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AN EXCELLENT ADDRESS.

Rev. W. P. Considine's Address to the Clas of '99 Sunday Evening.

St. Mary's church was filled to over curse. He spoke of the love of the the members of the class to be worthy citizens of this glorious republic, to cultivate a love for the higher and better things; not to think that their education is now finished, but really just begun, and to be scholars and students all their lives, a credit to their parents who have made sacrifices for them, and to the to the community. They should always be able to say, "The Lord is my light and my salvation, whom shall I fear?" Miss Mary Dunn of Detroit, sang two solos in a very acceptable manner, and St. Mary's cal portion of the program.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.

Lewis Stevens of Waterloo Cut Across the Abdomen

Last Saturday Lewis Stephens, an employe of Treasurer Bott of Waterloo, was lying in the shade of a tree when a friend came along with a horse and buggy and thinking he would have some sport with Lewis he drove as close as possible to him. Stephens grabbed the spokes of the wheel and was lifted off the ground, cut through his shirt and made a gash about eight inches across the abdomen, the cut was not deep enough to reach the inner lining.

Stephens did not realize that he was hurt for some time, he went about his work and got as far as one of the neighbors when he began to feel faint. A telephone call brought Dr. Conlan from Munith, who cared for the wound. The young man was taken by Mr. Bott to his residence and the doctor thinks that nothing very serious will result from the mishap.

School Pienic. .

On Friday morning, June 16th, the Seventh and Fifth grades of the Chelsea schools, at 8:30 started for Miss Fletcher's home, six and a half miles south of Chel sea. Two, ambitious, started at 7 o'clock 'Zack," a hayrack, a long spring wagon' and a number of buggies carried the boys and girls to the farm, where they were turned loose to play as they pleased. Fishing, wading, swimming, playing ball, jumping the rope, killing snakes, and playing with the pet pig kept them all

Dinner, consisting of biscuit, butter, not spread thin) salmon, boiled ham, pickles, baked beans, cakes, and five and a half gallons of milk just off the ice, March was eaten picnic fashion. At three o'clock fourteen quarts of ice cream were frozen, and this with twelve quarts of strawberries, biscuit, butter, dried beef, and twelve cakes furnished the banquet at 5

At six the tired but happy children Vocal Duet, Cora Nickerson, Gladys Mapes started for home. One boy was knocked Recitation-The Legend of the by the swing to the barn floor and so had a bumped head, and one girl lost her hat; these were the only unpleasant experlences of the day. The boys and girls Recitation-The Church Scene wish that plenies came every week. **

Sale of Recreation Park.

At a meeting of the stockholders of Solo Recreation Park Association at the town | Class History hall Saturday afternoon the following Valedictory resolution was adopted:

That the directors of this Association are hereby ordered to lay a street 31/2 | Violin Solo rods wide parallel with the Michigan Central railroad continuing Middle street to the west line of the lands of Recreation Park Association, and to advertise don for the month ending June 16. Atand sell at public auction all the lands tending every day, Ernest Pickell, Floyd north of said street in acre lots or other- Spencer and Frances Boyce, Standing 85. wise to obtain best price therefore, and in James Young, Belle McCall, Ethel Skidlike manner sell the main exhibition more;80, Calista Boyce, Ernest Pickell, Milbuilding in parcels or as a whole to bring lie Wallace, Vincent Young, Floyd Boyce most money, to be removed off from said Belle McCall and Calista Boyce have not lands by the purchasers, and in like man- mispelled a word in written spelling durner sell the lumber in the horse, cattle, ing the month. Promoted from the 4th sheep and hog sheds on south east corner grade to 5th grade, Millie Wallace, Ernest in like manner sell all the land south of er. said street in one parcel, grand stand and horse barns to go with the purchase, providing however that said last named parcel shall not be sold unless it will A. only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. the other property sold covered by the the Evangelical Association in Sharon, ing given in the sale of the land south of Schmans. So delightful an occasion sel- 2

the street to stockholders of this Associa- dom occurs. About three hundred invited tion intending to keep the same for race guests were present to witness the martrack and show grounds, and the said di- riage under an arch of flowers and everrectors are ordered to sell in any event, greens in the church; and immediately providing that the whole amount of sales after the ceremony to participate in the flowing Sunday evening to listen to Rev. shall be more than enough to pay off the pleasant reception at the home of the W. P. Considine's baccalaureate address. incumberance of said fair grounds. And bride's parents. A bountiful dinner was He took for his text, "The Lord is my after said auction sale the said direc ors served on the lawn in front of the house, light and my salvation, whom shall I are hereby ordered to deed to the Village The fine array of presents will go far fear?" He spoke of the power and in- of Chelsea, for street purposes the said towards furnishing a home for the newly fluence of education and said that it must street so laid out by them and said direc- wedded pair, besides \$20.50 in cash to tend to God, otherwise it would prove a tors are further ordered to deed to all supply deficiencies. The guests from other purchasers by proper conveyances abroad were Misses Mary Holt and Annie Catholic church for education, advised all the property so sold at said auction Peters of Tecumseh; Miss Maggie Craig sale and deliver them upon receiving the purchase price therefore. And they are furthered directed out of the money derived from said sale to pay off the incum- Uphaus, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Uphaus and berances and distribute the remainder Seymour Kendall of Jackson; B. Mills of among the stockholders, prorata on their Leoni; Arthur Collins of Grass Lake, and shares of stock and that this resolution James Hathaway of Chelsea. shall be voted upon by the stockholders in person or by proxy and the vote to be so taken as io record the number of the shares of stock voting for and against

> The sale will take place on the premises on Saturday, July 1st. The meeting of the stockholders was adjourned until July 29th, to receive report of the sale, and to transact any further business that may come up.

Mrs. Hannah Winans.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Van Tyne, on Main street, Mrs. Hannah J. Winans passed away Saturday, June 17, 1899, after weeks of suffering. The funeral services were held at her late residence, Rev. C. S. Jones officiating, Tuesday afternoon at 2 p. m. Hannah J. Johnson was born Dec. 6, 1828, at Tom's River, Ocean county, New Jersey. and by some means or other the blade In 1850 she came to Michigan and settled at Waterloo. She moved to Chelsea in 1862 and engaged in the millinery busiabout four inches of it being deep enough ness, her quiet, aimable ways winning for Dexter, 1. to necessitate being drawn together with her a host of friends. August 7, 1872. strips of adhesive plaster. Fortunately she married John C. Winans, a merchant of this place. Mrs. Winans united with Not with many words but faithfully and 2,175. loyally she served the master. In the quiet sanctuary of the home her true life was revealed giving expression to her mild, loving disposition in her devo- Lodi, 800, tion to her husband and daughter. An only daughter, Mrs. Mary J. Van Tyne, E. English, Manchester, 400. and two sisters, Mrs. Yocum and Mrs. Elizabeth Pray to Almira Dodge, Conk mourn the loss of a loving mother Northfield, 1. and devoted sister.

"One after another our dear ones leave, And by earthly homes they are no more known

By this would our Father have men That the heaven's more home-like

because they've gone To mansions prepared, from old, for The redeemed who answer with joy

his "Come' For His voice is divinely musical, And the light of His eyes worth al the gloom

Of the path that leads us home." Grammarians of '99.

The Grammarians of '99 will hold their 1,000. graduation exercises at the high school on Friday, June 23d, at 2 o'clock p. m. The following program will be carried

Eva Luick Salutatory Howard S. Holmes Greeting Song Recitation-Through the Wood

of Stars Recitation-The Duelist's Victory Warren Spaulding | Lister:

Leila Geddes Beautiful

Essay-Spring Helen Burg Vocal Duet, Emily and Edgar Steinbach

from Evangeline Cora Stedman

Recitation-Lincoln's Last Dream Bessie Wade

Pauline Burg Anna Zulke Lillie Blaich Conferring of Diplomas

Supt. W. W. Gifford Howard S. Holmes

School Report.

Report of school in district No. 5, Lynof said fair grounds in parcels to suit the Pickell, Vincent Young, from the 7th to purchasers to be removed from said 8th grades, James Young, Belle McCall, grounds by the purschasers thereof; and Calista Boyce, Mrs. L. A. Stephens, teach-

Huesman-Kendali.

Mr. Clifford G. Kendall and Miss Laura bring more than enough with the sales of Huesman were married at the church of mortgage to pay off the mortgage indebt-edness, interest and costs, preference be-was performed by the pastor, Rev. J.

of Ridgeway; George Schaffer of Saline: Mr. and Mrs. John Scheld and Mrs. John Finest roasted peanuts Sc 1b Schaffer of Ida; Misses Cora and Annie

Real Estate Transfers. Sarah A. Goodale to Charles F. Meyers, Ann Arbor, \$650.

John Charles Kaercher, deceased, to Alfred Kaercher, et al. will.

John Charles Kaercher, deceased, to Robert D. Walker, Chelsea, 1,200.

Ada J. McNames et al., to Mrs. Jane Rathman, Ann Arbor, 1,950. Hannah Briggs to John G. Dell, Saline,

Ed. D. Campbell and wife to Herbert J. Goulding, Ann Arbor, 1,450. Martha Wright to Burton L. Galpin,

Ann Arbor, 1,300. Wilbur Todd and wife to Charles C.

Todd, Webster, 150. John Leupold to John Shadford and

wife, Ann Arbor, 325. Emma G. Taylor, et al., to John Klump Sharon, 3,000.

Cathererine E. Jones to Mable K. Pond, Ann Arbor, 1,050, Mary M. Allen to Kate Vaughan, et al.,

Leonhard Gruner and wife to J. P. Schuon and wife, Ann Arbor, 900.

Henry Diller by circuit court commis-John Worden and wife to Helen Mark-

ham, et al., Augusta, 460. John G. Koch to May Ann Marken,

Edgar A. Witherell, et al., to Austin

Henry Glover and wife to M. Bullinger and wife, Ypsilanti, 200.

G. A. Savery and wife to M. Bullinger, and wife, Ypsilanti, 100. Jane Rotman to John H. Ortman, Ann

Arbor, 750. L. Gruner and wife to Christie Haller,

Ann Arbor, 900. Paul Snauble and wife to Morris Larned and wife, Ann Arbor, 2,500.

Johanna Marken to Sarah U. Van Kleek, Ann Arbor, 2,050.

Jane Rothman to Eliza B. Broomhall, Ann Arbor, 4,500. John Ross to William J. Ross, Sylvan,

Josephine A. Drury to Mary Abelson, Ypsilanti, 805. James A. Eaton et al. to Charles Walk-

er, Sharon, 660.

Can Now Teach. The following were among the suc-

cessful applicants for common school di-Myrta Guerin plomas at the teachers' examination held May 27, by County School Commissioner Clare Bell, Lima.

> Fred Dresselhause, Sharon Verna Easton, Lima Arminda Fenn, Sylvan Alizzie Haeussler, Sharon Alice Helm, Sylvan Emile Jacob, Sharon Fannie Musbach, Sylvan Clarence Gieske, Sharon Ida Schaible, Sylvan Ruth Smith, Lima Alta Skidmore, Lyndon Otto Weber, Sylvan Cora Widmayer, Sharon Bertha Landwehr, Freedom Mertie Kuhl, Freedom Alta Rowe, Sharon.

Lizzie Breitenbach, Lyndon

Farmers' Club Meeting. The Western Washtenaw Union Farm-

ers' Club held their June meeting at the home of Arthur Chapman, June 15. The meeting was the largest one held since the club's organization, there being over ninety present. A number of good recitations, select readings and songs were well rendered. Question, "Would the proposed disarmament of the nations hasten the coming universal peace?" One of the most attractive features of the meeting was a paper edited by the club and its contents were thoroughly entertaining. As this was the last meeting before the club closed for the months of July and August every one seemed to enter into the spirit of the occasion and anjoy themselves thoroughly. The en-thusiasm here expressed betokens of pleasant time at their next meeting with

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4 pounds V & C crackers 25c 7 cans sardines 25c Imported sardines 10c per can

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50c dozen Mason's quart cans, aluminum covers at 60c dozen

Mason's two-quart cans, aluminum covers at 70c dozen Can rubbers 5e dozen

Try 1 pound of our 16c coffee Best kind of Cheese 10c pound

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the Congregational church May4, 1866. sion to Moses Taggart, trustee, Ypsilanti, Market Price for Eggs

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I love the dear old stories,
My thoughts to them will stray;
But still one must keep posted on
The writers of to-day
My desk is piled with latest books
I'm striving to dispatch;
But ere I've finished all of them,
There'll be another batch.

Hepe's new one isn't opened yet.
I've not read James's last;
And Howells is so prolific now,
And Crawford writes so fast,
"Evelyn Innes" I must skim,
O'er "Helbeck" I must pore:
"The Day's Work" I'll enjoy, although
I've read the tales before.

And then there is "The King's Jackal,"
"The Gadfly," "Caleb West."
"Silence," "The Forest Lovers," and
I can't name all the rest.
I'll try to keep up with the times,
But oh, I hope that I
May read my "David Copperfield"
Once more before I die:
—Carolyn Wells, in the Bookman.

THE PARSON'S BOX

"Speakin' o' war," remarked Moot Rivers, the old Maine guide, as he tipped his cracker-box back against the front of the country store, upon whose platform a company of village loafers had gathered-"Speakin' o' war reminds me of a sort of Quaker parson that ust to come up into these parts every winter and travel round amongst the lumber camps, holdin' religious services. That man was the deadest sot agin blood-sheddin' of anybody I ever see, before or since. He didn't even believe in war between man and varmints, sayin' that it was a crime agin God to take the life he had given any critter of his'n. He wouldn't eat meat becuz it was 'slain,' and sometimes, I can tell ye, boys, the poor cuss was reel hard put to it for a bellyfull, here in the woods, whar the heft of our provender ust to be wild meat. I've seen him go to bed half-famished, but tea and venison.

"The Parson-as we fellers up here called him; he was a good sort of a afore I could get my jaws closed ag'in, chap, too-was so determined not to ker-whack! she struck a big hemlock! shed the blood of any livin' critter that The Parson's box bust open lengthwise. he wouldn't even fight varmints in just like a pea-pod, and out he come self-defence. He didn't carry any wep- a-flyn' and sailed along on his coatpin besides his axe and jack-knife; and tails for a good ten yards, just like a these he only used for cuttin' his wood | pa'tridge when she lights. The minute and buildin' his camps. What did he he struck the snow, he was up ag'in. do when pestered by wild critters, leggin' it for a tree. I reckon he had then? That's what I'm a-goin' to tell | it all planned out while he was in the

woods with a strong oak box, 'bout seven feet long and two and a half broad, sot on a toboggan. It was the stoutest, best-built box I ever see, branches, lookin' down at the wolves, put together with four-inch screws, and bound on the inside with steel the tree. 'Shoot, Mr. Rivers! shoot!" up, lid-fashion, and was fastened on from these beasts!" by eight big brass hinges. Inside than was a chain lock to hold the cover down, so the devil himself couldn't raise it without pullin' the box to at the snow, and makin' himself a red pieces. Thar were two or three small rug to lie on. Once in a while the faltered the dying man, "promise that holes bored in the end o' the box for ventilation; and I'll be blamed of that feller didn't ust to dump his duds in the snow and crawl into that box when ever wolves or painter or b'ar got arter him, and thar he'd cuddle down. as snug and peaceful as a kitten in a basket, and let them critters paw his chist around ontil they got tired of it!

Thar ust to be scratches a quarter of an inch deep all over that box, where varmints hed clawed it; and the Parson has told me that sometimes he lay thar for a hull night or a hull day, till whatever critter was interested in him got its curiosity kind o' wore off, and left in s'arch of softer vittles. More than oncet he come within an inch of freezin', and would 'a' froze ef it hedn't be'n for the blanket he had in the box with him. But sartin sure no varmint that roamed the woods was able to crack the Parson's shell, and he wa'n't no hard-shell Baptist nether.

"I s'pose he might 'a' gone on boxin' of himself up that way till he got all the choppers in the woods convarted, ef it hedn't be'n for an accident that disturbed his arrangements and kind o' demoralized his principles. I'll tell ye how it happened.

"Me and him was on the way to the Jennings lumber camp, away up near the head waters of the Alleguash. It was spiteful cold weather, in February, and we was anxious to reach shelter before nightfall. The Parson's box was a kind of hard draggin' up them hills, but he stuck to it, and said it wa'n't any wuss than my pack, anywaywhich was true enough, I guess.

"Wall, it got to be along about threeo'clock in the arternoon, when I'll be gosh darned ef I didn't hear a wolf, two or three miles back, give his long- to give presents of colored eggs in Perdrawn howl on our trail! Now, thinks I, Mr. Parson and Mr. Rivers, there's Easter eggs have had various names, in about an hour! The Parson knew and the uses to which they have been what was comin' as well as I, and he put are many. One deserves our parsays: 'I think thar's room for two in ticular notice, as it is connected with my box, Mr. Rivers. Will thee not jine me thar, when we are obliged to children to roll their eggs on the lawn seek' safety, ontil these poor critters at the White House. This rolling of become weary of their thirst for hu- eggs is one of the very old customs, man blood?

Parson,' says I, it will agree with my ing the eggs, repeated some such ditty constitution better, I think, to cumb a as the following: "Carland, parland, tree and pick off them varmints, one paste-egg day." But this custom was by one, till the coast is clear for a warm supper and a dry bunk.'

man, made in Thine image! Nevertheless, I will continue with the, my friend, ontil the peril is upon us. Then, perhaps, thee will reconsider and enter the box with me.'

"That remains to be seen, Parson, says I, for I didn't want to hurt his

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other, and another, and putty soon th woods seemed to he full of the yelli devils. It wa'n't a great while after we could see 'em skulkin' arter us ngst the trees, and I come to the conclusion it was time to get fixed for business, 'Get into yer box, Parson, says I, 'for I've picked out my tree and the limb whar I'm goin' to set.'

"Thee will not jine me, then?' says he, beginnin' to pitch out his plunder. "'Not this trip, Parson,' says 1. 'Sometime, when it ain't so cold and so late in the day, perhaps, I'll jine ye.' " Farewell, then,' says he. 'And may

God restrain thy hand." "So he tucked himself into his box. and I got out o' the straps of my pack and took old Spitfire up the tree with

"We had hardly got fixed afore the hull pack o' wolves, about twenty on 'em, was swarmin' round us. They didn't give a look at me, but begun to nose around the Parson's box, and I kind o' held off with old Spitfire, becuz I'd never reely seen how the Parson conducted his campaigns, and was a flight cur'us fo obsarve how the varmints would use him, anyway. Arter smellin' round for a few minutes, the wolves begun to scratch and gnaw at the box, and finally they sot to work to tip it over.

"'Now, as I was sayin', the Parson's chist o' refuge was sot on a toboggan, to which it was bound by thongs. Wa hed stopped on the side of a small mounting, and when the wolves begun to push and haul at the box, the toboggan slewed around til it was p'inted down hill, and then off she went like a duck on ice.

'Thunderation!' thinks I to myself 'Is the Parson goin' coastin' amongst all these trees?' Sure enough, he was, and gatherin' headway all the time, with the wolves trottin' arter, kind o' su'prised like. 'Parson!' I yelled, unlock that box and stop her, or thar won't be a splinter left of either of

"I dunno whether the Parson heard me or not, but ef he did, thar wa'n't when he'd stop at one of my camps for | much time to foller my instructions, a night and find me out of everything for in half a minute the toboggan was goin' like a log in the rapids, and then like a bullet out of a gun; and "The Parson travelled through the tree myself, nor shinned up it any livelier.

"When the Parson got perched, I could see his white face among the that were howlin' and leapin' up on

"I got a rest over a limb and begun to onhitch old Spitfire. Every time promise." "You can marry again if she spoke, a wolf keeled over, snappin' Parson would give a yell, and towards | no photograph of me shall be enlarged the last they was whoops of triumph. In less than half an hour every wolf in oils shall adorn this home." And was dead, excep' three that sneaked as she promised there came to his face away. Then I got down and went to the calmness of a great and lasting this village and that this council does and lung troubles. Glazier & Stimson. see how the Parson was. He seemed to kind o' miss his box, for I never see a man quite so disturbed about a few pesky wolves. 'Have you killed 'em all, Mr. Rivers?' says he, with chatter-

"'All but three,' says I. 'And you needn't be afraid they'll come back.' 'Sure?' says he.

"'Sure,' says I.

"But it was fifteen minutes afore ! could get him to come down. 'It is dreadful, this carnage!' says he, shyin' away from the dead wolves. 'You must excuse my confusion and inconsistency, Mr. Rivers, but I was never in such a plight before. In the seclusion of my box, I knew nothing of these

says I, 'now that the box is gone. And when you set down to supper at Jenning's, to-night, I'll bet you'll be glad you ain't cooped up here, waitin' for them critters to get tired o' the smell

he. And, by gum! if the cuss didn't eat a hunk o' bar's meat with his beans and mush, that night, at Jennings's!"-James Buckham, in Field and Stream.

Eggs at Easter.

The origin of the custom of giving ggs at Easter is not of great antiquity. dating back to a Persian legend that has been more or less written up, in memory of which it is still customary sia on a certain festival in the Spring. goin' to be plenty of excitement for ye being called pasch, pace, or paste eggs, our American custom of allowing the the finest grassy slopes being selected "Thankin' you for yer hospitality, for the purpose. The children, in rollnot entirely confined to the children. for in some places the older, well-"'O Lord!' says he, lookin' up with dressed people indulged in the sport, ournful eyes, the bloodthirstiness of having their initial or some distinctive marking on the eggs, for the one that held out claimed the rest. Our Southern negroes have such a "game."

Both tansy pudding and bacon and

ggs were very generally eaten at this

me, the bacon to show abhorrence of

he Jews: though on the Continent it

RANDOM COMMENT.

Bob Burdette is to marry a California widow. Even a humorist at times is forced to take life seriously.

Probably the original sin was the invention of a new diversion for Lent that would pass as a pious charity.

In Frankfort a man has named his twin children Incidence and Coincidence, because they happened together. Bovee: Woman's love, like lichens on a rock, will still grow where even

charl'y can find no soil to nurture it-

"Why doesn't young Fressleigh marry Miss Sweet?" "Why, her father objected." "Oh, I see, the reason is a

George Eliot: It is generally a feminine eye that first detects the moral deficiency hidden under the "dear de-

In the vagaries of the English language when you lest a man he gets the worst of it, and you worst him when you get the best of it.

A woman has a perfect right to love her pet dog, remarks the Feminine Observer. Treat a dog kindly and he will stick to you even when your last season's hat is on crooked.

Jean Paul Richter: If the lovingclosed heart of a good woman were to open before a man, how much controlled tenderness, how many veiled sacrifices and dumb virtues he would see.

President W. H. Council of the College for Negroes at Normal, Ala., is the only negro college president born, in slavery and self-educated. H. was 17 years old before he learned the

One of the cub "great descriptive writers" on the Pittsburg Dispatch has found spring coming in on a bicycle. This is the opening spasm:

With every soft-driven, light-winged cephyr which floated across ' - pathway she thrilled with keenes joy.

Walker Rhoades had just finished a fairly good meal and arose with his tattered hat in hand to go. "But," protested the housewife, "You said you would saw wood." "It pains me to correct the grammer of such a charitable lady," said Rhoades, in leaving. 'I said on coming in that I saw wood, and I did. Good day, madam."

An enterprising American firm in Manila has struck off a number of badges commemorative of Dewey's victory on May 1, 1898, and thousands of them have been sold to our soldiers. The ribbon of the badge is a piece of this council showing the aggregate valuaair, for I couldn't 'a' chose a better | red, white and blue silk. The pendant is a bronze medal, on one side of which is stamped the inscription: 'Dewey's Victory, Manila Bay," and on the other side is a picture of the

The flags of death were flying in the eyes of the kind and indulgent husseared with weeping said simply you wish, all my property is yours without clause or hindrance, butin crayons or no post mortem portrait

done some notable work as special correspondent, recently received, according to the Bookman, a startling offer from a well known New York journal. He was to proceed at once to Devil's island, rescue Dreyfus and bring him-\$25,000 expenses. The offer was re-

In his eulogy of the late Mr. Dingley, Representative Dockery spoke of the great changes in the House since it met at the opening of the Forty-eighth Congress. Of the 356 men who were there, and in the next session there will be only fifteen, namely Bingham, Ermentrout and Harmer,, of Pennsylvania; Reed and Boutelle, of Maine; Cannon and Hitt, of Illinois; Payne, Ray and Wadsworth, of New York; 'Thar is somethin' in that,' says | Henderson and Hepburn, of Iowa; Bland, of Missouri; Steele, of Indiana, and Lanham, of Texas.

At one of our commercial hotels a stout, red-faced gertieman in a white beaver, blue cost and buff vest; offered to wager a \$5 bill that he would close his eyes and simply by taste name any kind of liquor in the house. The bet was taken and the process of winning or losing was commenced forthwith. That is genuine brandy," said the fat gentleman, tasting from a wineglass; and this this is whiskey," and so on. At length a wag porred out a glass of water, which he handed to the connoisseur. "This is --ah--ah--this is," said he, tasting it again: "By thunder, gentlemen! I lose the bet! I never tasted this liquor before."-Syracuse

Standard. As she drank in the bounteous ozone nd caught occasional glimpses of the glerious sun through the drifting clouds which swept up from the steel and metal mills her cheeks glowed with the rush of rich, red blood and her eyes flashed forth the spirit to be found only in exuiting joyous life. She had a form which, in chiseled outline, and placed upon a marble pedestal. would lend grace and beauty to the sculptor's art. No soft autumnal sunset could exceed the richness of her golden hair. And still she rolled about, and in the glorious ecstacy of a new born existence almost cried aloud with sheer enjoyment. Even the cab drivers, most calloused and material of beings, looked upon her, and were shocked by a new and startling eeling. It was envy. She was the first Council Proceedings. [OFFICIAL]

Chelsea, Mich., May 24, 1899. Board met in regular session. Meeting eafled to order by the President. Roll called by the Clerk:

Present, Geo. P. Staffan, President, and Trustees Vogel, Twamley, Avery, Schenk and Bachman.

Moved by Vogel, seconded by Schenk,

that the several bills be allowed as read

Absent, Trustee McKune. Minutes read and approved.

and orders drawn for amounts. Carried. \$40 25 M. C. R. R., freight, General Electric Co., supplies, B. B. TurnBull, revenue stamps, etc. 4 26 1.60 91

Henry Worthington, supplies, ames Walker & Son, supplies, Medardt Patent Pulley Co., lubricants, O. W. Shipman, coal, H. Lighthall, 11 taps at \$7.50, Chelsea Mfg. Co., 1 tap and lay-

G. W. TurnBull, attorney fees, Ihling Bros. & Everard, assess ment roll. David Alber, 16 month salary, Lewis Culver, 16 month salary, Guy Lighthall. 16 month salary, . M Wood, 15 days a marshal,

J. Beasley, rent of land, 2 00 Michigan Telephone Co., Dr. Schmidt, fees as health officer, A. VanTyne, 5 brooms, B. B. TurnBull, insurance

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT, Village Clerk

Chelsea, Mich., May 29, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment

from regular meeting of May 24. Meeting called to order by the President. Roll called by the Clerk.

Present, Geo. P. Staffan, President, and Trustees Schenk, Vogel, Avery, Bachman and Twamley.

Absent, Trustee McKune. Moved by Avery, seconded by Schenk,

Yeas-Schenk and Avery Nays-Vogel, Twamley and Bachman.

The Finance Committee presented the following preamble and resolution viz: Whereas the Board of Review of the Village of Chelsea for the year 1899 has throat and lung remedy generally enduly certified over their hands the assessment roll of said village for said year to

tion of the rea! and personal property of said village as extended on said roll as from piles but a cure to stay cured. Deapproved by them to be the sum of six hundred and seventy-six thousand eight hundred dollars(\$676,800)and a list of the names of three hundred persons residents

Resolved that this council does hereby son's drug store. approve said assessment roll and poll list for said village for the year 1899 and does. hereby certify the said assessment roll hereby require to be 'raised by general A well known American writer at tax for the general fund of this village present residing in England, who has in the year 1899 the sum of \$6,768, the the same being one per cent upon the aggregate valuation of all the real estate and personal property set down and described in the said assessment roll and three hundred dollars for the general to New York. The payment was fixed highway fund to be collected one dollar times and renders all classes of food caat \$5,000, to be increased to \$15,000 if from each of the persons named in said the expedition were successful, and poll list, and that the president and clerk sign a true copy of this preamble and resolution and annex the same to said assessment roll and deliver the same to the

assessors of this village. Moved by Avery and supported by then sworn in, only seventeen are still tion presented by the Finance Committee 1899 be approved and adopted.

Yeas, Avery, Bachman, Schenk, Twamey and Vogel. Nays, none. Carried. George P. Staffan, President. W. H. Heselschwerdt, Clerk.

On motion board adjourned. W. H. Heselschwerdt,

f no quorum being present. W. H. Heselschwerdt,

Village Clerk.

For Sale-Two Premier, high grade '99 nodel,b cycles, fully warranted,\$25 each-One new Ideal bicycle '99 model, fully warranted, manufactured by Rambler eople, \$23 One Sensation, '99 model, \$15. These

wheels are all new '99 models and can be seen be seen at J. S. Cummings' store, A. W. Wilkinson, Agent.

I build the Kitsleman woven wire fence. Headquarters Lima Center, Mich. Geo. Whittington,

NO RIGHT TO UGLINESS.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause ney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach. liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, right eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-look-ng, charming woman of a run-down in valid. Only 50 cents at Glazier & Sti

HIS LIFE WAS SAVED.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a promine annibal, Mo., lately had verance from a frightful death. In ling of it he says: "I was taken with phold Fever, that ran into pneumonia. hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to so Mothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave me great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00 Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stimson's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

VOLCANIC ERUPTIONS

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, cures them; also old running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth. Drives out pains and aches. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by 42 50 Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

NOTICE.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on two 25 cent bottles or boxes of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, if it fails to cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, jaundice, loss of appetite, sour stomach, dyspepsia, livecomplaint, or any of the diseases for which it is recommended. It is highly Moved and supported that this meeting blood purifier. Sold liquid in bottlesstand adjourned until Monday night, May and tablets in boxes. Price 25 cents for either. One package of either guaran teed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Glazier & Stimson, Fenn & Vogel.

> DeWitt's Little Early Risers act as a aultless pill should, cleansing and reviving the system instead of weakening t. They are mild and sure, small and pleasant to take, and entirely free from bjectionable drugs. They assist rather than compel. Glazier & Stimson.

FREE OF CHARGE.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at Glazier & Stimson's will be presented that we do not levy a poll tax for the with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup, free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents. No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggists will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only dorsed by physicians. One 75 cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

What you want is not temporary relief Witt's Witch Hazel salve cures piles, and they stayed cured. Glazier & Stimson.

BISMARCK'S IRON NERVE

of said village between the ages of 20 Indomitable will and tremendous energy Was the result of his splendid health. strips and brackets. The top raised he yelled. 'For God's sake, save me band. "Dearest, I have a dying wish and 50 years, who are liable to pay a poll are not found where stomach, liver, kidto make." The woman with eyes all, tax and whereas this council has examinseared with weeping said simply: "I all said simpl ed said assessment roll and poll list for want these qualities and the success they 1899 as certified to it by said Board of They develope every power of brain and Review for said year 1899 now therefore body Only 25 cents at Glazier & Stim-

> J. A. Schear of Sedalia, Mo., saved his child from death by croup by using One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, and poll list for 1899 to the assessor of colds, pneumonia, la grippe and all throat

There is a time for all things. The ime to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers is when you are suffering from constipation, bihousness, sick headache, indigestion or other stomach or liver roubles. Glazier & Stimson.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure completely digests food within the stomach and intespable of being assimilated and converted in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing into strength giving and tissue building of said petition, and that the devises, legs tees and heirs at law of said deceased, and ubstances. Glazier & Stimson.

TO VILLAGE WATER CONSUMERS.

You are notified to live strictly accordng to the ordinance in regard to the use f water for lawn and street purposes. Moved by Avery and supported by Bachman that the preamble and resolution presented by the Finance Committee concerning the village assessment roll for 1899 be approved and adopted.

Yeas, Avery, Bachman, Schenk, Twan.

Electric Light & Water Works Com.

Thomas Thurman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if everyone in the United States should discover the virture of De-Witt's Witch Hazel Salve for piles, rectal

Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 25 and 50 cents.

W. M. Gallagher, of Bryan, Pa., says: For forty years I have tried various cough medicines. One Minute Cough Cure is best of all." It relieves instantly and cures all throat and lung troubles. Glazier & Stimson.

THE BEST COUGH REMEDY ON EARTH WARNER'S WHITE WINE OF TAR SYRUP, CONSUMPTION CURE, cures a cold in 24 hours if taken in time and does not stop a cough in one minute by paralyzing the throat, but it cures the disease and leaves the throat and lungs healthy and strong. 25 and 50 cents.

What is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure? It is the newly discovered remedy, the most effective preparation ever devised for aiding the digestion and assimilation of food, and restoring the deranged digestive organs to a natural condition. It is a discovery surpassing anything yet known to the medical profession. Glazier &

CONSUMPTION 'CURE-WARNER'S WHITE WINE of TAR SYRUP, the best cough remdy on earth, cures a cold in one day if ken in time. 25 and 50 cents.

fust received a fine lot of those Stand sewing machines at C. Steinbach's.

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PRORATE ORDER

Thereupon it is ordered, that it is ordered, that it is is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition, and that the design of the is a said petition and that the design of the is a said petition and that the design of the is a said petition and that the design of the is a said petition and the is a and heirs at law of said deceased, a persons interested in said estate, a to appear at a session of said Court holden at the Probate Court in Ann Arbor, and show cause, if as why the prayer of the petitioner's granted: And it is further ordered the petitioner sive notice to the resulting of the petitioner sive notice to the petition of the petitioner sive notice to the petition of the peti granted: And it is further ordered, that petitioner give notice to the persons interess in said estate, of the pendency of said petitions and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in The Chessian Standard, a newspaper printed and circulate 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.

COMMISSIONERS NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAR naw. The undersigned having been a Commissioners to receive, examine and all claims and demands of all persons the estate of Albert Hindelang, late the estate of Albert Hindelang, late of all county deceased, hereby give notice that an months from date are allowed, by order of all Probate Court. for creditors to present the claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of 0. W. Tunbull in the Village of Chelsea, in said county on Monday the 11th day of Sept. and on Monday the 11th day of Sept. and on Monday the 11th day of receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, June 10, 1899. Dated, June 10, 1899.

G. J. CROWELL, JAMES TAYLOR,

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH
TENAW. The undersigned having beenappointed by the Probate Court for said County
Commissioners to receive, examine and adjusall claims and demands of all persons spains
the estate of Joseph Schatz, late of said County
deceased, hereby give notice that six monty
from date are allowed, by order of said Probate
Court, for Creditors to present their claim
against the estate of said deceased, and that
they will meet at the office of G. W. Turnbui
in the Village of Chelsea, in said County, on
Thursday, the 14 day of Sept. and on Thursday,
the 14 day of Dec next, at ten o'clock A. M. at
each of said days, to receive examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, June 14, 1849 ust said claims. Dated, June 14, 1899.

B. B. TURNBULL, WM. SCHATZ, Commissioners

PROBATE ORDER

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH tenaw, s. s. At a session of the Prom.
Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden
the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbora
Monday the 5 day of June in the ye
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-ain
Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probat
In the matter of the estate of Willia
Fletcher deceased.

Emery Fletcher executor of the last will an testament of said deceased, comes into comand represent that he is now prepared to red der his final account as such executor. Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, to 30 day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account and that devises legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Annarhor in said countries. office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said countym show cause, if any there be why the said account should not be allowed. And it is furth ordered, that said executor give notice in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive

Weeks previous to said day of hearing.
H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. A true copy. P. J. Lehman, Probate Register.

PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the 3rd day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate In the matter of the estate of Martin Widmayer deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Aggie Widmayer praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said leceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to herself the executrix in said will name or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Saturday the

all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Court 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 that said petitioner give notice.

A TRUE COPY. P. J. LEBMAN Probate Register.

MORTGAGE SALE. Default having been made in the conditions

Chelsea Recreation Park Association of Chel

W. H. Heselschwerdt,
Village Clerk.

Village Clerk.

Chelsea, Mich., June 14, 1899

Meeting not called to order on account f-no-quorum being present.

W. H. Heselschwerdt,
Village Clerk.

With's Witch Hazel Salve for piles, rectal troubles and skin diseasees, the demand county, state of Michigan, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan, state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the township of Sylvan state of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the State of Michigan to Frank H. Sweetland of the Sweetland to Frank H. Sweetland to Frank page 62 by which default the power of sale contained therein becomes operative, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for the principal sum secured by said mortgage, and the interest covenanted to be paid, in all, the sum of Seventeen Hun dred and Ten Dollars and Sixty six cents, is dred and Ten Dollars and Sixty six cents, together with an Attorney's fee of Thirty Dollars,
provided for in said mortgage, in case any proceedings should be taken to foreclose the same,
and no proceedings having been instituted at
law or in equity to recover said sums or any
part thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given
that on Monday the 17th day of July A. D. 1896,
at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east front
door of the Court House, in the city of Ann
Arbor, in said county, the said Court House
being the place of holding the Circuit Court in
said county aid mortgage will be foreclosed
by virtue o he power of saletherein contained
by a sale at publice auction to the highest bidder of the mortgaged premises described in by a sale at publice auction to the highest bid der of the mortgaged premises described it said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the amount due on sale mortgage, interest, costs and expense of sale, which said lands are described in sale mortgage as follows, viz: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Sylvan in the county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan and described as follows, to with Commencing in the interior of the southers quarter of section eleven (11) on the south line of the Michigan Central Railroad Company's land at the northwest corner of Bernard Keelan's land being foir [4] Chains and sixty seven and one-half [67] links west and two [2] chaits and eighty-six[85] links morth from the center of the John C. Depew road at its intersection with the section line between sections eleven and twelve on the south side of block one [1] James

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WMMARY OF THE NEWS FOR THE WEEK BY WIRE.

and Great Britain are mander-in-Chief of the Boers Expects to Make a Short Job of It.

Are Making Preparation for War. Advices have been received from an solutely reliable source at Pretoria, soluted of the Transvaal, for the plan campaign which will be followed the Boers, in the event of war beonsist of 20,000 men armed with Mauer rifles, in addition to 46 quick-firing ans and 1,000 artillerymen, most of hem drawn from the German and outch armies. With these troops and help expected from Orange Free State, Joubert expects to take the of-fence immediately after the declara-State and march on Kimberley, the British diamond mining center in West iqualand, which forms four of the

Riots in the Leeward Islands. over the old excise duty collections left the mine. trouble, which occasioned the riots of last year. The people have been openly rebelling against the police abuse of the search law, the police were overcome and the island was for a time in the hands of the mob. The chief government officials were confined in their houses until the arrival of the British eruiser Talbot changed the conditions. After a sharp conflict between a detachment of marines and the rioters the ringleaders were arrested.

Germany Wants Indemnity. von Sonnenberg attacked Great Brit- exceeded the imports by \$23.547.869. ain's proceedings in Samoa. The minister of foreign affairs, Baron von Buelow, replied, saying: "I have no objection to again define our attitude on the Samoan question. We shall not depart from the stipulation of the Samoan treaty, nor allow others to turn us from our courses. We recognize the rights of others while maintaining our own." The foreign minister also said: "We shall also provide for full indemnification of the Germans whose property was destroyed by illegal British or American action."

Trying to Overthrow Loubet. A Paris special says: There is a force government assistance. work which makes the cabinet crisis dangerous. Ex-Premier Meline aspires to be president. A coalition, headed by Mcline, which has already succeeded in smashing two cabinets, now aims by prolonging the present situation to force Loubet to resign. In case the cabinet crisis continues, the vote, a dissolution and an appeal to third of a million dollars. the country. Great excitement exists in Paris in consequence of the compli-

Standard Oil Co. to Quit Ohlo.

The Standard Oil Co. is preparing to get out of Onio. Its headquarters will be removed from Cleveland to New York and on July 1 its Ohio charter will be given up. The office force at Cleveland will be reduced from about 60 men to less than one-tenth of that in the abandonment of Ohio.

Got \$4,000 in Cold Casb.

A gang of masked robbers, probably 10 in number, raided the receiving office of the Fairmont Park Transportation Co., at Helmont, in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, on the 19th, and after holding up the receiver and five of the employes of the railway, blew open the safe, securing \$4,000, the company's receipts for two days. No

Had to Pass Up His Job.

M. Poincare, who was engaged in forming a French cabinet, has informed job. The reason for his declination is due to the objection of the radicals to in the cabinet, while M. Poincare in the country. wished them to join him in the min-

Richard P. Bland Dead.

Lebanon, Mo., passed away peacefully fantry, made a break for liberty on and without apparent suffering on the the 18th and was shot and killed by a 15th. Deceased was born in Hartford, Ky, in 1835 and located in Missouri in 1855. In 1873 he entered congress and Iloilo on the 16th. The inhabitants served in the 43d to 53d congress inclusive.

In a collision off Friedrichshaven between the German steamer Artushof and the British steamer Mauritius on the 18th, the Artushof was sunk, 10 of her crew being drowned.

Senator Waldock-Roussean has declined the task of forming a new French cabinet, due, it is said, to the refusal of Camille Krantz to accept the portfolio of public works, which he considers inferior to the portfolio of war, held by him in the retiring eabinet.

Water was six feet deep in the streets of Mansfield, O., on the 20th, as the result of a heavy storm. Two hundred persons at the easino were imprisoned for several hours by the water, which was too deep for cu's or other veyances to rescue the

That Alaska Boundary Question A special from Washington says that while hopeful that a modus vivendi with Great Britain respecting the pro-visional Alaskan boundary will be settled upon the lines laid down by Ambassador Choate, there seems to be some apprehension in official circles that the London government will demand further concessions. There seems to be a disposition to believe, in view of Canada's failure to secure a port on the Pacific for her great northwest territory, that she will urge the British government to request of the United States that all goods imported into the Dominion from the Alaskan coast be permitted to go in free of duty, and Gen. Joubert, commander-in-chief that a certain zone be set aside through which the goods could pass without ween the Transvaal and Great Britain hindrance. This proposition has not meen the line and the line appears, will yet been submitted, but it is stated that if brought to the attention of this government it will be immediately reected, whether the concession desired be either temporary or permanent.

Appalling Disaster in a Mine.

history of Cape Breton, C. B., coal min ing over 4,000, lost in killed, woun ed tion of war, enter the Orange Free ing occurred at the Caledonia mine, at Glace Bay, the principal colliery of the The remainder scattered and retreated Dominion Coal Co., on the 16th, when two explosions occurred, causing the ley is about 100 miles northwest of cluding Thomas Johnson, the underoriqualand, of Cape Colony. Kimber- death of more than a score of men, inthree-quarters of a mile, and were Advices from Antigua, British West caused by gas which had accumulated Indies, say there has been recurrence in the old workings. The full force of st Montserrat, Leeward islands, of men employed in the mine at night is serious riots in the northern district, about 150, but the night shift had just extending to the capital, Plymouth, stopped work and all but about 60 had

America's Imports and Exports. The monthly statement of the imports and exports of the United States for May issued by the bureau of statistics, shows as follows: Imports, merchandise, \$70,131,628, an increase as compared with May, 1898, of about \$16.500,000. Gold, \$3,070,265, decrease \$10,250,000. Silver, \$3,010,353, increase During the course of debate in the 000. For the 11 months of the present, driven, leaving over 50 dead on the reichstag recently Herr Leibermann fiscal year the exports of merchandise field and a land number of wounded.

> "Not all Gold That Glitters" cently arrived at Port Townsend, sonal direction of Aguinaldo. Wash., present the dark side of Klondike life. They say that Dawson is crowded with idle men who are willing to work for most any wages. common labor. They say there are but beans and bacon to eat, with no the only way they will be able to get out of the country will be through

TELEGRAPHIC BITS.

Mrs. Ellen L. Gilson, daughter and a brother, of Elgin, Ill., have gone mad through the study of Christian Science.

The flood which devasted the Rio president may form a ministry, regard- Grande valley in Texas caused a loss less of the chamber, to force an adverse of property that will approximate a todate. Tuesday, June 20th:

Eleven workmen were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a dwelling house near Rybinsk, in the government of Yaroslav, European Russia, on

The Italian government has demanded satisfaction from France for the arbitrary arrest at Nice of the Italian Gen. Giletta, taken into custody there on the charge of espionage.

Ex-Senator Benj. E. Harding, of number. The recent incorporation of Cottagegrove, Ore., is dead. He was the company in New Jersey with a elected to the senate in 1862 to fill out capital of \$110,000,000 was the first step | the unexpired term of Senator Baker, deceased. Mr. Harding was born in Pennsylvania in 1832.

A mob of three hundred Garrett, Ind., citizens raided the Dekalb county jail to hang Helms, charged with criminal assault on girls 9 and 11 years of age. The sheriff secreted the prisoner

and the mob dispersed. Two thousand employes of the marine department, Maryland Steel Co., are determined to strike at the end of seven days if their demands for a ninehour day and weekly payments are not acceded to by the company.

The force of men at the Springfield, Ill., iron works will be doubled and President Loubet that he declines the wages will be increased from 10 to 25 per cent. The Springfield mill was recently purchased by the Republic the presence of MM. Ribot and Barthou Iron Co. It is one of the largest plants

A military prisoner named Wringer, who was serving a two years' sentence in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Congressman Richard P. Bland, of Kas., for desertion from the 16th inprivate, who was on guard duty.

An earthquake shock was felt at say it was the severest ever known. It is supposed that the shock was caused by the volcano Conloan in Negros in eruption. An explosion was heard, apparently under Iloilo, followed 30 seconds later by shaking the

Butcher Chas, Mack, of Dayton, claims to be the champion beef killer of Ohio, he having killed and skinned a beef in five minutes and four seconds at the butchers' picnic. This is the fastest time on record in the state, and breaks the record of five minutes and thirty-five seconds, made in Cincinnati

The jury in the case of Ed J. Stubblefield, charged with the attempted robbery of a Missouri Pacific train near Sedalia, Mo., in November last, found Stubblefield guilty on the 17th and fixed his punitantian

WAR NOTES,

It is improbable the war department will accept as final the decision of the Pennsylvania court declaring that the army cauteen is subject to state taxation. The officer in charge of the canteen at Camp Mead appealed to the war department for assistance in defending the case, and the department, approving of the application, transmitted it to the department of justice with the request that an officer of that department be assigned for the purpose. It is believed the decision was rendered before the defense could be prepared. The principle involved is regarded as important, and it is significant that the Pennsylvania decision is directly in conflict with the formal opinion of the court of claims in the case involving the canteen. That court decided that the canteen was one of the instrumentalities of government and therefore exempt from taxa-

The success of Lawton's troops in Cavite province was much greater than The most appalling disaster in the at first reported. The enemy, numberand captured more than one-third south to Imus, their arsenal. Of their five pieces of artillery, three were cap- He then went into his bank and was tured. The navy aided Gen. Lawton noticed to be acting strangely. He greatly on the shores of the bay, landing forces occasionally. The inhabi-

A battalion of the 4th infantry, which left Imus, where Gen. Wheaton is in command, on the 19th, to reconnolter towards Peres das Marinas, where it was believed most of the rebels who escaped from Paranaque and Bacoor had fled, was attacked by apparently friendly natives. This brought on a sharp engagement, lasting several hours, resulting in five Americans being killed and about 25 being wounded. The loss of the rebels were very heavy.

The northern insurgents had concen-\$1,500,000. Exports - Domestic mer- trated a large force near San Fernando chandise, \$91,252,814, decrease \$17,500, and early on the morning of the 15th 000. Gold, 2,049,255, increase \$1.940,- attacked MacArthug'r troops. The 000. Silver, \$4,436,549, increase \$252,- enemy was quickly repulsed and had been in progress several days, and 'A number of Klondikers who re- is believed to have been under the per-

Statements to the effect that Admiral Sampson was ill and would retire from the command of the North Atlantic squadron, have been author-Thirty-five cents an hour and board itatively denied by an officer of his quarrel on the 19th. Several members yourself is the prevailing wages for staff as wholly unfounded. On the of each family were badly punished, hundreds of men who have nothing better health than he has been at any weapons used up to the time Sheriff

> rank or station, will receive a medal expect to be called out again any time. state board of health says that there is of honor.

BASE BALL.

Below we publish the number of games of ball played by the Western and National Leagues, giving the number of games won and lost, together with the percentage of each club WESTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Games Played. Won. Lost. Cent.

	Clubs				
	Columbus	46	26	20	.565
	Minneapolis	48	27	21 .	.563
8	Detroit	48	25	23	.521
	Indianapolis	47	24	23	.511
	Milwaukee	48/	24	24	.500
	St. Paul	47	23	. 24	489
	Buffalo	47	20	27	.428
	Kansas City	47	20	27	.426
	NATIONAL I	FAGUES	STAND	ING.	
	BATTOMAU.	Games			Per
	Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Cent.
	Brooklyn			12	.778
	Boston	53	35	18	.660
t	Boston	53	99	21 -	.604

	Games			Let
Clubs.	Played.	Won.	Lost	Cent
Brooklyn	54	42	12	.77
Boston	W-4%	35	18	.66
Baltimore	***	32	21 -	.60
Philadelphia		31	21	.51
St. Louis		32	99	.56
Chicago		32	00	56
Cincinnati	52	25	27	.48
Pittsburg	2.3	24	28	.46
New York		23	31	*.41
Washington		18	37	.33
Louisville		16	39	.21
Cleveland	50	9	41	.1

THE MARKETS.

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Cincinnati	75 175 -	36 036%		3@28
Cleveland	77.07716	37 437		2823
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Potatoes, 3 chickens, 90	e per bu	wis, 8%c; t	tic per	s. 10c;

The local press of Santiago are pubishing a number of signed articles from prominent Cubans advocating anpexation to the United States. The are complaining of the loss of sheep articles are causing a vigorous dis-

Gen. Lawton is again in full control, quarter. During the recent engagement the Filipinos resisted tenaciously until an American regiment swam the Zaporte river and stormed the rebelintrenchments, thus winning a victory after the bardest kind of Ephting.

EVEN'IS OF THE WEEK

IN OUR CREAT STATE RELATED IN A BRIEF FORM.

Jealous Husband Who was a Bank Pres ident and Well-Liked Attempted to Shoot His Wife and Then Suicided-Kalamazoo Neighbors Scrap.

Attempted Murder Then Suicided.

As John T. Holmes, one of the

wealthiest citizens of St. Joseph county and president of the Burr Oak State bank, was eating dinner, angry words passed between him and his wife. He pulled his revolver and snapped it several times but it did not discharge, and as he was going to try it again the revolver was snatched from his hand by his 19-year-old son. Mrs. Holmes was slightly bruised up where he jabbed the point of the revolver against her face also her hands. He then went out and remarked that he was going to the river to drown himself. His son tried to persuade him not to but could not. The marshal was called and overtook him about half a mile from home and he was brought back.

was questioned as to his taking poison but denied it. He soon had convulexplosions occurred atia depth of about tants in that country rejoice at deliv- sions. Physicians were called but a short time. He was a man well-liked in the community, but domestic troubles worried him and prompted

Divorced Couple Have Re-Married.

John D. Proctor and his wife, of Flint, were last January separated by a decree of the circuit court. The husband was the instigator of the proceedings for a divorce, but the wife was igan. the one who secured the decree, on a cross bill, together with \$1,000 alimony and most of the household goods. The couple had lived together for eight years, and their separation was caused ov domestic differences over her husband's minor children by a former marriage Recently a correspondence minion in their case, and they were re- fied.

Families Scrap at Kalamazoo.

The Smith and Miller families of about a dozen members each, and who live on adjoining farms in Charleston township, near Kalamazoo, got into a contrary Admiral Sampson is now in bare knuckels being the principal time since or during the war, and has Snow and two deputies arrived in reprospects of securing work, and that no intention of giving up his command spone to a message. The officers se-Every man attached to the Olympia, cured several shotguns and revolvers, Petrei and McCulloch during the bat- ers. The feud was ended for the time business on that day. tle in Manfla harbor, regardless of being when the officers left, but they The women folks as well as the men danger of a smallpox outbreak. The were pitted against each other, and al- disease exists in several states. together it was a wicked affair.

Ottawa County's Dead Towns. Ottawa county probably has more dead and buried town sites and prospective cities than any other county in the state. Port Sheldon was the dream of wealthy Philadelphia capitalists in the early 40s and the bubble burst after \$200,000 had been spent. Only rotten timbers in the sand remain of the fine buildings that were built. Charleston, another boom town, located on Grand river, has also disappeared. Warren City, once the county seat, no longer exists, and where its buildings once stood are now farms. Ottawa Center, once a village of 200 or 300 inhabitants, exists only in the memory of the oldest settlers.

Ate Ice Cream.

A great excitement was caused at Delton by the wholesale poisoning of the attendants at an ice cream social given by the ladies' aid society the other evening. On account of the extreme heat a large quantity of the cream was disposed of. Over 30 busy. The poisoning is supposed to be due to a bad flavoring extract. No \$20,000. serious results followed, and all are convaiescent.

Got a Life Sentence.

James Marks, of Port Huron, who was recently found guilty of murder in the first degree, has been sentenced to the state's prison at Jackson in solitary confinement at hard labor for the balance of his natural life. The crime for which Marks was convicted was for the murder of his 15-year-oid wife, whom he had been forced to marry through criminal intimacy. The murder occurred on Sunday evening, May 30th last.

Predicts a Long and Fierce War. Prof. J. B. Steere, of Ann Arbor, who has spent some time in the Philippine islands, declares that the war there may last for 10 years, and that of every leaf. Uncle Sam has made an awful mistake in prosecuting it. He says the natives cannot be starved or frozen out like the longer the war lasts, the fiercer the battles will become.

Dogs Again Getting in Their Work. Farmers throughout Eaton county being killed by dogs. The heaviest loss thus reported falls on ex-Supervisor Warren Davis, of Carmel town-

the rebeis having evacuated Cavite province. Gen. Otis predicts that there will now be no more trouble from this quarter. Buring the recent engagement the Filipinos resisted tenaciously until an American regiment swam the Zaporte river and stormed the rebei

Flint was visited by a fire on the 14th at did \$15,000 worth of damage.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

The total amount allowed by bills for maintenance of state institutions is \$3.157,031.26; for buildings and other special purposes, \$804,950. Of these amounts, the item for the maintenance of asylums for the insane is the largest, amounting to \$1,767,738.76, new buildings for the asylums to cost \$394,-614.70; educational institutions come next, with a total appropriation of \$925,175. The total amount to be raised by taxation is \$7,138,121.65, compared with \$4,537,677 two years

ago, an increase of \$2,600,443.75. Gov. Pingree has vetoed the Nevins garnishee bill, reducing the exemption of wages from \$25 per month to \$7.50 per week. A lobby has been kept at Lansing for some time by the mercantile interests of the state, working for the bill, and after its passage they worked with the governor, without, however, making much impression on his excellency. Another lobby representing the labor interests of the state has been there working on the other

The senate has adjourned and Gov. Pingree has vetoed the beet sugar and Buffalo exposition appropriation bills, while the income, mineral and railroad tax measures were hung up either in the house or senate.

Sen. Ward's single tax bill for cities was beaten in the house on the 14th by just one vote-50 to 41. It had the erance and welcome with enthusiastic were unable to do anything, as he re- necessary 51 votes at one time, but demonstrations the arrival of our fused to take an antidote, and died in Rep. McKay changed from yea to nay, and it was all off.

STATE GOSSIP.

A large shear factory may be located at Three Rivers.

Two cows suffering from tuberculosis were discovered at Jackson and killed. Dowagiac boasts of possessing one of

the low lan's in Van Buren county. Some have vere entirely ruined.

The apple crop of Cass county bids while pears a about half a crop.

The water is are in running orbegan between the separated couple, der at donesville, and with the new fickle cupid once more asserted his do- electric lights the village is quite citi-

foliage.

\$57,363,000 in 1897. Michigan produced \$100 in gold. One section of the fruit belt in Van

peaches this year. Sunday closing is enforced to such an extent in Quincy that even ice

Boston, Baltimore, Concord, Raleigh, which were in possession of the fight-cream parlors are compelled to quit Lansing: Secretary Baker of the

> Leon J. Cole, instructor in the zoological department of the U. of M., has gone to Alaska with the Edward H.

> Harriman scientific exposition. Some fine marl beds have been discounty, and there is talk of establishing a cement factory at Baldwin.

> The main building of the governwas destroyed by fire on the 14th.

> tavia and her weight is 600 pounds.

suicide.

a rusty nail, and died within a week sulted.

doctors in the neighborhood were kept at Fennville, capital \$15,000, and the made and great interest is taken in the Brown City Savings bank, capital into effect at Big Rapids, July 1. The

postoffice department has allowed around. three regulars carriers and one substitute carrier.

works plant in the state. The contract price is \$11.727.63. From nearly every place in the state

where extensive building operations are going on come reports of shortage in the brick supply and inability to secure as much material as is needed. Caterpillars are doing a great amount

of injury to the forests in some parts heavy forests have been stripped clean Jackson men have purchased large

tracts of land around Herring lake, Benzie county, on which valuable marl lished there. The rains of the 12th and 13th were

of exceptional duration in the upper peninsula, and caused floods which swept down both shores of Portage lake, doing great damage in both Hancock and Houghton. The damage to streets, sewers, railroads and embank ments is heavy.

The cultivation of sugar beet has caused an unlooked for scarcity of kitchen help in both of the Say Cities. Ladies who have searcely looked into of tears and trouble. Ladies who have searcely looked into the culinary department of their homes now find themselves obliged to do their own work, owing to the impossibility to secure help. sibility to secure help-

or. A man named Pitkin was held up in the heart of the city at midnight recently and relieved of his ca

On two different occasions recently prisoners have escaped from the village jail at Leslie through assistance ren-dered from the outside, and the authorities are now trying to find out who the guilty person is.

Mrs. T. L. Palmer, of Pentwater, whose husband lost his life in the furniture factory explosion there last October, committed suicide while in a fit of temporary despondency, by drinking carbolic acid.

Michigan farmers who had begun to

think that the severe cold last winter had frozen out the potato bugs are being undeceived, for the little pests are putting in an appearance by the millions, ready for business. Sumpter township, Wayne county,

has granted a franchise to the Detroit & Toledo Electric Railway Co., which about completes the right of way. It is understood that work will shortly be commenced on the road. The last of the dense forests that

once covered Ottawa county is now being cut down. It is located on Grand river in Allendale township and is a regular forest primeval. Some of the trees are veritable monarchs. Secretary Hitchcock has apportioned

the appropriation made by the last congress to aid the state agricultural colleges. Michigan college gets \$25-000, an increase of \$1,000 over the allotment for the current year.

The Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan Electric Railway company, of Grand Rapids, capitalized at \$100,-000, has been incorporated and will build a line from Grand Rapids to Holland, a distance of 35 miles.

After seven years of local option. the finest cemeteries in southern Mich- Eaton county voted on the 19th to rereturn to the old high license system, Frosts recently nipped corn badly on the latter resolution carrying by 385 majority. Local option has been anything but a success in Eaton county.

The comptroller of the currency has ir to uc . largest in several years, authorized the Ontonagon County National bank of Rockland, to begin business with a capital of \$50,000. Thomas B. Dunstan is president and Charles I'. Smith cashier of the new

Tekonsha is getting to be the largest united in marriage at the home of the bride's father in that city on the 19th. In many apple crehards of Volinia butter market in the state. Last week township, Cass county, worms have completely stripped the trees of their 8,000 pounds was the average amount of butter packed per day by the local The gold production of the United produce company. A carload of butter States for 1898, was \$64,463.0.00 against and eggs per day has been the average during the week.

An Allegan farmer, who was discussing the great increase in the past Buren county a mile square in Covert years in the number of pests with township will produce 8,000 bushels of which the granger has to contend, concluded by saying that if things kept getting worse he would soon have to spray his hogs.

> Free rural mail delivery will be established at Hillsdale, July 1. It will cover the territory surrounding the city for about five miles in either rection. A postoffice inspector is now in Hillsdale arranging the details. Two carriers will be employed.

Potatoes at 20 cents a bushel are a drug on the market at Oxford. At least 100,000 bushels are unmarketed in this locality. Some farmers still have their entire crops, having held covered about the lakes in Lake them for a dollar a bushel, and refusing 50 cents when it was offered. The house of John Daugherty, a

well-known resident of Standish, was ment Indian industrial school, located struck by lightning on the 13th, the one mile northwest of Mt. Pleasant, bolt tearing to pieces the bed upon which Mr. and Mrs. Daugherty were Branch county claims to have the sleeping and tearing up the inside of champion fat woman. Her name is the house. No one was badly hurt. Mrs. Frank Whitlock, she lives in Ba- Several other buildings were struck. By request, Rev. Geo. B. Simons,

Chas. Bishop, of Muskegon, tried to pastor of the First Baptist church at hang himself, but the rope broke. He Benton Harbor, preached the same says he did it to scare his wife, and funeral sermon that will be delivered that he had no intention of committing at the death of an eccentric individual of that city. Thus it may be said Mrs. Rebecca J. Hull, living near that this curious man had the pleasure North Star, Gratiot county, stepped on of listening to his own funeral sermon.

The Sterns mill of Ludington will from the blood-poisoning which re- hereafter operate continuously instead of shutting down during the winter Banking Commissioner Maltz has months. The experiment of running persons were taken ill, and all the granted charters to the Old State bank a mill in the winter has never been outcome. The water in the log dump will be heated by means of steam Free delivery postal service will go pipes. If the scheme proves successful 500 men will be employed the year

Sixteen new high schools have been put on the diploma list of the Univers-The contract for putting in Hart- ity of Michigan as the result of the reford's new waterworks has been let. cent inspections by university commit-This will be the first gasoline water- tees. The schools are the high schools at Alpena, Buchanan, Chelsea, Dansville, Dixon, Englewood, Hinsdale, La Salle, Riverside and Sterling, Ill., West Detroit, Ironwood, and St. Mary's school at Monroe and St. Thomas school at Ann Arbor, and North Des Moines, Ia.

The daughter of a farmer near Durand was married recently, and when of Benzie county. In one section near she and the groom started for the Thompsonville hundreds of acres of train her father tucked a pair of old slippers into the carriage for good luck. A couple of days later, he paid a quarter charges on a neatly wrapped express package, and after much labor in untying hard knots, unrolled the the North American Indians, and that deposits have been found, and there is slippers. He is lying awake nights talk of a cement factory being estab- thinking up a scheme to get even with his son in-law.

Just because her mother scolded her for some trifling disobedience, a 16year-old girl, of Rothbury, Ocena Ca, swallowed a dose of poison. After she had swallowed the stuff she began to wish she hadn't and was so fearful that the doctors would not come in time to save her life that she nearly died of fright. The men of medici pumped her out, however, a will linger awhile longer in this vale

John D. O'Brien spent Sunday at Jack

John Merrinane spent Sunday at Grass

Mrs. G. W. Palmer spent Saturday in

Mrs. L. Emmer is visiting friends at

Miss Eva Taylor was an Ypsilanti visitor Monday.

Miss Marion Skinner spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. A. S. Congdon is spending a few days at Saline,

Miss Nettie Dowling was a Grass Lake visitor Sunday.

Rev. W. P. Considine was a Pinckney and Mrs. E. E. Rowe. visitor Tuesday.

Sandusky, Ohio. Mrs. L. A. Stephens is visiting relatives

in Detroit this week. Henry Speer left for Battle Creek where

he will visit his son. Mrs. Geo. Jackson is entertaining her

mother of Jackson. Miss Ella Freer is spending some time

at State Center, Iowa. Austin Howlett of Ann Arbor called on

friends here this week. A. E. Fletcher of Stockbridge spent the first of the week here,

R. A. Snyder and daughter, Clara were Detroit visitors Saturday.

Miss Nettle Storms of Madison, Wis., is home for the summer. Mrs. Wm. Arnold is spending some time

with relatives in Saginaw. Miss Jennie Woods of Ann Arbor spent

Sunday with friends here.

Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Higgins of Detroit is the guest of

her father, F. M. Hooker. Mrs. H. W. Hall visited her sister in

Grand Rapids over Sunday. Misses Pearl Davis and Edna Glazier

spent Sunday at Grand Rapids. Miss Lucy Leach of Ypsilanti was the

guest of Miss Nina Crowell Sunday. Ed. Mellencamp of Ypsilanti was the

guest of Miss Mamie Fletcher Sunday. Miss Lettie Wackenhut is spending this week at Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

Mrs. L. Spicer of Ypsilanti was the guest of Miss Edith Congdon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steinbach were Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti visiters this week.

Miss Maggie Forner is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Barnham of Ann 'Arbor this

Miss Welsh of Lima returned home last Monday from a visit with friends in

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gillam of Hillsdale were the guests of Mrs. Emma Gillam

this week with her daughter, Mrs. D. C. gram was very good.

McLaren. ing at Bad Axe, has returned home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Tichenor are spending F, 20th Michigan Vol. a few days of this week at Clark's Lake, south of Jackson.

Mrs. Wm, Barr of Saline spent several mother, Mrs. A. S. Congdon.

Detroit, who have been the guests at St. Kendall at the organ while Caroline

Mary's rectory left for home last Tues. Kendall and Corn Uphan's attended

here have returned to their home at Cedar Rapids, Ia.

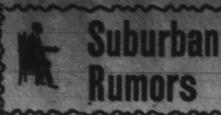
from Denton's, where they have been spending the past four weeks. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Plerce left last night

for Geneva, Minn., to visit Mr. Pierce's parents. They will take a trip around the lakes before they return home.

Misses Bessie Wade, Lizzie Breitenbach, Resamond Smith, Effic Breitenbach Marie Smith and Myrite Wackenhut were Dexter visitors Saturday and Sunday.

George and Misses Lula and Eva Hudson of Lima spent Saturday and Sunday of last week with their sister, Mrs. H. M. land of Hartland. Miss Eva will spend her vacation there.

We don't know who is going to defend the record of the present state legislature, unless some of its members make up their minds to retain a criminal lawyer, regardless of expense, as usual.—Tecum-



Mr. and Mrs. J. Gieske spent Sunday t H. Gieske's. Miss Lydia Kilmer of Chelsea spent

unday at home. Miss Eva Main spent part of last

week with Chelsea friends. are visiting friends at Jackson.

WATERLOO.

Victor Moeckel who recently broke his arm is improving.

Children's Day exercises were held here Sunday evening. Mrs. Fred Moeckle and neice are

spending this week in Lima.

Miss Ella Monroe has gone to Howell for a few weeks visit with her par-

Hesekiah Bent and daughter, Nora of Shepard called on old friends here the first of the week.

Miss Florence Bachman of Chelsea spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr.

Henry Wood and Gus Steger are in family of Henrietta were the guests of to the new crop in this vicinity to come Mr. and Mrs. Vicary Sunday.

> The Rural Telephone Co. are busy putting up wire and putting in new phones. Andrew Boyce, John Lee and Allen Skidmore's were put in this

SYLVAN.

at Pontiac. Carl Worch of Jackson visited C. T.

Conklin Sunday. Fred Loree of Parma spent the last grain.

of the week with his mother, Mrs. S. Tyndall. Mrs. Charles Howard and son of

Ann Arbor are the guests of Mrs. Mary A. Merker. Mrs. B. F. Tuttle of Chelsea spent

Saturday with her sister Mrs. M. B. Mrs. George Monroe of Howell spent | Millspaugh. Miss Rosa Seeger of Ann Arbor is

spending this week with her parents at this place. Mrs. J. A. Dancer and Emmett

Dancer spent Sunday at Frank Cooper's of Lima. Children's Day exercises will be ob.

served at the Sylvan Christian Union next Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Coy, son Athol

and Herman Dancer of Jackson spent Sunday at Nelson Dancer's.

SHARON.

M. E. Keeler is on the sick list.

M. Kusterer has purchased a new

H. J. Reno was in Ann Arbor on business one day last week.

The Womens' Home Missionary Society of this place visited Mrs. C. D. McMahon of Iron Creek last Wednes-

the Children's Day exercises at the Mrs. S. Newkirk of Dexter is spending | Centre church last Sunday. The pro-

Word has been received here of the Miss Leora Laird, who has been teach- death of Justin Cook at Bard, Texas, on June 5th. Mr. Cook was a former Sharon boy, and was a member of Co.

and triends gathered at the Rowe's days of last week here, the guest of her corners church last Thursday to witness the marriage of Miss Laura Heus-Mrs. Emma Grant and children, who man and Mr. Clifford Kendall. have been spending several weeks with Promptly at 2 p. m. the couple took Lucy Wallace, has gone to Battle Creek: their places under an arch of ever-The Misses Mary and Lucy Dunn of greens and carnations, with Miss Abbie the bride and Seymour Kendall and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hindelang and Will Aarlbace the groom. Rev. son, who have been visiting relatives Schmans performed the ceremony after which the company retired to the home of the bride's parents and par-Mr. and Mrs. M. Brooks have returned took of a bountiful supper. They re-

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fletcher spent Monday at Ann Arbor.

ited relatives here last week.

ome from Madison, Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. George Lindaur are

isiting relatives in Bay county. The job of widening the Pierce Irain was let last Tuesday (1 e) the ower part to W. Coe and Alvin Bald. win bid off the greater part of it.

Peter Cole is putting new sills uuer his house and otherwise improving

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Freer visited riends in Ann Arbor the first part of

Mrs. Wm. Guerin and son, Charles of Ypsilanti, are visiting relatives here he had to admonish the students in his and in Sharon.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Covert is suffering with bronchial trouble.

A number of our farmers have commenced having. They find the clip Misses Edna and Catherine Notten rather short and not of extra quality.

> The gentlemen of the Epworth League will give an ice cream social at alarm clock in his pocket, which by pathe town hall, Saturday evening, tient and united effort were set so that June 24. All are cordially invited to

our next issue we shall endeavor to clocks in the pocket of a boy at the othgive our Lima readers some interesting reminisciences of the township, which a second in another part of the room we think will be interesting to all.

The Market

The market is lower on wheat since one week. It now stands at 73 cents for red or white. The receipts are larger now and will be free until the elevator had a keen sense of humor, recognized closes July first. Only odd loads and the situation and cut short the fun by small lots are being put in, all the large lots will be carried over. There are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Halling and about 2,500 loads of old wheat to go over to this point next crop. The surplus never was so large before. There is no Democrat. hope of any better prices before harvest. Rye and oats have declined. Rye 52 cents. Oats 27 cents. Beans 80 cents. Eggs 11 cents. Butter 12 cents. Old potatoes, onions and apples are now nominal there being none offered. New vegetables are in market, mostly shipped Miss Lena Gilbert is visiting friends in and sell for very high prices. There is very little to encourage farmers in the present outlook except that all kinds of meat bring a good price. The warm dry weather is rapidly ripening hay and tae fill the bags o' the pipes an keep

Fourth of July Closing.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our tores all day Tuesday, July 4th, 1899. H S Holmes Mercantile Co

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Kempf & McKuhe Staffan-Shell Furniture Co Adam Eppler (at noon) C Shafer (at noon)

The Prisons of Morocco Are Hotbeds of Deadly Disease. The prison system and treatment of prisoners are worse in Morocco than in

DENS OF HORROR.

any other country in the world. Men are arrested-often merely to spite some one whom they have been so unfortunate as to offend and who possesses some power-and flung into prison, where they would be left to starve did not their relatives or friends bring them food, for no arrangements whatever are A large number of people attended made by the authorities for the feeding of prisoners. All that is provided is a prison, generally crowded with prisoners dying in the most loathsome and infectious diseases, dark and unventilated, and custodians who are quite as brutal and savage as the prison system itself.

Prisoners are cast into these hotbeds of disease, generally without the most farcical pretense of a trial, to die and rot if their crimes are light or their enemies impotent. Otherwise they are About three hundred of the relatives probably tortured in some way or another. Starving merely is too good for them in the opinion of the authorities.

Not long ago a merchant who had dared to claim payment for goods supplied to a friend of one of the court officials was cast into prison without trial, and after suffering torments in the midst of a mass of diseased humanity for months was taken out, shoved into a barrel fitted with long spikes and rolled down a high steep hill. The barrel eventually plunged into the sea with its torn and mangled cargo. Imprisonment, torture and death for daring to present his bill!-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Continuous Steel Pipe.

took of a bountiful supper. They received many handsome and useful presents and have the best wishes of all for a happy and prosperous life.

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taken a contract of water pipe of a novel character. This pipe is to be made of steel spirals packed in concrete. Sheet metal is out into strips of the required width. These are fed into a machine and welded into one continuous strip. As the strip is fed into the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the Probate Office in the Probate Office i The West Australian government has the process of riveting, which is all done by compression. The lap is thrown Mr. and Mrs. Albert Van Vleet vison the outside of the pipe, rendering the inner surface sooth and even throughout ed relatives here last week.

Miss Jeanette Storms has returned its length. A tenacious hydraulic cement is packed around the laps, making the pipe absolutely water tight.—New

An Old English Firm. For more than 300 years a drapery business has been carried on in the same building at Sheffield, under the title of the Sign of the Crowne, and since 1750 the business has been conducted by one

THE PROFESSOR'S ADVICE.

It Was Followed, but It Spotled the Next Recitation.

They tell this story of a college prank the boys at Princeton played on Profess or "Winky" Young, professor of astronomy. His recitations were recently held the first thing in the morning, and division to correct the fault of tardiness, which he claimed was increasing in a lamentable manner, and when one of the students explained that they all studied so late at night they were apt to oversleep in the morning he kindly advised them to secure alarm clocks, which he said were one of the most valuable and useful inventions.

The next day nearly every student in the class came into recitation with an one would go off promptly at every successive minute of the hour. The effect can be imagined. Shortly after the first Items are scarce this week but in student was called to recite one of the er end of the room went off with a terrible clamor, and before it had finished made even a louder racket.

There was a brief interval, which the professor utilized to call up another student, but the latter was scarcely on his feet before the third clock went off. The performance was continued for half an hour or more, when the professor, who terminating the recitation. The boys explained that they had followed his advice and secured alarm clocks, which they were carrying around with them because they were likely to fall asleep at most any time. -St. Louis Globe-

Nubar Pasha and the Pipes. Soon after the occupation of Cairo by the British troops the late Nubar Pasha took a prodigious fancy to the music of the Black Watch and had the idea of having a servant taught the use of the bagpipes. Nubar dispatched a French friend, who spoke English very well, to interview a piper on the subject.

Donald replied: "Weel, he micht earn or he micht no'. Bit, let me tell ve, it needs wind an mickle strength blawin. Sae if yin o' thae Egyptian chaps took the job on he'd need tae be bandaged a' ow're like yin o' thae auld mummies, or maybe he'd burst him-

This conversation was reported to Nubar, who took the piper's remarks seriously. So he gave up the idea of having a skirler attached to his household, as the use of the bagpipes was attended with the prospect of such danger to the performer. - Westminster Gazette.

A Button Collection.

A New York lady's pet hobby is a marvelous collection of all sorts and sizes of buttens. Some of the enamel and minature painted ones are veritable works of art, while paste and precious medals worked in various ways supply other fascinating specimens. The greatest rarities are two Chinese official buttons, which in reality are decorations, and buttons from off garments known to have been worn by Marat, Robespierre, Charles Dickens, Sir Walter Scott, Washington, Nelson, Byron, De Foe, George II. George III. Napoleon, Wellington, Bismarck, Irving, Garfield and numerous other celebrities of both sexes. The collection numbers some 10,000 specimens.—New York Telegram.

The Old Oaken Bucket.

"The Old Oaken Bucket" was inspired by the following conversation: Woodworth, the author, said to a friend, "There is no drink better than brandy.

The friend replied. "Yes there isa drink from the old oaken bucket that hangs in the well at home.'

To Yell.

Tommy-Papa, what is it time to do when the clock strikes 1? His Father-Time to go to dinner.

Tommy-Then what is it time to do when mamma strikes one?-Jewelers'

For Sale-One-horse three spring wagon, one-horse Gale plow nearly new, lale cultivator new, corn planter new, corn cutter new, wheelbarrow my make new, log chain, two whiffletrees. Enquire of Jacob VanHusen or William Schnaitman. Party buying whole outfit paying \$20.00 therefore will be presented with a one-horse work harness, minus lines and one trace, J. D. SCHNAITMAN.

Wanted-To rent a few unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, for two. Harry W. Beedon, Boyd's hotel.

Japanese napkins for sale at The Stand-

The friends of The Standard who have business in the probate court, will confer a favor on the paper by requesting that

On reading and filing the petition duly veri-ied, of Robert Leach praying that the adminis ration of said estate may be granted to G. W. FurnBull or some other suitable person. TurnBuil or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 19 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the fore 19 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the fore 19 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the fore 19 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the fore 19 day of July next, at ten o'clock in the fore 19 day of said decased, and all other persons interested in said decased, and all other persons interested in said court, then to be hoiden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, Il any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give fortice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this Order to be published in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county 3 successive weeks previous

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1-4 OFF SALE of first-class up to date Millinery, Trimmed Hats, Feathers and Novelties. In order to make room for our fall stock of goods we shall give 1 4 off on all goods in stock until

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Good Salt Pork 5 cents per pound. JOHN FARRILL.

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This is the last week of school.

H. Lightall is building an extensive ddition to his horse barn.

Rev. C. S. Jones will deliver the 4th of July oration at Stockbridge,

J. A. Palmer is having his house raised and a new wall built under it.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Neckel a daughter.

H. Lighthall has just completed fitting op a fine bath room for R. A. Snyder.

S. Hirth is preparing to erect a brick block on the site of his blacksmith shop.

Frank Eder left Friday for Buffalo, where he has a position as a metal polish-

A. C. Turner and family of Delhi have moved in o the old Streeter house on Main street, north.

the Baptist church.

high school ball teams will play a game at Stockbridge, July 4th.

attend memorial exercises.

Adam Eppler has recovered enough from the effects of the accident which he met recently to be able to ride out.

The C, M. B. A. has rented the G. A. R. the first and third Wednesdays of each

thirty-four deaths in Washtenaw county, was very tastefully decorated with trail

The Standard for a couple of quarts of the rendering of several violin solos. as fine strawberries as have been grown | She was accompanied by Miss Dora Mil-

Now the small boy flattens his nose against the show window and looks over shown therein.

resigned his position and will study at ure home.—Cadillac News and Express. time dead.—School Moderator. the University next year.

The Methodists and Congregationalists will hold union evening services during the hot weather, beginning Sunday evening in the Congregational church.

On Tuesday evening, June 27th, the ladies of the Lutheran church will hold an ice cream social on the lawn at Matt Jensen's, south of Chelsea. Everyone is

The Epworth League and Ladies' Aid Society has postponed the selfdenial social until August. The date will be announced in time to give all an opportunity to be present.

Rev. L. Koelbing says that there was not a particle of truth in the report of his being robbed while on the road between Chelsea and Dexter, and says that he does not know how the report started.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Maude Freer to Mr. C. W. Tuttle both of Jackson, on June 28th. Miss Freer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Freer, formerly residents of Chelsea.

A "Detroit '99" lawn social will be held Wednesday evening, June 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shaver, by the Y. P. S. C. E. Ice cream and strawberries will be served. All are cordially invited.

Blanchard & Mctiee, who have been running the Chelsea roller mills for some time, have dissolved partnership, Mr. McGee retiring and going to Climax. Mr. Blanchard will continue the business

Phil Steger, Henry Wood, Orrin Riemenschneider, Will Zincke, Earl Foster, B. B. TurnBull, Faye Galmer, Warren Boyd, Dr. S. G. Bush and A. W. Wilkinson attended the ball game at Ann Arbor

There is to be a horseless carriage race \$8,000 sometime in August, the contestants being Alexander Winton of Cleveland with an American machine, and M. H. Charron of Paris with a French pro-

Children's Day will be observed at the Congregational church next Sunday evening, June 25. Exercises by the Sunday school and a fine musical program has been arranged The Aeolian orchestra will be a feature of the evening. All are cordially invited.

There was a le andance at the held this

The subject for discussion by the Business Men's Class of the Congr tional Sunday school, will be, "The Christian and the Trusts," Rev. C. S. Christian and the Trusts," Rev. C. S. The bride was elegantly attired in white Jones will lead in the discussion. This mohair. The bridal pair were attended

The farmers report that the grass-hoppers are doing much damage to the grass crop in this section, and claim that it will increase the price of hay. Some are already cutting the grass to save it left on the afternoon train for Detroit from the grass hoppers. They have not before been known in such large numbers in this section.-Jackson Citi-

There does not seem to be the harmony Born, on Saturday, June 17, 1899, to in the Ann Arbor School of Music that Butter and Cheese Factory Company to be out of tune with some of the rest of 800, with \$25 as the amount of each discord will cease.

the publication of a thrilling story of the It is our desire to improve The Standard family within a radius of ten miles of Rev. Dennis of Ohio, will preach next | Chelsea will feel the need of having it on Sunday, both morning and evening at their reading table. Keep your eye on The Standard.

The Chelsea high school and Pinckney mailed, and it is a valuable thing for any body. It gives thorough instruction in A number of Maccabees from this the method of resuscitating the drowned, place will go to Manchester Sunday to suffocated or electrically shocked. It life was restored after more than an addressing Dr. Baker, Lansing.

Miss Ema Lewis, of this city, and Dr. J. H. Frost, of Rockford, Ill., were united hall, and will hold regular meetings on in marriage yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Lewis, by Dr. A. W. Johnstone, During the month of May there were of the Presbyterian church. The home Miss Marion Guyton, of Grand Rapids, a George T. English has the thanks of to the pleasure of the occasion through ler, of this city. Among the relatives from abroad were Mr. and Mrs. Treadway, of Grand Rapids, and Mr. Howard

Married at the home of the bride near Francisco, June 14th, at 12 m., Cora E. seeger and Fred L. Riggs of Detroit. will be the last meeting of the class until by Miss Mary Seegar, sister of the bride and C. F. Kalmbach of Chelses. Those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. D. Hein inger of Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. L. Riggs of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jeddle of Sclo, Henry Helninger and sons Harry where they will make their future home. The grandfather of the bride performed the ceremony.

Articles of association for the Lyndon one would expect to find in an institution have been filed with the county clerk. of that character. Professor Zeitz seemed | The capital stock of the company is \$1,faculty and he has resigned. It is hoped share, and the stock is non-assessable. that things will soon get running in the It is divided as follows: S. A. Collins, 5 even tenor of their ways and that the shares; Mrs. S. Collins, 2, Horace Leek, 5; D. Cooper, 4; Wm. Wessels, 4; John Next week The Standard will begin Kone, 4; Luke Reilly, 2; George Boyce, Clark, 5; James Howlett, 4; John Mcsea, entitled, "The Foundered Galleon." George Beeman, 4; Clement Barker, 3; Subscribe now and get the entire story | Orville Gordon, 4; Homer Ives, 4. It is and make it so interesting that every to manufacture cheese, but it is given the authority to pound out some butter.

The Lansing Journal has the following to say of a former Chelsea boy: Lansing will lose Superintendent S. B. The teachers' sanitary bulletin, issued | Laird, the capable educator at the head by the state board of health, is being of the city schools, and an esteemed citizen. He goes to Ypsilanti to become assistant professor of pedagogy in the State Normal School, a position for which he is admirably qualified. The higher says that cases have been known where institutions of learning seem to have the faculty of securing their best instructors hour. The bulletin may be obtained by from the Lansing schools. Superintendent Cheeyer was called to the Normal School at Milwaukee, and Superintendent Hoyt to Ypsilanti. Lansing will regret to part with Superintendent Laird,

Vacation rightly used adds length of of new ginghams. one of which was in Lima, and one in ing pine, ferns and American beauties. Don't study too much. A change of days and long life. Don't rest too hard. scene, a change from the ordinary mode little Miss of eleven years, added much of life, sets the currents ebbing and flowing in new channels. Swing in a hammock, bask in the sunshine, sniff cedar and balsam, take plentiful doses in swim ming, fishing, boating, romping; read "Seats of the Mighty," "David Harum," "Peter Stirling." Study some, think some, meditate, eat and sleep. people think this is wasting time. When against the show window and looks over the display of Fourth of July goods and Miss Effic Armstrong, of Chelsea. Following the ceremony a dainty lunch factor in life as time? The same person eon was served to the friends by Miss can accomplish twice as much when in Dora Miller and Miss Flossie Cummer. good trim. Why not spread life over John P. Everett, for the past two years | Dr. and Mrs. Frost left on afternoon | more years? We'll do just as much good principal of the Grass Lake schools, has boat enroute for Rockford, Ill., their fut-

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Large bright Florida pines 15e, 20c and 25c each

# warranted ripe and sweet at the lowest price.

New Tennessee Triumph Potatoes. Green Peas,

White Spine Cucumbers, California silver leaf onions 5c per pound Large ripe Tomatoes fresh and solid

Fancy Seville olives . . . . 35c bottle Selected Queen olives....25c bottle East Inda pickles......25c bottle Keystone midget pickles, 30c bottle Keystone chow chow . . . . 25c bottle

Heinz's preserved sweet pickles......25c bottle Gilt Edge lobsters and Columbia River salmon F. Delory French sardines

from Chicago to New York for a purse of W. J. G. brand Japan Tea the finest brand for making ICED TEA or hot either that money will buy.

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Standard Mocha and Java coffee 25c pound Golden Rio, Santos, and blended coffees of excellent flavor, strength and purity.

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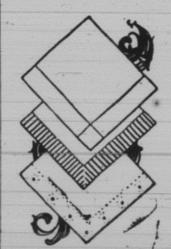
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For men, women and children. All sizes. Everybody can

Men's Balbrigan shirts and drawers at 25c each. Men's Balbrigan shirts and drawers, best grade at 45c each. Women's, misses' and infants summer underwear at from 5c to



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A rattling good summer corset at 45 cents. Better than any 50 cent corset sold in Chelsea.

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SHIRT WAISTS 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1,00

and \$1.25. Every one is correct in style and cheap at the price we ask.

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Ladies black and tan hose 10c Ladies black hose 13c, fine shape and seamless. Nobody sells them at less than 18c.

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# Straw Hats.

We have got them at 25c, 45c, 69 and 90c. All new and every hat bought in the New York and Boston markets. Therefore styles and shapes are correct. Come now while the assortment is complete.



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See our splendid line of men's summer shirts. Shirts in all styles and patterns. Shirts with collars and cuffs attached, or collars and cuffs detached and with cuffs only. Any way you want them and surely at lower prices than you can buy them elsewhere. Better value for your money, or the same value for less money always; today. tomorrow, or any other day, it is always the same. We don't give you a snap today and a gold brick to morrow. The more you buy here, the more you will find it pays.

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Ladies' Queen Quality tan shoes \$3.00.

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An elegant assortment at \$6,75, \$8.00 and \$9,00.

Every suit is a bargain at the price we ask. Men's alapaca coats at \$1.00, \$1 50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Men's unlined black and blue serge and Clay worsted coats

and coats and vests.

Children's wash suits at from 50c to \$2.00.

We have all the latest styles of men's nobby neckwear.



Ladies' tan Oxfords \$1,00, \$1.25. \$1.50, \$2.75 and \$2.00. Never had so many new stylish Oxfords. Never had so much value to offer at the price we ask.

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fanchester's creamery is making son county product. Jackson Citizen. 900 pounds of butter daily.

\$700 in remodeling their church this

to the members of the A. O. U. W. Sunday morning at Manchester.

Geo. J. Nissly of Saline last week shipped one of his "New American" incubators and brooders to Australia.

Through the efforts of E. A. Croman a lot of black bass of this season's hatching will be placed in Grass Lake They came from the Mill Creek, Blissfield Advance. Mich., hatchery.

If Ping ever runs for the presidency the campaign badge will be a shoe surmounted by a potato with the motto, "Trustii et monoplii mustibus squatum."-Grass Lake News.

Saline has a new marshal. Fred Jerry, who has drawn the salary that is attached to that position for the past eighteen years, has resigned and now a new man is Carven a name for himself in that capacity.

family were away from home. The from them! house was nearly new, and nothing was saved.

had a \$100 increase of salary, now reis an increase of \$200. There have of the day, but they were squared by been no other changes in salaries in the publicans. this section.

Herman G. Briggs of Howell had a little unpleasant experience with a gang of train robbers at Medicine Bow. Wyoming, on the second. Although the robbers didn't molest the passen- in the Fleet for nothing, so that they gers they secured \$38,000 of express money. The safe and the express car were all blown to pieces with dynamite.

The Ann Arbor Savings Bank cashed a check this afternoon that was made by beggars to let them sit on the steps spended, in a loud voice. You have no on March 1, 1892. It was for the sum and ask charity of the congregation of 23 cents, was signed by Funk & Wagnalls Co., of New York publishers of the Standard Dictionary and was | gars. on the National Park Bank of New York. Where it has been during the church, they did not disdain to slap on my taking off this hat?" asked the seven years since it was made is not known. - Ann Arbor Argus.

the students at commencement time is estimated to amount to \$15,000. One prominent hustler among the passeng- terstaff, wrestling and other sports. er agents stated to the Argus that he had \$1,000 in the bank last evening, and he did not consider that his business bad really commenced. He evi- nary, in the afternoon and evening an for the next half hour. dently proposes to get his share of the organ recital; there was tea in the al-\$15,000. - Ann Arbor Argus.

A light vote was polled at the special election held in Dexter township last Thursday to vote on the appropriastood Yes 27; No 5; Blank 2. The on the road for single passengers, or, amount of the appropriation is \$650. haply, arunken passengers, whom it was Messrs. John Clark, K. H. Wheeler easy and a pleasure to rob. and Michael McGuire were appointed in June or July, 1760. - London Queen building committee.-Dexter Leader.

A gang of 14 hoboes camped out under the water tank at the Michigan Central yard at Ann Arbor, last week four times a year and the rest of the Wednesday and whiled away the time by "rushing the can." Towards evening they all boarded a west bound freight. They virtually took charge of the train. The conductor signaled the engineer to stop the train, and officers were sent for. Six of the hoboes were run in and were given jail a while. sentences. Ann Arbor seems to be a regular picnic ground for tramps.

A letter has been received from Mrs. J. W. Gallup, nee Miss Mae Harrison, a former resident of the city stating that she was in the recent cyclone at New Richmond, Wis. Fortunately plied she was spending the day with Mr. Gallup's father, as the house in which she lived was totally destroyed and about as bad.' all the inmates killed. She saw the cyclone coming, and ran to the barn, where her father-in-law was, and warned him of pending danger. They started for the cellar, but Mrs. Gallup was caught by the wind and thrown against the baru, her clothing torn, her watch flattened and herentire body terribly bruised. On her return home she found everything gone, the only one of her possessions which she could find being part of a belt buckle. Mr. fallup was a hundred miles away, und y learned of the accident on hearing

weboys next morning crying an

"All about the cyclone at New

Mende & Durant, gentlemen's out fitters, Monday took an order for s suit of clothes for a 3-year-old boy, who weighs 200 pounds, and stands 42 inches in height. The boy is a Jack-

Little Winnifred Mallory had a narrow escape from a horrible death on were detailed one day to call upon the going back to gas for street illumina- the railroad at the east side crossing, resident Chinamen and "interview" Wednesday afternoon, just as the west Dexter Methodists expect to spend bound fast mail train was due. In crossing the cattle guards to gather some flowers her foot became caught Rev. D. R. Sheir preached a sermon in the wooden rails, and she was unable to pull it out. Several men who happened near secured an iron bar and prying the guards apart extricated her from the perilous position, but not until she had to pull her foot out of the shoe. And she had just started on a plest English at your command. run homeward when the train came in sight around the curve below the depot, three minutes behind time,-

### SUNDAY IN ENGLAND IN 1760.

The Pleasure Seekers Were More Numerous Than Churchgoers.

Would you like to know how the people of London observed their Sunday 150 years ago? The churches were open, of course, and there were two services. in every one, and in some there were three; also the responsible and respectable citizen took his family to church. as a matter of course.

He made his apprentices go to church as well and demanded the text when The residence of Wm. Dowling at they came home as a proof of attendance. Alas, he little knew that the Grass Lake was totally destroyed by boys were larking all the morning, and fire at 10 o'clock Saturday night. when the congregation came out stop-The cause of the fire is unknown, as ped the old women and got the text ion from me upon this subject You

However, those who went elsewhere formed the majority. The fields round the town were filled with companies of The postmaster of Manchester has men, called rural societies, who rambled about all the morning and dined rade had purposely "steered him together at a tavern. The high consta- against" one of the best educated ceiving \$1,200 a year, while the post- bles went their rounds among the vilmaster of Clinton gets the same which lages pretending to prevent profanation

Informers were about threatening publicans, barbers and greengrocers for carrying on trade on the Sunday morn- move their hats on entering. One Sating unless they paid a little blackmail. A shilling was understood to meet the case. Barbers sent their apprentices on Sunday morning to shave the prisoners might get practice. .

Children were baptized after after afterward to celebrate the occasion. At seemed to betoken a firm purpose not could blamelessly get drunk.

coming out. It was the best business of the week. The rails before the houses of gentlemen were crowded with beg-

their servant if dinner was delayed man in a still louder voice. "Yes, sir;

The pleasure gardens were open all day long. People crowded to them in coves, and in the evening there was

In the evening, when they reluctantly came away, with as much punch as they could hold, they formed themselves into bands for purposes of protion for the new town hall. The vote tection, while the footpads looked out

And this was the way of a Sunday

He Told the Lawyer.

Lawyer S. is well known for his uncomely habits. He cuts his hair about time looks decidedly ragged about the ears. He was making a witness describe a barn which figured in his last case. "How long had the barn been built?"

"Oh, I don't know. About a year mebby. About nine months p'r'aps." "But just how long? Tell the jury how long it had been built."

"Well, I don't know exactly. Quite

"Now, Mr. B., you pass for an intelligent farmer, and yet you can't tell me how old this barn is, and you have lived agin the wall, missus!" on the next farm for ten years. Can you tell me how old your own barn is? Come now, tell us how old your own house is, if you think you know."

Quick as lightning the old farmer re-"You want to know how old my house

is, do ye? Well, it's just about as old as you be and needs the roof seeing to In the roar that followed the witness

stepped down, and Lawyer S. didn't call him back.-London Globe.

# The Absent Dodge.

Fuzzy-They say that Faddist has become a Christian Scientist and is successfully giving the absent treat-

Wuzzy-I guess that's so. He borrowed \$50 from me a month ago, and henever I call to ask for it he's out .-New York Tribune.

By Another Name. Dakota Woman-I know I can never

ntist-I can divorce you from that

# STRUCK A CHINAMAN

The Bustake of a fireen Reparter in Geiting an Interview

Numberless are the tricks which owspaper reporters play upon one another to relieve the somber "grind of their calling. Two young men emp.oyd on a morning paper in a large on One of the two reporters was a beginner and the other, an experienced man naturally assumed the management o. ke€per.

the assignment. "Billings" he said, after they had invaded several laundries without any important result, "here is a tea store wish you would go in and talk wich the proprietor. I want to know what ne thinks about Chinamen voting. I'll go and pull off an interview with the man who runs this cigar shop nexdoor. Remember to use the very sim-

The young reporter went inside the store, took out his notebook and thus addressed the proprietor, who happen' ed to be alone at the moment:

"John, how? Me-me-Telegraph, John! Newspape-savvy, John? Newspape-print things Un'stan'? want know what John think about Chinamen vote see? What John think -Chinamen vote-all same Mencan man? Savvy, John? Vote? What think?"

The Chinaman listened to him with profound gravity until he had finished, and replied

"The question of granting the right of suffrage to Chinese citizens who have come to the United States with the avowed intention of making this country their permanent home is one that has occupied the attention of thoughtful men of all parties for years and it may become in time one of paramount importance At present, however, it seems to me there is no exiy requiring an expression of opinwill please excuse me.'

The young reporter went outside and leaned against a lamp post to rest and recover from a sudden faintness that had taken possession of him. His com-Chinamen in the United States.

Clever Advertising.

At a certain large public library there is a rule which ought not to be necessary, that men and boys must reurday afternoon, when the room devoted to the circulating department was crowded, a man of middle age came in and took his place in line, as if for the purpose of making an exchange, but he did not remove his hat. On the contrary he bad it jammed down well on his head, and there was a noon service, and a supper was given determined expression on his face that this supper the nurse, it was allowed, to take it off. An attendant stepped up rated his eyes from some papers and to him and quietly asked him to re-The beadles of churches were bribed move his head gear. "No, sir!" he reright to make a man take his hat off, This is a free country!" is," rejoined the attendant, "but you can't get books at this library if you don't observe its rules." "I'd like to know why not!" "Because it's the When the ladies got home after rule: that is sufficient." "You insist The fields between the Tottenham court 1'do." . By this time the attention of road and the Foundling hospital were everybody in the room had been drawn The railroad passenger business of the resort of the sporting fraternity, to the obstinate visitor. "Well," he who were assembled to enjoy the inno- vociferated, "I'll take it off, if you incent diversions of duck hunting and sist, but I want you to understand I cat hunting, with prizefighting, quar- do it under protest!" He removed the offending hat disclosing a head as bald as a billiard ball, with this inscription painted upon it in black letters that could be read twenty feet away: the early morning for breakfast and "Use Smithly's Shaving Soap." And staid all day. At 2 there was an ordi- he was the observed of all observers

Where It Stood.



"Mary, go into the sitting room and tell me how the thermometer stands." "It stands on the mantelpiece, just

That Bicycle Brigade. He was endeavoring to cross a boule-

"I should infer," he began, and then he found it necessary to jump about four feet and dodge.

"That is to say," he explained, "one would naturally imagine-He saved himself this time by jump-

ing backward, -that bicyclists are not patriotic," he said in conclusion.

"Why so?" demanded his companion. He waited until he was safe on the sidewalk before answering. Then he "Because, if there were, it is only

natural to suppose that some of them would have gone with the troops, while my experience trying to cross/ boule vards and well-paved streets shows that there isn't one missing. Chica-

Linger Lunger, "I understand that there are so es, lungs are articles

r two months at Cole brought it about the light of everything.

# TRADESMAN OUTWITTED.

How a Truther Chase Grose for a

A country school master, being pleased on one occasion with the conduct of his senior scholars, resolved to give them a free treat. Therefore, having found that they were found of good poultry, our schoolmaster went to a first-class poulterer's, where he saw twenty-four goese placed very creditably together.

"Fine geese there, sir," said the shop "Ah, yes; but unfortunately, too fine

for my parpose," replied the school master. "To fine! How so, sir?" inquired

the shopkeeper. "Why, you see, I am rather peculiarly situated.; I am a schoolmaster therefore I make a rule of occasionany giving my boys a 'jolly feed,' as they term it. Well, I was thinking of a method by which I could punish them for their past conduct without violating the rule that has stood for years. Now, what do you think I intend doing? Well, I want you to pick me out twelve of the very toughest

you can find." "Well, I never," chuckled the poulterer; 'I don'tknow-but-ah! I think I have got a few that would suit your purpose," and the shopkeeper strutted up and down, takink first one, then another until he had picked out twelve of the most miserable looking geese one could imagine. "There sir," he said, "if they don't answer your purpose I advise pou to stew nothing but bones next time.

"Oh, very good," said the schoolmaster "Now, how about the price; of course by my taking this tough lot you make a great difference?"

"Oh, none whatever," said the shopkeeper, emphatically, "they are all one price, sir-all one price."

"Oh, very good; then, as there will be no difference in the price I will have the other twelve," said the schoolmaster, with a knowing look at another customer, who had just entered, much to the annoyance and disappointment of the astonished shopkeeper.

"How is Your Sister?"

Former minister to Mexico Ransom was at the house a few days ago talking about his experiences in Mexico After the minister left the cloakroom one of the members said: "Did you ever talk to the minister when his mind has been occupied with busi- and the general repairing of ness?" and without waiting for a reply the member continued: "I did; I met him soon after his return from Mexico, and after we shook hands he

"How is your sister, Frank?" "She is well,' I said.

"The minister's mind then returned to some business for five minutes and then he said 'How is your sister Frank?' and, as before, I replied that she was well. Five minutes later he sister?" I thought the conversation was becoming rather monotonous, and to change it I answered that she was 'Bless me, you don't say so; I'm

scrry to hear it. Frank.'

He turned to his papers again for another five minutes, and hang me it he didn't turn around and say: 'Frank how is your sister?' At first I thought he was guying me, but, looking at him sharply I realized that he had forgotter the conversation and I answered sadly 'She is dead.'

"'Why, man you don't mean it!' he The South African Bushmen Are Giftexclaimed, jumping from his seat and extending his hand in a most sympathetic manner, adding, 'That is dreadful. When did it happen. Tell me all about it.' 'Why,' I replied, 'I killed her just now. When I came in your office I told you she was well twice; then I told you she was very ill and that did n't impress you. So for your benefit I have just killed her.'

about these papers.'

An Irish Munchausen.

One of the Liverpool restaurants boasts of an Irish waiter, who alds much to the entertainment of customers. One of them, on being served with a lobster, Mike?"

crabs at home. "Oh," said the diner, "you have lob-

sters in Ireland?" "Is it lobsters? Begorra, the creeks is full of them. Many o' time have I seen 'em whin I've lepped over the strames.

"How large do the lobsters grow in Ireland? "Well, said Mike thoughtfully, "to

spake widin boundo, ourr, I'd say a matter of five or six feet." "What-five or six feet? How do they turn around in those creeks?"

"Bedad, surr, the creeks in Ireland are fifty or sixty feet wide!" said the unabashed Mike. "But." said the persistent inquirer,

"you said you had seen them when you were leaping over the streams, and lobsters here live in the sea." ''Deed I did, surr; we're powerful

leppers in Ireland. As for the say, surr, I've seen it red with 'em."

"Doan't I know that?" said Mike reproachfully, "but there are bot springs in the ould counthry, an' they shwim troo 'em an' come out ready for ye to crack open and ate."-Poughkeepsie News-Press.

Like Most Battlesh p Pictures The mob howled outside the doors o the Cortes. "The sea-fight! How did i come out?" they yelled, sullenly.

The premier, knowing all the Span ish ships were sunk, was at a loss to explain. Then his Spanish wisdom re-

"The battle," he yelled—"Ah!" said the crowd.

der his breath, knowing som

b pride was again saved, and



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But yet so softly has the rain Of dead years' ashes sett Each glowing passion that the pain Was smothered ere all light had gone.

Ah, be it thus with love's decease! Its day is done; its shrine too high To brave time's destined tragedies. Let us steal down ere night comes by.

# EYES LIKE TELESCOPES.

ed With Marvelous Sight.

ized people tend to become short sighted. This is because in towns and cities their vision is mostly confined to short distances. Savage races, on the other hand, are generally gifted with remarkably keen sight, and few tribes are more noteworthy in this respect than pardon me, Frank. I was thinking doubt a wise provision of nature, for the bushmen are a small race, and if they were not able to see danger a long way off they would soon be exterminated by their various enemies, whether savages of other tribes or wild beasts.

with a friendly bushman the savage ahead. The traveler gazed long and earnestly in the direction indicated by the bushman, but could see nothing. "Nonsense," he said, "there's nothing there." And he went forward again, with the bushman following at his heels, trembling and unwilling and still asserting that he could see a lion.

Presently the native came to a dead stop and refused to budge another inch. for this time, he declared, he could see a lioness with a number of cubs, a fact which made the animal more dangerous than ever. But the European, who could see no lioness, much less its cubs. pushed ahead, declaring the bushman was dreaming. After walking a quarter of a mile, however, he could dimly make out an object moving across the horizon. Still doubting that it could be the object which the bushman said he had seen, he continued to advance, and Hibernian at last, "lobsters are not red leisurely toward the woods.—Chums OMAR KHAYYAM.

It Was Too Much.

"Your honor," said Boston Pete, al most tearfully, "it's the newspaper pub licity that I hate about this thing They will 'aver' that I 'opine' I will be 'ap prehended, then 'incarcerated, 'perhaps even in 'durance vile.' But, your honor, for a man who has never demeaned himself by work this expression, 'caught in the toils,' too much." And the wretch hid his O-Kansas City Star.

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-Thomas Walsh in Bookman.

It has often been remarked that civil-

"The old man looked at me for a the African bushmen, whose eyes are moment and then replied: 'You must veritable telescopes. This power is no

A traveler in South Africa relates a small lobster, asked "Do you call that that while walking one day in company "Faix, I do believe they do be caalin suddenly stopped, and gazing across the them lobsters here, surr. We caul 'em plain cried out that there was a lion

"But look here, my fine fellow, said at last was able to distinguish a lioness, the guest, thinking he had cornered the with her cubs around her, walking

> Deep in the spring their empty pitcher dips, Dips where of old a thousand sorrows fell. Forget not, while the gurgling water slips Lightly from earthen throats, the silent well.
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> —Arthur J. Stringer in Bookman.

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REPARING TO GIVE DEWEY A

What happened when "Johnnie came narching home" is not worth mentioning compared with what will happen when Dewey comes saling home, From present indications it is evident that the reception will be one that will long be remembered by all. One hundred representative citizens will subscribe \$100 each for a dinner to the hero of Manila, and it now looks as if a few hundred more who have not been invited to subscribe to this dinner will get another on a larger scale,



r a reception of some kind in which hey may participate. Remembering what a commotion was stirred up by the Jefferson dinners the people of New York will not be surprised at anything that may happen. But nothing will occur to mar or detract from the warmth of the welcome which the whole people will extend to him and

Admiral Watson, who is to succeed Dewey in command of the Asiatic application to the Navy Department some time ago to be assigned to this record. In the war with Spain he was disobeyed orders, and skulked when he assigned to the command of the north Cuban blockading 'squadron, holding that place from May 6 to June 21, 1898 On June 21 he was placed in command nich the Government intended to end to the coast of Spain if Camara's the eastern squadron on July 7, prohis flagship, the cruiser Newark, and rule. he Newark returned to the United States. After Admiral Sampson left Santiago for New York Admiral (then Commodore) Watson was the senior more. naval officer in Cuban waters. On Oct. 8, 1898, he was assigned to the command of the Mare Island navy yard.

Copper's Great Boom. Copper is king in Boston. Copper is striving to become a king in New else, and have talked of little else for months. In New York the capital stock of a \$75,000,000 company, organned to control the output of a few mines, was oversubscribed almost before it was offered, the public paying full par value of \$100 a share. In Boston copper stocks have doubled, trebled, quadrupled in a year, and new ompanies to work new mines are being organized so fast that they cannot be promptly investigated and listed on the Exchange. In New York the statement is gravely made that the stock of the new amalgamated company, to be handed out to the public at \$100 a share, will be worth \$150 and \$175 a share by the time it can be elivered. Whether it be copper crazy r copper sane that the public is becoming is not to be discussed here. opper crazy or copper sane, a new vement has come into the financial orld, and it will run its course. It is clearly a movement to control the per output of the earth. Copper in his day of electrical and mechanical evelopment, of sheathing of battlehips and of wars and preparations for wars, is a commodity that the world must have. And copper is being de- Senator Choat—One of the Organizers. anded in greater quantities than it an be produced. It may be a fic. itious ortage or it may be legitimate. Only e other day a great cartridge facory in England shut down because er could not be had at a fair price. he price of lake copper on May 1. 198, was twelve cents a pound; on tay 3, 1899, it was 191/2 cents.

in dry dock. Electricity demands its amassed. res and its brasses. Yet the visible

The Famous P Isoning Case. we persons, a man named Barnet wn; that is the history of what Mr. Carnegie said:
wn as the Molineux case, Prob- "As I have been telling J" mown as the Molineux case. Prob-ly it will never be changed. Noth-either in the attack upon Molineux in the defence of him has suggested erican is the mo-

law. The most subtle agent of murder, poison, has been used successfully both in overpowering the victim and in leaving no track of the murder, and that is the whole of it.

One Grand Jury indicted Molineux, to have its indictment invalidated by the Supreme Court, on the ground that it was based on improper evidence. Another Grand Jury, acting upon the evidence that was left, has concluded that no justification for an indictment exists. We must surmise that their reasoning was in effect this:

Was there sufficient evidence to substantiate the motive ascribed to Molineux by the District Attorney? The answer is, No.

It was alleged that Molineux had written letters to various patent medicine firms, asking for samples; of preparations similar to that which was sent to Cornish, the intended victim. and from his hands passed to those of Mrs. Adams, the actual victim, and that he had been identified by the proprietor of a private letter box establishment on Broadway as the man who hired a letter box there under an assumed name and received packages from various patent medicine firms; and that a number of handwriting experts declared that a comparison of Molineux's handwriting with the addresses on the valious poison wrappers and other documents in the affair, showed that Molineux was undoubtedly the sender of the poison Against that it appeared that the

proprietor of the letter box place had on previous occasions, when confronted with Molineux, declared that he was not the man who had rented the letter-boxes, the protector explaining the contradiction of his evidence by stating that he was "holding out" for big terms for his disclosures from certain sensational newspapers. To the evidence of the handwriting experts for the prosecution was opposed the evidence, that is to say the opinions, of other experts equally eminent in their so-called science who declared that the grounds on which the District Attorney's witnesses proceeded were entirely wrong, and that the idea that Molineux wrote the addresses on the poison wrappers was ridiculous.

The conduct of the officers of the Seventy-first regiment at San Juan has at last been investigated by the proper military authority and the rein army and navy circles. He made port appears to reveal three cowards at the head of the regiment with two or three captains very closely allied to command when Admiral Dewey was them. The report deals most sharply relieved. He has an excellent naval with Colonel Downs, who repeatedly should have been leading his regiment forward. This censure of the colonel is undoubtedly fully justified, because there is every reason to believe that of Sampson's fleet. But held the po- if he had been equal to the immersition only six days, being assigned to gency none of those under him would the command of the eastern squadron, have shown the white feather. It is very gratifying to reflect that the cases of cowardice which were revealed by leet continued its voyage to the the late war were very few in num-Philippines. He assumed command of ber, while those of marked and conspicuous heroism and self-sacrifice are eeding from New York to Santiago on so numerous as to become almost the

was relieved on Sept. 20, 1898, when To be publicly branded as a coward by an official board of inquiry is a punishment so severe that Colonel Downs and his associates need nothing

Retirement of Carnegie.

New Tork people are expecting great things from Mr. Carnegie when his plans for the development of his philanthropic designs are matured. Mr. Carnegie has said that it is a disgrace York. In Boston they talk of little for a man to die rich. He is now past sixty, and has disposed of his interests in Pittsburg for \$100,000,000. In a recent interview respecting his intentions, he said:

"The trusts have never frightened me, and the Carnegie Steel Company has no occasion to be afraid of them, as it is the greatest property of its kind the world has ever seen or probably ever will see. I did not sell out because business was not prosperous; 't never was so prosperous, nor were its



prospects ever so good. I sold in pursuance of a policy determined upon long since, not to spend my old age in business, struggling after more dollars. I believe in developing a dignifled and unselfish life after sixty.."

Mr. Carnegie's attention was called to a paragraph in a London paper which referred to his famous declara-Clearly the British army must have tion that "to die rich is to die disthe cartridges. War ships must be graced," and asked what he was goingathed if they are not to be eternal- to do with the \$100,000,000 he had

"Tell that editor," replied Mr. Cary of copper in the market on negle, "to watch and see. I hope I ay 2, 1898, was 28,891 tons, and with shall not justify the definition some the digging and smelting for a year times deserved of a philanthropisf, as was on May 2, 1899, only 26,529 a man with a great deal of money but a very little sense."

America vs. England.

Asked his opinion of the recent tria woman named Adams, are dead amphs of American engineering firms ne of being poisoned, and the in beating English competition for the is and probably ever will be supply of locomotives to India, etc.,

coming, I am not surpr

SCIENCE NOTES

The sewers of Paris are now being carcled for treasures, owing to the reent discovery by workmen of a bundle containing \$120,000 in securities.

"The latest American idea for the sheathirg of vessels to prevent foul-Tr and corrosion is to sheath them wi h glass plates, which is said to be ontirely feasible." The above item is from The Engineer, of London. While his may be true, we have heard nothne about it, and it sounds suspiciously 'le paper bicycles' and other things of like order, which seem to exist only in the minds of newspaper reporters.

with the State Pepartment of the entting its cab'e by Admira! Dewey

lustrations was written out on the en sheets and the copy for the pictures were pasted on large sheets of cardboard and the whole was reduced by photography to the required size. From this negative a photoengraving was made from which the

The authorities of the Southern Metropolitat. Gas company, an English corporation, have added workingmen directors to the board of the company. The report stated that the profit sharing system, which was introduced in 1889, continues to justify its existence, terest in the welfare of the company the board, and the result so far has proved very satisfactory.

According to The Medical Sentinel, it has been ascertained by careful observation that certain families in a village of St. Ourn. France, enjoy ab solute immunity from tuberculosis. They are gardeners of excellent habits who intermarcy among themselves and keep apart from the immigrant laborers. The latter suffer severely from the disease. It is considered probable that hygienic conditions are not the sole cause of the difference, but that by a kind of natural selection a race immune from tuberculosis has been de-

Caisson disease, or compressed air disease, is a malady which is oftencontracted by those who are engaged symptoms are best explained by the theory that the malady is due to increased solution by the blood of the gases met with it in compressed air. and the liberation of these gases during decompression. The increased solution of the gases is due, of course, to the greater pressure upon the person of the calsson worker.

The old "Physic Garden." at Chelsea, which was leased to the "Apothecaries" Company" in 1673, and presented to them by Sir Hans Sloane in 1722, is to be placed under a Committee of Socleties and the garden is to be maintained for proving the study of botany with special regard to the requirements of general education, scientific instruction, and research in systematic botany, vegetable physiology, and .astruction in pharmacy, as concerns the culture of medicinal plants. New offees lecture rooms, and laboratories are to be provided. The old "Physic Garden" was one of the oldest, if not 2 the oldest, botanical garden in the world, and is of considerable historical importance.

NOTES OF NOTABLES.

Colonel Edmond Bainbridge, the Superintendent of the Royal Laboratory a" Woolwich, who has been made head of the ordnance factories, entered the Royal Artillery in 1860, and has been associated with Woolwich in various capacities for many years.

M. Ernest Legouve has completed his ninety-second year. He is the senfor member of the French Academy, both by election and by age. Crowned for the first time in 1829, he was elected in 1854, and only a few days ago received the "Prix Jean Reynaud."

The request made to Mr. Ruskin that Mr. Holman Hunt should paint his portrait has received a negative. His present state of health, say those who. know him best, would not permit him to face the fatigue of sitting to so taborious and conscientious a painter as Mr. Holman Hunt

Lady Grorgiana Grey, daughter of Earl Grey, the famous English statesman, has just celebrated the ninetyeighth anniversary of her birth Lady Georgiana is the o'deste resident of Hampton Court Palace, where for come years she has occupied a suite of apartments. Considering her age she enjoys remarkable health, and takes drives almost daily.

Francein Elsa Neumann was "pro moted" to her degree of Doctor of Philosephy in Berlin University the other lay, the first woman to be so honored. he obtained it in the studies of hemistry and mathematics, which the had pursued at Gottingen and finshed at Berlin. The hall where he eeremony took place was crowden o suffication, and the young woman received great applause from the gen-eral public and the students present.

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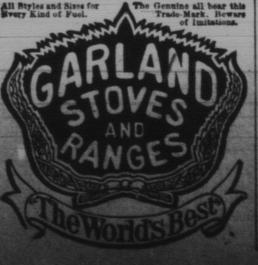
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"The Magara Falls Route." Time Card, taking effect, Jan. 29,1899.

se and Mail 8:15 p. m.

Fooled by the Inmates He Was Rendy to Distrust Eyen the Superintendent of the Institution.

"I never knew until I went out to California this time that insans people have a powerful sense of humor," said a Washingtonian who recently returned from a trip to the coast. "I confess that they objected to all "stamping and I've always found a morbid sort of interest in going through noted insane hood was dwarfed or warped. Other edasylums, and so I armed myself with ucators and reformers had considered of a guide, I didn't present my letters, but just rambled around the beautiful, were the great apostles of childhood. spacious grounds for awhile. I hadn't They began the struggle for the freetraordinary rose gardens in front of the main asylum building before a tall, slender young man, well dressed and as an educational critic. This is a narfrom a clump of oleander trees and approached me.

he to me. " 'Yes,' I said. 'I only arrived here s few minutes ago, and I'm taking the liberty of nosing about without any official guidance.

"'Well,' the tall young man said, pleasantly, 'I don't suppose I fall out of the classification "official guidance," seeing that I am the assistant superintendent here, yet I should be pleased to show you about and at the same time try not to place any restraint upon you by my awe inspiring presence.'

"Well, the young chap's manner was we started over the grounds. We ed, appeared some distance in front of today. - James L. Hughes in Century. us down the gravel walk, and he beckoned to my companion. The young man excused himself courteously and went up to the middle aged man. The two conversed earnestly together for a few minutes, and then, linking arms, what do they do but coolly walk off, leaving me standing there in the middle of the gravel path, a good deal non-

" 'Surprised over the way they deserted you?' said a voice right back of 'You mustn't mind a little thing given up to that time. like that, though. Both of those men are as crazy as loons."

dressed in black, and with a quizzical smile on his features.

"'Surely,' I said, 'you cannot mean that that rational speaking, pleasant

very sad case-very. Thinks he is the Maharajah of Bludblud, or something Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, Lots of visitors are taken in the same way. If you care to, I'll just show you around. I am one of the board of visit-. May 23, June 20, July 18, Aug. 15, ors of this institution and just happen-Bept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14. Annual to be here in my unofficial capacity to-

> "Much marveling over what the old gentleman told me, I fell in with him, and we rambled around the huge geranium arbors, and finally entered the enormous glass building where the cultivation of violets is carried on.

"'Nice array of flowers, isn't it?' the old gentleman inquired of me, waving his hand at the beautiful beds of violets in bloom. 'I am not inordinately vain, my friend, I hope you will understand, and yet I cannot but congratulate myself upon the introduction of made; also the material can be melted this violet raising feature here, for I myself was responsible for it and only succeeded in having this hothouse constructed after enormous exertions with given on Mandolin, Violin, Clarinet and the authorities of the institution.'

just about to ask him to take me into the main building and introduce me to DEWEY white wash, and wash white, the superintendent when he suddenly excused himself, saying that he had left his spectacles on a bench in the gardens and would be back directly. I waited for him for fully ten minutes, out of the glass building.

"'You didn't really expect him back?' I heard a voice say, and then a pleasant faced man, dressed as a laborer and carrying a watering pot, came from behind a group of palms. He spoke with a Scotch brogue.

"'The old gentleman you were with is very bad up here, 'said the man with the watering pot, touching his forehead. 'He's been here for 20 years, and he fancies he owns the place. I am the head gardener here, and he tries his best to run me. But he don't-no, sir, he don't. He can't. No crazy man can run me. 'And the Scotchman went down the length of the raised violet beds. wa-

tering the plants. "I passed out of the glass building and started for the entrance to the main building, there to present my letters. As I was about to walk up the steps to the entrance a man with side whiskers and rather a sharp, piercing eye walked

up to me.
"'You have business here?" he inquired of me in a rather sharp tone. Well, I thought he might be another of 'em, and so I kept right on. He followed me up the stairs and into the office, and I had to hand my letters to him. He was the superintendent. He smiled when I told him of my experiments in the manufactured in "Which of them was really insane!

Proebel and the stories of Dickens are

in perfect harmony. The two great re-formers protested vigorously against the interference of intermeddling adults with the full development of the indi-viduality of the child. They recognized the divinity in each child so fully that molding" processes by which its selfthe proper credentials in San Francisco | the problems of human evolution from and went up to Napa county to have a the standpoint of the adult and had look over the splendid asylum for the asked, "What can we do to fit the child insane there. Inasmuch as I wanted to for its work?" Froebel and Dickens see a few things without the attention asked, "How can we help the child to grow by its own self activity?" They spent three minutes examining the ex- dom of childhood from the restrictive interference of adulthood.

Dickens is commonly regarded merely exceedingly well groomed, emerged row and unfair view. He was a great critic. He aroused the indignation of the civilized world against those who "Taking a look around, eh?" said treated childhood inhumanly, and the hatred of adult tyranny which he awakened developed a loving sympathy for children. But he could not have so clearly exposed the wrong in education without having a definite conception of the right. He was the greatest destructive educational critic, but he was also a most advanced, positive, constructive educator. There is no great ideal of the "new education" which is not revealed by Dickens in his novels or his miscel-

laneous writings. Dickens was the first Englishman of note to advocate the kindergarten. In so pleasant and winning that I could July, 1855, he published an article of only thank him for his kindness, and 11 columns in Household Words, which would take a leading place if compared hadn't gone far before a middle aged with the papers read at a meeting of man, also well dressed and well groom- the International Kindergarten union

A DINNER COSTING \$10,000.

The Repast Was the First of Expensive Entertainments In New York.

Writing of the lavish expenditures of New Yorkers, Euretta Van Vorst recalls in The Ladies' Home Journal a dinner given in 1884 by a man of wealth which cost \$10,000 and which astonished his most extravagant associates as it was the most expensive feast

"Delmonico, the helpful resource of both those who know and those who do "I turned around, and there, stand- not know how to spend their money, ing behind a hedge about ten feet to my | was at a loss to know how to dispose of rear, was a little old gentleman, neatly | this then fabulous amount upon a single meal. There were 72 guests, and they were entertained in the large ballroom which in Delmonico's Fourteenth street establishment saw so many social the mannered young man who was conduct- umphs. The house had been Mr. Moses ing me about the grounds is bereft of Grinnell's and ever bore the imprint of a gentleman's residence even when

"The table occupied the whole length and breadth of the room. The waiters had barely space to move about it. It was a long, oval table, round which a massive wreath of exquisite flowers was laid, guarding a miniature lake 30 feet long. The water, by mechanical contrivance, undulated gently, and on its breast floated four living swans, a golden network keeping them in place.'

Wax Battleships.

Comparatively few know that by the English admiralty's orders perfect models are made in paraffin wax of every new battleship before it is laid down, and these models are tested in a tank at Haslar. The models are from 12 feet to 24 feet long, and the tank is 400 feet long and 20 feet wide. The models are made of wax, because it is a material which does not absorb water or change its weight, so alterations can be easily up and used again.

Our naval authorities also have modformed of white pine and fitted with

Then and Now.

"Do you see that old man out there? Thirty-two years ago that old man came to Columbus with one suspender to destroy as the snail itself. They seem and a sore toe. He also had a basket of but as he did not return I started on city had given him. He peddled the apples on High street and netted 18 cents the first day. How much do you suppose he's worth now?" "Oh, \$1,500,0001" said one.

"Two millions!" cried another. "Six million, three hundred thousand!" was the estimate of a third. "I give it up," remarked the fourth

"Not a single cent, and he still owes for the basket."-Ohio State Journal.

An Effective Retort.

The late Rev. Patrick Watson, vicar of Earlsfield, a great authority on the Holy Land, was a stickler for accuracy. An amusing passage of arms once took place between him and the archbishop of Canterbury. A committee report was under consideration, and Mr. Watson objected to the heading "Removal of Premises' on the ground that the John — Ohio st., Bangor, Me. things inside the premises were removed and not the building.

Dr. Temple replied, "I suspect you often tell your wfe the kettle boils, but

The meeting roared with laug and passed on to the next business London News.

"Why do you think they are on their

ness as a trader. His ; the h was the occasion of a postoffic

story which Dunlap, the author of the "History of the Arts of Design," tells. Before the clerks of the postoffice knew Ogton he called day after day to inquire if there were "any letters for John Hogtown.

"None, sir," was the invariable an-"Very strange," said he, feeling unasy about the goods he had ordered from England and the bills of exchange

he had remitted. One day after the usual question, 'Any letters for John Hogtown?" his eye, following the clerk, noticed that he was looking among the letters begin-

ning with H. "'Ollo," cried he, "what are you looking there for? I said John Hog-

town. "I know it, sir, and I am looking for John Hogtown, and there's nothing for

"Nay, nay!" shouted John. "Don't look among the haitches; look among the hoes." And among the O's were found a pile of letters addressed to John Ogton, which had been accumulating for many a week.

Secret of the Telephone Discovery. Professor Alexander Graham Bell is reported to have explained in a lecture how he came to invent the telephone as

"My father invented a symbol by which deaf mutes could converse, and finally I invented an apparatus by which the vibrations of speech could be seen, and it turned out to be a telephone. It occurred to me to make a machine that would enable one to hear vibrations. I went to an aurist, and he advised me to take the human ear as my model. He supplied me with a dead man's ear, and with this ear I experimented, and upon applying the apparatus I found that the dead man's ear wrote down the vibrations.

"I arrived at the conclusion that if I could make iron vibrate on a dead man's ear I could make an instrument more delicate which would cause those vibrations to be heard and understood. I thought if I placed a delicate piece of steel over an electric magnet I could get a vibration, and thus the telephone was completed.

"The telephone arose from my attempts to teach the deaf to speak. It arose from my knowledge, not of electricity, but as a teacher of the deaf. Had I been an electrician I would not have attempted it."-Electrical World.

The Drawback.

Beardman was a writer of plays, ultimately fairly well known in his day. For nearly 20 years he struggled and fought his way along without meeting with any very pronounced success, each play in turn proving more or less of a failure. At last, however, he produced a play that really caught the public taste. He and the famous Sheridan happened to be present together on the opening night. All went well. Success followed success, and applause greeted and ended each scene. At the end of the second act Beardman's elation got the better of his discretion, and, leaning over toward Sheridan-as usual, too witty to be merely sympathetic-he exclaimed:

"Sheridan, Sheridan, it's going to be a success, a complete success!'

"Ah, yes," murmured Sheridan, with exquisite compassion in his voice, "too bad, too bad!'

completely taken off his guard. "Why too bad that it should prove a success?" "Because now," retorted Sheridan, "it'll take you another 20 years to convince any one you wrote it."-Town

Vitality of Snails.

The snail is blessed with great powers of vitality. A case is recorded of an els of all their hulls constructed, but | Egyptian desert snail which came to these are much more elaborate, being life upon being immersed in warm water after having passed four years glued "I congratulated the old gentleman rudders, false keels, propeller shafts and to a card in the English museum. Some upon the result of his labors and was all other necessary parts. - New York species, in the collection of a certain naturalist, revived after they had apparently been dead for 15 years; and snails, having been frozen for weeks in solid blocks of ice, have recovered upon being thawed out. The eggs are as hard perfectly indifferent to freezing and have been known to prove productive after having been shriveled up in an oven to the semblance of grains of sand

Consistent to the Last.

"If I was to commit suicide at sea." said Weary Walker as he shifted the hay band on his left foot, "I'd jump from th' bow of th' boat.' "An why not from th' stern?" que-

ried Limpy Lannigan. "If I jumped from th' stern," said Weary, "I couldn't avoid th' wash!"-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Reminder.

Perhaps one of the most unique ideas for causing an umbrella that has been exchanged by mistake to be returned to its owner is that of a Bangor gentleman who has painted in bold, white letters on the inside of his earthly parachute the following reminder. "Stolen from

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d, too bad?" stammered his friend,

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