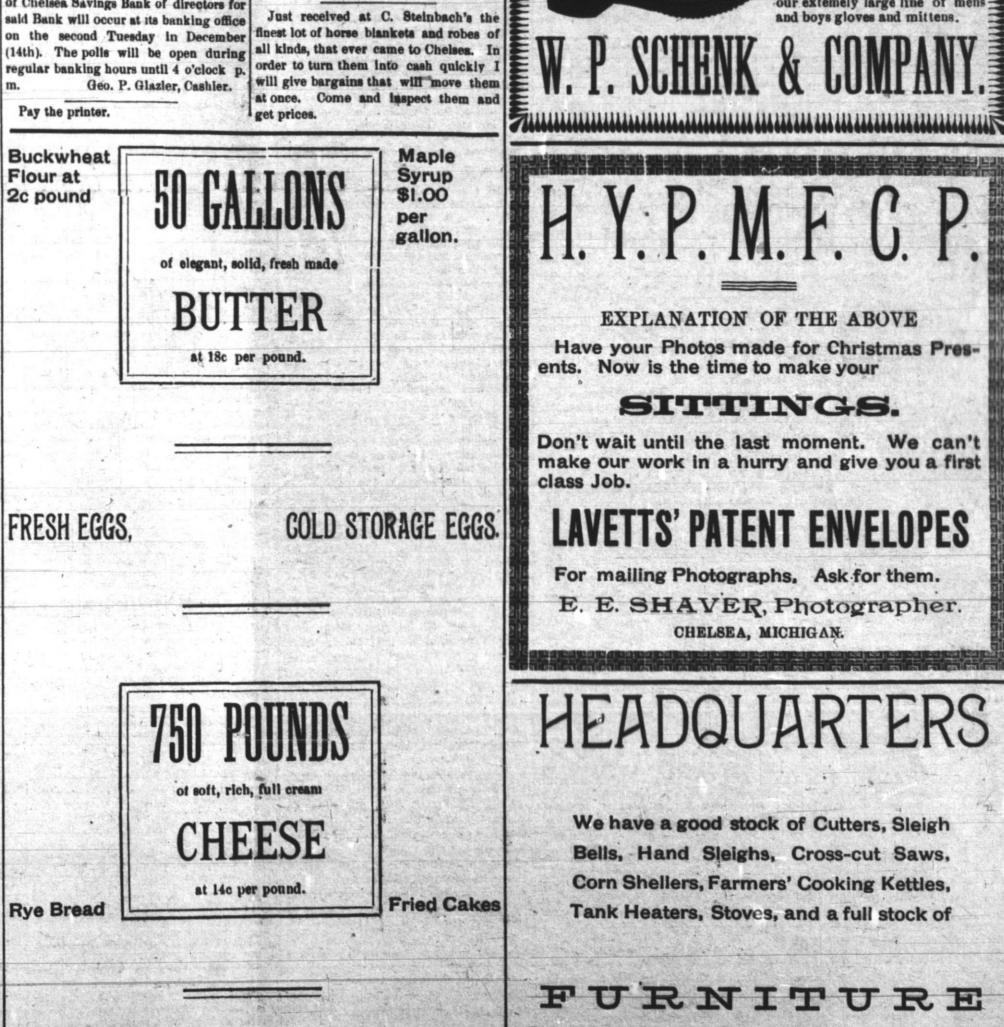
held a very interesting meeting Sunday southern California, finding it impossible afternoon, and at that time doubled their to live in Dakota. Bert Fellows she says membership. At the next meeting some is doing well, but Lester, who had his very fine music will be rendered by a foot amputated, is not getting along very mandolin quartette. It is desired that well. The stump is sore and he cannot all the young men of this place should join this organization.

Last week the Argus stated that Isbell & Co., of Jackson had been buying beans in the vicinity of Delhi and by their actions had greatly incensed the the farmers in that neighborhood. We have since learned that the gentlemen who gave us their names in this connection was wrongly informed and we desire to correct our error and apologize for it .- Ann Arbor Argus.

the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night, Mr. Saw- 5 cents. Turkeys 7 cents. Ducks and yer said that, until people become willing to allow the law-makers all the time good holiday trade coming and receipts needed to consider a bill before its passage, poor laws might be expected .--Ann Arbor Register. The main trouble with our law-makers is that they spend too much time in horse play and not enough time in work that counts.

The fire insurance agents of this place received notice yesterday from their respective companies of a cut in their insurance rates amounting to fifteen per cent or better on all mercantile risks, churches, halls and school houses and s cut on dwellings, barns and contents thereof, amounting to 1216 per cent or better. This applies to risks in the village as outside risks do not have advantage of the water works and the cut only applies to towns having improved fire department and waterworks.

The following is a report of the school in district No. 11, township of Sylvan, for the month ending November 26, 1897, including those whose standing in scholar ship has been 90 or above for the term. The star indicates that the pupil has been neither absent nor tardy during the term: Herman Oesterle, Mary Goetz,* Dave Mohrlok, Austin Easterle,* Virian Mc-Dald, Percy McDald,* Eddie Easterle, Luther Drake, Lena Goetz,* Lizzie Blaich, Schaible. Carrie Forner, Teacher.



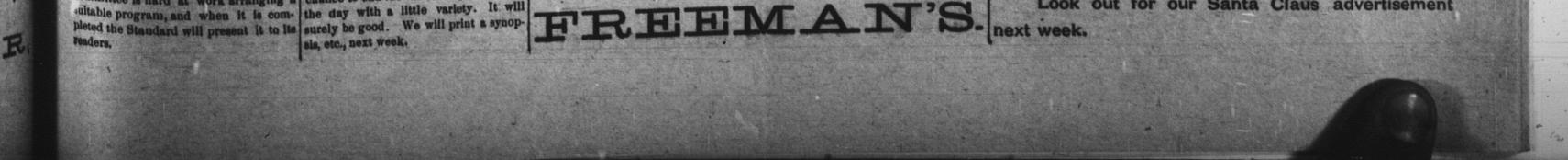
See our Christmas offerings next week.

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CHAPTER XVII.

Meanwhile Sir Wilfrid was very un-The mere fact of his favorite sisbeing driven from his home by the undness of his wife would have been ufficient to poison his existence; but when Rosie's departure from Lambscote was followed by her actual flight and diserably anxious and self-reproachful. liven the letter he received from Wales. was no more than a passing drop of comfort. It told him she was alive, and he never doubted that fact; but it left him mpletely in the dark concerning her address or her surroundings, and held out no hope of their ever meeting again.

He had several quarrels with his wife, maturally, on the subject of Rosie's departure. Lena was at first so positive what her own behavior had had nothing whatever to do with the resolution of her sister-in-law, and afterward, when the news of Rosie's flight from Surbiton had reached them, and became an assured Inct, she launched out in such cruel invectives against the absent girl-in such eruel insiguations and doubts of the purity of her conduct and motives-that Sir Wilfrid would not listen to her, and ordered her sternly to hold her tongue.

"You can be unwomanly enough," he maid. "to arouse my suspicions respecting a poor girl who is not here to defend herelf. But mind you, Lena! Rosie will not be lost to us forever. I shall not cease to search for her until she is found. It right to leave your home at such a seais my duty. And when we meet again, I will have the whole story from her own lips, that I may judge how far you have ure in his own way. You are playing a deceived me."

"And you will believe her in preference to me?" cried Lady Ewell angrily. "You will take the word of a child, whose aim It will be to make you think the best of her behavior, before that of your own wife!"

"Oh, Lena, my dearest, it is the last thing in the world I wish to do! But the mide you have taken in this sad affair has tographs she went on to "tinting" faces made me miserable-perhaps unjust. Since you are my own wife, why cannot you whole figure-an art in which she so believe as I do, instead of being a mere scho of Lady Otto's sentiments? Sometimes you make me fear there is an end of it-an end of everything-love, hope and happiness. But it is a sorry end for

such a bright beginning, Lena." "I did not know it was a bright begin: ming. We married, I suppose, as other Tolks do, for our mutual convenience-at than at Chelsea. least, I did."

"Nothing, my dear boy, but what you think best for yourself. Just listen to me. Lena has been spoiled all her life, and you continue to spoil her, and she won't like you a bit the better for it-women never do. They're made to be ruled, and they love to feel the curb if it's not too tight. Your best plan for the present is this: Let her remain with her

mother. Pretend it makes no difference to you where she is, but don't let her imagine that you fret. Take some chambers in town, and keep them for your own convenience and run up whenever you feel inclined. I'll introduce you to a first-rate set, and 'we'll put up your name at the clubs. No man can belong to the fashion who mopes in the country all the year around. You don't know how it would brighten you up to pay us an occasional visit."

As soon as the pheasants were slaughtered and his guests had taken their departure, he went up to London with Captain Dorsay, and settled himself there for the winter months.

Lady Ewell was not particularly pleased when she heard of the step her husband had taken. Bachelor chambers and absence from Lambscote sounded very like an attempt at freedom on his part, and Lady Otto showed no sympathy for her alarm.

"I told you how it would be, when you insisted upon accompanying me to Paris," she said to her daughter. "You had no son, and Sir Wilfrid resents it by showing you that he also intends to take his pleasvery foolish game, Lena, and you will live to repent it."

CHAPTER XVIII.

Rosie Ewell, in coloring photographs had found her vocation.

Mr. Denham made her begin at the be ginning, but she rapidly ascended the ladder. From "touching up" the plain phoand hands, and thence rose to coloring the greatly improved that the most finished portraits were soon intrusted to her care. Mr. Denham, on finding out the progress made by Miss Fraser-for Jane insisted that Rosie should still maintain her incognito-transferred her to his Regent street establishment, where the demand for highly finished portraits was greater

Jane consented to the new arrange-"You did not marry me for my money, ment with some fears, but Rosie had none Lena?" he said hoarsely. "Don't tell me for herself. If she should meet any of her Sir Wilfrid. "I don't want it now. All I t is yo

"But that will not be very satisfactory for poor Mr. Denham," said Rosie. "May I tell him you will sit to him another

"Say anything you like. But can't you

"No; it is impossible! Neither must you return for me. We don't want them to know that I'm your sister. Only say where I can see you, darling-alone, re-member-and I will be there by five o'clock."

"You must come to my chambers, in Rochester street. You remember the old place, don't you?" "Living in chambers, Wilfrid! And

where, then, is your wife?" Sir Wilfrid's brows contracted with a

frown.

"She is staying with her mother in Onslow Gardens. She prefers it to living with me. But I will tell you all about that when we have time to talk together. And you promise me faithfully to come to my chambers at five?"

"I promise you, dearest; and I shall be so impatient for the moment to arrive, that I do not know how I shall get through my work till then."

CHAPTER XIX.

The reappearance of the photographer on the scene of action here forced Sir Wilfrid to tear himself away; and after promising to return and sit for his portrait, he left Rosie to think over the exciting interview she had passed through. As soon as ever the day's work was completed, she hurried on her walking apparel and took her way to the Adelphi. Sir Wilfrid had asked her to give her own name to his servants, to avoid any scandal; and as soon as the valet, who answered the door to her, heard it, he ushered her without ceremony into his master's sitting room, where she found Wilfrid seated before a blazing fire, and beside a table laid out with every luxury suitable to an afternoon tea.

As soon as the door was closed behind her, and they found themselves alone, the brother and sister flew into each other's arms.

"And now, Rosie," exclaimed Sir Wilfrid, when their rapture at their reunion had somewhat abated, "the first thing you must do is to eat. I won't hear another word, nor answer a question, till you have had your tea. Here is some very tolerable bread and butter (considering Harvey cut it), and some first rate Dalmani-I can youch for the excellence of the Dalmani, because I tried it at luncheon. And what is this? Oh! a cold game pie. And here is some guava jelly (you girls are always ready for sweets), and seed-cake, and---"

"Stop, stop, Wilfrid!" cried Rosie, laughing; "you talk as if I had had nothing to eat since we ,arted. I have not been starved, I assure you, dear, and I had my dinner later than usual to-day, so that I would rather wait a little-if it is all the same to you-before I take my tea.'

She had removed her hat and cloak by this time, and now stood up before the glass, and ruffled her bonny brown hair becomingly with her hands.

"You are prettier than ever, Rosie," said her brother, admiringly; "and I really think you have grown. But now tell me everything, dear. I an burning to hear where you have been all this time. You are alone, Rosie, I hope? You are not married?"

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Rather Lose His Crown.

A special dispatch from Shanghai an sounces that the Emperor of China has declared that he would rather forfeit his crown than agree to the conditions de manded by Germany as redress for the murder of two German 'missionaries-Nies and Hennle-and the destruction of German mission property in the Province of Shantung. Admiral Diedrich, the German commander of Kiaochou Bay, the dispatch further states, has proclaimed martial law in the district around Klao-chou. China, the dispatch concludes, desires that her dispute with Germany be submitted to arbitrators to be appointed by Holland and Belgium.

Last July a Chinese mob attacked the Christian mission at Kinochou Bay, which is a point in the Yellow Sea, in the Province of Shan-Tung, about 300 miles north of Shanghak The mission was in charge of two missionaries named Nies



and Hennle, who had succeeded in attracting to their schools a very generous following of Chines youth. The attack was made in broad daylight, and the buildings were burned. When Nies and Hennle. the missionaries, tried to dissuade the rioters from acts of violence toward the tions of the board, will permit of altera-tion into effective plants. Secretary Long will make it quite evident the Govern-ment cannot undertake to make its own armor at the cost named as the limit of price to be paid to private firms in the last paval appropriation bill.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT.

Decrease of \$11,838,125 Noted for

the Month of November. The December statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business Nov. 30 the public debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$1,009,226,466, a decrease since Oct. 30 of \$11,338,125. This decrease is accounted for by an increase in the cash due to the deposit of an in-stallment of the proceeds of the sale of the Government's interest in the Union Pacific. But for this transaction the cash in the treasury would have been \$771,450 less than last month. The cash in the

treasury is classified as follows: Gold, \$194,089,260; silver, \$507,656,382; paper, \$105,756,181; bonds, disbursing of-ficers' balances, etc., \$38,907,251; total, \$846,409,076; against which there are demand liabilities amounting to \$625,745,-516, leaving the net cash balance \$220,-

The comparative statement of the Government receipts and expenditures shows that the total receipts for the month of November were \$43,363,005, of which \$18,194,618 was received from the reorganization committee of the Union Pacific Railroad, making the ordinary receipts for the month \$25,168,987. The total expenditures for November were \$37,810,838, of which \$4,549,308 was cash in the Union Pacific sinking fund turned into the treasury and repaid to the appropriation from which it had been originally drawn for investment. Hence the month's disbursements include this sum. The ordinary receipts for the month, therefore, were \$25,168,987 and the ordinary disbursements \$33,261,470, leaving a deficit of \$8,092,483. The receipts from customs were \$9,830,025, a falling off of about \$100,000 as compared with November, 1896. The receipts from internal revenue. were \$13,530,649, a gain of about \$430,-000 for the month.

RIOT IN PRAGUE.

Howling Masses Take Possession of the City.

There were fresh disturbances In Prague, Bohemia, Wednesday. The houses of Germans were bombarded with stones and a howling mob which gathered on Wensel-Platz had to be dispersed by infantry and cavalry. The university buildings were threatened by the rioters, and had to be protected by large bodies of police. During the afternoon the riots increased. The synagogue windows were smashed and the windows of the houses of Jews displaying German trade signs in seve al streets of the Jewish quarter.

In spite of the military a large Czech mob made a descent during the evening upon the German quarter and plundered houses and shops in several streets. The furniture of a well-known German cafe was piled up in the street and set on fire. When a detachment of troops approached to disperse the rioters the soldiers were

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL NTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE LESSON. 1.54 55

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

Lesson for December 12. Golden Text.—"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."—2 Tim. 4:7. This week's subject is Paul's last words -2 'Tim. 4: 1-8, 10-18.

Introductory.

We come to the close of Paul's career, and in this lesson study words of his written within a few months of his death. It is necessary to review so far as posible the events of the years that intervened between the writing of the epistes to ed between the writing of the episties to Philemon, to the Colossians, Ephesians and Philippians, during his imprisonment in 62, and the year of his death during which 2 Timothy was probably written 68. It is practically certain that Paul was released from his Roman prison at the close of the "two whole years" trayeled through Asia, Macedonia and Crete, and probably through Spain, and returned to Rome a prisoner again a few months before Nero's death, which occurred in 68; suffering martyrdom during that year. The only alternative to accepting these inferences is to deny the genuineness of the three epistles attributed to these closing months-1 and 2 Timothy and Titus, To go fully into the several passages which prove the release and second imprisonment of Paul would take too much time. A universal tradition of the ancient church was that he preached in Spain, as he had long desired to do (Rom, 15: 19). Previous to this he went from Rome to Macedonia, thence to Ephesus, and probably made the desired visit to Colosse (Philemon 22). After the conjectured visit to Spain, of which we have no particulars, he seems to have returned to the east, and to have remained for a time at Ephesus, making a brief journey to Crete. Thence he traveled westward to Nicopolis, a city in Epirus, the country on the eastern shore of the Adriatic sea, northwest of Macedonia and opposite Italy (Titus 3: 12). There he was arrested, during the winter of 67-68. He was taken to Rome, and in all probability was executed there in May or June of the year 68, shortly before Nero's death. The dates of the three so-called pastoral epistles, 1 and 2 Timothy and Titus, thus fall very close together; 1 Timothy being written from Macedonia shortly after Paul's leaving Ephesus, to warn and advise Timothy as to his important work in Ephesus; Titus being written after the return to Ephesus, shortly after Paul had been in Crete for a similar purpose, and 2 Timothy being written from Rome between Paul's arrest and his death.

Too much reliance should not be placed upon these dates, however. The important thing is to catch the spirit of these ters. written by the aged Paulperhaps approaching seventy-to his young friend and disciple Timothy, a man of thirty or thirty-five years, who was charged with responsible and difficult duties in Ephesus.

"Could I have married you without it?" the answered. "Now, don't pretend to be so innocent, Wilfrid. You know as well as anybody, when you came into your fortune, that you were a bon parti. Would you have had the courage to propose to me

acted under her influence-you told me

"As if one did not say anything when one is being courted. Really, Wilfrid, I credited you with more sense. You have rot me now, beyond all dispute. Cannot you be satisfied with that?"

She did not love him, and she never had done so. Perhaps the intelligence was not quite new to him; but he had not realized it so fully before. To hear it from her own lips, accompanied with sneers at his folly, was very hard to bear. And as Sir Wilfrid wandered about his grounds, lowncast and alone, brooding over his disappointment and the misery of an unrequited love, there came into his mind for the first time, a doubt whether it might not be a judgment sent by heaven upon I m for his perfidy to Jane Warner.

When Lena and her mother had been ettled in Paris nearly a month, Captain orsay turned up, rather unexpectedly, at Lambscote Hall. Sir Wilfrid had not invited him, although he knew no reason why he should have a grudge against the man. But he had always considered Jack Dorsay as a friend of Lady Otto St. Blase and her family, and had left it to his wife to invite him as she thought fit.

But he had not been seen at Lambscote ince Rosie's departure from it, a year before, and, to tell the truth, the reason of Lady Ewell's restlessness was because. she was afraid she had offended him on that occasion beyond forgiveness. She would not tear her thoughts from this anworthy man, do what she would, and though she had seen how little he cared for her, she still hoped on that, some day, his truant heart would come back pleading for reacceptance at her hands.

But that just happened to be the last dea in Jack Dorsay's head. He saw through her worldly and selfish character thoroughly-much better than her hushand did-and would not have taken her. is a gift from his hands. In fact, Sir Wilfrid had less to fear from Captain Dorsay than from any other man-had he only known it-or, rather, had Lena only known it. But she shut her eyes (as chilfren shut theirs at a fancied ghost) and refused to believe the truth.

The baronet received him cordially. He was dull and hipped, and his guests were not a very bright lot, and Jack Dorsay was just the man to stir them up and heep them going. And the second night be was there-afte, they had finished an aproarious evening of funny stories and comie songs, and the other fellows had she could have had the heart to run away betaken themselves to bed or fallen from him. asleep in their chairs-Sir Wilfrid found himself pacing the moonlit terrace in company with Jack Dorsay, and confiding to you must let me go now, darling. Supim somehow his disappointment respecting his wife.

"Give me your advice, Dorsay," he said, Sin and Salvation."-1 John 1: 5 to 26. about \$3,750,000. No recommendation is secret of its culture and have depended "and I will try to follow it. I know I'm They both laughed at that, and Rosie which the department publishes from time made, but the board has accumulated great fool about her, but I can't help upon the wild roots found here and dried the tears that had risen to her eyes. to time concerning the condition of crops Portrait of Mrs. Wesley. much information as to the merits of vabeing unhappy. Perhaps she has told you The original portrait of Mrs. Susanthere, for their supply. "Now that I have found you, Rosie, I in this and other countries, rious eligible locations. as I know you are such friends-that I will never let you go," said Sir Wilfrid. nah Wesley, mother of John and A physician has declared that if only Secretary Long will now proceed to Carload of Canceled Mortgages. sell in love with her years ago, and she "And I have no wish that you should, Charles Wesley, has come into the postake the next step necessary to carry out twenty minutes a day were spent in Charles Harris, a member of the Kanwouldn't have me. When she came round, dear brother; for meeting you again session of the Wesleyan Methodist the wish of Congress, namely, invite pro-It took me so much by surprise, I thought makes me wonder how I can have lived physical exercise as an adjunct to mensas Legislature, is working up a scheme book-room authorities of London and posals by advertisement for building such the must care for me as I cared for her. so long without a sight of your face or a so long without a sight of your face or a sound of your voice. But you must not to 70 without a day's illness, and perto collect and take to the Omaha exposia plant as that designed for the use of is deposited at the conference office. But I'm afraid I was too sanguine. We have only been married two years, and should of your voice. But you must not stay here now. Give me your orders tay here now. Give me your orders tay here now. Give me your orders tay here now. Give me your orders to leave it and live altogether is too late to make use to leave it and live altogether is too late to make use work; but I don't see my way to that. What am I to dw?" tion a car load of canceled Kansas mort-But I'm afraid I was too sanguine. We

family, she averred, she did not care, No one should take her from her beloved Jane Warner, nor prevent her from supporting herself.

It was a March day, cold, dull and wintry, and the girl was wondering whether she could accomplish any work on such a else, knowing I had refused you before?" | dark afternoon, when the proprietor of "But that was your mother's fault. You | the studio-a brother of Mr. Denham'scame into her room with a carte de visite in his hand.

> "Can you do anything with this, Miss Fraser?' he inquired. "The gontleman wants the head colored for a locket, but I'm afraid it's too dark. I advised him to sit again, but he has no time-is in a hurry, and wants it at once. Can it be done?

> He placed the photograph in her hands. She recognized it at once. It was a portrait of her brother Wilfrid.

"Is the gentleman here?" she asked hurriedly. "Yes; waiting to hear what you say."

"It is much too dark an impression. It won't be satisfactory," she answered, giving it back with a trembling hand.

"Very good, I'll tell him so," said Mr. Denham. But in another minute he had returned.

"The gentleman-it's Sir Wilfrid Ewell says he will take the chance of its turnng out a failure; but he wishes this particular carte colored, and would like to speak to you about it. You must come downstairs and see him.' "I cannot; I am too busy," she an-

wered brusquely. "But, Miss Fraser, I must insist," com-

enced the photographer. "Am I intruding?" said a voice in the

doorway, and her brother appeared upon the threshold. Mr. Denham retreated in his favor.

"Ah, Siz Wilfrid! Now you can speak to the young lady yourself. Sir Wilfrid, Miss Fraser." And so saying, Mr. Denham went back to his own department. Sir Wilfrid recognized her at once. Rosie had only to raise those dark, gray eyes—so like his own—and fix a look upon him filled with emotion, for him to know his sister. But surprise for a moment mastered his powers of speech.

"Don't make a fuss about it, darling." said Rosie quietly, when she had found her voice. "It is I, indeed; and if you are angry to find me here, femember, was my mother drove me to it."

"Rosie, my dearest sister! how could I be angry to find you, when your loss has been the trauble of my life? But what is this, dear? Are you obliged to work for your bread? Whom are you living with? What are you doing? Oh, Rosie! do not be afraid of me, but tell me all."

He had closed the door by this time, and coming forward, folded her in his arms. - And Rosie, feeling his kisses on her cheek, wondered for a moment how

"I am not a bit afraid, dear Wilfrid; nor have I any reason to be ashamed. But pose Mr. Denham should come in and catch us kissing! I should be dismissed upon the spot."

The brightness died out of her laughing

"No, Wilfrid, I am not married, nor do I think I ever shall be. I have seen too much of the effects of marriage on my friends. It seems to me it is better left alone.'

"But what made you leave us all in so mysterious and extraordinary a way, dear? You don't know the misery and anxiety you have caused me."

"Dear old boy!" said the girl, affectionately. "And you were the only one I grieved after, too. The reason I went was this, Wilfrid. You know I told you it was impossible for me to live at Lambscote. Don't let us allude to that question again. It is settled, once and forever. But mamma insisted that I should do so. She called me ungrateful and disobedient, and said I was a burden, and all sorts of hard things, and threatened to take me back to Somersetshire herself. And so I ran away. The money you had given me kept me until I got work, and since I obtained that I have kept myself. There is my whole history, Wilfrid. A very simple one, with nothing in the background. You need not be ashamed of me, brother. I have done nothing to disgrace my birth or breeding. And-except for not seeing you-I have been tolerably happy."

(To be cont nued.)

Ginseng Culture.

The secret of raising gluseng has been discovered at last. It is being grown upon Missouri soil and cultivated by a Missouri farmer, says the St. Louis Republic. China has an unlimited demand for the ginseng root, and because of its scarcity pays the handsome price of \$2.50 for a single pound of it. Heretofore the market has been supplied from certain mountain sections, where the herb grows wild. Repeated attempts to cultivate it have proved a failure. But, according to Waldo Parks, a guest at the Laciede Hotel, Spencer Brown, a larmer down in Texas County, is cultivating an acre of ginseng. It matures in six years. From the product of that acre he expects to realize the modest sum of \$20,-000. He will limit the product so as to keep the price up.

Mr. Brown says that ginseng flourishes in rich limestone soil, shaded from the sun. It requires eighteen months to germinate and six years for full growth. He is making no secret of the discovery, but explains its mysteries to any one.

By the Chinese ginseng is considered a medicinal ingredient of wonderful powers. A liquor is distilled from it which is supposed to cure all diseases. They have never been able to find the

native converts there was an instant attack made upon the Germans themselves. Both Fatally Wounded.

The two Europeans were attacked with swords and clubs, and, before they could defend themselves, both had been mortally wounded. They were at once thrown upon the burning ruins of the mission, where they died.

Refugees from the dismantled school at once communicated the facts to the pearest representatives of the German nation and the news provoked a storm of indignant protest as soon as it was repeated in Berlin. Steps to punish the perpetrators of the deed were at once put on foot. A German war ship was dispatched to the Yellow Sea and Nov. 22 the admiral in command landed a force of marines on the shore of the bay, which was commanded by a Chinese port with a garrison of 1,500 men. The admiral, protected by the man-of-war, commanded the Chinese general to withdraw his soldiers from the fort and the latter did so, claiming the protection of the admiral. The Chinese soldiers ran in complete disorder into the fastnesses of the hills, abandoning their position, which the Germans at once occupied.

A demand was made upon the Chinese Government for an indemnity on account of the slaughter of the missionaries and the destruction of school property. Pending a settlement of that question the German force maintained its position on land and the man-of-war remained in the adjacent waters for the purpose of affording any needed protection.

Russia May Interfere.

It is said that the Chinese ministers have appealed for support to Russia, and that the czar has intimated that a continuance of German occupation will be regarded as an act of hostility to the Russian nation and damaging to Russian

of the German parliament, clearly foreshadowed the foreible occupation of a port in Chinese waters, and his address left little room to expect that the force there would be withdrawn. In addition, it is well known that a gunboat which had been ordered to Hayti to settle a lit. tle difficulty which the Berlin Government had in the West Indies has been recalled, and is now on its way to the China Sea. By the time Russian protests can be considered at Berlin it is likely Emperor William's naval and land forces will be so strongly established on the shore of China that they will not easily be dislodged.

The naval board appointed by authority of Congress to ascertain the cost of an armor plant made its report through Commodore Howell to Secretary Long Wednesday. The cost of a plant suitable for the making of naval armor at the rate of about 6,000 tons per annum, which is fully equal to the capacity of both the existing private plants, is set down as

greeted with showers of stones, broken glass and other missiles. The officer in command ordered his troops to prepare to fire, but at the urgent request of a police official the order was not carried into effect.

Shortly after 9 o'clock a mob attempted to storm a cartridge factory at Zischow, a suburb of Prague, on the other side of the Moldau. Troops stationed at the factory poured a volley into the crowd. Several persons were killed outright and others were wounded. The same body of rioters set fire to a house at Zischow, but the flames were soon quenched. In various other parts of the city and the suburbs windows were smashed and German sign boards demolished. It is said that the mob was incited by articles in the Czech newspapers and by false reports that the German students had organized an attack upon the Czech national thea-

PRAYER FAILS TO HEAL

Miss Helen Ash Dies Despite Christian Science Theories.

Several days ago Miss Hole , Ash, the daughter of Mrs. L. N. Ash, living at 221 East Forty-seventh street, Chicago, was taken seriously ill. Mrs. Ash, who is a member of the Kenwood Club, and a firm 19-21, add. Courtesy and thoughtfulness believer in Christian Science, decided that she would treat the illness of her daughter without the aid of a physician. Miss Ash was also a Christian Scientist, and agreed with her mother in regard to the treatment of her ailments. They decided to resort only to prayer as a curative of the disease.

For a short time the fervent prayers seemed to be answered, and the girl gained in strength. But the ailment took a firmer hold on its victim, and she grew gradually weaker. The mother lengthened the seasons of worship and the daughter became more earnest in her prayers for health. But in spite of the rigid manner in which the Christian Science doctrine was carried out the daughter grew gradually worse until Tuesday evening, when she died.

TO IMPROVE CROP REPORTS.

Statistician Hyde Says the Present System Is Cumbrous.

The annual report of the statistician of the Department of Agriculture. John Hyde, was issued Wednesday. It is devoted mainly to criticism of the cumbrous and unbusinesslike crop reporting system that has been in use in the department during the last few years, and to recommendations looking to an improvement of the system

Mr. Hyde states that his brief official connection with the division has been sufficient to impress him strongly with the extreme cumbrousness of the existing system of crop reporting; with the fact that the information obtained is utterly incommensurate with the labor involved in its collection, and with the disadvantage under which the farmer labors in being placed in possession so much less prompt-ly than other citizens of the information

Explanatory.

No ministerial "charge to the candidate" ever exceeded this in solemnity. The greatest apostle was about to leave forever his earthly labors. Such words as those of his charge had back of them the accumulated force of a whole lifetime of labor and love. They sum up the man in the very essence of his character; responsibility to God and to man. That is Paul. As he has felt the compelling power of the charge laid upon him by Jesus Christ, so he lays that burden now upon his young successor.

"Be instant in season, out of season": means, of course, be prompt to take advantage of every opportunity, always and everywhere.

"I was delivered out of the mouth of the lion." This may be either metaphorical or literal.

The sublime faith which could so speak in the face of certain death, which Paul must have known awaited him, is the crown of his book. But do not lose the human touch which the closing verses, for his friends remained in Paul's character till the last.

Teaching Hints.

The two chief things which Paul urges upon Timothy are faithfulness and alertness, the spiritual sense and the practical sense. Paul probably had but little use for stupid people.

The close of Paul's life was a magnificent victory. He had done that for which he was called-preached the gospel throughout the "whole world," and started centers of church life from which the whole Christian world was to draw its strength. He had run a race with death and won. Death in its physical form had often threatened him, but he had been warded off until his work was done. Death in its more terrible aspect as the wages of sin, the enemy of humanity, had been his antagonist for thirty years, and he had conquered darkness by letting in the light, abolished death for thousands of his fellow men by leading them into the life of God.

Leave Paul with these two pictures of him; the little, homely man that lay gasping on the ground one day outside the walls of Lystra, his face cut and bruised with stones, while disciples stood weeping around him; who pretty soon opened his eyes, pulled himself to his feet, and hobbled off next day to Derbe to "try it again;" and the aged man shivering in the deadly dampness of the underground dungeon at Rome, dictating to a friend these strange words about the martyr's death which he daily looked for: "The Lord will deliver me from every evil work, and will save me unto his heavenly kingdom, to whom be the glory for ever and ever. Amen."

Next Lesson-"John's Message About

REPORT AS TO ARMOR PLANTS. Naval Board Files Its Findings with Fecretary Long.

interests. Emperor William, at the recent opening Reputations Made in a Day Are precious scarce. Time tries the worth of a man or medicine. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a forty-five years growth, and like those hardy lichens that garnish the crev-tices of Alaska's rocks, it fourishes peren-nisily, and its reputation has as firm a base as the tocks themselves. No medicine is more highly regarded as a remedy for fever and ague, billous remittent, constipation, liver and kidney disorders, nervousness and rheumatiam.

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Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant's health is so much impaired that she has been unable to correct the manuscripts of her book. She has not yet decided on an energetic patroness of the Tokio where she will spend the summer.

Weak Stomach

Feels Pe factly Well Since Taking that her husband has composed many of his protiler.

"I have been troubled for over two years with a weak stomach. I cons to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking a few bottles I felt perfectly well, and I cannot speak too highly of Hood's." MRS. M. H. WRIGHT, Akron, O.

Hood's Sarsa-parilla Is the best-in fact, the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the favorite cathartie, 25c



FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE. CURRS AND PREVENTS

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The Able Helpmate of Japan's Ruler The women think well of the Emperor of Japan because of what he has done for the advancement of their sex in the Flowery Kingdom. The Empress Fusaka, his wife, not only shares his throne, but is consulted by him on matters of national importance. Moreover, she has a place at his table, an honor acceded to none of her predecessors. She has shown herself worthy Women's Hospital, conducted on the latest scientific principles. She rides well and takes ample advantage of the symnasium specially created for her benefit in the palace. It is in her honor

of his prettiest poems.

Head and Body.

The head, according to correct proportion, should be one-seventh of the body. The nose, forehead and chin of equal length. The distance between the eyes, the length of the eye. The distance from the inner angle of the eye to the dividing line of the lips should measure from two and a quarter to two and a half inches.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package.

In France 4,000,000 tons of potatoes are annually used in the manufacture of starch and alcohol.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Scrape-Something a man can avoid by letting his whiskers grow.

For lung and chest diseases, Piso's Cure is the best medicine we have used .- Mrs. J. L. Northcott, Windsor, Ont., Canada.

Trite Capt. O'FAREALL. Fension Agent, Washington, D.4. Mirs. Winslow's Soorning Straup for Children techning: soitens the gums, requees inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

FIRST WOMAN CITIZEN HER STURDY LADS AND CLEVER

LASSES BECOME PROMINENT CITIZENS.

Known as the "Widow Ryan"- Wa a Clever Business Woman - Short, Sketch of Her Life and What Some of Her Children Accomplished.

From the News, Indianapolis, Ind.

From the News. Indianapolis, Ind. Hundreds of thousands of men of for-eign birth have taken out papers declar-ing their citizenship in Indiana since that State was admitted into the Union in 1816 without creating remark or com-ment. It was a different matter, how-ever, when along in the forties the first woman of foreign birth applied for and received papers of citizenship. The "first woman citizen" was an Irish widow who settled in southern Indiana with her progeny of sturdy lads and clever lasses upon a farm which she had bought. She had taken out naturalization papers in order to manage her property to

papers in order to manage her property to better advantage, and for the further pur-pose of starting her family as true Ameri-cans with a full understanding of the ad-vantages and responsibilities of American citizenship. citizensh

citizenship. "The Widow Ryan," as she was known in Daviess County, Indiana, was a great woman with a clever business head and left behind her those who grew to be worthy men and worthy women, and who have left their impress upon the State. One of these sons, James B. Ryan, be-came Treasurer of the State of Indiana, and a son-in aw, M. L. Brett, also held that high and honorable position. Another son was the late Lleut. Col. Richard J. Ryan, who was probably the most brillson was the late Lient. Col. Richard J. Ryan, who was probably the most brill-iant and gifted orator that Indiana ever produced, and who during the war for the Union served his country in the Thir-ty-fifth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, bet-ter known as "the Irish Regiment." Another son is Thomas F. Ryan, who is now 59 years old, and with a few inter-vals of absence has been a resident of In-dianapolis for forty-two years. Mr. Ryan has been an active business man all his

has been an active business man all his life and has seen more than one fortune come and go in the vicissitudes of trade

and sudden panic. In the early fifties, smitten by the gold fever, he went by way of the Isthmus of Panama to California, and he has always Panama to California, and he has always retained the free-hearted, open and trust-ing confidence that distinguished the gal-lant pioneers of the golden State. He has been engaged in mining and trade opera-tions in Oregon, Arizona and Montana. From May, 1885, until August, 1887, he was the government agent at the Seal Islands off the Alaska coast, a highly re-sponsible position.

ponsible position. "For ten years or more," salá Mr. Ryan, in conversation with a group of gentle-men at the Indianapolis Board of Trade, "I have been sensitive in my lower limbs to weather changes. If my legs had been filled with quicksilver I do not think they could have responded more gaiable could have responded more quickly or more disagreeably to climatic conditions.

"During the past two years this infirm-ity became much worse, and I began to be alarmed, fearing paralysis. My legs were cold and recently from my knees down were without sensation. I could walk only short distances and would even then experience great weariness. I became more and more alarmed. I naturalthought of paralysis or ataxia. The prospect was not pleasing. "I happened to meet my old friend Capt. C. F. Shepard, of this city. He was chanting the praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and gave me his experience, telling me that he had been brought by using them from a bed where he lay helpless, his physician hav-ing declared him a hopeless victim of locomotor ataxia, and was now as active as any man of his age, not even requiring the use of a cane. Upon his recommendation I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. "I found positive relief, after taking a few doses. The numbness in my limbs disappeared as if by magic, and I can walk as far as I like at a good rapid gait and without weariness. This you may understand is a great boon to a man who has been of an active habit of life, and has been of an active habit of life, and who still likes to depend to a great extent upon his legs to get around in the world. "The pills also drove the rheumatism out of my hip, for I have not been bother-ed with it since I began their use. I think I shall have to join Captain Shepard in his praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale Peop for Pale People." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale Peo-ple contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shatter-ed nerves. These pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.80, and may be had of all demonstrates of the next the next the sold of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenec-tady, N. Y.

APPEAL IS REFUSED.

Ex-Banker Spalding's Motion for New Trial Is Deniel. Charles Warren Spalding, president and charged wrecker of the defunct Globe Savings Bank of Chicago, was sentenced by Judge Horton to the Joliet peniten-tiary under the provisions of the indeter-minate imprisonment act. For the crime of embezzlement, of which the banker stands convicted the extreme negative is stands convicted, the extreme penalty is fifteen years, which may be shortened three years by good time, and has always, after the first year, the possibility of par-

don by the prison commissioners. When Judge Horton had finished reading his opinion he asked the ex-banker if he had anything to say as to why sentence



CHAS. W. SPALDING.

should not be passed upon him. Spalding arose and after standing fully a minute before the bar of justice said:

"Your honor, a great injustice has been done me. I am proud of my business record in this city for the past thirty-three years. I yet maintain that not one cent of this money has ever been personal gain for me. I challenge any man in the city of Chicago or elsewhere to designate one instance when I did not honestly perform my duty. If you had permitted, Judge Horton, the testimony which twice acquitted me to be heard by the jury which sat before you in my last trial, I would have been freed on this charge as on the others, but you didn't and I stand convicted of a terrible crime. I am not guilty, but humbly accept my sentence. That is all.'

In arriving at his opinion Judge Horton cited many cases, and although it was set forth in Spalding's last triat that there was no intention on the part of the accused of appropriating the money to his own use, he held this was no excuse. The prisoner had admitted during the trial that he had deposited with the First National Bank Macoupin County bonds belonging to the University of Illinois as security for his own personal check. The court held that when Spalding, who was at this time treasurer of the University of Illinois, took these bonds he became debtor to the university for this amount. His failure to produce them when called upon made him an embezzler, and therefore subjected him to the full penalty of the law. Inasmuch as the money was secured on the bonds given as security. the embezzlement was plain to the court, and his decision was in accordance with the admission of Spalding himself.

IDEAL GRANDMOTHERS.

Women Who Know the La re of Nature and Ot Them May Live to Green Old Age.

Mrs. Pinkham Says When We Violate Nature's Laws Our Punishment Is Pain-If We Continue to Neglect the Warning We Dies

Providence has allotted us each at least seventy years in which to fulfill our mission in life, and it is generally our own fault if we die prematurely.

Nervous exhaustion invites disease. This statement is the positive truth. When everything becomes a burden

and you cannot walk a few blocks without excessive fatigue, and you break out into perspirations easily, and your face flushes, and you grow excited and shaky at the least provocation, and you cannot bear to be crossed in anything, you are in danger; your nerves have given out; you need building up at once! To build

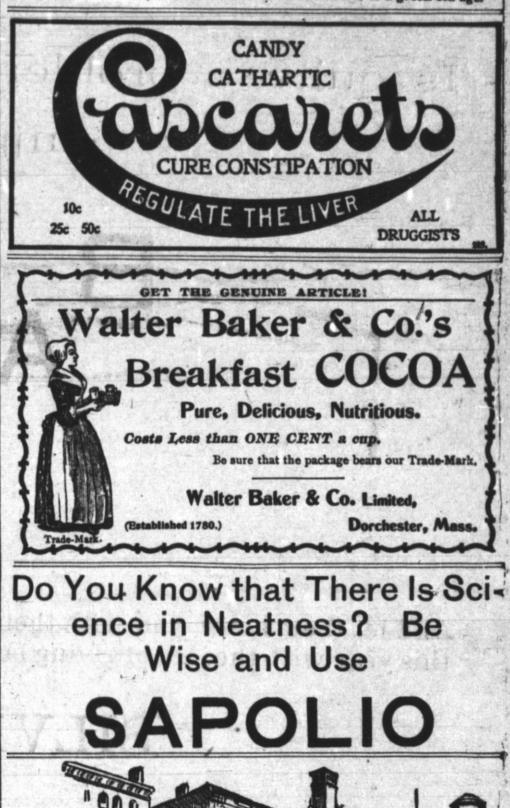
up woman's nervous system and re-Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Your ailment taken in time can be thrown off, if neglected it will run on into great suffering and pain.

Here is an illustration. MRS. LUCY GOODWIN, Holly, W. Va., says:

"I suffered with nervous prostration, faintness, all-gone feeling and palpi-tation of the heart. I could not stand but a few moments at a time without

having that terrible bearing-down sensation. "When I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I only weighed 106 pounds, and could not sit up half a day; before, however, I had used a whole bottle, I was able to be about. I took in all about three bottles of the Compound, and am entirely cured; now I weigh 131 pounds and feel like a new woman, stronger and better than ever in my life."

So it transpires that because of the virtues of Mrs. Pinkham's wonderful Compound, even a very sick woman can be cured and live to a green old age.





will contain a great wealth 'of original literary and pictorial matter by the best writers and artists of the day. We have material in hand which we have definitely planned to publish during the year that will, when issued in volume form, make at least fifteen books that will not be sold for less than \$25,00. This material will have its first publication in MCCLURE'S MAGAZINE. A year's subscription costs only \$2.00. Below we give a few of the great features. There are many others; in this limited space it is impossible to enumerate them all.

Chas. A. Dana's Reminiscences

Rudyard Kipling A NEW POEM-"THE DESTROYERS." A powerful, grim moving song ot torpedoes and

Robert Barr

William Allen White

Stephen Crane

By Hamlin Garland

The Custer Fight

This tale, taken down from the lips of the hief Two Moons, is a vivid and dramatic

Sitting Bull's Defiance

A fine story of Sitting Bull's refusal to treat with a commissioner from the Government, and his insensibility to fine words and rich gifts.

Rising Wolf, Ghost Dancer Rising Wolf's autobiography, giving strange instances of his power of magic and his own tory of how he acquired the power.

The Railroad Man's Life

By HERBERT E. HAMBLIN. A narrative of work, adventures, hazards, accidents and es-capes. The record of fifteen years' experience as fireman and engineer.

A Diver's Autobiography

The Siberian Railway

TRUE INDIAN STORIES

"The Bride Comes to Yellow Sky," and

A NEW STORY-"THE TOMB OF HIS AN-

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Mr. Dana was intimately associated with the great leaders during the Civil War. He was, much at the front, Lincoln called him "The Eyes of the Government at the Front." These reminiscences contain much unpublished ma-terial, secret history and fresh recollections of Lincoln, Stanton, Grant, Sherman, Chaše, and many others. They are illustrated with many rare and unpublished photographs from the al-most priceless collection in the War Depart-ment. CESTORS," a tale of a "clouded tiger," an officer in India, and a rebellious tribe. Mr. Kipling vill be a frequent contributor. "The Archbishop's Christmas Gift," "The Long Ladder," and other stories.

Anthony Hope's New Novel

"Rupert of Hentzau," sequel to "The Pris-oner of Zenda." The best novel Anthony Hope

C. D. Gibson in Egypt Mr. Gibson will spend this winter in Egypt. making pictures for MCCLURE'S MAGAZINE.

Nansen will write on the possibility of reaching the Pole and the scientific results of a polar expedition,

ADVENTURE AND EXPLORATION

Andrée's Balloon and Voyage Mr. Garland has spent many months among the Indians of the far West, gathering their reminiscences and traditions. In coming num-bers of the magazine will appear By Mr. Strindberg, brother of Andrée's containing in his flight toward the Pole.

Jackson in the Far North His own account of the years he lived fan north of the limits of human habitation.

Sven Hedin in Unexplored Asia For ten days in the great Gobi Desert with-out food or water-an explorer of wonderful pluck and endurance.

Landor in Thibet His capture, torture, and escape to India, especially written by himself for McCLURE's MAGAZINE.

THE NEWEST SCIENCE Edison's Wonderful Invention

For crushing mountains to dust and extracting iron by magnetism.

Lord Kelvin A character sketch and a conversation one unsolved problems of science.

The story of the champion deep diver of the world, full of innumerable adventures and hair breadth escapes. The Fastest Ship A description of "Turbinia." a boat that can ke 40 miles an hour, by the inventor and

Making a Great Telescope

A Submarine Boat

The Queen's Jubilee.

Arrangements have been made for the simultaneous lighting of bonfires on every prominent height in Great Britain on the night of the anniversary of Queen Victoria's coronation.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and finan-cially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

cially able to carry out any obligations, their firm. West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Drug-gists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Frice 75c, per bottle, Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Maine Weather.

There is said to have been very much less snow in Maine at the beginning of March than ever before at this season in forty-five years.

Try Grain-O! . Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children riay drink without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha and Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. Onefourth of the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package, sold by all grocers.

The mole is an excellent civil en-

TO DIE FOR HIS CRIME.

Martin Thorn to Be Electrocuted for the Murder of Guldensuppe. Martin Thorn, on trial in Long Island

for the brutal murder of William Guldensuppe, was found guilty by the jury and will die in the electric

chair. Mrs. Nack, his accomplice, will, it is said, plead guilty and may be given twenty years in prison. Thorn, a barber, loved Mrs. Nack, a midwife who in turn had deserted her husband for William Guldensuppe, a bath at-tendant. So in this tra-

gedy three men have MARTIN THORN. been ruined by a woman ruined herself long before she met one of them. The husband betrayed, Guldensuppe murdered, Thorn to be electrocuted. She lives.

Guldensuppe was in the way of Thorn, and the Nack woman had tired of him as well. Guldensuppe blacked the eye of Thorn and kicked him downstairs. The Nack woman held out her arms and Thorn returned. He talked of queer things and revenge on the bath man. The woman lured Guldensuppe on June 25 to a cottage at Woodside which she and Thorn had rented. Guldensuppe entered while the woman lingered in the yard. Thorn killed him; and over his dead body Nack and Thorn worked severing the parts. These were scattered in the river. The police found some of them. Clews to the anurderers were few. Thorn afterward talked to a barber.

one Gotha. He told him what he had done, the deed of the Woodside cottage. Gotha kept silent for weeks. Then he spoke, and to the police. The Nack woman and Thorn were arrested, the woman defying the police and never revealing her secret until ten days ago, when she told it on the stand and accused Thorn of the murder itself. Then Thorn accused her of the crime under oath. He made a socalled confession. The jury did not telieve him.

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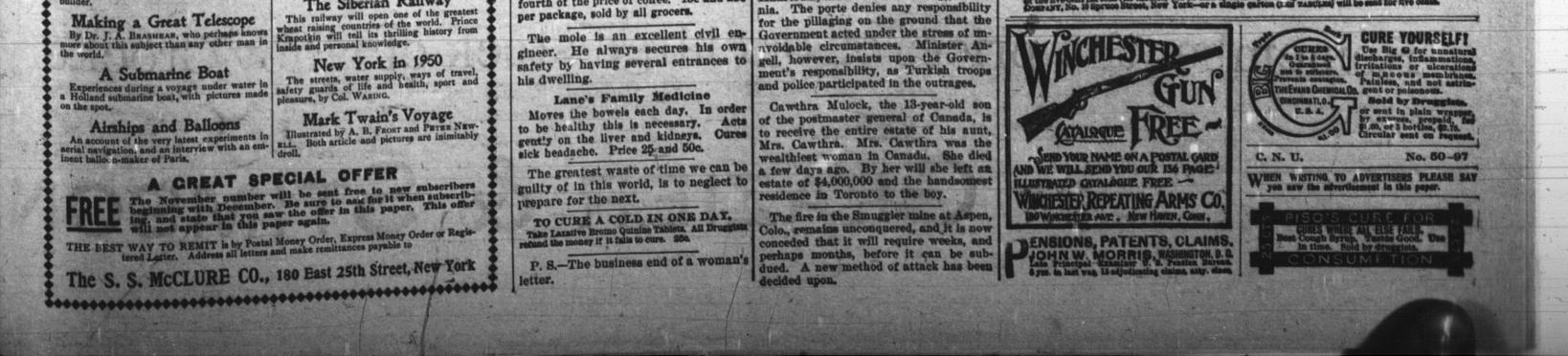
Turk Not Responsible for Pillage of SAmerican Missions.

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Cawthra Mulock, the 13-year-old son of the postmaster general of Canada, is to receive the entire estate of his aunt, Mrs. Cawthra. Mrs. Cawthra was the wealthiest woman in Canada. She died a few days ago. By her will she left an estate of \$4,000,000 and the handsomest

"He was a retired shipbuilder-and halls from Staten Island, New York." He was in pretty good health, but every day when he took what he called his constitutional, that is, his afternoon walk, he was sure to have a sort of cramp which selzed him in the calf of his leg with almost the severity of an assault by a ferocious dog. He read about the case of a man whose rheumatism was cured by Ripans Tabules and laughed at the idea. He thought the man a fool, but realizing that his own difficulty was a sort of rheumatic twinge, he finally hought and used some Tabules and of late his friends have noticed that he is more chipper than he had been for years. A lady who knew him well asked him about the dog that used to bite his leg in the afternoons and the old man said : " He is dead and Ripans Tabules killed him."/

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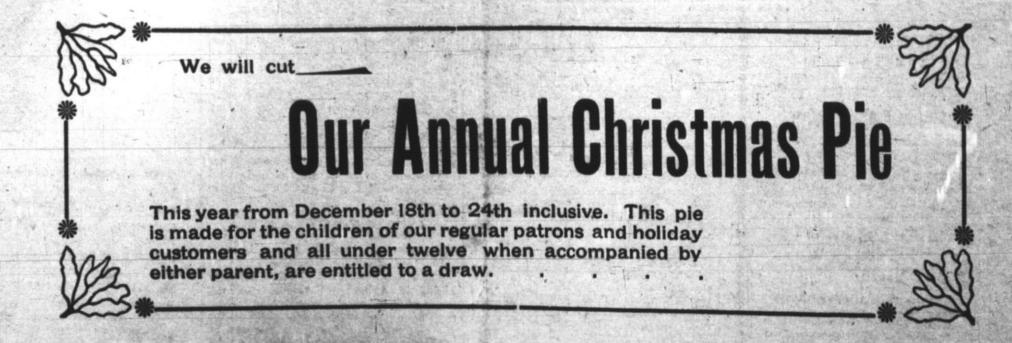
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