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January Clearing Sale.

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Ladies' Jackets, Capes and Suits at less than cost of material in them.

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OLIVET COLLEGE. Some Facts Regarding the Institution in Which Many Chelses People Are Inter- Elegant At the Several Churches Were Enjoyable The Christmas celebrations for the Sun ested

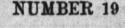
day school children of the Congregational, The following article from the columns Baptist and Lutheran churches passed off of the Olivet Optic will prove interesting in a most happy manner Monday evening. to those of our readers who have the wel-Each of the entertainments was largely fare of the college at heart. Two scholar attended and the adults in the audiences ships to this college, one worth \$45 and enjoyed them almost as much as the the other \$50, are controlled in Chelsea. The students from here in Olivet college at At the Congregational church the full present are Miss Edith Bacon and Miss program as published in the Herald last Fannie Wines :

"A splendid company of students gathlive Santa Claus who dispensed gifts to ered at Olivet College last September and the youngsters and some of the older ones the indications were that the term would from the house which was crected in choir be a good one. For once realization has loft. The pastor, Rev. C. S. Jones, was equalized anticipation. Dec. 19 the college closed one of the most satisfactory The exercises at the Baptist church terms in its history, and its students are relebration which took place in the Staffan now enjoying a well earned vacation.

store was entirely by the children and "Evidences of progress are visible in lasted about 30 minutes, after which the many directions. The chapel, a fine spe-Christmas gifts were distributed. In the cimen of colonial architecture, has been distribution Rev. F. A. Stiles was not for- improved and beautified by the expenditure of \$1,000. Partly by their own ef-

Perhaps the prettiest sight of all was the forts, generously supplemented by a friend, handsome Christmas display at St. Paul's the young women now have a gym-Lutheran church. An evergreen arch 12 nasium for their exclusive use. The work feet high, surmounted by a small Christ in physical culture, based on the Swedish, mas tree and having the figure of an German and Delsarte systems, is in charge angel on each column of the arch was of a lady. Several improvemente have erected on the rostrum. Flanking each been made in Shipherd Hall and others side of the arch was a regular Christmas are under way. The endowment fund is tree on which the gifts were placed. to receive an increase of at least \$8,000 Back of the arch a large transparency from legacies, besides several permanent showed the scene of the birth of Christ- scholarships of \$1,000 each. The library, At Rock Bottom Prices to close out the manger at the inn, the mother and which surpasses every other college library child and the wise men of the east come in Michigan both in size and quality and to worship him. At the left side of the contains about 30,000 volumes, has purarch was a large chimney, each brick in chased some 800 books this term. Among which contained candies for the children. these late accessions is a set of "The Jesuit The full program was carried out. The Relations in North America" in 73 volchurch was well filled, many being present umes, which are a storehouse of the early history of New York, Canada, Michigan, from Dexter. Rev. L. Koelbing, the pastor, was remembered with a present of and Northwestern states. Rich in works money. The Christmas decorations will on English literature, biography and his tory, par excellence a working library, the stay in the church until after New Year. The St. Mary's Catholic church enter- spacious building is daily thronged with a tainment and Okvistmas tree will take company of eager students.

"The enrollment for the term shows substantial advance. The increase in the at a very low price.



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nd see our Fall Line of Suitings and Overcoatings. Made to order.

ed that all children attending our school J. GEO. WEBSTER, should be vaccinated at once. Also on account of giving time for all to get vaccinated and over the effects of the Merchant Tailor. same we extend our vacation to Monday,

Engraved Visiting Cards AT THE HERALD OFFICE.

CHELSEA FARMERS' INSTITUTE. ft Will Be a Two Days' Meeting and Will Be Held Jan. 30 and 31

place at the opera house this evening.

At the meeting of the committee of the It contains some of the brainiest graduates

furnishes the speakers for the first day The committee will meet to make further arrangements in two weeks.

Elected Their Officers.

The following officers of Chelsea Tent, No. 281, K. O. T. M., were elected to serve for the ensuing year at the meeting and a genuine 'college spirit' has pervaded held last Friday evening: Past Commander-J. W. Speer. Commander-H. Lighthall. Lieut. Commander-Wm. Campbell. R. K -W. H. Heselschwerdt. F. K.-D. H. Wurster. Physician-S. G. Bush. Chaplain-Morgan Emmett.

Sergeant-M. A. Shaver.

M. at A -Bert Hepburn.

1st M. of G -Chas. Merker.

2nd M. of G -Fred Fuller.

Attention, Parents. At a meeting of the school board held

this day a resolution was made and adopt-

Chelsea, Mich., Dec. 26, 1900.

H. S. HOLMES, Secy. of Board.

Sentinel-Wm. Denman.

Picket-A. J. Congdon.

Janitor-John Hieber.

Jan. 7th, 1901.

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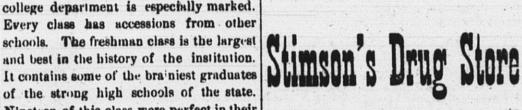
Chelsea Farmers' Institute held Saturday, of the strong high schools of the state. the six vice presidents of the society, N. Nineteen of this class were perfect in their W. Laird, of Sylvan, Jay Easton, of examination in mathematics. The various Lima, Dick Clark, of Lyndon, Edward departments of the conservatory have been Daniels, of Dexter, M. L. Raymond, of full to overflowing. Never have there Sharon, and Frank Dwelle, of Grass been so many pupils in attendance. The Lake, together with the three delegates quality of work done by them has been of from the Western Washtenaw Farmers' the best. The chorus, numbering nearly Club, Howard Everett, Frank Baldwin- 200 voices, has already begun work on the and Charles Fish, were appointed to make oratorio of "St. Paul" for the commence arrangements for the literary part of the ment concert. The conservatory regularly program for the farmers institute to be provides music for the Sunday services held in Chelsea Jan. 30 and 31. Each of and for the various literary societies. This the gentlemen named is to secure one plan affords the proficient pupil opportuperson who will read a paper. on the nity to secure ease and confidence in himsecond day of the institute. The state self in the presence of an audience. Two musical events have been recitals by W.

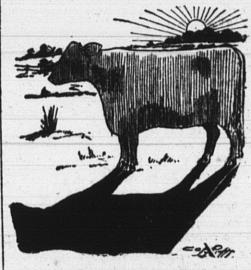
H. Sherwood, planist, and by Myron E. Barnes, tenor. "The conduct of the students has been

most excellent. Not a single case of discipline has come before the coilege faculty. The enthusiasm of numbers has been felt the entire community-students, professors and citizens alike. This spirit has shown itself in various non fatal class 'scraps.' in athletics in which if the fellows have not always been victors neither have they always been vanquished, in the strenuous emulation to win the honor of representing their college at the coming state oratorical contest, in generous rivalry between the various literary organizations in presenting each week strong and varied programs, in the religious life which, like deep current has flowed pure and strength ening through the months, and in the ear nest desire for thorough scholarship which has been a predominant characteristic of the term.".

Fine Christmas Cheer.

Adam Eppler had as fine a display of Christmas meats at his market the past week as has ever been in Chelsea. Alt included four two years old cattle, five lambs and a mammoth hog. One of the cattle was fed by Peter Gorman, of Lyndon, one by Chris. Eisenman, of Lima, and two by George Wagner, of Lima. The hog, which weighed dressed 627 Art thou one of the many that has pounds, was also fed by George Wagner. drained the golden nectar that maketh thy The lambs were fed by Wm. Baumiller, heart full of strength and gladness? If of Sharon. As is his usual custom Mr. not, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your Eppler had his market very tastefully trimmed with ropes of evergreen.





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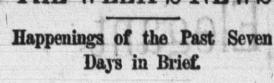
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BOUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Casualties and Fires, Personal and Political Notes, Business Failures and **Resumptions**, Weather Record.

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

CONGRESSIONAL

The Hay-Pauncefote treaty was again discussed in the senate on the 18th ir, executive session. No business of consequence was transacted in open session The house devoted the day to District of Columbia business.

In the senate on the 19th 71 private pension bills were passed, including two giving pensions of \$50 a month to the widows of Gen. John A. McClernand and Gen. John M. Palmer. The urgent deficiency bill was also passed without debate. A resolution was passed authorizing President McKinley to appoint Congressman Boutelle (Me.) captain on retired list of the navy In the house the time was occupied with District of Columbia matters.

By a vote of 55 to 18 the senate on the 20th ratified the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. It makes the United States independent of all powers except Great Britain in maintaining neutrality of the isthmian canal ... In the house the Indian and the military academy appropriation bills were passed. The former carried \$9,036,526 and the latter \$700,151. A bill was introduced increasing the vice president's salary to \$25,000 and cabinet members to \$15,000. Mr. Hopkins presented the report of the census committee on reapportionment, providing for 357 members.

DOMESTIC.

The third of the colored men implicated in the murder of Hollie Simon at Rockport, Ind., John Rolla, was hanged by a mob at Booneville.

The National Civic Federation's industrial arbitration conference began in Chicago.

Fitzsimmons definitely stated that he never would enter the prize ring again.

In Washington arguments in the cases involving the constitutional

Edward Cudahy, Jr., 15 years old, son of Millionaire Edward Cudahy, States Cagayanisland and other islands who was abducted from his home in Omaha, was secretly returned after 36 hours upon payment of a ransom of Hanover, Ont., was destroyed by fire \$25,000.

W. H. Durr, former theatrical manger, shot and killed himself in an undertakers' rooms in Chicago.

Secretary of the Navy John D. Long has purchased a site for a residence at Colorado Springs, Col. Efforts of trainmen to settle the

strike of the Santa Fe telegraphers have failed.

Two negroes who robbed and burned a trading boat at Arcadia, Miss., after killing Thomas Thompson, the owner, and his wife and baby, were lynched by a mob.

After a separation of two years John Snyder, a butcher in La Salle, Ill., went to Chicago and fatally shot his wife and killed himself.

A report of engineers submitted to congress favors a 14-foot channel from Lake Michigan to St. Louis.

Physicians say grip is epidemic in Chicago.

H. K. Wieser, a bank teller at York, Pa., is said to be \$20,000 short.

The residence of Mrs. David Hewitt at Bradford, Pa., was destroyed by fire and she and her mother, Mrs. Margaret O'Keefe, aged 86 years, were burned to death.

Edward A. Cudaby, the Omaha packer, who paid \$25,000 for ransom of his 15-year-old son, has offered \$25,000 reward for the apprehension of the abductors.

C. H. Aldrich made the closing argument in the Porto Rico case before the supreme court, contending if the new colonies are not American they are Spanish.

President Dolphin, of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, says the strike will continue on the Santa Fe.

Railroads will make a strong effort to have congress pass a law permitting pooling of contracts.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the state treasury at Lincoln,

A mirage resulting from unusual atmospheric conditions, caused the Michigan shore to be seen in Chicago.

Secretary of War Root has approved the selection of two farm near Des Moines, Ia., as the site for a new army post.

Positive evidence has been secured that Joe Rolla, one of the colored men lynched at Booneville, Ind., was innocent of the crime charged.

A medical board in Cuba has discovered that yellow fever is spread by mosquitoes. A negro named Lewis was hanged by a mob at Gullport, Miss., for the congress. murder of W. E. Richardson.

Spain wants to sell to the United of the Philippine group. The Knechtel furniture factory at

the loss being \$500,000. A dispatch to a London paper says

Germans shot 60 Chinese soldiers and took 200 prisoners in Lung Ching. Carl Becker, a famous German his-

torical painter, died in Berlir, aged 80 years.

LATER,

Both houses of congress adjourned on the 21st until January 3 without transacting any business.

The schooner Jennie Hall sank in a gale south of Cape Henry, the captain and two seamen being drowned.

The Taft commission ordered future laws for the Philippines to be in English.

In a shooting affray near Tallahasee, Fla., State Senator W. C. Rouse and Edgar Nims were killed.

The American national bank of Baltimore, Md., has been placed in the bands of a receiver. Roger Wolcott, governor of Massachu-

setts in 1896, 1897 and 1898, died in Boston, aged 53 years.

Tammany, in deference to crusaders, ordered all gambling and pool rooms in New York city closed.

The British foreign office reports that the Chinese terms have been signed by all the powers.

Dr. Richard A. Wise, member of congress from the Norfolk (Va.) district, died at Williamsburg.

"John Owens," the murderer of James F. Hogue, was hanged at Paris, Ill. He said he was a son of T. H. Wolsam, living in Tennessee, near Middleboro, Ky.

A bill introducing the jury system in Porto Rico has passed both houses. Kruger is confident, despite slights, that some government will mediate in the South African war.

The telegraphers' strike on the Santa Fe road has been called off.

Mrs. William P. Frye, wife of the president pro tem. of the senate, died suddenly at the Hamilton hotel in Washington

Immigration to the United States for the calendar year will reach 400.000.

A boiler explosion at Sneedville, Tenn., killed William Edwards, Pleasant Trent, Jesse Mahan and Lee Gor-

A son of Louis Tonhose, of Judd. Ia., has been kidnaped and it is believed he is held for ransom.

Ex-Congressman John H. Brewer died

CALL FOR PRAISE.

English Journals Eulogize the Dash ing Work of Gen. De Wet and

His Men.

London, Dec. 24.-Gen. De Wet would be by far the most acceptable Christmas box to the average Englishman, though there seems little likelihood of the wish being granted, The desire for the suppression of this wonderful Boer leader, however, is accompanied by generous admiration of his latest feat.

"It would be unworthy of the British name," says the Times, "to refuse the credit that is due a feat of arms so brilliant as the unexpected dash backward of De Wet and his men through the British lines."

Other papers take the same view, comparing the ride to Springhaas nek with the charge of Balaklava. In fact, admiration for the extraordinary daring displayed by the Boers on this occasion almost predominates over the chagrin at the failure of the British officers to cope with their opponents. London, Dec. 24 .- The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, December 22:

"As far as it is possible for me to form an opinion from the reports of officers on the spot. I think the Boer movement into Cape Colony has been checked. Of the two forces that entered the colony, the eastern is still north of the Zoutpansberg range, while the one that entered west appears to have been turned in the direction of Britstown and Prieska. Our troops are getting around both sides, and a special column is also being organized which will be dispatched immediately when I know where its services are most wanted.

'The Boers have not received much assistance in Colony, as far as my information goes. We have armed some of the colonists, who are assisting our forces. Railway and telegraph communication has been much interrupted by the very bad weather.

"DeWet is in the neighborhood of Sene kal. Gen. French, in conjunction with Gen. Clements, attacked a force under Beyers south of Magallesberg. The Boers broke away in a southwesterly direction toward Potchefstroom and were followed by Gen. Gordon with a column of French's force. "Yesterday evening about five o'clock Clements' force was engaged south of Oliphant's neck, but I do not yet know the re-

"The western column of Boers occupied Britstown and cut the railway south of DeAar Junction. The enemy is being followed up

"Gen. French has been in contact for two days with the commandos of Beyers and Delarey south of the Magallesberg. He is pursuing them. The enemy has lost considerably, and Commandant Kreuz and others have been captured.

'Gen. Colville engaged two separate commandos December 21 near, Vlakfontein with slight losses, the enemy retiring."

I have suffered untold misery an pain for over ten years. My kidners were diseased. I tried many so-called remedies, but they did me no good. I saw an advertisement of Dodd's Kidner Pills, and I bought some, and commenced to use them at once. I hadnet been taking them three days before began to improve. For years I had not had one good night's sleep, and before the first box of the Dodd's Kidner Pills were all used, I could sleep all night without pains. I am now completely cured, and have not a pain or ache left. I cannot recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills too highly, for they are unexcelled as a kidney remedy. Yours truly, A. C. BONSOR, No. 2115 0 Street, Lincoln, Neb.

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The Commercial Instinct.

Mamma-Tommy, do stop that noise. ou'll only be good I'li give you a penny. Tommy-No; I want a nickel. "Why, you little rascal, you were quite n

isfied to be good yesterday for a penay." "I know, but that was a bargain day." Philadelphia Press.

Too Talkative. Willie-Just one more question, pa. 0 Sunday school teacher says I'm made

dust. Am 1? Pa-I guess not. If you were you'd b up once in awhile .-- Philadelphia Press

A woman's faith in her husband is he on a solid rock if a visit from her mot or three weeks fails to shake it.-Atching Globe.

From Bryan's Own City

Comes a Startling Story. An Op Letter that will Cause a Sensation.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 24, 1900 (Special) -At No. 2115 O Street, this city, is the B. & M. Wall Paper House. "B. &Y are the initial letters of the proprieton Mr. A. C. Bonsor, and Mr. O. E. Myen The senior partner, Mr. Bonsor, is well known and highly respected citi zen, and no one has ever doubted h truthfulness. It is, therefore, the pronounced opinion in Lincoln and the State generally, that the significant and very strong statements made in Mr. Bonsor's letter will go unchallenged After explaining his willingness that the matter be given the fullest possible publicity in the public interest, Mr. Bonsor proceeds.

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status of the "colonies" of the United States were brought before the supreme court.

East Tennessee, Virginia and North Carolina were shaken by earthquake.

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Fire destroyed the big plant of the Brown Hoisting and Conveying Machine company in Cleveland, O., the loss being \$500,000.

By a unanimous vote the citizens of Sing Sing, N. Y., voted to petition the legislature to change the name of the village from Sing Sing to Ossining.

A collision between freight trains at South Milwaukee, Wis., killed three men.

Threats of Eldorado (Kan.) women to lynch Jessie Morrison, charged with murder, led to the placing of a strong guard around the prisoner.

Albert Metzeger, at Hopewell, Pa., leading a double life, shot and killed an actress and committed suicide.

The safe of Dicks & Sally, at Sally, S. C., was blown open with dynamize and robbed of \$7.000 in cash.

Two negroes robbed and burned a trading boat at Arcadia, Miss., after killing the owner, his wife and baby.

Gold & Co.'s bank at Albee, S. D., was robbed of \$1,500 by burglars.

The safe in the Citizen's bank at Hope, Ind., was blown open by robbers, who secured \$18,000 and escaped.

Policeman Grady shot and instantly killed John, alias "Red" Corbett, a notorious Chicago criminal.

John D. Rockefeller's Christmas present to the University of Chicago is \$1,-500,000, making his total gifts thus far \$9,202,374.

Impressive watchnight services in Methodist churches throughout the country will mark the end of the century.

President McKinley made the following appointments: John C. A. Leishman, minister to Turkey; Arthur S. Hardy, minister to Switzerland, and Charles S. Francis, minister to Greece, Roumania and Servia.

Fred Norton, a youth at Unadilla, N. Y., has lost the sight of both eyes as a result of excessive smoking of cigarettes.

The National Civic Federation conference at its closing session in Chicago issued an appeal for pacific cours sel between employer and employe and appointed a committee to promote conciliation.

Attorney Ceneral Griggs argued before the supreme court that the constitution did not follow the flag into Porto Rico and the Philippines.

Gov. Pingree, of Michigan, signalized the close of his term by a unique dinner in the state house at Lansing.

Three tramps were killed in the wreck of a Big Four freight train near Muncie, Ind.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Rev. Cyrus A. Bartol, for over 50 years pastor of the West church (Unitarian) at Boston, Mass., is dead, aged 87 years.

Dr. Charles Sabin Taft, who was the first surgeon to reach President Lincoln's side when he was shot down in Ford's theater, died at Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Justice George C. Ludlow, of the supreme court of New Jersey, and governor of the state in 1880, died in New Brunswick, aged 70 years.

Mrs. Katherine Spaith, aged 108 years, died at Lancaster, Pa.

Robert E. Neilson, 40 years old. at one time world's champion on the old high bicycle, died in Boston.

The official vote of Minnesota shows a plurality of 77,560 for McKinley and 2,254 for Van Sant, republican, for governor.

Official returns of the November election give McKinley 7,220,707 votes; Bryan, 6,357,431.

Grover Cleveland advises the democrats not to attempt reorganization. but to return to their old faith and "give the rank and file a chance."

Congressman John J. Lentz (dem.) defeated for reelection in the Twelfth Ohio district by a narrow margin, has given notice of contest.

FOREIGN.

Lieut. Evans and men of the Fortyfourth infantry routed the Filipinos in Cebu.

Lord Salisbury in a speech in London took a gloomy view of the situation in South Africa.

The loss of life by the wrecking of the German training ship Gneisenau at Malaga is placed at 35, instead of

100, as first reported. The United States yielded to Great Britain's demand that the powers' joint terms for China shall not be "irrevocable."

Gen. MacArthur issued a warning to Filipinos that the laws of war will be strictly observed.

Envoys of all the powers in Peking met and agreed on every point in the China terms.

The Morocco government has paid the claim of \$5,000 made by the United States for the murder of Marcus Eszagui.

Gen. Knox has abandoned his pursuit of Gen. DeWet and was seeking to stem the Boer invasion of Cape Colony and Natal.

Moslems killed 200 Christians in central Turkey.

United States troops have traversed all the trails in many northern Luzon provinces, driving out the insurgents.

Cape Colony are reported to have occu pied Colesburg.

at his home in Trenton, N. J. He was a warm personal friend of President McKinley, with whom he served in

three sailors lost in a gale on the Atlantic coast.

causing alarm in England. More troops are to be sent to South Africa from Great Britain and the colonies to crush the burghers.

war department in Washington, was killed by Samuel McDonald, formerly a clerk in the same office. Revenge for a fancied grievance was the cause. The murderer also shot himself, probably fatally.

The Coffey county bank at Manchester, Tenn., was robbed by burglars of \$5,000.

Two hunderd million dollars is the maximum sum the powers demand of China as indemnity for the Boxer outrages.

The Boers have occupied Britstown. but Lord Kitchener reports his forces active and hopeful.

The residence of Conrad Ruff dairyman near San Jose, Cal, was destroyed by fire and his four young children perished in the flames.

Theodore L. Poole, member of the Fifty-fourth congress and a civil war veteran, died at Syracuse, N. Y.

D. Allie, carrying \$4.000 in gold coin, was arrested at Fort Dodge, Ia., an a suspect in the Cudahy kidnaping case in Omaha.

James Wood, the oldest man in New Hampshire, died in Portsmouth, aged 104 years.

Sarah Kuhn, aged 19, was found guilty in Sigourney, Ia., of murdering her husband and sentenced to life imprisonment.

The young son of Samuel Albertson killed his father in Chicago because of an attack on his mother.

Dr. J. H. Kellogg. superintendent of the Battle Creek (Mich.) sanitarium, was stabbed by an insane woman patient, but may recover.

Frank Barr, aged 19 years, was killed in a boxing contest in Philadelphia.

Count Leonard von Blumenthal, the oldest field marshal in the German army, died at Gullendorf, aged 90 vears

Policeman Timothy Riordan shot and instantly killed in Chicago Edward Dunaven, a highwayman.

A British officer in Kansas City, Mo., was purchasing 50,000 horses and mules for service in the South African war.

The sailing ship Iverra was wrecked near Goeteborg, southwestern Sweden, and nine of the crew were drowned.

Safeblowers stole \$5,000 from a bank at Dalton City, Ill. In a battle in southern Luzon 45

Filipinos were killed and many wound-The Boer invaders in the north of jed. Loyal natives in the Philippines have organized a political party and adopted a platform.

London, Dec. 24.-Lord Kitchener dispatches, breathing a confidence hardly justified by their contents, are almost the only available news from the seat of hostilities in South Africa. but telegrams from Cape Town depict the situation in anything but roseate hues. Without believing the assertion of the Transvaal agency in Brussels that 6,000 Boers have invaded Cape Colony, it is quite evident that the invasion was a serious and well

Advices from Cape Town represent the Dutch element in Cape Colony as greatly elated over the southward progress of the Boers and as boasting that the whole district of Victoria West will join the raiders. It is surpected in Cape Town that the force traveling from Zoutpans Drift is not a body of Boers but one of colonials, hastening to join the invaders.

The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of the Daily Mail says: The Boers are active between Johannesburg and Pretoria, exchanging shots with the British outposts, and it is reported that parties of Boers are hovering around Johannesburg.

IS UNDER CONTROL.

Fire Which Started in a Mine Forty-Two Years Ago Likely to Be Extinguished Within Two Years.

Tamaqua, Pa., Dec. 24 .- The officials of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company are jubilant over the fact that the fire in the celebrated burning mine at Summit Hill, which started 42 years ago, is now under control, and it is said that the next two years will see its extinguishment. The fire, which has consumed about 35 acres of the finest coal land in the anthracite coal region, has moved westward toward Lansford. Two immense drilling machines, which have been constantly probing for the fire, have now honeycombed the earth to the west of the burning portion. Culm is being poured into these holes, and a solid mass will thus confront the fire.

FILIPINOS DEFEATED.

Forty-Five Insurgents Were Killed.

Manila, Dec. 24 .- Advices brought by steamer from southern Luzon say that a lieutenant and 60 men of the Ninth United States cavalry attacked a large body of insurgents last Wednesday near Guinobatan, province of Albay. After the battle 45 dead insurgents were counted, together with many wounded. The only American casualty was the wounding of a sergeant, who was cornered by several rebels and struck in the leg by a bolo. The rebel loss was the heaviest recorded among recent encounters. The cutting of the wires has delayed

the official report of the engagement.

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THE FUNDS ARE TO BE SECURED.

ure of Football Receives Attenion and a Platform Is Proposed-Ald Students-Bird Skins Classfed-Other Notes.

[Special Correspondence.]

niversity of Michigan, Dec. 24.-Dr. M. Mosher women's dean in the rary department, has formulated a for securing the old ladies' home the people of Ann Arbor have been ning for the last five months. She poses that those interested in the ou were quite m for a penay." bargain day." e movement and those working for ns for the Young Women's Chrisassociation combine forces and for a single building which will mmodate both. Her plan is to iestion, pa. Or is I'm made somewhere between the uniis campus and the business porof Ann Arbor, a building that will arge enough to accommodate 40 ladies and will at the same time parlors, a lecture hall, class rooms a library for the young women. g centrally located, it will be conent to the churches and other pubwn City buildings, and will also be easily hed by the members of the Chrisassociation.

Will Ask Women for Funds.

e institution will be known as the igan's Women's Home. The funds ts erection are to be solicited from state. Shortly after the holidays letail plans for raising the necessum will be made known, and the of collecting the money will be-

The Classes.

important feature of the stian association work, after the nization is in its new home, will be classes. The women who are rs in the university will give an or two each week to assisting sisters in the association.

Future of Football. question of football policy for

tains. In many cases a large number of skins of the same kind of bird are saved. In each case note is made of the locality where the bird was shot and the season of the year. These are important facts in studying the colorings of the wings and feathers.

Collection Classified.

The entire collection is classified and arranged in scientific order. It is possible by looking at the index to determine the exact place any particular bird will be found and to go directly to the tray. Protected as the skins are from moths and moisture they will last for years and be of service to many a naturalist. An effort is being made uggestion That a Lagoon Be Built to secure a complete series of the birds that are native to Michigan.

Another feature of the museum that is receiving attention these days is the shell collection. This has been arranged in a room to be known as the shell room. This is the first time that the shells belonging to the university have been completely classified and ar ranged for exhibition.

Semifinal Debate.

A semifinal debate for the team to represent Michigan in the Pennsylvania contest was held between the Webster and Jeffersonian societies in the law departments and the result was as follows: First, A. B. Irving, Salt Lake City (Webster); second, G. A. Ohlinger, Ann Arbor (Webster); third, Llewellyn Cole, Maniwa, Wis. (Jeffersonian). The final contest will take place after the holidays.

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WANTS PAY FOR BOILS.

A Man in Colon Seeks Damages of the Town Board for Effects of Enforced Vaccination.

Samuel Hartman, of the little town of Colon, is after the township board with a sharp stick and a claim for damages. During the summer there was a smallpox scare at Colon, and the comen of the cities and villages of board spent much of the taxpayers' money vaccinating all the unvaccinated citizens they could catch. Hartman was one of these. It did not "take" the first time, and he was vaccinated a second and a third time before it became effective.

> Then Hartman's troubles began. His body became, as he sets forth in the appeal for damages, 'covered with boils, so that it looked like a horse radish grater." He suffered much mental torture as well from having to bear the sneers of his neighbors whose vaccination had "taken" less virulently.

Hartman wants enough money from uture has been receiving consider- the board to pay the expenses incurred attention of late. In consequence by his illness and to reimburse him for his suffering.

ELECTION FIGURES.

Official Vote Given to Michigan Congressional Nominces at the Contest November 6.

TRANSFORMENT OF THE PARTY

The official canvass of the election returns has been completed, and shows that President McKinley received 104,-548 plurality in the state. The populist candidate for president received 833 votes, the prohibition candidate 11,859, the social democratic candidate 2,826 and the socialist labor 903. The plurality of Gov:-elect Bliss is 79,384. Fol-

lowing are the figures on congressmen: First District-John B. Corliss (rep.), 24,-785; Rufus W. Jacklin (dem.), 20,295; Will W. Tracy (pro.), 282; Frederick W. Herbetz (soc. dem.), 397; Anthony Louwett (soc. labor), 267

Second District-Henry G. Smith (rep.), 29,945; Martin G. Loennecker (dem.), 23,368 Fred W. Corbett (pro.), 1,065.

Third District -- Washington Gardner (rep.), 25,998; Stephen D. Williams (dem.), 21,396; Oliver H. Perry (pro.), 1,022; George H. West (soc. dem.), 496.

Fourth District-Edward L. Hamilton (rep.), 26,883; Roman I. Jarvis (dem.), 20,498 Charles A. Salyer (pro.), 968. Fifth District-William Alden Smith

(rep.), 27,898; William F. McKnight (dem.), 21,497; Frank D. Cutler (pro.), 790; John Korten, 1

Sixth District-Samuel W. Smith (rep.), 27,941; Everett L. Bray (dem.), 82,532; Ly man Elwell (pop.), 88; Nathan Norton Clark (pro.), 1,302; Carl Lampe, 3. Seventh District-Edgar Weeks (rep.),

22,915; Justin R. Whiting (dem.), 15,938; Julian S. West (pro.), 880; John O. Zabel, 8; Joseph Galbraith, Sr., 10; Carl Lampe, 1. Eighth District-Joseph W. Fordney

(rep.), 21,522; Wellington R. Burt (dem.) 17,212; Powell R. Crosby (pop.), 92; Hamil-ton E. Fraser (pro.), 960; John Kortan (see, dem.), 465

Ninth District-Roswell P. Bishop (rep.), 21,408; Frank L. Fowler (dem.), 12,197; Edwin S. Palmiter (pro.), 729.

Tenth District-Rosseau O. Crump (rep.) 22,404; Lee E. Joslyn (dem.), 15,241; Joseph Leighton (pro.), 738.

Eleventh District-Archibald B. Darragh (rep.), 29,540; George Killeen (dem.), 15,064; Edward J. McMullen, 83.

Twelfth District-Charles D. Shelden (rep.), 33,759; Edward F. Le Gendre (dem.), 11,516; John Kaminen (pro.), 1,167.

IT WON'T WORK.

Money-Making Scheme of Chicago **Organization Cannot Do Busi**ness in Michigan.

The attorney general's office has received from Joseph Horner, of Grand Rapids, a letter and advertising matter of the "Eligibles," an association for the promotion of marriages which has grown out of the rushing business in weddings at St. Joseph. The attorney general was asked to become the league's agent and solicitor. The and Elmer M. Barnes, of St. Joseph, is a stage through from Detroit into the district agent. The league proposes to admit only single persons, eligible to marry, to issue a \$500 endowment certificate to each member, the certificate to become due in two years if the member marries before that time or in five years whether the member marries or not. The management retains five per cent. of the amount realized on each call, the balance going to the beneficiary. The certificates and payments are forfeited for failure to pay calls within 30 days. The attorney general's office has notified Horner and Barnes that the league could not do business in Mich-

SCORES THE COURTS.

In the Pardoning of Prisoners Gov. Pingree Severely Arraigns Michigan Judges.

CURIQUE CONTENCATION

In pardoning William E. Dennis, who was sentenced at Jackson last month to state's prison for four years. Gov. Pingree makes a most serious charge against Circuit Judge Peck and Prosecuting Attorney Smith, of Jackson county. He alleges in the pardon that Dennis was the victim of a conspiracy to deprive him of his land and that the persons who conceived the conspiracy were aided by the circuit judge. Erastus Peck, who sentenced Dennis, and Charles H. Smith, who prosecuted the case." He further says that the "trial was a travesty upon justice, and the facts reveal a condition of affairs that would forever disgrace the criminal practice of Jackson county."

Johannes Salmonson, who was sent from Manistee in 1891 to Jackson prison for life for the murder of Richard Carlson, was also pardoned, the governor saying that there is a fair presumption that Carlson committed suicide, and that "there are too many ambitious young prosecuting attorneys and unscrupulous sheriffs anxious to make a record by securing the conviction of every man arrested upon suspicion of having committed a crime."

Other pardons have been granted as follows: Fred Cotie, sent from Calhoun county in July, 1898, to Ionia prison for highway robbery, and Fred Ziegel, sent from Genessee county April 28, 1897, for ten years for criminal assault.

The following convicts have been paroled:

Joseph Gebhard, sent from Wayne county in 1899 for three years for larceny. James McGinn, sent from Clinton coun y in 1897 for six years for assault.

William Butler, sent from Benzie county in 1897 for seven years for forgery.

Henry Horton, sent from Calhoun county in 1897 for seven years for assault with intent to kill.

Fred Boucha, sent from Muskegon county in 1898 for four years for burglary. James Williams, sent from Ionia county in 1896 for 20 years for assault with intent to murder.

Edward McCusker, sent from Presque Isle county in 1894 for 12 years for assault.

PIONEER STAGE DRIVER.

Jacob Lemon, Who Drove a Coach from Detroit to Chicago, Dies in Kalamazoo,

Jacob Lemon, who died at Indian Lake, in Kalamazoo county, at the age league's headquarters are in Chicago, of 85 years, was the first man to drive

SPECIAL SESSION MEETS.

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Michigan Legislature Convened by Governor Pingree to Enact a Taxation Law.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 19.-The senate yesterday, with but two dissenting votes, refused to accept Gov. Pingree's invitation to a banquet. The house, by a vote of 20 to 27, granted Gov. Pingree the use of its chamber for his banquet. The house refused to concur in the resolution adopted by the senate providing for final adjournment of the legislature Thursday. A special committee was appointed to confer with a similar committee that the senate will be asked to appoint, for the purpose of framing, if possible, a tax bill that will

be agraaable to both houses. Lansing, Mich., Dec. 20 .- The two houses of the legislature appear to be near together on the question of final adjournment, and the prospects are that an agreement will be reached to-day. Both houses see that there is no hope of enacting any legislation. If the legislature adjourns without passing the tax bill Gov. Pingree threatens to call the members back at once.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 21.-By a vote of 45 to 29 the house yesterday concurred in the resolution adopted by the senate Wednesday providing that all business should cease after Thursday, and that final adjournment of the special session should be taken Saturday noon. The house then adjourned. This ends the special session, without any result in the way of taxation legislation having been attained.

ABOLISHES COMMISSION.

Important Change Made by the River and Harbor Bill in Regard to

Missouri River.

Washington, Dec. 24 .- The river and harbor bill as it will be reported from the house committee soon after the reconvening of congress on the 3d of January will carry a provision abolishing the Missouri river commission. The provision already has been agreed upon and only waits the formulation of the bill to find a place in it. The decision to discontinue the commission is said to have been unanimous on the part of the committee and it is the result of statements made to the committee by members of the house whose districts touch the Missouri on either side. They generally expressed the opinion that the navigation of the stream is so limited as to render the commission useless. The general opinion was that as the improvements of the river consist almost entirely of the protection of the banks, this work could be done as well if left directly to the secretary of war as if again placed in the hands of the commission and the committee accepted this view. The commission was created in 1884 and at present consists of Lieut. Col. Amos S

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Football Captain.

White, a junior law student Lapeer, Mich., has been elected captain for next season. He 15 of the 24 votes cast. His rival his year's captain, Neil Snow, of White has played left tackle t two seasons, and has done le work.

Tank Will Be Needed.

oon as the course in marine en ing and naval architecture gets nder way an experimental tank needed. A modest estimate ik that would be large enough in testing the models made by idents is, length, 400 feet; width, ; depth, 10 feet. It has been ed that this tank be built as a along the east side of the camthe pond would then be useful erimenting, and at the same would prove a pleasing bit of pe for the campus. The probaare, however, that for the preseast the Huron river above the Ill be used in testing models. at the experimental tank will ffer the new naval courses bemore firmly established. Bird Skins.

3,700 bird skins in the reserve of the university museum en reclassified within the last eks and rearranged in trays in moth proof cases. This colke use of the specimens it con- ber 10 to 13, inclusive.

SALT PRODUCTION.

Some Interesting Statistics Given by the Inspector Concerning This Michigan Industry.

State Salt Inspector J. B. Caswell has made his annual report for the year ended November 30, to Gov. Pingree. The report says:

Fifty-six firms are engaged in the industry, operating 60 salt blocks and 1,000 solar salt covers. The production by districts is as follows: Saginaw, 418,653 barrels; Bay, 404,055; St. Clair, 509,776; Iosco, 34,021; Manistee, 2,253,769; Mason, 778,654; Wayne, 370, 912. Grand total, 4,738,085 barrels. The net gain for the year was 5,416 barrels.

The manufacture of salt in Michigan began.in 1860, when 4,060 barrels were produced. From 1869 to 1869 there was no inspection law. Up to that time 3,282,681 barels had been manufactured. In 1869, the first year of the inspection law, the amount manufactured was 561,288 barrels, and there has been a gradual increase each year unti total of 4,738,085 barrels was reached in 1900. The grand total of all salt manufactured in Michigan since 1860 is 91,413,483 bar-

The report also shows that many new blocks are being erected and that old ones are being improved.

AN OLD CLAIM.

Action Begun by an Indian Princess in Behalf of Three Thousand Chippewas and Ottawas.

Princess Tewekeyshik, otherwise Mrs. Pratt, of Marquette, has filed three suits in the court of claims in behalf of 3,000 full-blooded Chippewas and referred to the attorney general of the Ottawas to recover \$57,000 from the department, who has declared the matgovernment. The money accumulated ter out of the jurisdiction of the inin the treasury at the rate of \$1,000 a year for 17 years from 1836 under a treaty. But in 1855 this treaty was superseded by a new treaty, and the accumulated money and interest was subsequently covered back into the treas-

The Indians claim that while the treaty of 1855 stopped further annual accretions to the fund, the amount already in hand should have been divided among the tribes.

New Village.

A new suburban village is being platted surrounding the plant of the Port Huron Salt company on the old Bunce farm, one mile south of the city limits difference of \$1,996,802.37. of Port Huron. Besides the salt works now about completed, other enterprises, it is said, are contemplating loeating in that vicinity.

Announces Fair Dates.

One of the first fair associations in the state to announce its dates for next Is principally for purposes of year is the Union Agricultural associa-Not one out of every hundred tion of Muskegon, Oceana, Ottawa and who visit the museum know of Newaygo counties and the townships tence. It is stored away in a of Tyrone and Sparta, in Kent county. of the attic. Only the special- The dates determined upon are Sertem-

WAS A FAILURE.

igan.

Effort to Interest the Interior De partment in Cheboygan Indians Not a Success.

Gov. Pingree's effort to interest the interior department in the affairs of the Cheboygan Indians has met with failure. The governor went to Washington and announced that the Cheyboygan Indians had been deprived of their lands by tax title sharps, and he proposed to see that justice was done the Indians. He wanted the government to take the land away from the tax title men and return it to the homeless Cheboygans. Secretary Hitchcock told him that the interior department had no authority over the Cheboygans, as they were an independent tribe, and nothing could be done. Gov. Pingree, however, insisted that official action should be taken. The case was terior department, and this decision was forwarded to the governor.

THE TAX COMMISSION.

Some Interesting Figures Concerning the Work Done in the Past

The work of the state tax commis-

sion shows some interesting data relative to the taxes of 1899 and 1900. In the amount of personal taxes collected was \$3,004,956.58. For the present year the rate is \$15.47, and the amount of personal taxes levied is \$5,000,758.95, a

The increase in the assessed 'valuation of the real and personal property in the state for 1900 over that of 1899, is \$349,260,941. For 1900, the assessed valuation of real and personal property amounts to \$1,317,450,028, while the valuation as equalized by the boards of supervisors is \$1.249,884,629.

Libbie Hill, who married Harry Lafaunce in the dome of the Auditorium in Chicago on February 19, 1898, was granted a divorce in Hart for nonsupport.

then village of Chicago in December, 1835. He had obtained employment with Platt, Hughes & Gillas, of Detroit, who had established a stage line to carry mail and passengers. With a coach and four he drove over the frontier roads from Detroit, and when he entered Chicago was put on the Chicago and Little Calumet route, and scon afterward on the Chicago and Michigan City route, where he continued for a ong time.

In 1838 Mr. Lemon drove a stage from Chicago to Springfield and central Illinois. In Springfield he made the personal acquaintance of Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglass. Mr. Lemon had lived in Kalamazoo county since 1840, and at the time of his death was one of the oldest pioneers in this section. He was a republican in politics, and took a lively interest in public affairs up to the time of his death.

Two Discharged.

After a series of conferences among the students of the Michigan military academy at Orchard Lake, of which Col. J. Sumner Rogers is principal owner and commandant, and the faculty sided with the students against Col Rogers, concerning the management of the institution, Col. Rogers issued an order closing the school for the holiday vacation, and relieving W. F. Edwards principal, and Maj. Lowe, members of the faculty, from duty.

Plead Guilty.

Richard Moross, of Detroit, has pleaded guilty to the charge of robbing the office of the Rapid railway in Mount Clemens on the morning of November 5 last. He was once before convicted of a similar offense in this county and sentenced to ten years in prison, but was pardoned by Gov. Pingree a year ago last July, after serving five years

College of Mines.

The board of centrol of the Michigan college of mines, in Houghton, will ask the next legislature for appropriations aggregating nearly \$200,000 for the next two years. Of this amount \$86,650 will be for running expenses, \$42.500 for new engineering building, \$35,000 for 1899 the average rate was \$21.16, and chemical laboratory, \$20,000 for stamp mill and equipment, and \$5,000 fc blacksmith shop and tools.

Struck It Rich.

N. H. Burger, a mining promoter of Wyoming, was in Benton Harbor en route to his former home in Benzonia the county seat of Benzie county. Five years ago he left Benzonia with a railroad ticket to a small village in Colsrado and 28 cents in money. He returns with a bundle of mine bonds valued at \$100,000.

Leads in Bean Growing

Michigan leads the world in the production of beans. New York for a long time held that honor, but for the past five years Michigan has increased rap-idly in this line of agriculture.

ney, of the engineer corps, president; Maj. Thomas H. Handbury. of the engineer corps; Maj. W. L. Marshall, of the engineer corps; Charles C. Broadhead, and C. L. Chaffee.

APPEALS FOR ITALIANS.

Consul at Denver Trying to Secure **Protection for Men Threatened** at Florence.

Denver, Col., Dec. 24 .- Dr. Joseph Cuneo, Italian consul, made an appeal to Gov. Thomas for protection of his countrymen involved in a threatened race war at Florence. His request was that pressure be brought on the Fremont county authorities to exercise all precautions at their command to prevent an outbreak, and, if necessary, to call out the militia. The consul also wired the Italian ambassador at Washington to appeal to President McKinley for federal aid should the state authorities be unable to cope with the situation.

The threatened trouble is the result of the importation of a number of Italians to work in a smelter for the treatment of gold ore. The Mill and Smeltermen's union has objected, but no serious action has been taken, though threats are said to have been made. Edward Seed, an employe of the smelter, was killed Friday apparently by accident by one of the Italians, This incident increased the bitter feeling and a race war has been predicted.

PLACE FOR INAUGURAL BALL.

Secretary Hitchcock Grants Permiss sion to Use the Hall of Pensions Building.

Washington, Dec. 22 .- Secretary Hitchcock Friday granted the inaugural committee permission to hold a ball and entertainment incident to the coming inauguration of President McKinley in the pension building. The spacious court of the pension office with its architectural beauty and enormous proportions is well fitted for the inaugural ball. It has been used on former occasions.

Capture Thief and Money. Tullahoma, Tenn., Dec. 24 .- The Coffee county bank at Manchester was broken into by five men Saturday morning, the safe blown open, and all the currency in the bank, amounting to \$50,000, stolen. The robbery was discovered shortly after its commission by the town watchman, who notified the authorities at Tullahoma, towards which place the robbers fled on a hand car. A deputy sheriff and policeman from Tullahoma met the robbers a mile from town, and after a short fight captured the thief with the money. His four companious escaped.

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Resolutions.

Whereas, in the death of Bro. H. Baldwiu we recognize the call of the great Master to come up higher, and we fully realize the loss to our order of one who was an earnest, zealous member, exempli fying in his life the cardinal principles of faith in God, and noted for his fidelity in a'l things pertaining to the work of the grange, having filled the master's chair with credit and ability for several years, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we the members of Lafayette grange appreciate and keep in our hearts the memory of the social, genial, cordial hand clasp, and kindly words of our brother who has gone from among us, and while we as a grange feel our loss deeply, we cannot help but realize that God knows best and that our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolved, that these resolutions be recorded in the minutes of our grange and also sent to the Chelsea Herald and Chelsea Standard for publication.

> GEORGE T. ENGLISH, FRANK H. SWEETLAND, FRANCES A. ENGLISH, JULIA A. SWEETLAND, Committee.

Dec 18, 1900.

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In view of the fact, we, as members of the Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club, sadly regret the loss of one of our members, Mr. Horace Baldwin. He was one who was always zealous of the welfare and interests of our order, and always stood ready to lend a helping hand to forward its interests, and would put life and animation in the club by his apt and ready wit when work got dull and prosy; therefore be it

Resolved, while we feel his loss most keenly, we know that God doeth all things well, and we must submit to his will, and that our heartfelt sympathy goes out to his entire family in their bereave ment, and that a copy of these resolutions he put on record and also published in both of the papers printed in Chelsca.

CURIOUS CONDENSATIONS.

American trade with Australia in leather goods has quadrupled in five years.

In London there is nearly an hour less deylight at midsummer than in Glasgow.

Switzerland's expense for the kceping of each inmate in the insane asylums is \$48 a year.

The Brooklyn directory for 1899 contains 271.897 names, or 7,833 more than last year.

For a white man to marry a colored woman is contrary to law of every Southern State.

The first ascent of Mont Blanc this year was made on June 9-considerably earlier than usual. The mail matter that comes to To-

peka from Manila sometimes numbers as high !as 1,00 pieces a day. Christian Science is in its infancy in Ireland, but a church has recently

been established at Belfast. Within the last ninety-five years the population of Belgium has doubled itself, rising from 3,000.000 to 6,000,000.

The wool trade of the Argentine Republic increases steadily. Most of it is sent to France and Germany.

The kissing bug has a rival in the unidentified insect up in South Dakota which eats holes in the roofs of houses.

California reports an unusually fine prune crop, the size and abundance of the fruit exceeding those of last year. It has been computed that -350,000,-000 per annum is paid to British ship. owners for ocean carriage between

ocean ports. Owing to the difference in the average death rate it may be said that three Englishmen live as long as five Russians.

Kansas has two head of cattle, one hog, one-third of a horse, and one-tifth of a sheep for every man, woman and child in the State.

Rufus Benner, of Waldoboro; Me., has an earthen jug that is said to have come over in the Mayflower. It has an oval bottom and no handle.

Aregentina buys most of her goods from Britain, Italy is second, Germany third, and the United States a close fourth, with the prospect of soon being second.

Mormonism is gaining ground in England to such an extent that the advisability of introducing a prohibitive

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The scholars in the first and second grades of the public school had a visit Friday afternoon from a real live Santa Claus who distributed gifts of candies, etc., to them. Some of the little once were decidedly frightened at their unusual guest. One little fellow remarked afterwards that Santa "had too many black eyes."

Prof. Delos Fall, the new state superintendent of public instruction, has appointed Miss Carrie E. Taylor, of Jack son, as his confidential clerk and secretary. Miss Taylor is well known to many

ladies in Cheisea by reason of her connection with the Bay View Reading Circle, of which she is the general secretary.

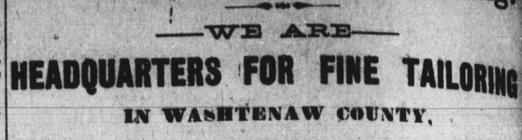
Two Dexter boys named Quinn and Reeves were walking on the railroad track east of that village Monday when they noticed something out of the ordinary at the side of the track. On kicking a piece of sod away which was apparently used for a blind, the youngsters Phone 37. found 80 pairs of kid gloves. The mat-

ter has been reported to the police. Jake Hummel's gray team took a lively rus with his dray yesterday morning.

Starting in the alley back of John Far rel's store they ran around the square and wound up at the freight shed by colliding with one of the supports of the bridge to the elevator. Beyond shattering a wheel and otherwise d maging the dray they did no injury. Neither of the horses were hurt.

This evening Dr. S G. Bush will take the Past, Most Excellent and Royal Arch degrees at Ann Arbor. In response to a request from Washtenaw Chapter, No. 6. to furnish a candidate to help fill out a team to take the R. A. degree, the officers of Olive Charter selected Dr. Bush. He will be accompanied to Ann Arbor by Dr. R. S. Armstrong, H. S. Holmes, W. J. Knapp, W. W. Gifford, and others,

Safe crackers were busy in Ann Arbor Friday night. They broke open the safe of the Kyer Milling Co. but got nothing for their trouble. They then went to Allmendinger & Schneider's mill where they blew open the vault, practically ruining it, and took away \$100 in money. They left \$20,000 in bonds, notes and securities untouched, although the bonds



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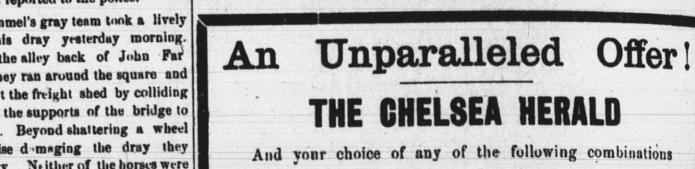
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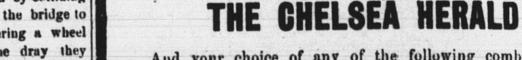
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Electric Railway Notes.

Thos. D. Kearney, of Ann Arbor, who is a legal adviser of Hawes & Angus and has been instrumental in getting several franchises for them in this county, talking with a reporter of the Ann Arbor Argus the other day, said: "You can state in your paper that Hawkes & Angus will build a line to Lansing to meet their Jackson road in Scio township, and Dexter will have a spur that means something. It will be on the main line of the Lansing road and will be in the closest connection with Ann Arbor."

After all the monkey and parrot time indulged in by the Ann Arbor common council at the meeting held a couple of weeks ago, when the further consideration of granting franchises to Wm. A. Boland and Hawkes & Angus was postponed until next month. that august body got together Friday night at a special meeting and passed both franchises Mr. Boland gets a tranchise to enter the "city by Miller avenue and Hawkes & Angua by way of West Hurou street. Mayor Luick approved of the Hawkes & Angus franchise Saturday afternoon and Saturday evening Hawkes & Angus made a legal acceptance of the same.

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measure in Parliament is being seriously considered.

Prague seems to extend its chauvinism even in science. There are two botanical gardens-one belonging to the German, the other to the Bohemian University.

The United States turns out annually 185,000.000,000 pounds of plug tobacco, 12,000,000 pounds of fine cut, 14,000,000 pounds of snuff, 4,000,000 cigars and 5,-000.000 cigarettes.

Although one-balf of the rubber product of the forests along the Amazon goes to the United States, most of the steamers, wharves and banking houses in the region belong to the English.

In spite of the law the destruction of birds in the Italian part of Switzerland continues on a large scale. In the canton 'of Tessin alone the guards destroved last year 13.000 traps for birds.

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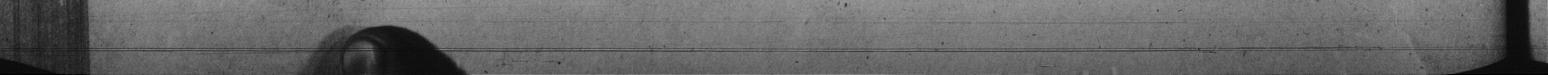
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the last of De mber, and Tommy was tryremain wide awake while the

Old Year was dying: his eyes fell to winking, and lest he

should doze. He shut them a moment to gain that repose

Of mind and of body, important to keep At midnight, when watching while other boys sleep.

Now Tommy was not a courageous young chap,

And his hair stood on end as he heard a loud rap

On a picture, and saw coming right through the frame

A fantastic procession of blind folk and lame.

They limped to his side, and poor Tom stood aghast,

he heard them exclaim: "We have found you at last! We're the year's resolutions-you thought

we were good When you made us and left us to grow as

we could, And 'tis right you should know 'tis entirely

your fault That we stoop, are one-sided, and withered and halt."

"Yes," said one who was cross-cyed, "I'm fast growing blind

Because you've oft failed to be pleasant and kind.

"And I," said another, "must lean on a crutch Because your quick temper goes off at a

touch. "And I am ill-shaped and deformed," cried

a third. "Because you've not always been true to

your word.' So each one accused him of being to blame,

And Tom, blushing and frightened, was covered with shame.

Then one little man, who was bent almost double,

And who looked disappointed and worn out with trouble

(Twas a good resolution which Tommy had made That never for him should a meal be de-

layed), With a voice that was cracked and a man-

ner precise, Said kindly: "My friend, here's a bit of

advicet What's worth doing at all should be always well done:

Resolutions, if kept, are habits begun, And if you again and again persevere

To put us in practice each day of the year. You'll find that in time we'll grow shapely

and strong-

That we'll help you to honor and hold you from wrong.

Here the clock pealed out twelve, but be-

noney will buy on Christmas eve!" "It blesses him who gives and him who takes!" said Aimee.

Suddenly Tom gave her a nudge. "Hello, look-just ahead of us," he said.

with head bent slightly forward and hands linked loosely together behind the library, where coffee was served, his back.

With an impulse of merry mischief she reached forward and dropped a dime in the half-open palm.

The tall man swiftly turned, gave an exclamation of surprise, and was greeted by a hearty laugh from Tom. "Prof. Vaughn!"

"My young friend, Tom-and Miss Aimee, also! Well, well-who would have thought of meeting you two in this part of the town to-night! May I ask what brought you here?" "Just what brought you, professor,

apparently!" laughed Tom. "And then this sister of mine has a fondness for seeking 'the spirit of Merry Christmas,' as she calls it!"

"And apparently she has found it," said the professor, smiling, while Aimce's eyes twinkled and her lips twitched with merriment at the way in which the professor's hand remained closed, as if it contained some treasure.

They walked along together. The professor evidently knew this part of the city well. He had many stories, the room.

"It's wonderful," said Tom, "how where averyone had some good-natured | said Aimee. "It's non the poor attue much happiness a little-a very little joke or story to tell at his neighbor's expense. And when, during its course, Aimee's eyes caught sight of a dime dangling from a split ring on the professor's watch chain, she was decidedly amused. And at the same time she wondered why, though his lips were And Aimee saw a tall, spare man, laughing, his eyes seemed sad.

After dinner they all adjourned to and was followed by Aimee's little "surprise."

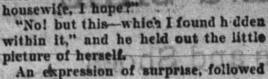
She had disappeared for a moment, and returned to the room bearing a miniature Christmas tree on a silver for Tom when we thought he was gosalver. It seemed ablaze with tiny candles, and little parchment scrolls were tied to the branches with bright ribbons of every hue.

There was a scroll for each of the party, containing a bright bit of nonsense in rhyme, to describe or suggest the contents of the accompanying package. And these were each read aloud, and the packages opened amid the laughter and merry comments of the entire party."

And so at last it came the professor's turn.

O learned man, though you are wise, You oft need help-as one sans eyeshe read.

Professor, you need mine, I know-Take me, I'm yours-with you I'd go! But should you leave me now, too late You'll feel regret-as sure as fate! My riddle you can't read? Then look-You'll find the answer in this book!" A ripple of laughter sounded through



by a wave of color, overspread her face. "Oh-I'm very glad you didn't think-" "No," he said, seriously. "I tried at first to think so, but I simply couldn't, and so-"

"I will tell you how it came to be there," said Aimee, quickly. "I had completely forgotten it, but I remember now. I made the little housewife ing to the war. And I slipped that picture in, because he aiways had liked it, and I thought he might come across it some time and be glad to see it. Then he didn't go, after all, so I just put it one side. And when I wanted something for you in a hurry for my 'nonsense tree,' I thought of that, though I'd forgotten all about the picture. I thank you for not misunderstandingand for bringing it back to me."

"But-I want to keep it," said the professor, earnestly, "unless-unless you will give me the original. Aimee, am I asking the impossible? I love you; I cannot live-happily-without you. Aimee-"

But her face, her gesture answered him.

"I am a fool to have told you this so soon," he ended, abruptly.

"Oh, professor!" said Aimee, very sorrowfully.

"Forget that I am a professor, and think of me for once as Robert Vaughn! Think of me as a man-and not such an old man, either, in spite of a few gray hairs-"

'But a very unreasonable and foolish man!" thought Aimce, though wisely she did not put her thought in words.

The interview ended as such interviews usually end. And the professor, when he went away, carried with him a heavy heart-and the little photograph of Aimee's lovely face.

It was a strange thing, but Aimee could not for one moment forget the professor's words: "I love you. I cannot live - happily - without you!" They rang in her ears, and his faceas it had been when he said those words-haunted her day and night through all the round of holiday gayeties which followed, though during those days she saw him no more.

She did not desire to see him, yet-unconsciously at first-she came to contrast him, his manner, his mode of speech, with every man she met. And each of these she ranked in proportion as they approached or fell below the professor's level. So New Year's eve came, and midnight found Aimee and Tom with a party of their friends, watching the old year depart.

VIEWS OF MR. GRIGGS

Attorney General Presents Argument to Supreme Court.

He Defends the Government's Posla tion in Important Cases Involving Status of Porto Rico and the Philippines.

Washington, Dec. 19 .- Arguments in the Porto Rico-Philippines cases, involving the status of those countries to the United States, were resumed in the United States supreme court Tuesday. The widespread interest in the cases was shown by a large attendance of prominent members of the bar and by a crowd of spectators which filled the public area and overflowed into the corridor.

Argument by Mr. Griggs.

Mr. Griggs' plea was based upon a brief of 200 pages, the greater part of which is devoted to presenting the argument of the United States, while the remaining portion is in the shape of an appendix giving the text of the peace treaty between the United Staes and Spain, and also the text of other treatles supposed to bear upon the question.

In presenting the government's side of the controversy the attorney general first stated the two cases upon which the pro-ceeding is based. This was followed by a general explanation and summing up of the government's position, after which came the citation of innumerable authorities, under appropriate headings, with pertinent running comment upon them. The attorney general contended that the United States has the power to acquire territory; that, having acquired it. it has the right to govern it; that administrative construction, congressional action and judicial precedent affirm that every port in a ceded country is properly regarded as foreign un-til laws are extended by congress to the new possessions; that the clause of the constitution of the United States declaring duties uniform throughout the United States is not applicable to new possessions. and that the constitution does not extend of its own force over acquired territory.

Wrong from Two Points of View.

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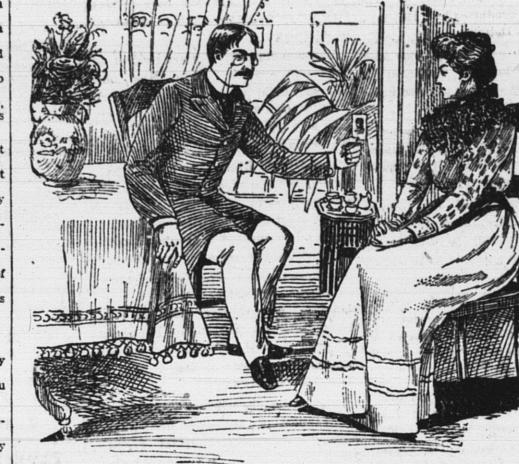
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In his general contention on behalf of the United States, Mr. Griggs argued that his opponents were wrong from both a legal and a constitutional point of view. Referring to the legal aspect of the case, he asserted that the Dingley act applied to merchandise imported from Porto Rico and the Philippines after their cession to the United States the same as it did before, and that in view of the fact that tariff laws are in rem there is no principle of justice, much less of constitutional restriction, which forbids congress from taxing in this way the merchandise of outlying possessions of the United States when brought into the ports of the union.

Two Established Propositions.

He laid down as established the two following propositions:

1. That the tariff act of 1897 was intended by congress to classify as foreign all countries not a part of or belonging to the United States at the time of its passage, and the subsequent cession of the Spanish islands to the United States did not operate to admit imports from those islands free of duty, under that law. 2. That the tariff act so construed and enforced violates no constitutional rule of uniformity.



fore the last stroke The dream folk had vanished, and Tommy awoke;

He rubbed his eyes smartly, and vowed he'd remember His good resolutions until next December.

If he does, with the practice that every day cives

He'll form habits to bless him as long as he lives.

-Anna M. Pratt, in Golden Days,



"Come out and inhale the spirit

of Christmas in the keen frosty air!" said Aimee. And so they sallied forth.

They were soon on that side of the town where the poorer classes dwell, Christmas dinner in a boarding house! and where to-night the curbs were Please say 'yes,' professor. We shall lined with booths lit up by flaring count on you-at seven. There will be torches, and the venders were selling cheap toys, fruits, candies, evergreens and all sorts of articles, in opposition to the long rows of attractively lighted and decorated shops.

The brother and sister mingled with the crowd, who all seemed imbued with more or less of the holiday humor. Even the blind beggars alone in his rooms, at seven in the begged cheerfully and called down genial blessings on the equally cheerful givers

The sight was not new to them, for the year before Aimee and Tom had spent Christmas eve in this same a warm friendship had sprung up bequarter.

For some weeks Aimee had been hoarding her small coins to "invest" to-night, and these she had dropped him-since last night! In actual point loose in her jacket pecket before sallying forth. And Tom, who had discovered Aimee's "trick" on the previous Christmas eve, had quietly followed her example. So many a "Merry Christmas and God bless you," from the halt and blind, fell to their a radiant "spirit of Christmas," with share as they gayly passed, borne on- a sprig of holly in her nut-brown hair ward by the hurrying throng.

Their largesse-or "little largeness," as Tom dubbed it-was not alone for those who begged. An old, dull. withered woman, basket on arm, paused doubtfully before a stall of fruit, and Aimee dropped her largest silver piece in the old crone's basket, Tom swiftly following suit. Two tattered children were eying wistfully a stand of cheap toys; when suddenly from some unknown source a nickel dropped into the grimy hand of each, and made possible the delight which seemed so far away to them the momert before.

HE HELD OUT THE LITTLE PICTURE OF HERSELF.

"What can it be? It suggests a better droll and pathetic, to tell of customs half!" said one. of which they knew nothing, and of

stranger customs still, which were practiced in the poorer parts of certain cities abroad. Aimee listened with delight, while

her bright eyes lost nothing of what was going on about her. She emptied her jacket pocket, too, to its last small coin, and so dexterously that the professor never once saw what she was doing, or, at least, that was what Aimee thought. He accompanied them to their own

door, but would not go in. "No, no---Christmas eve is no time for an outsider to call. Thank you, no-I'm going home-to bed."

"But, professor," said Aimee, "I want to hear the end of your exciting experience in Bulgaria; if you will not come in and finish the story to-night, you must come and dine with us tomorrow. Oh, you just said you had no engagement-and fancy taking two other such 'homeless waifs,' as you call yourself-friends of Tom'sbesides ourselves. Tom, escort the professor home, and don't leave him until he has said 'yes!' A merry Christmas, professor, and au revoir-to-morrow!" The professor yielded, and, after a Christmas day spent rather dismally evening he found himself one of a party of 12 at the Desmonds' hospitable

table. He had known the family well ever since Tom's first year in college, when tween the older and the younger man.

That he was older than Tom-and Aimee-had been a source of regret to of years he was not old at all, and yet from these young people's standpoint he knew he already belonged to the rank of "grave and reveraud seniors." And when he found himself at the dinner table beside Aimee-who looked -he thought her more lovely and merry and girlish-looking than ever, and he felt himself unusually old and

But he did not dream that her bright eyes had detected the shade of unreasonable sadness which suddenly came over her guest, or that she had set herself the task of dispelling it. It was a genial Christmas party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Desmond, their married daughter, her husband and their three half-grown children, Tom and two of his "homeless" young bachelor friends, Aimce and Prof. Vaughn. And it proved a delightful dinner, "A wife!"

"A housewife, truly!" exclaimed Mrs. Desmond, as the professor awkwardly opened his little package. "Well article for any bachelor!"

face.

And the last thing the professor's bewildered eyes rested upon, in his own room long after midnight, was a little photograph which he had found in a pocket of the housewife-a picture of Aimee's lovely face!

The professor was sorely puzzled. Had Aimee given him her likenessunasked-or had the photograph slipped in by accident? What did the doggerel say?

'O learned man, though you are wise, You oft need help-as one sans eyes-"

"I do need help!" he said, "and truly, have been blind-till now!"

Professor, you need mine, I know-Take me, I'm yours-with you I'd go!" "Aimee, do you mean it-you, yourself? No, no, or you never would have said it thus; of that I'm sure!"

But should you leave me now, too late You'll feel regret-as sure as fate!" "Regret-Aimee, if I can't win you I

shall feel despair!" ' My riddle you can't read? Then look-

You'll find the answer in this book!" "And the answer is-your likeness-

hidden-for none but my eyes to see!" He needed her. Ah, yes, he knew it now. But could she have guessed his secret, even before it had been fully revealed to himself, and could she have taken this artful way-to give him courage? No, a thousand times no! That could never be Aimee's way. And yet-

He looked at her picture again and he read the doggerel again. Finally he went to bed, but he could not sleep. He was haunted by Aimee's lovely face. Early the next afternoon the professor went to the Desmonds' and asked to see Miss Aimee.

He noted that she seemed surprised to see him. the Kard . C.

"I came to return something," he said, watching her anxiously.

She seemed puzzled. Then she laughed gayly and extended her hand. "My poor little ten-cent piece! I hope you didn't really think I mistook you for a blind beggar!"

"Indeed, Miss Aimee, you will find that I am a beggar, and I am sure that I have been quite blind. But it is not the dime; you really gave me that, and I have a right to keep it-for luck!" "But-I really don't understand," Star.

Some one had been reciting Tennyson's "Death of the O'd Year." And the words.

He gave me a friend and a true, true-love, And the New Year will take 'em away,' struck Aimee as ominous. They echthought of, Aimee! A useful little oed through her dreams all night, and they came back to her next morning So the evening passed merrily, and when she took up the paper and read the last thing the professor's eyes rest- of an accident which had occurred on ed upon, as he bade the family good a trolley the night before, in which night, was Aimee's lovely, laughing Prof. Robert Vaughn had been injured so seriously that his death was momentarily expected.

Then it was that the truth was revealed to her, and her heart echoed the professor's own words: "I love you. I cannot live-happily-without you!"

The family were so concerned over the bad news of their friend that Aimee's face was not noticed.

Nor did it seem strange or unusual to them when she went out alone to the early service at the church.

Aimee wanted to be alone with her secret and her sorrow. The holy words to which she listened made her more calm. And when the service was ended she walked on to the street where she knew the professor lived. She would pass the door, and if he were already-gone-there would surely be some sign by which she would know-the worst.

But she saw no sign, and, though she dared not hope, she paused and breathed a little inarticulate prayer.

The door above suddenly opened and shut again, and the tall figure of a man came swiftly down the steps.

"Aimee-Miss Aimee-you!" "Oh, professor! Then-you are not -dead!"

He looked searchingly into her pitiful, white, lovely face,

"Professor ?" he queried.

"Robert!" she breathed, with a little sob.

dead!" he said, cheerily, tucking her unresisting hand within his arm with a

a mistake-but a blessed mistake, my Aimee-for I believe I have that to thank for giving you to me-and making this the happiest New Year of my lifel"-Judith Spencer, in 'Ladies' World, New York.

Why He Liked It.

"It's too bad," said Willie Wishington, "that the good old custom of making calls New Year's day is slowly but surely dying out."

"Do you like the practice?" "Verwy much. When you cawn't think of anything else you can say: 'Happy New Year,' and it's the only time when I evah feel weally at home as a conversationalist."--Washington **Right to Acquire and Govern.**

Mr. Griggs then entered upon the presentation of his subject in detail. He contended that the right of the United States to acquire territory had been asserted in the declaration of independence, and said that such acquisition could be made either by conquest, by treaty, by annexation or by discovery. He quoted a number of supreme court decisions in support of this contention. A great deal of attention was given to the right to govern territory when once acquired, and innumerable authorities were adduced in support of this position, among others the decision of the supreme court in the Mormon church case, in which the court said that "it would be absurd to hold that the United States has power to acquire territory and no power to govern it when acquired.

He asserted that "the treaty-making power of the government has exercised the right to deal with the status of the inhabitants of ceded territory in every treaty of cession from 1803 to 1898." The status fixed, he said, has not been uniform, but exceedingly varying. He then proceeded to argue that this practice is entirely at variance with the doctrine that "the constitution follows the flag" and that when territory is ceded to the United States the Inhabitants become immediately proprio vigore citizens of the United States. "If that doctrine be true," he said, "every treaty that has brought us new lands and new inhabitants has violated in this respect the principles of the constitution. It convicts of error and usurpation Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe, James K. Polk, Franklin Pierce, Andrew Johnson, their cabinets and the senates that ratified their treatles."

As to "Uniform Duties" Clause. Mr. Griggs went at length into the claim that the constitutional clause which provides that "duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States" prohibits imposition of duties in the cases before the court.

"That clause," he said, "does not apply to nor govern these cases, because the term 'United States,' as there used, means only the territory comprised within the several states of the union, and was intended only for their benefit and protection, and not for the benefit or protection of outside territory belonging to the nation; in the latter sense duties on imports from these islands were uniform throughout the United States, because they are uniformily imposed at every port in the United States, so that there is no preference given to the ports of one state over those of another, nor is any inequality between the several states created."

Constitution Not Elastic.

The last feature of the argument was a contention that the constitution does not extend of its own force over acquired ter-ritory, and in this connection the attorney seneral sought to refute the doctrine, as laid down by Chief Justice Taney in the Dred Scott case, that the United States could not acquire territory for any other could not acquire territory for any other purpose than to convert it into states of the union. "The doctrine of the ex-proprio vigore extension of the constitution was never heard of," he said, "until it was in-vented and advocated by Calhoun as means of fastening slavery upon California and New Mexico beyond the power of con-gress to disturb or abolish it. It was in conflict with all previous views of states-men of all parties, and opposed to the com-pact in the ordinance of 1787, as well as to the act of congress known as the Missouri the act of congress known as the Misso compromise."

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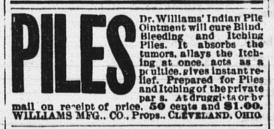
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wife, and Edward Bycratt and Mary E. Bycraft, his wile, to Jennie E Cheever, trustee, bearing date February 4. A. D 25 1890, and recorded in the office of the John Farrell has so far recovered from his recent severe attack of rheumatism as to be able to get around the house on crutches. Miss Kate Hooker arrived home Mon-day evening from Detroit, where she has been trimming in a large millinery estab-biolog at register of deeds for Washtenaw county, no suit or proceeding in law or equity signed by s id Noah W. Chever to having been instituted to recover the debt Dwight B Cheever by deed of assignment secured by said mortgage or any part dated April 4th, A. D 1882, and duly rethereof, and the sum of two hundred corded in said register's office, by which twenty eight dollars and 41-100 (\$228 41) d. fault the power of sale contained in sid being now claimed to be due on said mort-gage. morigage became operative, and no suit or proceeding in law or equity taving been Notice is therefore hereby given that instituted to recover the debt secured in aid mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale said mortgage or any part thereof, and the of the mortgaged premises therein de- sum of two hundred ninety dollars (\$29006) scribed, or some part thereof, to wit: All being now elaimed to be due upon said of the following described land situated mortgage. Notice is therefore hereby in the city of Ann Arbor, in the state of given that said mortgage will be foreclosed Michigan, viz .: The west one-half (W. 16) by a sale of the mortgaged premises there of lot No seven (7) according to Hiscock's in described, or some part thereof, to will, improved plat, recorded in the office of viz : All of the following described land the register of deeds for Washtenaw situated in the township of Northfield in county, in liber 46 of deeds, on page 68, at the county of Washtenaw, and state of public vendue, on Friday, the 1st day of Michigan, viz.: Commencing on section February, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock in the line between sections five (5) and six (6) in 'oreucon, at the east front door of the said township, four (4) rods and eleven (1) court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in feet north of the quarter stake and in the said county of Washtenaw, that being the center of the highway, thence north our place of holding circuit court in said said section line fifteen (15) rods and one county Dated November 1, A. D 1900. MARINDA I., WHITE, Assignce of Mortgage. NOAH W. CHEEVER, Attorney for Assignee.

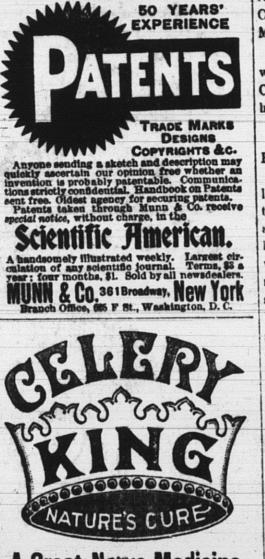
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Mr. and Mrs. J H. Oshorne and child-

ren, of Omaha, Neb , have been spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes and family.

Miss Cora E. Noyes, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Osborne, of Omaha, Neb., and attending, school is at home for the Christmas season

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W. R. LEBMAN, TOwnship Treasurer.

in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ord-red, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the 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 Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hear-ing. H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

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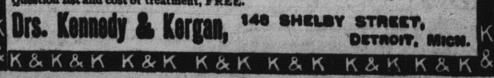


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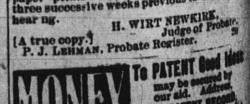
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