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It Pays to Buy Dress Goods Where

You can get the best linings. Dressmakers prefer our linings because they're always good. Our black linings we absolutely guarantee to be as free from crocking or fading as if they were white and then we have linings not to be found elsewhere. Extra firm, soft skirt linings, fancy perca silk linings and mercerized waist linings. At all events see what we have in this department before having your spring dresses made up.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

Butterick's patterns for March now on sale.



CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

To still reduce our large stock of winter weights and to give vent to our pleasure of employing home talent and deserving workers, we call your attention to the fact that we will still continue to sell

Suits, Overcoats and Odd Trousers at Greatly Reduced prices for the next Thirty days.

To make room for our large spring purchases that promises to be the finest spring stock ever shown in Chelsea, which I trust will be appreciated, as well as the finest Merchant Tailoring establishment in Washtenaw county. Soliciting a call we remain yours

RAFTREY,

The Worker of Gentlemen's Clothes.

TALK AND WIND

are cheap, but when in need of Tea, Coffee, Canned Goods, Confectionery, Hay, Straw, Corn, Oats, try us and be convinced that we are not undersold.

J. S. CUMMINGS.

A BUTCHER THAT KNOWS HIS BUSINESS

never takes advantage of the inexperience of his customers by giving them poor cuts or light weights. We treat our patrons honorably and in the same courteous manner, and cut them the best of the kind that they ask for—and when we do that you couldn't find better for love or money. Fresh, smoked, salt meats and sausage, poultry, oysters.

Lard by the Crock 7c at

ADAM EPPLER'S Meat Market.

DORSEY HOPPE.

He is the Democratic Nominee for School Commissioner.

At the democratic county convention at Ann Arbor on Thursday last, Hiram Lighthall presented the name of Dorsey Hoppe of Sylvan for the nomination of school commissioner. Prof. DeWitt of Dexter was also presented as a candidate, but he withdrew his name in favor of that of Lester McDiarmid, a former superintendent of the Chelsea schools. Mr. Hoppe landed the nomination by a vote of 130 to 79. Dorsey is the young man who was elected county surveyor last fall and did not know that his name had been placed on the ticket until it was nearly time for the polls to close.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHT.

That Many Drunks Have Been In Jail.

Argus-Democrat: This morning the county board of prison examiners, consisting of Probate Judge Newkirk, County Juvenile Agent Lehman and Superintendents of the Poor, E. P. Mason, James Taylor and Tracy L. Townner inspected the county jail. They found that on an average, as Mr. Mason said, it cost about \$8 to lock up a prisoner. Since their last visit August 22, 1898, 320 prisoners have been confined in the jail. They were charged with the following crimes: Vagrancy 31, drunkenness 188, burglary 6, larceny 21, suspended sentence 6, carrying concealed weapons 6, assault 3, manslaughter 1, murder 1, indecent language 1, non-support 1, grand larceny 1, assault with intent to kill 1, suspicion of larceny 14, assault and battery 6, malicious destruction of property 7, threats 1, attempt to rape 1, breaking and entering a shop 1, common prostitute 2, robbery 1, contempt of court 1, insane 2, suspicion of burglary 2, attempt to murder 1, false pretences 1, threatening life 1, drunkard and tippler 3, suspicion of a hold-up 1, writing threatening letters 1, disorderly 5, truancy 1, fraudulently disposing of a bicycle 1.

TELEGRAMS OF A YEAR AGO.

They Are Odd Reading Now, But Models for Aguinaldo.

Madrid, April 29.—A great impression has been made by the news that Germany will not permit the Americans to bombard Manila.

Japanese naval officers have been given permission to see the naval operations from the decks of Spanish ships.

The Vos Espanola of Manila says the port of Manila is impregnable.

The Spanish squadron, in two sections, is patrolling off Cavite searching for the Americans.

Madrid, April 29.—The city is on the tip-toe of expectancy for news from Manila. Indeed, it is rumored that the fleets have met and three American warships have been sunk.

The Correspondencia says Spain fears the conflict less and less every day.

It is understood that anarchy reigns in the United States. The Americans are utterly unable to handle ships of war.

Madrid, April 29.—Gen. Correa, the minister of war, replying in the cortes concerning the bombardment of Matanzas, said it was a glorious day for the Spanish arms.

Gen. Blanco's dispatch, telling of the grounding of an American ironclad is hailed with delight, showing that the Americans are not versed in seamanship.

The Imparcial says: All the world now knows that America tried to bluff Spain by war threats which she is unable to fulfill. America, on being called, shows a wretchedly weak hand. Its real strength is exactly known—five unbelted, the fastest and most powerful cruisers, and twelve other cruisers. All the rest are theatrical supers. Continuing, the Imparcial says it regrets Daudet did not live to write "Tartar-in." Yankee Admiral," based it, adds, on Sampson's glorious eighteen minutes' bombardment of Matanzas, resulting, as the official dispatches inform us, in the death of a mule. It is not believed that the American warships will venture to attack Manila.

Havana, April 29.—It is rumored that General Pardo has finished a complete plan to reconquer Florida.

Chester Students at the University.

The number of Chelsea students at the University this year is seven. Three of these are women, and are registered in the Literary department. The four men are all members of the Dental department. No one of the seven will graduate this year.

The following is a list of the individual students, with a few facts concerning the course that each is pursuing:

Miss Minnie C. Casely and Miss Eloise Morton are both members of the Literary class which will graduate in June, 1900. The former is a special student, not being registered for degree, the latter is studying for the Ph. B. degree, and specializing in English and other languages; her intention being to follow journalism as a profession. Miss Effa A. Armstrong is taking second year work for the Ph. B.

degree. It is not her intention to specialize in any particular line of study, but merely to obtain a general education.

Augustus L. Steger is now at the University for his second year work in dentistry; the other men are in their first year at the university. T. D. Clark, however, has been in Ann Arbor before this year, for he attended the Ann Arbor high school for two years. He and C. W. Miller do not take any great interest in athletics or college politics, but spend most of their time in preparing themselves for their profession. H. C. Wood is one of the most prominent members of the freshman dental class on account of the interest he takes in class elections.

Dorsey R. Hoppe graduated from the Literary department last June with the degree of B. T. He returned this year to pursue studies in the Law school, but at the beginning of the second semester he was offered a position at Bay City, which he accepted. While in the Literary department he was an active member of the Alpha Nu Literary Society, holding at one time and another several important offices. After entering the Law school he was admitted to membership in the Webster debating society, and took part in the preliminary contests for two inter-collegiate debates.

Lewis D. Zinke also graduated last year from the Dental department. He is now practicing at Collingwood, near Cleveland, Ohio, and it is reported that he has already made a success in his profession. The Dental department of the University has an excellent reputation in every part of the country and its graduates are sure to do well wherever they may decide to practice.

Miss Caroline A. Rockwell was a special student, and Miss Jeannette B. Storms, who was studying for the degree of Bachelor of Science, were both in the Literary department last year, but did not return at the opening of the present college year. Miss Rockwell is now engaged in teaching, and Miss Storms is continuing her studies at the University of Wisconsin.

Seven students seems to be a small number from a town so near to Ann Arbor as Chelsea, and no good reason can be given why there should not be a larger delegation. It is true that the Chelsea schools are not on the accredited list of the University, and that in consequence all graduates are obliged to pass entrance examinations to enter the University, but this fact should not prove a serious obstacle to anyone who desires a literary or professional education. There is room at the University, in the departments now attended by the Chelsea students, and in other departments, for as many bright men as Chelsea can spare, and it is to be hoped that by next October some of them will decide to take advantage of the opportunity.

Hannah Berry Raymond.

Friday evening, March 3, at her home on Railroad street, Hannah Berry Raymond passed away after five weeks of suffering, a tumor being the immediate cause of her death.

Hannah Berry was born in Mayfield, Fulton county, N. Y., April 18, 1818. In 1842 she came to Michigan. April 14, 1847, she married David S. Raymond. She was the mother of three children, one daughter, Jane, and two sons, George and Blon. On May 4, 1866, she united with the Congregational church of which she was an earnest and conscientious member, always zealous in good works until obliged by failing health to relinquish her work for the Master outside her own home. During her forty-one year's residence in Chelsea she has made many friends. She bore her sufferings with Christian patience and forbearance.

A husband, one brother, Francis Berry of New York, and two sons, George and Blon, mourn the loss of a devoted wife, a faithful sister and a loving mother. "The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble, and he knoweth them that trust him."

The funeral services were held at the Congregational church, Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock, Rev. C. S. Jones officiating.

Mrs. Ida M. Vicary.

Mrs. Ida M. Vicary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reithmiller, was born in Waterloo, Mich., September 19, 1876, was married to Robert Vicary, January 4, '90, and departed this life February 25, 1899, aged 22 years, 5 months and 6 days. Ida was an exceptional sufferer but for a few brief months, but her suffering is over and she has entered into her rest. Ida's life was unique and even, always making the best of everything and doing what she could. She was untiring in her efforts, both in her church and Sunday-school work where she rendered excellent service as an organist and chorister. She was converted February, 1895. She said, "I am not afraid to die; I love my Lord and Saviour, all is well." Her life reached its zenith in her home with

her dear sister, Lillie, father and mother, where all was done with loving and tender hands.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Blickenstaff of Hastings, on February 28, in the U. B. church, Waterloo, after which the remains were laid to rest by the side of her sister in the Mt. Hope cemetery, to await the final reunion of the loved and blessed.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were read and adopted by the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Second U. B. church, Waterloo:

Whereas, God has called from earth the spirit of our sister, Ida Vicary, to join the redeemed throng that has passed over the river where death can no more throw its dark shades and carry loved ones away; therefore

Resolved, That the church, the Sabbath-school and our Ladies' Aid Society hereby feel and deeply mourn the loss of her who was so cheerful, so willing and so prompt in the discharge of her duty.

That the sweet memories of her life be cherished by every member and lead them to imitate her many virtues and follow more closely the Master whom she loved.

That we heartily sympathize with the bereaved family and husband.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Chelsea Standard; also the Stockbridge Sun, and that they be recorded in the secretary's book of the Ladies' Aid Society.

That we also drape a chair in memory of her and to be left in the church for thirty days. By order of Committee.

Mrs. E. L. Moore, President.
Mrs. C. J. Runciman, Secretary.
Mrs. C. Dean, Treasurer.

Sunday-School Convention.

The following is the program that will be presented at the Dexter township Sunday-school convention, which will be held in the German M. E. church, near Four Mile lake, Thursday, March 16:

AFTERNOON.
Song Service, led by Miss Martha Schultz
Scripture Reading and Prayer,
Rev. H. Palmer

Singing
Address, John Schaufele
Response, P. E. Noah
Lesson Preparation, Mrs. H. Neeb
Should the Superintendent be Limited on the Review and Application of the Lesson?
R. S. Whallan
Rev. C. W. Ross

Address, Reports of Secretary and Treasurer.
Singing
Benediction.
EVENING.

Song Service, led by Miss Martha Schultz
Scripture Reading and Prayer,
Rev. C. W. Ross

Which is the Most Beneficial, a Sunday-school Library or Sunday-school Papers? John Fisher

Duet,
Misses Bernice Allyn and Mary Whallan
Primary Teaching, Miss Mary Wood
Testimonies, Why I Like Sunday-school Work. The Lord's Corner in the Pocket-book, W. H. Glenn

Collection
Are Sunday-school Festivals Beneficial in Sunday-school Work? Wm. Schultz
Address, Rev. H. Palmer

Singing
Benediction

Auction Sale.

Having leased my farm I will sell at public auction, on the premises, three miles west of Chelsea, on the Cavanaugh lake road, on Thursday, March 16, 1899, commencing at 10 o'clock, sharp, the following property: Seventy sheep, 1 span horses, a quantity farming implements, corn, timothy and marsh hay, etc. Terms of sale—All sums of \$5 or under, cash; all sums over that amount 18 months' time will be given on good endorsed bankable paper bearing interest at six per cent. Mrs. John O'Connor, Proprietor. Geo. H. Foster, Auctioneer.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who assisted us in our bereavement. David Raymond and family.

Beginning with the March number The Ladies' Home Journal will publish serially during the spring and summer the month's pageant of wild flowers. In each month's issue will be pictured, classified and described the wild flowers then in bloom. The description, with the aid of the photographs, will give everyone an intimate acquaintanceship with the summer waifs of wood and field, and a pleasant useful knowledge that will make their identification very easy whenever met with. The series will bring to all a keener appreciation of the beautiful flowers that grew and blossom in Nature's garden.

SPECIAL DRIVES.



20 pounds granulated sugar.....\$1.00
We are still selling the best coffee in Chelsea at.....25c
Good coffee.....16c
Quart cans strained honey.....35c
Pint cans strained honey.....20c
Full cream cheese.....13c pound
Large sacks Diamond Crystal salt.....20c
Good figs.....8c
6 pounds choice prunes.....25c
Good Salmon.....3 cans 25c
Large fancy lemons.....18c dozen
Navel oranges.....20c dozen
7 cans sardines.....25c
10 pounds rolled oats.....25c

A FULL LINE OF LOWNEY'S-CHOCOLATES

Try a pound of our 40c Japan Tea
A good clothes line for.....12c
Remember us on Garden Seeds
Scrub, brushes, whisk broom and shoe brushes
Good rice.....5c pound
Canned pineapple in heavy syrup 12c can

Wall Paper

Our line is new, latest designs and complete. Let us show you our patterns and give you our prices. They will do the rest. Don't buy those old patterns shown you from sample books at reduced prices by agents. Patronize those that patronize you.

CALL AND SEE OUR LINES.

Highest Market Prices PAID FOR EGGS

Yours for quality and prices.

PENN & VOGEL BOB SLEIGH

I have on hand several sets of bob sleighs and from now on until the close of winter I will sell them at a very low price. Any one wanting a sleigh now is the time to buy.

WAGONS AND TOP BUGGIES.

Made to order on short notice, any style wanted. I will have for sale several Buggies and Wagons about March 15th. Call and see them before buying elsewhere. Call and see them in the white.

Strict Attention given to Repairing in General, and done on short notice.

I solicit a call.

ADAM FAIST,

Fred Vogel's old shop.
CHELSEA, MICH.

FARMS FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.

85 acres 6 miles south of Chelsea, 15 of timber, 500 peach and 50 plum trees, 5 years old, new house, good barns.
65 acres, 4 miles west of Chelsea, 10 acres timber, good peach and apple orchards, good buildings.
40 acres lays north Cavanaugh lake, comes up to road, no buildings.
40 acres, lays west of Mike Sullivan's, on the road, no buildings or timber.
2 acres on west Middle street.
Good building lots, the best locations in Chelsea.
4 houses and lots for sale.

B. PARKER, CHELSEA LOAN AGENCY

Office, Durand & Hatch Building.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The following is the schedule of teachers' examinations for 1898-99:
Ann Arbor, August 18 and 19, 1898.
Ypsilanti, October 20 and 21, 1898.
Ann Arbor, March 30 and 31, 1899.
Ann Arbor, June 15 and 16, 1899.
W. N. LISTEN,
Commissioner of Schools.

GRAND CLEARING SALE OF FURNITURE.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1899

We begin selling our stock of Furniture at prices that will move it quick. Our stock consists of plain and fancy rockers, couches in all styles of covers, upholstered parlor furniture, dining chairs and tables, bedroom suits, springs and mattresses, iron bedsteads, parlor tables, combination bookcases, writing desks, easels, sideboards, hall trees, mirrors.

HERE ARE SOME PRICES.

\$1.50	Bed springs now	-	-	-	75c	\$2.50	Rockers now	-	-	-	\$1.65
\$2.00	Bed springs now	-	-	-	\$1.25	\$3.75	Iron beds now	-	-	-	\$2.50
\$3.00	Mattresses now	-	-	-	\$2.05	\$6.00	Iron beds now	-	-	-	\$4.25
\$2.50	Mattresses now	-	-	-	\$1.45	\$22.00	Bedroom suits now	-	-	-	\$16.25
\$8.50	Dining chairs now	-	-	-	\$5.75	\$20.00	Bedroom suits now	-	-	-	\$14.50
\$5.00	Dining chairs now	-	-	-	\$3.00	\$35.00	Bedroom suits now	-	-	Only one left in stock	\$25.00

EVERYTHING IN OUR STOCK GOING AT THE SAME RATE.

If you are going to need Furniture for the next year to come, it will pay you to buy now.

SPECIAL RATES ON PICTURE FRAMING.

HOAG & HOLMES.

If you can not carry the Goods we will deliver them for you to your Homes.

S. G. BUSH
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Formerly resident physician U. of M. Hospital.
Office in Hatch block. Residence opposite M. E. church.

R. McCOLGAN.
Physician, Surgeon & Accoucheur
Office and residence corner of Main and Park Streets.
Graduate of Philadelphia Polyclinic in diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat.
CHELSEA, MICH.

FRANK SHAVER,
Proprietor of The "City" Barber Shop. In the new Babcock Building Main street.
Bathroom in connection.
CHELSEA, MICH.

H. H. AVERY,
DENTIST
All kinds of dental work done in a careful and thorough manner.
Special attention given to children's teeth. Nitrous oxide and local anesthetics used in extracting. Permanently located.
Office over Raftery's Tailor Shop

W. S. HAMILTON
Veterinary Surgeon
Treats all diseases of domesticated animals. Special attention given to lameness and horse dentistry. Office and residence on Park street across from M. E. church, Chelsea, Mich.

G. E. HATHWAY,
GRADUATE IN DENTISTRY.
Why not have a new set of Furniture for your dining room? Useful as well as ornamental. We always try them in before they are finished so that any changes in arrangement can be made. Gas administered when desired. Also a safe and reliable anesthetic for extracting.

DO YOU WANT LIFE INSURANCE?
DO YOU WANT FIRE INSURANCE?
I represent "The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York," the largest insurance company in the world. Also, six of the best Fire Insurance Companies. Can carry farm risks. Call and get figures before you place your insurance.
B. B. TURNBULL, Agent.

R. P. CARPENTER, W. R. C. NO. 210,
meets the Second and Fourth Friday in each month. The Second Friday at 2:30 p. m. The Fourth Friday at 7:30 p. m.
R. M. WILKINSON, Secretary.
Wagons and buggies made to order. None but first class material and workmanship enter into their construction.
Adam Faist.

Great Clearing Sale of ROBES AND BLANKETS.

C. STEINBACH'S
We are making prices that will pay you to buy now for next season. Come early and get first selection.
C. STEINBACH.

OLIVE LODGE NO 156, F. & A. M.
Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No 156, F. & A. M. for 1899.
Jan. 24, Feb. 21, March 21, April 18, May 23, June 20, July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14. Annual meeting and election of officers Dec. 22
THEO. E. WOOD, Sec.

Rooms to Rent.

Inquire at the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL
"The Niagara Falls Route."
Time Card, taking effect, Jan. 29, 1899

TRAINS EAST:
No. 8—Detroit Night Express 5:26 a. m.
No. 36—Atlantic Express 7:15 a. m.
No. 12—Grand Rapids 10:40 a. m.
No. 6—Express and Mail 3:15 p. m.
TRAINS WEST:
No. 3—Express and Mail 9:17 a. m.
No. 13—Grand Rapids 6:20 p. m.
No. 7—Chicago Express 10:20 p. m.
O. W. ROGERS, Gen. Pass & Ticket Agt.
E. A. WILLIAMS, Agent.

VOCAL CULTURE.

The First Step is Keeping the Mouth Shut, Asleep or Awake.

"Proper breathing is so essential in voice production that it must receive first attention, and the first requirement is to keep the mouth shut," writes Katharine E. Junkermann in The Woman's Home Companion.

"Of course no tone can be either strong or pure if the lungs are cramped so that the air cannot find room. In order to increase the size of the lung capacity raise the chest and keep the body well and strongly poised.

"So much harm has been done to voices by allowing the mouth to become the regular air passage that the need of care cannot be too frequently emphasized. Besides the injury done by the unwarmed air entering the lungs the mucous membrane is hardened by the saliva being dried up, and the muscles of the tongue and throat grow stiff and less responsive. It is comparatively easy to control one's breathing when awake, but when asleep the harm goes on. To remedy this involves a slight discomfort, but one can endure it patiently looking to the end. Cut court plaster into little strips about one-fourth of an inch in width and paste several across the lips, placing them up and down, with the lips held naturally. If one is tempted to give up rather than endure the discomfort this method involves, a walk through an ordinary day coach or a night made hideous by the presence of a snorer in a near berth will cause a solemn vow to be taken never to do likewise."

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Thankful words written by Mr. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stinson's Bank drug store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

RECOMMENDED FOR LA GRIPPE.

N. Jackson, Danville, Ill., writes: My daughter had a severe attack of the la grippe seven years ago and since then whenever she takes cold a terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a great many remedies without giving relief. She tried Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her. She has never been troubled with a cough since. 25c and 50c.

A MOST WONDERFUL CURE.

Eminent Physician Pronounced it Consumption.

DR. C. D. WARNER, Coldwater, Mich.
Dear Sir:—I have received great benefit from your White Wine of Tar Syrup. I had a cough and the doctors gave up all hopes of my recovery and pronounced it consumption; I thought that it was death for me. I tried everything we could hear of. Finally one of my friends prevailed upon me to use your White Wine of Tar Syrup. I took 1½ bottles and am cured entirely. Such medicine I can recommend to those who are afflicted as I was. Very respectfully yours,

JOSEPH E. UNDERHILL,
Doland, South Dakota.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the Electors of the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the Village above named, will be held at the Town Hall in said Village, on Saturday, March 11th, A. D. 1899, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid. Dated this 28th day of Feb'y A. D. 1899. By order of the Village Board of Registration.

W. H. Heselachwerdt,
Clerk of said Village.

SPAIN'S GREATEST NEED.

Mr. R. P. Oliva, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest blood and nerve remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed; only 50 cents. Sold at Glazier & Stinson's Bank drug store.

GOING DOWN HILL.

People suffering from Kidney Diseases feel a gradual but steady loss of strength and vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure, a Guaranteed Preparation.

NEW

MEAT MARKET

We have opened an up-to-date meat market, and we shall keep constantly in stock a full supply of

Fresh and Salt Meats,

Hams and Bacon,

BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON

LARD AND SAUSAGES.

We solicit a portion of your patronage and shall aim to keep a market second none.

CHAS. SCHAFER.

Klein Building, Main Street.

GO TO EARL'S FOR YOUR

Fresh Roasted Peanuts

8 cents per pound.

We salt our own Spanish Peanuts.

Home-made Gingersnaps 10 cents per pound.

Give us a call for your auction buns.

J. G. EARL, Proprietor.

First door east of Hoag & Holmes Bazaar

Geo. H. Foster,

AUCTIONEER

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Terms Reasonable.

Headquarters at Standard Office.

BAR-BEN

THE GREAT RESTORATIVE.

It's not a "patent" medicine, but is prepared direct from the formula of L. F. Barton, M. D., Cleveland's most eminent specialist, by H. J. O. Benson, Ph. D., B. S. BAR-BEN is the greatest known restorative and invigorator for men and women. It creates solid flesh, muscle and strength, clears the blood, makes the blood pure and healthy, strength and vitality, while the general organs are helped to their normal powers and the sufferer is quickly made conscious of direct benefit. One box will work wonders—should perfect a cure. Prepared in small sugar-coated tablets easy to swallow. The days of celery compounds, sarsaparilla and other tonics are over. BAR-BEN is for sale at all drug stores, a 60-dose box for 50 cents, or we will mail it securely sealed on receipt of price. DR. BARTON AND BENSON, 461 Bar-Ben Block, Cleveland, O.

For sale by FENN & VOGEL, drug groceries and stationery.

Chelsea Steam Laundry

A cotton imitation of linen that has received our finish is better than linen done up, or rather done out, somewhere else. We aim high and always hit the mark.

COME AND SEE US.

FARM FOR SALE.

Situated at Francisco, in sight of the passenger and freight depot, grain elevator, store and postoffice. Contains 53 acres of land, a large first-class house, 2 barns, 2-story grainery (brick lined), fire insurance \$3,300, good orchard and all kinds of fruit, 15 acres good pasture land, 4 acres timber. Price including one field wheat (sown early), farming implements and stock \$8,500, or farm without implements and stock at \$8,000. One-half purchase price cash, balance on long time. Cheap at the above price to any one wishing a pleasant home, no incumbrance. Inquire at the premises.

D. SHELL, Francisco, Mich.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the transport camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents—Brilliant original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, F. T. Barber, Sec'y, Star Insurance Building, Chicago.

OLLIE Dean & Co.'s Red Star Oil has no equal in quality. Gives a white light which is free from smoke and odor. Does not char the wick. We sell it. Fenn & Vogel.

THE CHESAPEAKE STANDARD.

O. T. HOOVER, Publisher.
CHESAPEAKE, VIRGINIA.

WEEK'S NEWS RECORD

The Covington, Ky., postoffice was robbed of stamps and money, reported to amount to \$20,000. The work was evidently done by men who had secreted themselves in the stamp department.

D. W. Van Horn, well known in the Southwest as a Government trader at Forts Elliott and Sill, while trying to board a train at Caldwell, Kan., had both legs cut off close to his body. The injury was fatal.

News from Bolivia is that President Almon's forces have again been defeated by those under Gen. Pando. Pando remains in the department of Oruro and the province of Cochabamba has risen and joined in the revolution.

Judge Hammond, in Cleveland, Ohio, decided the celebrated lake front case in the United States Circuit Court by instructing the jury to return a verdict in favor of the Lake Shore, Pennsylvania and Big Four railroads.

At Monteville, a suburb of Portland, Ore., Mrs. Laura Brown, aged 30, blew out her brains after taking a dose of laudanum and forcing her three children, aged 10, 7 and 2, to drink the drug. The two older children will probably recover. It is said that poverty drove the mother insane.

The dead bodies of Mrs. John Gilbert and her four children were found in their home in Clay County, Kansas, by a neighbor. The boy was 9 years old and the three girls 3, 5 and 7 respectively. The family had not been seen for two days. The door was found locked and the husband missing.

Trainmen arriving at Chattanooga on the through passenger train from Atlanta reported having found three large stocks of dynamite on the road between New Orleans and Kansas City. Recently several men were arrested below Kansas City for breaking and it is supposed they placed the dynamite on the train to blow it up.

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Joseph A. Pothman has been nominated for Governor by Rhode Island Republicans.

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Rev. Joseph M. Taylor, president of Vassar College, has declined the presidency of Brown University.

Prof. Wasserman, one of Prof. Koch's ablest pupils, is believed to have discovered a serum for the cure of pneumonia. The United States customs receipts for February were \$10,212,000, the largest received by the treasury since 1893. In February of that year they reached \$10,335,000.

Sig. Cordova, a distinguished Italian inventor, announces he has invented a screw propeller which will double the speed of ships at half the present cost of construction.

George Leffert & Sons, lumber dealers of Shreveport, La., have filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities \$125,000; assets \$60,000, principally open accounts. The Pacific Mail steamship Starbuck, Captain Brugiere, founded twelve miles from Annapolis, on the Island of Tigre, off the coast of Honduras. No lives are reported lost.

At a meeting of the carpenters' union of Cleveland, Ohio, it was decided to declare a strike to take effect April 1, unless wages are increased 5 cents an hour on or before that date. It is stated that 2,000 men are in the compact.

EASTERN.

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Thirty Americans, under Col. Ausburn, formerly of Roosevelt's Rough Riders, are serving in the army of Provisional President Reyes in Nicaragua.

During a fire in an apartment house in New York Mary E. Prouty, a widow, was instantly killed by jumping to the ground from her apartments on the fifth floor.

A rival for Croker's automobile company has been incorporated in New Jersey as the New York Electric Vehicle Company. The capital stock is \$25,000,000.

Maj. George W. Sauer, totally blind, his wife and two daughters were carried down the fire escape from the fourth story of the Klondike Hotel in New York, in a fire panic.

Miss Hattie Lee Chandler died at New York of pneumonia and complications of spinal meningitis. She was a daughter of the late Samuel Chandler of Milwaukee.

The Brock Iron Company has posted notice at its works at Bridgeport, Pa., of an increase of 25 cents a ton in the wages of puddlers, to go into effect April 1. The new rate will be \$2.50 a ton.

The conference of the representatives of the cotton manufacturers and the labor unions at Fall River, Mass., resulted in the manufacturers agreeing to advance wages on April 3 at the rate of 12 1/2 per cent.

One person was killed and thirteen others injured in a head-on collision between two Pennsylvania Railroad trains near the Forty-fourth street bridge, Philadelphia. The accident was due to an open switch.

Fire that broke out in the large clothing store of Bessie Mills & Co. in the Windsor Hotel Block, New York, totally destroyed the hotel and burned out several of the stores. The loss may reach \$500,000.

The fifty-three Spanish miners who arrived at New York on the Umbra, destined for the West, have been ordered deported. It is asserted that they came under contract to work for a wealthy Spaniard at Boise City.

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The Columbus, Hooking Valley and Toledo Railroad Company and the Hooking Coal and Railroad Company were sold at public auction in Columbus, Ohio. The Columbus road was first offered for sale and brought \$325,000. The Hooking Coal and Railroad Company was knocked out at \$750,000. Both were then offered together and were sold for \$4,000,000 to the reorganization committee.

In the United States Supreme Court an opinion has been handed down by Justice Peckham in the case of the State of Ohio vs. Gen. J. E. Thomas, Governor of the Soldiers' Home at Dayton. The case was a prosecution against Gen. Thomas under State laws for failing to post a placard in the eating room of the home stating that demeritine is used there. The court held that the State law was unconstitutional in its application to the Soldiers' Home.

James M. White, the captain, is dead at Kenton, Ohio. Some time ago he built an immense machine and fired it up, elegantly, and directed that his friends should come there and play cards and add up their money after the game. He said he could not take a hand, but he would be with them anyway. Mr. White was a member of that order for many years. The members of that fraternity from all parts of the State attended his funeral. He leaves a large estate to two daughters.

R. S. Carr, captain of Company L, First Kentucky Regiment, was shot in the arm by Harry Price, formerly a private in the same company, at a dance at Ashland, Ky.

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by sacked by twelve armed Cubans. Many minor depredations are reported. Apparently neither the Ninth Immune regiment nor the gendarmes can afford the necessary protection to property.

The officials of the German foreign office have notified the United States embassy that the Government will henceforth admit American oranges, lemons and raisins without examination, and also that all American fresh and dried fruit will be allowed to pass in bond through Germany without being examined.

The American residents in Chee Foo, China, have sent an appeal to the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, requesting that a ship load of corn be sent for the relief of 2,000,000 Chinese in Shang Tung province. The unprecedented floods of the Yellow river have destroyed crops, and the immense population along the great river is on the verge of starvation.

According to Samoan advices in Sydney newspapers, an interview was had with Mataafa in his camp after the battle by a reporter, who learned that Mataafa was equally averse with Malietoa to seeing the islands under German control. Mataafa, in his attack on Malietoa's forces, was anxious not to hurt the bodies or injure the feelings of any white person. The interviewer adds that it appeared to him that Mataafa was being urged on against his personal wishes to fight. Mataafa gathered all the dead bodies of his enemies that he could find and cut off their heads as trophies of battle. These gruesome relics were exhibited to visitors to his camp.

IN GENERAL.

Two reports could at a high rate of speed come together on Hamilton, Ont., Ontario. William H. Adams was killed and several others were severely injured.

Two boys were killed, another mortally injured and several others more or less severely injured by a terrible explosion in one of the main rooms in a building of the Northridge-Charlton Firework Company in Granville, S. I.

The sailors of the American ship E. M. Phelps, which arrived at San Francisco from Baltimore, have filed charges of inhuman conduct against Capt. Graham and the first and second officers, Bailey and Meyer. The men tell a pitiful story of starvation and cruelty.

Admiral from Hawaii says that men are doing a fearful work in the suburbs of that city. Recently John M. Phelan was found shot and dead in a Victoria, British Columbia, and he was waiting for death, unable to do anything to help himself. His partner had been taking "the long view" and was waiting for death and had been waiting for death.

Mr. Harwood, treasurer of the Ontario, says that the proposed taxation required necessary to meet the loss of revenue caused by the proposed States' number reductions would be a heavy burden on the people of Ontario. He proposes to file a memorial with the legislature to prevent a similar measure in the future.

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ARREST OF MOLINEUX.

Coroner's Jury Thinks He Poisoned Mrs. Kate Adams.

Roland Burnham Molineux, son of Gen. Leslie Molineux of Brooklyn, was arrested in New York charged with murdering Mrs. Katherine J. Adams in that city on Dec. 28, 1898. He was locked up in the Tombs prison. The arrest followed the verdict of the coroner's jury accusing him of the crime.

While the inquest was into the death of Mrs. Adams it also went into the circumstances of the death of Henry C. Barnett of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, who was poisoned by a powder received through the mail, as was Mrs. Adams. The cases are closely connected. The newspapers from the beginning had stuck to Molineux as the person most to be suspected, but the prosecuting officials apparently never harbored such a thought.

The evidence which the district attorney produced may be summarized thus: 1. Nicholas A. Heckman positively identified Molineux as the man who rented one of his private letter boxes in the name of H. C. Barnett.

2. Miss Emma Miller, saleswoman, identified the silver holder in which the poison that killed Mrs. Adams was sent to Harry Cornish, and stated that it was sold to a "man" Dec. 21; the district attorney had previously proved that Molineux was in Newark Dec. 21.

3. Seven handwriting experts identified samples of Molineux's penmanship, given by him to the State's attorney, as identical with the writing on the package of poison sent to Cornish and in letters sent from private letter boxes in the names of "H. C. Barnett" and "H. C. Cornish." These letters were to drug firms, ordering powder medicines. Each of the seven experts was positive that all the writing had been done by one man, and that that man could be no other than Roland B. Molineux.

PASSES THE ARMY BILL.

Senate Adopts the Gorman Amendment by a Unanimous Vote.

The army reorganization bill was passed by the Senate by a vote of 55 to 13. Senator H. H. was the only Republican voting against the measure. The amendment of Senator Gorman providing that all the increases of officers and men authorized by the bill shall terminate July 1, 1901, was adopted by a vote of 68 to 0. This was to some extent a victory for the opponents of the measure, and shows that Senator Hawley, who was in charge of the bill, found that he had to withdraw the determined objections to the Gorman amendment or imperil the passage of the bill.

Under the bill as originally drawn the standing army would be reduced on and after July 1, 1901, to 38,400 men. This meant an increase of 11,400 in the military establishment as it existed prior to the war with Spain. Senator Gorman was against this permanent increase in the standing army and his amendment was passed with that view.

The army bill adopted by the Senate in no way resembles the bill which the President desired. According to the Senate bill in two years the regular army must drop back to 27,000 men.

The Senate of Kansas passed a bill giving the right of eminent domain to irrigation companies.

A Missouri statesman has introduced in the Legislature a bill requiring saloonkeepers to establish and maintain a home for inebriates.

The estimated expenses of the city of Philadelphia for the year 1899 are \$31,400,000, the chief item of which is for education, the police expenses being \$3,400,000 and the fire department \$1,000,000.

The youngest member of the next Congress will be Martin H. Glynn, editor of the Albany Times-Union, who is 26 years old and sprung from the same soil in the town of Kinderhook, N. Y., which produced Martin Van Buren and Samuel J. Tilden.

The proposed amendments to the constitution of North Carolina provide that all persons claiming the right to vote shall be able to read and write any part of the constitution in the English language. That disfranchises all illiterates. Then it provides that all males who on Jan. 1, 1897, were entitled to vote, and their descendants, shall be exempt from the reading and writing qualification. And that lets in all illiterate whites.

Tom L. Johnson, the wealthy street car magnate of Cleveland, Ohio, and New York, who helped to manage the campaign of Henry George for Mayor of New York, has declared in a public speech that he has withdrawn from all his business enterprises, has disposed of every conflicting interest and of every duty that would interfere with the devotion of his time, his entire energy, his fortune—in fact, his life—to the advancement of the single tax idea.

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The House spent most of the day Friday in general debate upon the army appropriation bill, finally closing that order of business. After a session of nearly eight hours the Senate passed the river and harbor bill by the decisive vote of 50 to 3. The measure was under consideration throughout the day, and on consideration of the committee amendments a determined fight was made, but in every instance the opposition availed nothing. During the afternoon Mr. Sewell (N. J.) delivered a speech in support of the Hall-Clawson army reorganization bill.

After a long contest in the Senate on Monday the compromise army bill was passed in the evening by a vote of 55 to 13. Afterward the Senate took up the sundry civil bill and completed its reading, all the committee amendments being agreed to except those relating to the District of Columbia. The House was in session seven hours and sent to the Senate two more appropriations bills, the army, which has been under consideration for several days, and the fortifications. The former carried about \$700,000 and the latter approximately \$470,000. The final conference report upon the Indian appropriation bill was also adopted. Mr. Hanger (Iowa) asked unanimous consent for the consideration of the Senate joint resolution authorizing the President to appoint Oscar Deignau, one of the heroes of the Morrinne, a naval cadet at Annapolis. The resolution was adopted. A bill was passed appropriating \$5,000 for the investigation of leprosy in this country under a board to be selected by the surgeon general. Mr. Corbin (Tex.) stated that there were about 30 cases in the United States.

The House spent practically the entire time of the seven-hour session of Tuesday passing the public building bill favorably acted upon by the committee of the whole ten days before. Sixty-one bills in all were passed, carrying \$9,572,000, \$750,000 of which, however, the amount appropriated for the New York custom house, is to be repaid from the proceeds of the sale of the old building. A joint resolution was passed to authorize foreign governments desiring to make exhibits at the commercial exposition to be held at Philadelphia in 1899 to bring into this country foreign laborers under contract to prepare the exhibits. A freeze of the bill passing was on in the Senate. The bill passed were principally public building measures, and at times during the day and night the scenes in the Senate were remarkable. Bills carrying an aggregate of \$8,000,000 or \$10,000,000 were passed, and many more that had not been passed by both houses of Congress were passed as amendments on the sundry civil appropriation bill. Finally, at a late hour in the evening, an amendment to the sundry civil bill was adopted, appropriating nearly \$4,000,000 for the preliminary work on the buildings which had been authorized.

The last possibility of an extra session of Congress disappeared Wednesday when the House passed the Senate army reorganization bill. The bill passed 203 to 32. The decks were also cleared of many other important matters. The general deficiency appropriation bill, carrying \$21,089,000, was passed under suspension of the rules, without a word of criticism. The Senate amendments to the river and harbor bill were non-concurred in and it was sent to conference. The conference reports on the omnibus claims bill, the naval personnel and many other less important measures were agreed to. The Senate bill making Dewey a full admiral was passed. The naval appropriation bill, which ordinarily consumes the time of the Senate for several days, was passed by that body after less than five hours of debate. One of the first acts of the Senate when that body convened was the consideration of the bill carrying \$200,000, 000 with which to pay Spain for relinquishment of the Philippines in accordance with the treaty of Paris. Mr. Allison (Iowa) reported the measure from the Committee on Appropriations and asked for its immediate consideration. The bill was laid before the Senate and in half a minute was passed without a word of debate. The Senate concluded the day's session by pronouncing eulogies upon the late Representative Dingley.

In the House on Thursday two public building bills attached by the Senate to bills for public buildings in other cities were agreed to, one appropriating \$250,000 for a building at Los Angeles, Cal., and the other \$75,000 for a building at New Brighton, Pa.—A number of conference reports on minor bills were adopted. Mr. Payne (N. Y.), the floor leader of the majority, moved the passage, under suspension of the rules, of the bill appropriating \$500,000 for the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo, N. Y., in 1901. The bill was passed, 141 to 16. Mr. Southard followed this motion with a motion to suspend the rules and pass a bill to appropriate \$500,000 for the Ohio centennial exposition to be held at Toledo. The bill was passed, 120 to 19. Mr. Mercer (Iowa) moved to suspend the rules and pass the Senate bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for a new building for the department of justice in Washington. At Mr. Cannon's request an amendment was adopted limiting the cost of the building to \$1,000,000, and as amended the bill was passed. During almost the entire session the Senate was engaged in routine business. Three score or more of minor bills were passed, the calendar being cleared entirely of private pension bills and of measures correcting military and naval records. Two measures of national importance

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Our total interest bearing debt is \$46,000 at 5 per cent, or \$2,300 per year for interest. The running expenses of the plant for the ensuing year figured on the present basis will more than pay running expenses. This will leave the interest on bonded debt \$2,300, less whatever was made above expenses, to stand for street lighting and water for fire protection for which under contract we would have

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The moneys expended for construction and extension have put the plant in excellent shape, so expenses for the coming years can be reduced to the minimum.

I am, yours very respectfully,

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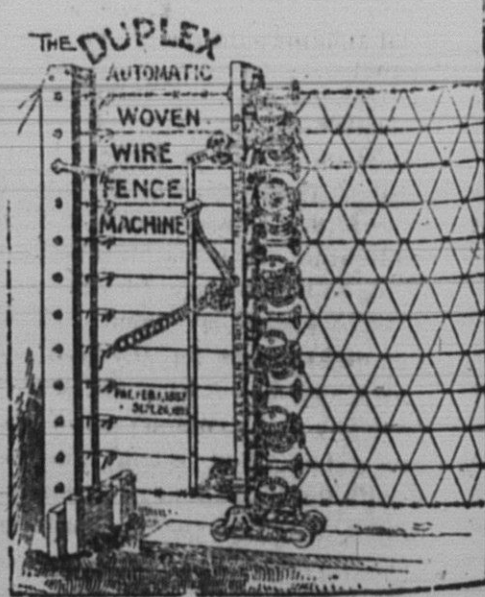
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The Tasmanian Devil.

The animal known in Australia as the Tasmanian devil is one of the only two survivors of what must at one time have been a widely distributed class of animals, to judge from the fossil remains already found in many parts of Australia. Like nearly every mammalian quadruped of the continent, the devil is a marsupial, but with the solitary exception of the so called Tasmanian wolf he is the only surviving marsupial animal that is carnivorous and may be regarded as a beast of prey. The devil is now very scarce and will soon be extinct, but in the early convict days of the island—when Tasmania, then called Van Diemen's Land, was the penal settlement for the worst class of British convicts—they were plentiful, and many ghastly stories were afloat of their attacks upon escaped convicts who had taken to the bush.

It is believed that the name of devil was bestowed on the animals by the convicts, who had learned to look upon them with almost superstitious fear, partly in consequence of their appearance, but still more owing to their untiring perseverance in following up an enemy to the last with what looked like undying hatred. No specimen has ever been found on the continent of Australia. —Lippincott's Magazine.

Brutalities at Sea.

In The Pall Mall Magazine W. Clark Russell quotes the instructions given by the Earl of Lindsay in 1635 to his captains:

"The keynote is struck with the devotional spirit of the age. The chief in command is to take care that all the officers and companies of the ships worship God twice a day. Swearing, drunkenness, robbery, sleeping on watch and the like were to be punished according to the order and custom of the sea. Punishments were brutally severe in those times. They marooned—that is, they set a man ashore alone on a desolate coast or island and left him to starve, to be destroyed by savages or wild beasts.

"They keel hauled—that is, they dragged a man naked by yard arm—hips under the bottom of a ship, and drew him up raw and bloody with the harsh wounding of barnacles and spike-like adherences, only to be submerged afresh ere the unhappy miscreant could fetch a full breath. They nailed a man to the mast by driving a knife through his hand. For murder (that was often manslaughter) they tied the living to the dead, back to back, and threw them overboard."

Rat Prognosticators.

The old superstition, which has grown into an adage, that rats desert a ship which is no longer seaworthy, is still an article of faith with the fresh water sailors of the great lakes. Sundry well authenticated instances seem to justify this belief. Here is one. The Vernon was a three master which did a tramp business. Built in Buffalo in 1850, she was for many years regarded as one of the best craft on the lakes.

Late in the fall, about 15 years ago, she unloaded a cargo of grain in Buffalo, and reloaded with package freight for Chicago. She was about to sail one rough November night. Just before the lines were let off one of the seamen saw a rat run over the hawser to the wharf. In a moment another was seen. The seamen called others of the crew to see the unusual sight. Between 50 and 75 rats poured out of the ship and took refuge along the wharf. The crew refused to sail, but the captain was obstinate, shipped a fresh crew and sailed forthwith. The ship was lost with all hands. —Household Words.

An Empress' Pen.

I heard an interesting fact regarding the former empress of the French the other night which shows in what direction her thoughts run. Whenever she has occasion to write anything about her lamented husband, she always uses the diamond pen which signed the treaty of Paris. All those who participated in this historical occasion wanted the pen as a memento. But so keen was the empress on possessing it that she begged that only one pen should be used, which she thought she had a right to retain as a souvenir. This was agreed to. The pen takes the form of a quill plucked from a golden eagle's wing and richly mounted with diamonds and gold. —Woman's Life.

The Collies and Amen.

I once witnessed a phase of prompt evolution of practical and of devotional religion in Scotch sheepdogs on a communion Sabbath among the mountains. The churchyard was crowded with shepherds, accompanied by their dogs, which lay quietly asleep at the feet of their masters. The sermon was finished, the psalm had been sung, the final prayer was being offered, and there was no sign of impatience, but the moment the benediction commenced the devotional doggies all roused themselves, and before the "Amen" they were in marching order. —Newman Hall, an Autobiography.

Preparing for the Feast.

Lieutenant (to his orderly)—John, go to the restaurant and bring me a beefsteak with onions.

Orderly—Lieutenant, I take the liberty of reminding you that you are invited out to dinner today.

"Where have I been invited out to dinner?"

"You have been invited to dine with Mr. Holdfast."

"So I have to dine with the old miser? I must not go there unprepared. John, go to the restaurant and bring me two beefsteaks with onions." —London Tit-Bits.

From a quarry of soft redstone in southern Minnesota, the only stone probably of its kind in the world, the Indians for centuries obtained materials for the pipes, which were probably articles of commerce, as they are found in Indian graves from the Gulf to Canada.

People Who Live Long.

Among the many curious things noted by the actuaries the following are a few of the most interesting. Women have a much better prospect of long life than men, and the chances of married people are distinctly higher than those of bachelors and old maids. From the data provided by the records of various churches it has been deduced that the peaceful Quakers have most frequently received the blessings of long life promised in the fifth commandment, while the death rate is remarkably high among Methodist clergymen. Annuity holders as a class live from three to five years longer than other people, and this is not due to human perversity, as some humorists have suggested. It is undoubtedly due to the lack of worry regarding the changes of fortune when a regular income is a certainty.

Although no statistics have been collected on the death rate in the civil service, where the yearly income almost partakes of the character of an annuity, it would perhaps be found that there is some scientific basis for President Grant's cynical observation regarding this class, "Few die and none resign." —Ainslee's Magazine.

A Man of Resource.

A big, uncouth looking stranger, with shoulders like a Hercules, walked into a department store late one afternoon, and, after gazing about a minute, stepped up to a salesman and made known his wish to buy a shirt. A couple of samples were shown him, and he informed the salesman that either one would do.

It was an article that sold for \$1.50, and in making payment the stranger pulled from his hip pocket a huge roll of bills. He apparently skimmed them over in search of a small bill, but he could not find one of less denomination than \$500. One of these was handed the surprised salesman, but he arose to the occasion and sent it away with the cashboy. When the change came, it was nearly all in small bills. The stranger interrupted the salesman in his work of counting the bills by reaching for the pile and wadding it into his hip pocket.

"Oh, I guess it's all right, and you give that shirt to a porter if you can find one big enough to wear it. All I wanted was the change. You see, it was after banking hours, and I am a man of resources. Good day." —Philadelphia Record.

Multum In Parvo.

"John," said the old man to his son, "I will give you \$100 to go away with. Maybe, as you don't like my business, you will find a better one."

Three weeks later the young man landed in New York. A month later, finding but \$3 in his possession, he determined to return home again. It was best to let his father know beforehand, but how? A letter would be too slow, so he went John to the telegraph office.

"A quarter (one shilling) a word to London, sir," answered the polite clerk to his inquiry.

"I want to tell my father I've spent all my money, and I'm sorry, and I'm coming home and want him to forgive me and a lot of other things, and I can only pay for six words to tell him everything," said John.

"Cut it short," replied the clerk. John sat down and thought. Soon after, to his immense astonishment, the old man received the following cable-gram:

Squills, London:
Fatted calf for one. —Chicago Journal.

A Critic's Evasion.

It is risky to give one's honest opinion about a man's horse or dog, a house designed by himself or a picture which he values highly. He who gives the opinion stands on a slippery place, and should the judgment be unfavorable he will slide far from the man's esteem.

Fuseli, the eccentric artist and professor of the Royal academy, was invited by a nobleman to see a painting of which he was the proud owner. Fuseli went, taking a pupil with him. The painting was shown by the nobleman himself. The artist examined it and exclaimed, "Extraordinary!" The nobleman, greatly pleased at the ejaculation, lauded the picture to the skies, pointed out its beauties, and Fuseli cried: "Extraordinary! Extraordinary!"

On their way home the pupil said: "Mr. Fuseli, I don't think much of that picture. What did you mean by 'extraordinary'?"

"Extraordinarily bad," was the reply of the artist, who had not cared to offend a lord who might become a patron. —Youth's Companion.

The Exception to the Rule.

Halsted—Queer thing happened over on the west side last night.

Wabash—What was it?

Halsted—A young man playfully snapped an unloaded pistol at his sweetheart, and—

Wabash—And the funeral takes place tomorrow, of course?

Halsted—No; that's where the queer part comes in. The weapon failed to go off. —Chicago News.

A Remarkable Letter.

A young lady of very extraordinary capacity lately addressed the following letter to her cousin: "We is all well, and mother's got his Terrix, brother Tom is got the Hupin Kaugh, and sister Ann has got a babe, and I hope these few lines will find you the same. Rite sure. Your affectionate kuzzen." —London Fun.

A dutiful German son advertises in the Leipzig Tageblatt: "Marriage—I seek for my father, a strictly respectable man with a quiet business, an elderly, solitary widow or maiden with some property in cash. Address, with a statement of conditions, —"

The Hindoos were the first to use playing cards, though they were used in China as early as 1130 A. D.

Vanity in Somaliland.

If you wish to make a Somali woman absolutely happy, you give her a looking glass. She will never before have seen one, but feminine instinct will teach her how to use it. Mrs. Alan Gardner, on one of her big game shooting expeditions in Somaliland, gave a native woman a looking glass for a Christmas present. She was so delighted with the first clear sight of her dusky countenance that she sat through two entire days and nights outside Mrs. Gardner's tent gazing with rapture at her own reflection.

On the morning of the third day the fame of the looking glass had spread through the country, and a row of 40 Somali women, collected from far and near, was engaged in taking an admiring turn at the magic mirror. When Mrs. Gardner came on the scene, she was greeted by 40 feminine Somali voices joined in chorus and each begging for a looking glass "all to herself." But, alas, for the limitations of a sporting outfit, the dusky belles were obliged to content themselves with the one communal mirror. And the woman with the looking glass remained for many weeks the most important person in Somaliland. —London Illustrated News.

Why He Liked Him.

The barber was perhaps a trifle more talkative than usual, and the customer was scarcely in a good humor. The portly gentleman had come straight from the dentist's. In blissful ignorance of this little fact the knight of the razor opened fire. He discussed the weather, foreign politics, the rival barber opposite, and was just explaining his views on the education question when the customer suddenly growled:

"Where's that assistant of yours, the one with the red hair?"

"He's left me, sir. We parted last week—on friendly terms, you know, and all that, but—"

"Pity!" growled the portly gentleman. "I liked that young fellow. There was something about his conversation I thoroughly enjoyed. He was one of the most sensible talkers I ever met, and—"

"You'll excuse me, sir, but there must be some mistake," gasped the astonished barber. "If you remember, poor Jim was deaf and dumb."

"Just so. Just so," was the curt rejoinder. "That's why I liked him."

And the barber went on shaving. —Pearson's Weekly.

Rewarded for His Honesty.

An English farm laborer recently went to a small store kept by an old woman and asked for "a pahnd o' bacon."

She produced the bacon and cut a piece off, but could not find the pound weight.

"Oh, never mind t' pahnd weight," said he. "Ma fist just weighs a pahnd. So put ther bacon i' t' scales."

The woman confidently placed the bacon into one side of the scales while the man put his fist into the other side, and, of course, took good care to have good weight.

While the woman was wrapping the bacon up the pound weight was found, and, on seeing it, the man said:

"Nah, you see if my fist don't just weigh a pahnd."

The pound weight was accordingly put into one scale and the man's fist into the other, this time only just to balance.

The old woman, on seeing this, said: "Wha, I niver seed aught so near afore! Here's a red herring for thee honesty, ma lad!" —New York Tribune.

Had to Get Up.

Some years ago Dr. Oscar Blumenthal, the director of the Lessing theater in Berlin, had an unpleasant experience of the vigilance with which the authorities carry out their duties.

In his comedy, the "Orient Reise," one of the characters was afflicted with a mother-in-law of the most objectionable kind. This lady died and, according to the belief of her relatives, went to heaven. The prospect of a fresh acquaintance with his dreaded mother-in-law so terrified her son-in-law that he announced that, if this should be his fate, "when the resurrection comes I shan't get up."

This was sufficient for the authorities. Twenty-four hours after the production of the piece an ominous blue envelope arrived at the Lessing theater containing a peremptory order from the president of police that the lines in question should be immediately suppressed, "as being calculated to wound the religious feelings of the lieges." —Paris Herald.

Some Fifteens.

In The Courant of March 16, 1784, we printed the following queer story, which our readers will pardon us for repeating. Some of them may have forgotten it:

HENNON, Feb. 15, 1784.—This day departed this life Mrs. Lydia Peters, the wife of Colonel John Peters and second daughter of Joseph Phelps, Esq. She was married at the age of 15 and lived with her consort three times 15 years and had 15 living children, 15 now alive and the youngest 15 years old. She hath had three times 15 grandchildren. She was sick 15 months and died on the 15th day of the month, aged four times 15 years.

—Hartford Courant.

Pathetic and Practical.

Here is a "personal" that appeared not long ago in a London newspaper: "Willie, return to your distracted wife and frantic children! Do you want to hear of your old mother's suicide? You will if you do not let us know where you are. Anyway, send back your father's colored meerschaum."

And yet we say the Briton has no very lively sense of humor.

One Qualification.

Mrs. Mann—You can't wash and iron nor make the fire (satirically)? Perhaps you might be able to sit in the parlor and read the morning paper after my husband has got through with it.

The Workaday—I think I could do that, mem, if the paper had stories in it. —Boston Transcript.

Jungle Food and Jungle Poison.

Those who have traveled much through the damp jungles of India, such as the Terai, cannot have helped noticing the large amount of fungoid growth, both terrestrial and epiphytical, that presents itself, much of which is edible, but requires an intimate acquaintance with botany to determine between the poisonous and the nonpoisonous. What were not long since considered semisavage races on the northeast frontier are the best guides the uninitiated, however, can employ to distinguish the two classes. So close is the resemblance that it would be dangerous for the ignorant traveler to trust to his own unaided discrimination, and if the services of a human nomad are not available the fungi should be submitted to the equally unaided judgment of a tame monkey—a thing no traveler should be without.

The animal must be very closely watched when sitting in judgment, especially notice being taken of his countenance. If the specimen is poisonous, there is a decided look of disgust apparent, as the creature throws it from him, but if nonpoisonous it is torn into fragments, first smelled and then transferred to the mouth, in which case one may rest perfectly satisfied that it is edible, even though "jackoo" may not eat it. In no case will our remote connections make a mistake, nor, for that matter, will an elephant either. A spare elephant or two is also a handy thing to have among your luggage. —Indian Planters' Gazette.

Tricks of a Pet Crane.

My friend has a pet Florida crane of which he is very fond. The crane stands at one side by the hour, just pluming himself, then picking at shoe buttons and finger rings. Occasionally he is indulged in a favorite pastime—that of taking the hairpins out of his mistress' hair. In nature he is as gentle and affectionate as a kitten, and as he has never been teased he has no enmity for anything except a dog. One night he was attacked by a strange dog, and since then his hatred for any canine other than the home dog is intense.

Dick has always been inordinately fond of his master, whom he makes every effort to please. It is at his command that he will dance, bowing and twirling in the most graceful manner; then circling with wings distended around the yard and back again to bow and courtesy as before.

Another very pleasing recognition of his intelligence is the manner in which he always welcomes his owner. He recognizes his horse and carriage as far as his eye can reach, and long before the bird is in view his voice is heard trumpeting a greeting, which is continued until the master reaches the gate, when at the single command, "Londer, Dick!" he throws his head back and gives forth a long gurgling note, indicating joy and pleasure. To no one else will he give this welcome. It is unique and peculiar—for his owner alone. —Forest and Stream.

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Probate Order.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, s. s. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 6th day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Anna McGuire, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Michael McGuire, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Friday the 31st day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

A TRUE COPY.
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

NOTICE OF VILLAGE ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Village Election of the Village of Chelsea, county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, will be held at the Town Hall in said Village, on Monday, March 13th, A. D. 1899, at which time the following officers are to be elected, viz: One President, one Clerk, one Treasurer, three Trustees for two years and one Assessor. The Polls of said Election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of Election. By order of Village Board of Election Inspectors.

W. H. HESLSCHWERT, Clerk of Said Village.

Dated this 28th day of Feb'y A. D. 1899.

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Local Brevities

Arthur Armstrong is quite ill this week.

Mrs. Jay Everett has been quite ill this week.

Lost—A gray shawl. Finder please leave at Standard office.

Postmaster Riemenschneider is confined to his residence by illness.

The democratic judicial convention will be held at Monroe tomorrow.

Ask M. J. Noyes about the new matrimonial agency that he has organized.

The Staffan Furniture and Undertaking Co.'s store is now heated by steam.

James S. Gorman will attend the democratic judicial convention as a delegate.

On account of the coming campaign all circuit court cases were adjourned until April.

Hiram Lighthall was elected one of the delegates to the democratic state convention.

On Sunday, March 12, services will be held in the morning at St. Paul's Evangelical church.

George Whitaker is preparing to move his family to White Oak, where he will make his home.

Senator Ward has introduced a bill for the erection of a statue of Lewis Cass, on the state house grounds.

The Staffan Furniture and Undertaking Co. is showing a very complete line of bicycles and sporting goods.

Miss Minnie Mensing is very ill with pleuro-pneumonia at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mensing.

Rev. Wilkinson, who has been supplying the Baptist pulpit for sometime, will preach his last sermon here next Sunday.

The senate got after A. F. Freeman of Manchester and refused to confirm his appointment as a member of the prison board.

Everyone in Chelsea who is interested in the Methodist church is urged to be present at the morning services next Sunday.

Denise Hall, a former resident of this place, died at Jackson, last Saturday. Her remains were taken to Mault for interment.

Some one has taken time to count up the number of lakes in Lyndon township, and found that there are actually 183 within its borders.

The republicans have renominated Judge C. B. Grant for justice of the supreme court, and Colonel Dean and Eli for regents.

George Kempf of Chelsea drew the 30 horse picture at Fred Brown's last night. However, this is not considered a horse on George's.—Evening Times.

There will be a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Depew, Wednesday, March 15, afternoon and evening. Tea from 5 to 8. Everybody is invited.

The Woman's Guild of the Congregational church will hold a social at the home of Mrs. H. S. Holmes, Wednesday afternoon, March 15. All are cordially invited.

Wm. H. Freer has left the St. Plunkard Company with which he has been traveling the past season, and is now with Murry and Mack's in the capacity of musical director.

David Raymond, who has been a resident of Chelsea for many years, will now make his home with his son at Manchester. Mr. Raymond's old friends here will be sorry to lose him.

Frank Diamond, who was here a couple of weeks ago and made quite a stir about starting a music store and sewing machine agency, disappeared last week, leaving a number of our citizens in the lurch.

There is a movement on foot to furnish new uniforms for the Chelsea band, and we hope our business men will respond as the boys are worthy of all the honors and aid that can be extended toward them.

Some of the senators want a bronze statue of Zachariah Chandler, formerly senator from Michigan, placed on the capitol grounds at Lansing. A bill has been introduced to appropriate \$10,000 for this object.

The democrats of Michigan have nominated Thos. E. Barkworth of Jackson for justice of the supreme court; Edwin T. DeGendre of Calumet, and Stanley E. Parkhill of Owosso, for regents of the University of Michigan.

Herman Kalmbach, who was formerly located at Francisco, and has just opened a store at South Lyon, had a narrow escape from losing his stock by fire the first of the week. The building next to where he was located was destroyed.

George A. BeGole, township treasurer, was in Ann Arbor, Monday, and settled with the county treasurer. He had to return the following amounts as uncollected: State, \$9.02; county, \$3.86; township, \$6.97; highway, \$4.92; school, \$32.65.

There will be a meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch, on Wednesday evening, March 15, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Camera club. Everyone interested in amateur photography is urged to be present.

At the prohibition state convention held in Jackson last week, Frank B. Clark of Detroit was nominated for justice of the supreme court, and Prof. F. S. Goodrich of Albion and Harvey B. Hatch of Marquette were nominated for regents of the University of Michigan.

Mass will be celebrated in St. Mary's church, Friday, March 17, in honor of St. Patrick, the Apostle of Ireland. The junior choir of the church will sing some beautiful hymns, especially the hymn to St. Patrick. Miss Mary Clark will render several patriotic and national airs on the organ.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch and Miss Kathryn Hooker attended the marriage of Miss Blanche Cady and Mr. Lewis Watkins at Grass Lake, Wednesday. The marriage ceremony was performed in the M. E. church, after which came a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

The fire department was called out about eight o'clock last Thursday evening to extinguish a fire in the old Flagler house near the depot. The department made short work of the flames. The building was unoccupied. There is a feeling prevalent that a firebug is getting in his work here on unoccupied buildings.

The discussion of the question, "Is capital punishment justifiable?" at the Business Men's class at the Congregational church was adjourned until next Sunday. H. S. Holmes will lead in the discussion. On Sunday, March 19, S. A. Mapes will open the discussion on the question, "What are the elements of success?"

Hear Prof. Byron W. King at the Congregational church, on Monday evening, March 13. Prof. King is an eloquent of wonderful ability, who will give many excellent selections, humorous, tragic and pathetic. The masterpiece of the evening will be the chariot race, from Lew Wallace's book, "Ben Hur." Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Married, Wednesday, March 8, 1899, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schumacher, Miss Amanda Wacker and Mr. Charles Mohrlok, the Rev. Koelbing officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Mohrlok will commence housekeeping in the Staffan house on Pierce street. The Standard joins their many friends in extending congratulations and wishing them a long and happy life.

Boys with hats on the back of their heads and long hair hanging down over their foreheads, and cigarettes and smutty words in their mouths are cheaper stuff than an old worn out shoe; nobody wants them at any price. Men will not employ them, girls will not marry them. They are not worth their keeping to anyone, and they will never be able to keep themselves.—Mt. Clemens Press.

Village electricians A. R. Welch and Guy Lighthall did some very clever work thawing frozen water pipes, on Monday, with electricity. It took them just 14 minutes to thaw 80 feet of pipe in the McKune block, and at the residences of L. Babcock and Dr. Palmer 150 feet in 10 minutes. They used a direct current of 180 amperes at 220 voltage, taking the current from the light wires.

The Lenten Mission, which will open in St. Mary's church, Sunday, March 19, at 10:30 a. m., will be given by Fathers of the Redemptorist Order, who are famous for sacred oratory. Services will be held every morning and evening, and ladies and gentlemen are cordially invited. The music during the mission will be exceptionally good and impressive. The exercises will be in charge of the Rev. Fathers Klauer and Hogan.

William Arnold's gravel bed between Chelsea and Dexter is better than a Klondike. A number of years ago he sold a gravel hill to the Michigan Central for several thousand dollars, and last week he sold to the same company 18 acres at the gravel bed for \$8,000 and a life pass for himself and family over the company's lines. It is reported that the gravel will be used in completing the double track between Dexter and Ypsilanti this summer.

A reception was given to the senior class at the Boyd House, last Friday evening, by the teachers of the high school. Refreshments were served at ten o'clock after which a short musical program was furnished by the members of the class. Among the many amusements of the evening was an initial contest. The honor was carried off by John Hindelang, he receiving a prize envied by all. A booby prize was also given. After the prizes were presented, the winners chose sides for charades. At an early hour the gathering dispersed expressing themselves as to the very pleasant time all enjoyed.

A recent visitor to Andersonville, where the Union soldiers were imprisoned 35 years ago, says that the earthworks and stockade are still preserved and that the wells dug by the prisoners are in as good condition as if they had just been completed. "Providence spring," so named because it seemed to have suddenly burst from the ground just at a time when the soldiers were suffering for water, is still the same, having kept up a constant flow of pure, clear water ever since.

The lecture Saturday night by Prof. Byron W. King was the finest thing ever witnessed in Fountain City. The "Chariot Race," from Ben Hur, was simply grand beyond description, and every one in the house was in the act of raising to their feet to witness the final crash of the chariots. His rendition of "Pard" and "Rough," a death scene in a mining camp, was so realistic that every listener was affected to tears, and one could almost see the gleam of sunshine that came across the vision of the dying man as in his crude way he told of mother and childhood's home.—Fountain City (Ind.) News. Prof. King will be in Chelsea, March 13.

Ample preparations are being made for a splendid presentation of "The Colleen Bawn," at the Opera house, Friday evening, March 17. The play is in very capable hands, and as it is intensely interesting, full of pathos and humor, there is no doubt but a large audience will be present. The advance sale of tickets is very large. The Aeolian orchestra will render the music, and this announcement is a guarantee that this feature of the evening's entertainment will be delightful. Messrs. Thacher and Hummel have the management of this thrilling and absorbing drama, and they will give a representation of a most beautiful play that will be unexcelled. The doors will open at 7 and the play will begin at 8 p. m. sharp. Admission will be 25 cts. for adults and 15 cents for children.

The Michigan Bulletin of Vital Statistics speaks as follows of the mortality in the state for the past year: The most fatal cause of death for the year was pneumonia, which caused 2,465 deaths, but it only exceeded consumption, the cause which is usually most fatal, by nine. Next to pneumonia and consumption came diarrheal diseases of children, which indeed, considering that their incidence is confined chiefly to the late summer and early autumn months, shows the highest monthly death rate of any cause. Diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles show some decrease, while typhoid fever, whooping cough and cerebro-spinal meningitis have increased as compared with the last complete year of registration. The death rate in Michigan for the past year was 12.5 per 1,000 population, which is remarkably low.

The illustrated lecture by Rev. F. A. Strough on "The Modern Prodigal Son," which was delivered at the Congregational church last Thursday evening, was very interesting, and was listened to by a large audience. His lecture Friday evening on the new possessions of the United States was an excellent one. Over 250 views were thrown on the screen by a stereopticon of great power. In fact it was the finest machine of that character that has ever been exhibited in Chelsea. The pictures were manipulated by J. R. Powell, who is an experienced operator. The views were all very clear, and the lecture which was delivered as they were thrown on the screen was very interesting. Mr. Strough was about 7,000 views from which to select, and is adding to the collection all of the time. If he ever returns to Chelsea he can be assured on a full house to greet him.

The market continues dull and there has been a material decline in wheat since last week. Wheat now stands at 67 cents for red or white. Rye 57 cents. Oats 30 cents. Cloverseed \$3. Beans \$1. Onions 40 cents. Potatoes 30 cents. Butter 13 cents. Eggs 12 cents. Dressed hogs \$4.50. Beef cattle 4 cents per lb. Chickens 6 cents. Sheep 4 cents. Lamb \$4.50. Live hogs \$3.65. Receipts have been light since the storm and will be light until there is some improvement in going and prices. The crop damage has not been brought to fear yet, and may not be before next month. The surplus is so great that no very big advance may be looked for when they get ready to make the most of that question. There is nearly half the crop yet in the hands of farmers and it will be put on the market rapidly if it reaches 75 cts. for wheat. The condition of the growing crop cannot be certainly determined sooner than next month, and no marked change may be looked for before that.

THE NOMINATIONS.

The Workingmen and the Citizens Have Each Named Candidates.

At the caucus on Monday evening the Workingmen made the following nominations:

For President—H. S. Holmes.
For Trustees—W. J. Knapp, A. W. Wilkinson, Fred Wedemeyer.
For Clerk—W. H. Heselshwerdt.
For Treasurer—J. B. Cole.
For Assessor—J. P. Wood.
On Wednesday evening the Citizens met and nominated the following ticket:
For President—Geo. P. Staffan.
For Trustees—William Bacon, H. H. Avery, Jas. Bachman.
For Clerk—B. Parker.
For Treasurer—K. Otto Steinbach.
Assessor—M. J. Noyes.

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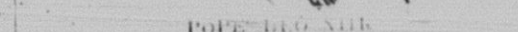
next week," says Bonzil.

Despite all Yolande's efforts, and a

Drug. Peck.

Pope L. XIII. was taken suddenly ill Tuesday morning and, despite denials, his condition became so serious as to cause the gravest apprehension to his physicians. While giving audience to members of the diplomatic corps his holiness was taken with a chill, which was the first symptom of his being seriously ill. He swooned, and it was a long time before he came to. The physicians said that his holiness was suffering from a severe feverish cold. His temperature was 100.4 degrees, and he had pain in the chest of a rheumatic character. The habitual reticence that is observed at the Vatican made it difficult to describe the Pope's condition with complete accuracy.

The knowledge that the illness of his holiness was severe caused a flutter among the exalted prelates. The holding of



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