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Table Damasks all Reduced.

Fine heavy pure linen table damask was \$1.50, now \$1.25 Fine heavy pure linen table damask was \$1.25, now 95c Extra heavy silver bleached German damask was 90c, special 60c Big assortment of 59c, 60c, 65c and 69c unbleached damasks at 49c All napkins reduced in price Crashes at cut prices

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Extra good pillow cases at 15c each 8-4 and 9 4 sheetings and pillow caseings at sale prices

## All Overcoats and Suits 1-4 Off.

Special Prices on Mens' Underwear for January.

> 50c and 59c Dress Goods now 29c 75c Dress Goods now 39c BLACK GOODS SALE

50 New (this seasons) women's Jackets were \$10.00 and \$12.50, now \$5.00. These must be sold at once.

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## THIS WEEK IT IS BOX PAPER

Elegant box papers in blue, pink and cream tints,

At 10 cents per Box

See our show window.

## More Syrup Pitchers at 10 cents each. Sweet Juicy Oranges 15c dozen.

Try Cascara, Bromide Quinine for colds. Will cure a cold in 24 hours.

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Condensed milk at 10c can.

Hard Maple Tooth Picks 5c box A Good Lantern with wick and globe for 43c

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The largest 5c ink tablet in Chelsea

13 bars laundry soap for 25c

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Canned peas 5c per can

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CHELSRA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

Farmers' Club Meeting.

The January meeting of of the W. W. Farmers' Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Boynton. Meeting called to order by the president. Program opened with music followed with prayer by Rev. F. A. Stiles.

George Boynton resigned as chairman of the legislative committee and Wm. Stocking was appointed in his place. Solo and duet-"Tell mother I'll be there." Mesdames Frank Storms and

Herman Fletcher. Quotation.

Recitation-"Give them a lift when they are down." Geo. E. Davis. Question-"How can we best advance

the interests of the American people?" Led by Frank Sweetland; discussed by members of the club.

Meeting then adjourned to meet at the Wednesday, February 13th.

Supervisors for the County Fair. The following supervisors of the Washtenaw county fair have been appointed:

General Superintendent-F. B. Barun. Cattle-George Phelps. Horses, classes 1 to 5-Herman Rayer,

Horses, classes 6 to 9-Frank Stowell. Sheep-O. C. Burkhart. Swine-C. Clements.

Poultry-C. H. McIntyre.

Dairy and Culinery-Mrs. B. D, Kelly. Flowers-Mrs, J. M. Braun. Fine Art-A. C. Schumacher.

Class 1 and 2 (garden products)-J Class 3 (farm and garden)-Mr. and

Mrs. J. Fletcher. Fruits-Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mc-Michael.

Manufactured Products-Jacob Rei-Miscellaneous-Emery Leland.

Schools-W. N. Lister. Merchants' Display--A. C. Schuma-

Pionerr-Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Graves.

New Officers.

At the annual meeting of the German | Enfield post office, which is shortly ensuing year:

President-Charles Kaercher. Vice President-Jacob Hepfer.

Corresponding and Financial Secretary -Israel Vogel.

Cashler and Treasurer-C. Neuberger. and George Bauer.

Secretary of Sick Committee-Jacob

Physician-Dr. G. W. Palmer. Color Bearer-Geo. P. Staffan.

Assistant Color Bearers-Theo. Wede-

At a meeting of Chelsea Court, No. 7612 I.O. F., held in their hall on Friday evening, January 18th, the following members were elected officers for the

ensuing year: C. R.-J. E. McKune.

V. C. R.-Geo. A. Betiole.

meyer and Joseph Kolb.

F. S. and Treas.-J. George Webster.

R. S .- C. W. Maroney Chaplain-A. L. Steger.

S. W .- Orrin Thatcher. J. W .- C. Flagler.

S. B.-W. S. Shell.

J. B .- M. Conway.

C. W. Maroney representative to the High Court at Bay City, February 25th. J. E. McKune, alternate.

The installation of the newly elected officers will be Friday evening, January 25th and all members are requested to be

Real Estate Transfers.

Mary McKone to Ella Johnson et al., Sylvan \$300.

Martin McKune and wife to John and Timothy McKune, Sylvan 1,000.

Frank W Carpenter et al., to Ephriam H Carpenter, Dexter 4,800.

Emily Monroe to Mary Schwikerath, Chelsea 225.

Gottlieb Ahnmiller and wife to Angus & Hawkes, Chelsea 100. L Evalina Gates to Angus & Hawkes,

Lima 1,184.50. Frank Staffan and wife to Angus &

Hawkes, Chelsea 25. Frank H Sweetland and wife to Angus

& Hawkes, Sylvan 97.50. George P. Glazier and wife to Angus

& Hawkes, Chelsea 90. Reuben Kempf and wife to Angus & Hawkes, Sylvan 500.

Jacob Schumacher and wife to Angus Hawkes, Chelsea 600. Henry Frey and wife to Angus &

Hawkes, Sylvan, 125. A. Mortimer Freer et al., to Angus & Hawkes, Lima 125. Geo. Taylor and wife to Angus &

Hawkes, Lima 677.50. Mary E Schwickrath to Angus &

Hawkes, Chelsea 300. Edward Beissel to Angus & Hawkes,

John W Beissel to Edward Bessel,

METHODIST NOTES.

Our prayer meetings continue to prove seasons of refreshing, and all who attend find it profitable to wait on the Lord.

It is now a settled thing that the pipe organ will be dedicated February 25th. The full program will be announced

The class of probationers under the care of the pastor are doing well. Very interesting and profitable services are held every Tuesday night.

Rev. George Turk of the Carlton street Methodist church of Toronto, Ont., has been secured to preach in the Methodist church on the anniversary of the dedica tion of the church, February 24th.

Our Sunday-school is in a prosperous condition. The first Sunday in each month it gives the collection for missions. home of Mr. and Mrs. James McLaren The collections so far this year has averaged about \$10. The first Sunday in the new year the collection amounted to \$15.85. Last Sunday the pastor had 25 men in his class.

The public are invited to a birthday IN OUR DRUG DEPARTMENT social which the ladies of the M. E. church will give in the church parlors on Friday evening, February 1. Supper from 5 to 8 o'clock. An enjoyable program has been prepared for an after supper entertainment which will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. By a happy coexpected to be with us at that time and

Bros. Hunter and Crossley are expected to arrive in Chelsea at 10 p. m Thursday, January 31st, and remain until Saturday, on their way to Owosso where they commence services Sunday, February 3rd. We are sure the people of Chelsea will be pleased to see them and if they wish to shake hands with the m let them come to the Methodist church on Friday night, and attend the birthday social to be given by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Remains of Tudor Palace in London.

Workmen's Society, Monday evening the to be removed to a new site, at pres following officers were elected for the ent occupies a building which poswas Queen Elizabeth's palace. A portion of the center and south wing of the Tudor structure still remains, and within there are richly ornamented ceilings, oak paneled walls and a massive chimney piece, standing on lionic Trustees-Adam Faist, Michael Merkel and Corinthian columns; and here are seen the letters "E. R.," with the arms of England and France quartered, the rose and portcullis, the lion and the gryphon, and the motto, "Sola salus servire Deo, sunt alterae fraudes." At the back is a gigantic cedar, which is regarded as the first of these trees ever grown in England, as unquestionably it is the largest. The story runs that it was reared from a seed brought over from Mount Libanus.-London Telegraph.

> England Venerates the Oak. It is only too true to say that our state forests have been neglected and mismanaged in the near past. Alice Holt and the New forest are instances in point. Then there is Windsor forest, which has also suffered in the same way. In many places oaks were being grown where there was no prospect of their ever becoming good trees. The soil was unsuited to these trees, though capable of growing excellent Scotch pines. There are plenty of goods in the south of England, the property of private individuals, where the ground is oak-sick, yet the owners make no attempt to permit any other sort of tree. A tree which is now very common throughout Surrey and other counties is the locust tree, or acacia .-London Express.

Klondike's Equable Climate. An illusion in the minds of the illinformed is that the climate of the Klondike is such as to make life unendurable. The fact is that the winter from November to March is no harder than in the northern part of New York, Minnesota or Wisconsin, and better than the blizzard-stricken states ing the winter, the weather is uniformly comfortable enough to allow outdoor mining operations during the entire winter season. The spring, summer and fall are distinct, with an ideal nia. All druggists. climate.-N. Y. Herald.

Memory of a Benefactor Tonsted. Toasting Sir Francis Drake is an troubles. Prompt action will save the litinteresting ceremony. The town of the ones from these terrible diseases. Plymouth consumes 5,000,000 gallons We know of nothing so certain to give of water per day, and its first reginstant relief as One Minute Cough Cure ular supply was given to the town It can also be relied upon in grippe and during Sir Francis Drake's mayoral- all throat and lung troubles of adults ty. Annually the town indulges in the quaint ceremony of toasting his memory, which is done in this way: The pious memory of Sir Francis is drunk in water at the head weir.

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among children from croup and lung all throat and lung troubles of adults Bath Room in Connection Pleasant to take. Glazier & Stimson

Pepsin preparation often fail to relieve indigestion because they can digest only But then the company drinks in wine, to the sentiment: "May the descendants of him who brought us water never want for wine."—Pearson's Weekly.

albuminous foods. There is one preparation that digests all classes of food, and that is Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It cures the worst cases of indigestion and gives instant relief, for it digests what you eat. Glazier & Stimson.

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MICHIGAN.

The plans of an electric railroad between Rome and Naples are nearly completed. The road will be 133 miles long and the service will include a number of fast trains.

The largest and most cumbersome form of money is found in Central Africa, where the natives use a crossshaped ingot of copper ore over ten inches long. It is heavy enough to be a formidable weapon.

In the neighborhood of New Buffalo, Mich., gray wolves are raiding sheep pens. One big fellow was run down

While it is true that recruiting for the and gates that we may swing open. navy is now carried on outside of the centers.

Jan. 28.

Johnsor \_ Boswell, "is greater than I in your elbows, for we will place on have words to express; but I do not either side of you those whom you choose to be always repeating it." The never expected would sit there, for, Mexicans show themselves more de- as Christ said to his people long ago, monstrative. On December 1st they so he says to you and to me, "Other reassirmed their affection and trust in sheep I have which are not of this Perarie Diaz by inaugurating him, for fold." the sixth time, president of the Mexican republic.

It is understood to be the intention of Gen. Heywood, commandant of the marine corps, to recommend that all officers who have been on duty in the Philippines for two years or over and who so desire be brought to the United States within the next few months, their places to be filled by others whose service has been mostly "No," says McDonald, "I have a great ashore since receiving their commis- many more sheep than you found in

union of Indiana has put itself on rec- are not of this fold." So Christ says ord as favoring the creation of a new to us. Here is a knot of Christians and erages, with a view to maintaining the purity thereof. The organization believes that if pure liquors only should be sold the profits of the trade would be so far reduced that the saloonkeep- the only difference between these last ers would be forced to quit business.

The new president of a transcontinental railway who, it is said, draws a salary of fifty-five thousand dollars a year, began his education in railroading twenty-seven years ago, at a salary of forty dollars a month. Let young men just starting in life observe that he did not stop at forty dollars, and that they need not. For those who hope to repeat or exceed his success, let us suggest a consideration of that period of twenty-seven years.

sibly be built. The whole town was the convalescents warm, each building is provided with a stove, and, in spite all danger of fire has been obviated by treating the roofs with a patent fireresisting obemical.

afty-eight Cuban women as census so big heads of wheat, still he would that certificate, and it is so suggestive enumerators caused some astonish- remain poer. The church of God has that he vows that he wants none of ment and much doubt as to their ability to do the work efficiently. The re- has raised splendid men and women rectors of that oil company prosult more than justified the general's in that small inclosure. But the field fessed. action. Those of them who worked in is the world. That means Europe, the still disturbed rural districts were | Asia, Africa, North and South America exposed to dangerous risks and much and all the islands of the sea. discomfort, but their patience, tact and determination overcame all obstacles, and their returns, in the words of the general, were marked by "great clearness, exactness and cleanliness." "It was splendid," he observed, "to see the enthusiasm of these women, and note the fine way in which they went about their duties, businesslike as men, uncomplaining of the hardships they endured, capable and re-

An outbreak of typhoid fever has occurred in Lambeth, England, owing to infected mangles. Forty-one cases occurred in twenty-four houses, all within a restricted area. There was much intercommunication between places and families living in different houses. Many of the inhabitants after washing their clothes in their own homes took them to some neighbor to be mangled. Owing to this custom, bedding and clothing of those ill with typhoid fever were mangled in the same machine. thus spreading the disease. Four different infected mangles were traced.

SERMON.

THE DOOR OF CHRISTIAN RE-LIGION OPEN TO ALL

Timely Discourse on the Occasion the Twentieth Anniversary of the Bowery Missions in New York City-Broader Sympathy Required.

(Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch, N. Y.) New York, Jan. 20 .- On the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the Bowery mission, Jan. 13, Dr. Talmage preached to a vast audience at the New York Academy of Music. Ministers of all denominations were pres-

There is no monopoly in religion. by dogs and killed the other morning. The grace of God is not a little prop-It is thought there are several in the erty that we may fence off and have all the beach, wrapping them in flannels, wooded land lying south of New Buf- to ourselves. It is not a king's park, at which we look through a barred Officials of the navy department are and see the statuary and the deer and considering a plan for recruiting for the royal conservatory. No; it is a women freezing in the rigging of that the navy from the farms and country Father's orchard, and everywhere wreck. Launch the lifeboat." Now I towns in the interior of the country. there are bars that we may let down

Well, my friends, there are Christian large cities, it has not yet reached the men who have the church under severe interior sections remote from large guard. There is fruit in this orchard for the whole world, but they have a rough and unsympathetic way of ac-A. J. King, who was recently elected costing outsiders, as though they had prosecuting attorney of Vernon coun- no business there, though the Lord ty, Mo., may have to conduct a lawsuit wants all to come and take the choicagainst himself. When County Re- est and ripest fruit on the premises. corder he was sued for \$4,000, which it Have you an idea that because you was alaimed he owed the county on were baptized at eight months of age fees collected and not turned in. The and because you have all your life been case has been in many circuit courts, under hallowed influences you thereand has been set for a rehearing on fore have a right to one whole side of the Lord's table, spreading yourself out and taking up the entire room? "My regard for you;" wrote Samuel I tell you no. You will have to haul

Sheep of Many Folds. McDonald, the Scotchman, has thousands of head of sheep. Some of them are browsing on the heather, some of them are lying down under the trees, some are strolling over the mountains, some of them are in his yard. They scattered all around in many places. Cameron, his neighbor, comes over and says: "I see you have thirtysix sheep. I have just counted them." this yard. Some are here, and some are elsewhere. I have 4,000 or 5,000 in The Woman's Christian Temperance my flocks. 'Other sheep I have which Here is the Episcopal fold, the Methodist fold, the Lutheran fold, the Congregational fold, the Presbyterian fold, the Baptist and the Pedo-Baptist fold, two being the way in which they wash the sheep, and so they are scattered all over. And we come with our statistics and say there are so many thousand of the Lord's sheep, but Christ responds: "No, no; you have not seen more than one out of a thousand of my flock. They are scattered

all over the earth. 'Other sheep I have

which are not of this fold." Broader Sympathy Required.

Exclusiveness in Religion.

think there is sometimes an exclusive- that I believe that you do not believe, outside world comes up and looks at man. Everybody that knows you stand inside of the same churches ham- just as badly off as you are; take it," my text, "Other sheep I have, which would say, "Well, if it will accommoare not of this fold."

stopped going to church ten or cient and you are sick of sin. I come

that you are among the first that I ad- tured hundreds and thousands and dress today? I know all your case. You millions. Will you take it? "No," have not been accustomed to going you say, "I have no confidence in it." into the house of God, but I have a sur- Take it, then, to oblige me. I tell you prising announcement to make to you. of a Physician who has cured more You are going to become one of the blind eyes, and bound up more broken Lord's sheep. "Oh," you say, "it is hearts, and healed more ghastly impossible. You don't know how far wounds than all the doctors since the I am from anything of that kind." I know all about it. I have wandered up and down the world, and I understand your case. I have a still more startling announcement to make in regard to you. You are not only going to become one of the Lord's sheep, but you will become one now. Send Out the Lifeboat.

When the steamer Atlantic struck ent. The text was, John x, 16, "Other | Mars rock and the people clambered up sheep I have which are not of this on the beach, why did not Mr. Ancient, that heroic minister of the gospel, of whom we have all read, sit down and take care of those men on kindling fire for them, and seeing that they got plenty of food? Ah, he knew gateway, wishing that we might go in that there were others who would do that. He says: "Yonder are men and see the oar blades bend under the anything else, you believe in love-a strong pull, but before they reach the wreck a woman was frozen and dead. love, a child's love. Then let me tell She was washed off, poor thing. "But," you that God loves you more than all he says, "there is a man to save." And these together. The great heart of he cries out: "Five minutes longer, Christ aches to have you come in, and and I will save you. Steady, steady! he looks into your eyes this moment, boat. Thank God, he is saved!" So not of this fold." there are those who are safe on the I want to tell you that God loves shore of God's mercy. They are as to take held of a very bad case. When safe as though they had been a thou- the church casts you off, and when sand years in heaven, "kept by the the clubroom casts you off, and when power of God through faith unto sal- society casts you off, and when busivation." But there are some who are ness associates cast you off, and when freezing in the rigging of sin and sur- father casts you off, and when mother rounded by tempest. Pull away, my casts you off, and when everybody lads! Let us reach them. Alas, one is casts you off your first ery for help will washed off and gone. There is one bend the eternal God clear down to the there for that one. Clutch the rope, Good Templars cannot save you, al-O dying man; clutch it as with a death | though they are grand institution. The grip. Steady, now, on the slippery Sons of Temperance cannot save you, places! Steady! They are saved, although they are mighty for good. saved, just as I thought, for Christ Signing the temperance pledge cannot has declared that there are some still save you, although I believe in it. in the breakers who shall come ashore. Nothing but the grace of the eternal "Other sheep I have which are not of God can save you, and that will if you this fold."

> Finding Lost Sheep. The heavenly Shepherd is going to

find a great many of his sheep among disgusted you with religion. It may ror. be that thirty years ago you lost all But I turn to outsiders with an exfaith by what happened in an oil com- pectation that thrills through me, pany which was formed amid the pe- body and soul. "Other sheep I have, troleum excitement. The company whi h are not of this fold." You are owned no land, or if they did there not gospel hardened. You have not was no sign of oil produced. But the heard many sermons during the last Episcopal vestryman, and one director weep, but the tear is not far off. You was a Methodist class leader and the sigh, and you have noticed that there other officers prominent members of is always a sigh in the wind before Baptist and Congregational churches. the rain falls. There are those here Circulars were got out telling what who would give anything if they could fabulous prospects opened before this find relief in tears. They say: "Oh, We need as churches to get into company. The circular had all the my wasted life! Oh, the bitter past! part of his history which mentions a sympathy with the great outside world hues of earth and sea and sky. The Oh, the graves over which I have stum-Five hundred men sleep, eat and will not be welcomed. "No," says cent men and women who had a little very dark! God help me! God pity for one. keep warm beneath roofs of nothing some fastidious Christian, "I do not money to invest and that little their me!" Thank the Lord for that last utelse but paper at Netley, says London like to be crowded in church. Do not all said, "I do not know anything terance. You have begun to pray, and Answers. There are forty-five of these put any one in my pew." My brother, about this company, but so many good when a man begins to petition God long, narrow buildings, constructed en- what will you do in heaven, when a men are at the head of it that it must steps in and beats back the hounds tirely of paper, which shines white in great multitude that no man can number excellent, and taking stock in it of temptation to their kennel and round the sun. Each building holds ten in- ber assembles? They will put fifty in must be almost as good as joining the about the poor wounded soul puts the valided soldiers. "Hutments" is the your pew. What are the people as church." So they bought their stock covert of his pardoning mercy. Hark! technical name of these erections, and sembled in Christian churches com- and perhaps received one dividend to I hear something fall. What was that? extends to them the privileges of the nothing warmer or dryer could pos- pared with the mightier millions out- keep them still. But after awhile they side? Some churches are like a hos- found that the company had reorganiz- sheep-fold. The Shepherd lets down built in less than a month. To keep pital that should advertise that its pa- ed and had a different president, a diftients must have nothing worse than ferent treasurer and different directors. toothache or runarounds, but no broken Other engagements or an overcoming of the apparently inflammable nature heads, no crushed ankles or fractured modesty had caused the former officers of the material the huts are built of. limbs. Bring there for treatment mod- of the company, with many regrets, to erate sinners, velvet coated sinners and resign, and all that the subscribers of sinners with a gloss on. It is as if a that stock had to show for their inman had a farm of 3,900 acres and put vestment was a beautifully ornamented all his work on one acre. He might certificate. Sometimes that man, look-General Sanger's appointment of raise never so large ears of corn, never ing over his old papers, comes across bestowed its chief care on one acre and the religion that the president and di-

Why Reject Christianity?

But I do not stop now to know how you came into rejection of Christianity. You frankly tell me that you do Years ago I visited a New England reject it. You do not believe that factory village. I went up to the door Christ is a divine being, although of a factory, and I saw on the outside you admit that he was a very good the words, "No admittance." Of course man. You do not believe that the I went in, and, coming to the second Bible was inspired of God, although door, I saw the words, "No admit- you think there are some very fine tance." Getting clear on into the fac- things in it. You believe that the tory I saw they were making pins, Scriptural description of Eden was useful pins, and nothing but pins. So I only an allegory. There are fifty things ness among some of the churches. The and yet you are an accommodating the door, and there is something which says that of you. If I should seems to say, "No admittance," and ask of you a kindness, you the world comes up to the pew door do a kindness for me or if any one else and sees written over it, "No admit- would do it. If, when you are ill, I tance," and looks at the pulpit, and should come to you with a vial of there is something there which seems medicine and say, "This kind of medito say, "No admittance," while we cine has cured fifty people who were mering out our little niceties of relig- and you replied, "I do not want to take ious belief, making pins. Oh, for the it; I have no confidence in it," I would desper appreciation of the sentiment of say, "Take it to oblige me," and you date you I will take it." Now, you There may be some here who say, have found that this world is insuffi-

time of Aesculapius. Be obliging and just make the experiment. If you are not acquainted with the ordinary modes of prayer, say in substance: "O Lord Jesus, this is a strange thing for me to do. I know nothing about the formulas of religion. These Christian people have been talking so long about what thou canst do for me I am ready to do whatever thou commandest me. If there be any power in religion, as these people say, let me have the advantage of it." Will you not try that experiment?

Gospel of Peace and Hope. Oh, men, skeptical and struck through with unrest! I beg you come off that great Sahara desert of doubt into the bright and luxuriant land of gospel hope and peace. You do not want your children to some up in that skepticism. If you do not believe in father's love, a mother's love, a wife's Give me your hand. Leap into the life- saying, "Other sheep I have which are

more to be saved. Let us push out ditch of your suffering and shame. The will throw yourself on it.

The Modern Catacombs.

They talk about the catacombs of Naples and the catacombs of Rome and those who are now rejecters of Chris- the catacombs of Egypt, the great buritianity. Some of the mightiest advo- al places under the city where is the cates of the gospel were once skeptics. dust of many generations passed on but Thomas Chalmers once a skeptic. Rob- I tell you New York has its catacombs ert Hall a skeptic. Christmas Evans a and Washington its catacombs, and all skeptic. Charles G. Finney a skep- our cities their catacombs. They tic. Paul, the apostle, once a skeptic. are underground liquor dives, full of But when once with strong hand they dead men's bones and all uncleanness. laid hold of the gospel charlot they There is no need of going into the art rolled it on with what momentum! I gallery to see in skillful sculpture that do not know how you came to reject | wonderful representation of a man and Christianity. It may have been through his sons wound round with serpents. federal department to supervise the there is a knot of Christians, but they the infidel talk of some young man in There are families represented here tomanufacture and sale of alcoholic bev- make up a small part of the flock. the store or shop or factory. It may day that are wrapped in the martyrhave been through the trickery of dom of fang and scale and venom, a some professed Christian man who living Laocoon of ghastliness and hor-

It is the bars of the fence around the different roads. the bars, and the hunted sheep of the fleece torn with brambles, some of them their feet lamed with the dogs, but bounding in. Thank God! "Other sheep I have, which are not of this fold."

TRIO OF OLD FOLKS.

Three Philadelphians Whose Ages Reach Total of 350 Years.

Philadelphia has the most celebrated trio of old folks in any city in the United States. Each one of the remarkable group has attained the cen- tle to do, and adjourned until the night tury mark, and the oldest has exceeded of the 21st. it by thirty years. If the ages of these three venerable Philadelphians could be added together they would reach the astonishing total of 350 years and this state is to be tried by a bill which make a span of life which would extend clear back to 1550, contemporaneous with the time of Elizabeth and Shakespeare!

The oldest of the trio is Mrs. Mary McDonald, according to the best obtainable information the oldest woman in the world. Mrs. McDonald is colored, an inmate of the Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, and is now almost 130 years old; next comes Mrs. Celestina Nigro, aged 111, an Italian, and who, when she arrived in Philadelphia from Campagna, Italy, nine yers ago, was conceded to be the oldest immigrant who ever came to the United States; the youngest m mber of the group, and Philadelphia's oldest male citizen, is Michael Mooney, a healthy young stripling of 109 years, has 10 new street lights, five arc and who resides at the Home of the Little , five incandescents. Sisters of the Poor, at Eighteenth and Jefferson streets.—Boston Journal.

Do nothing when angry and you will have the less to undo.

twenty years ago." Is it not strange to you with a gospel medicine. It has DOINGS OF THE 41ST BESSION.

The following bills were passed in the house on the 17th: A bill providing voting precinct in the town-ship of Baldwin; repealing jury commission law in St. Clair county; authorizing the village of Algonac to boryow \$4,000 for an electric light plant; authorizing the village of Algonac to borrow \$4,000 for water works; anthorizing the township of Hillman o borrow \$3,000 to pay outstanding debts; increasing salary of judge of probate of Wayne county to \$6,000 a year. The senate passed the following: A bill changing the name of Hubert Clark, of Tekonsha, to Hubert Teller. Immediate effect; to legalize \$4,000 bonds of the village of Algonac-Immediate effect; to legalize the floating debt of Algonac to the amount of \$4,000. Immediate effect; to authorize Hillman township, Montmorency county, to issue bonds; to give Detroit Homeopathic College of Medicine its share of Wayne county cadavers. Immediate effect; to change the name of Carlton M. Ooothout to Carlton M.

Dodge. Imme liate effect. Tax Commissioner Oakman submitted his report to the legislature on the 16th. His is the last of the individual reports. The full report of the commission has been completed, but is so voluminous that a week or 10 days will be required to typewrite the matter and prepare it for the state printer. Mr. Oakman commends the earning power of railroads as a tax basis, and figures that the total cash values of the roads in the state is \$185,937,502.34, which at an average tax rate of \$15.47 per \$1,000, the revenue to the state would be \$2,871,453.

Speaker Carton, has announced committee assignments to visit state institutions as follows: Committee on the criminal insane asylum at Ionia on the 22d; committee on eastern Michigan asylum at Pontiac on the 23d; committee on the institute for the deaf and dumb at Flint on the 24th. The committee on college of mines and committee on Newberry asylum will leave on the 34th. This will leave the Marquette prison committee, which is now out and one other committee only avay from the house at the same time.

Rep. Kerr introduced three bills in the house on the 17th, all of which have an important bearing on the eral tax laws of the state, and the passage of which would practically put the tax commission out of business. The bill, which strikes directly at the latter, provides that the power of the state tax commission shall be confined exclusively to looking after assessments for state purposes alone and prohibits them from interfering with the assessment of property for city and county purposes.

There is a great deal of opposition to the Atwood bill, because it provides that the decision of the proposed new state board of assessors on railroad assessments shall be absolute and final. Many legislators want a provision made for reviewing the board's work by a higher body, and would make the governor and railroad commissioner, and perhaps the attorney - general, members of such board of review.

Rep. Colby and several of the farmer members of the legislature are advocating a plan to practically raise the salary of Attorney-General Oren from \$800 to \$2,800. They would do this by president of the company was a Pres- few years. You feel the Holy Ghost making the attorney-general an exbyterian elder and the treasurer of an this moment in your heart. You do not officio member of either the tax commission or the proposed new state railroad tax board at a salary of \$2,000.

Rep. Randall on the 15th gave notice of the introduction of a bill to amend the divorce law by providing that where a married man or woman has been confined in an insane asylum for five years and pronounced incurable, and let them know that none are so letters flamed with all the beauty of bled! Whither shall I fly? Alas, for this will be sufficient grounds for broken hearted or hard beset that they gold and jasper and amethyst. Inno- the future! Everything is so dark, so granting a divorce to the party suing

The members of the house went on record in committee of the whole on the 17th as being decidedly in favor of accepting railroad passes and almost unanimously refused to pass a provision prohibiting members from accepting the bits of pasteboard, which

The following bill was passed in the house on the 18th: Making president mountain bound in, some of them their of village of Pinconning ex-officio member of the board of supervisors of Bay county. The senate also passed one bill, as follows: Increasing salary of probate judge of Wayne county to \$6,-000 a year.

Rep. McCall, of Charlotte, on the 15th noticed a bill providing for Sunday closing of all theaters in Michigan; also a bill to specifically tax sleeping car companies operating in this state. Both houses of the legislature disposed of business in less than half an hour on the 18th, there being very lit-

The right of the state legislature to control the rentals and tolls of the telephone companies doing business in Ald. Marx, of Detroit, is having pre-

Bliss has decided to find successors for the three tax commissioners now hanging over.

The senate on the 15th confirmed all the appointments sent to that body by Gov. Bliss the day before.

It now looks as though the entire senate will take a recess about Feb. 1 and go on a junket to the Upper Pen-

Up to Jan. 15 there had been signed 1,600 contracts for the new telephone system in Detroit.

As a result of municipal control of the electric light plant Mendon now

The Prohibitionists of Jackson county have selected there delegate to the state convention which meets at

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and go on a junket to the Upper Pen-insula to visit state institutions there. A UCTIONEER

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CHAPTER VI.

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A HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD-Left her home on April 30, a young eyes, fair complexion, a very diminutive figure. When last seen was wear- fete she was getting up for the church ing a black tallor-made costume and a small lace toque trimmed with violets. The above reward will be paid the widow was unfortunate, that her to any one giving such information as husband's death had brought her from may lesd to her recovery. Apply to A. a pleasant, easeful rectory to fight for B. C., Porter's library, Wilton Place."

Two people at Easthill read that notice and knew whom it concerned-Beryl Lindon, who rejoiced with all her heart that the gathering coldness of the April evening had made her put on her cloak before she left Easthill Station; and Harold Dynevor, who felt convinced that the young lady inquired for was no other than the loneway to Mrs. Tanner's school.

No doubt other people in the neighwalking attire, Mrs. Tanner never from a lunatic asylum; but Captain Tempest was at the Manor and engrossed most of her attention, so that she soon forgot the matter.

expected her father to be rather relieved at her departure, and the adveron finding her. She longed to confide of her than I did the day she came." in Mrs. Tanner; but, though she could have trusted the widow perfectly, the possession of such a secret would, if discovered, have embrolled her very much with her sister. So beyond a visit to the one draper's at Easthill-on-Sea, where she purchased a bunch of in her toque, the advertisement made | to do my best." no immediate difference to Beryl.

As for Harold, he thought of it again and again. He could not get the girl's sweet, sad face out of his head. And after a few days' doubt and perplexity, during which the announcement was repeated in the paper every morning, he decided to call on Mrs. Grey, the wife of the curate-in-charge of the Easthill-on-Sea, and ask her openly for Mrs. Tanner's address.

He was prepared to face her wonder at the question, but it was spared him. The first greetings were barely over the French window, with two or three in the way of finery.' school books strapped together, and a very important little face.

when Miss Olive had installed herself ly." on his knee. "Why, she can't be six!" "Turned eight, Mr. Dynevor. I should have sent her before, only there was no school here. A young widow,

Mrs. Tanner, opened one in January, and Olive was one of her first pupils." "I shouldn't have thought there were enough children for a school to pay." "I think Mrs. Tanner must be get-

ting on, for she has just started an assistant. Such a pretty girl! I saw her at church on Sunday and lost my heart to her. Lendon her name isisn't it, Olive?"

"Yes; only one letter different from Mr. Lindon's," said Miss Olive; "and she comes from London, too."

The child ran off to her tea, and Mrs. Grey, who did not possess as much tact as kindness, suddenly asked:

"Is it true that the Lindons are com-Craven leaves?"

"I have no idea. I know it is ru-

"Mr. Grey thinks the rumor only got about because Mr. Lindon refused ing, falling from waist to hem in long, to renew the general's lease."

new it in the end, but is standing out of the softest surah knotted loosely for increased rent. The agent, Wil- round her waist. Her hat was white, mot, has hinted as much."

"Then it is probably true. Mr. Wilmot is very much in the big man's concome here."

Harold shrugged his shoulders. But he was unusually grave and thoughtful anxiously. that evening. Before he went to bed he had written a very brief note to from the Telegraph.

"One who witnessed Miss Lendon's Grey will think so." arrival at Easthill-on-Sea sends this to warn her she is being sought for. She may rely on his absoilute silence

now and always." not in the least imagine who sent the

note, but she felt it was meant to be reassuring. And as May faded into June she tried hard to forget the dark shadows which hung threateningly over her pathway, and to be as happy as she could. It was a quiet and monotonous life she led at Woodlands. After the lux-

ury at Elehester square, the hard work, and plain fare would have been dis-tasteful to many girls; but Beryl was only too thankful to have escaped from her gilded cage. Mrs. Tanner was kindness itself, and if the Wilmots rather grated on Beryl with the condescending patrenage, she knew per-fectly it was not her employer's fault, and resented their cold reproofs to the tle widow far more than any slights

approach to a friend the widowed school mistress had at Easthill, descended on Woodlands one day, and assistant to help at a kind of open air building fund.

The curate's wife never forgot that her bread. Mrs. Grey had helped the enterprise at Woodlands in many ways, not least by her kindness and friendly sympathy with Woodland's tenant. She told her difficulties as frankly as if Mrs. Tanner had been her sister.

"You know we are not rich, but just because Frank is the curate I have to take a stall and do my utmost to make things go. I'm not clever at bazaars, ly little traveler who had asked the and I had depended on my sister coming to help me. I've just had a letter to say she has sprained her ankleborhood read the advertisement, but nothing serious; but she won't be able none of them guessed it was in their to put her foot to the ground for a power to earn the reward. Mrs. Wilmot fortnight, and the fete is next week. had never seen her sister's teacher in Do lend me Miss Lendon! It's a Wednesday, and so, being a half holilooked at the agony column. Heles day, the school can't suffer. Besides. Craven, who was of a romantic twen I'm pretty sure all your pupils will of mind, read the paragraph aloud to be there. I don't ask you to come"her family, and declared the poor girl she looked kindly at the crape-trimmed it concerned had evidently escaped dress, "it would be hard on you to appear at a gay scene so soon, but you might lend me your assistant."

"I will spare Miss Lendon to you with pleasure," said Mrs. Tanner: "but Beryl felt terribly nervous. She had are you sure she will be of any use? She is a dear little thing, but almost painfully shy. She has been with me tisement seemed to imply he was set over two months, and I know no more "Well, may I ask her and see what

> Mrs. Tanner fetched Beryl and explained what was required of her. The girl blushed crimson.

"I never was at a bazaar in my life." she told Mrs. Grey, "but if you think forget-me-nots to replace the violets I can be of any use I shall be glad

> Mrs. Grey was delighted and Beryl left the room, pledged to be her chief lieutenant on the eventful Wednesday. "You know," said the curate's wife, when Beryl had gone, "she is so pretty she is sure to charm money out of people's pockets, and there was really no one else I could ask. Mrs. Craven has taken a stall, and her daughter and Miss Dynevor will help at it. There wasn't a girl in Easthill I could think only for outsiders, you know, who pay of the state. There does not seem to speaker of the Iowa house in 1888, died Mrs Tanner hesitated.

"Ought it to be a very grand toilet? when little Olive Grey came in through I am not sure what Miss Lendon has has never been inside the Manor, she They are certainly popular here, and

"Every one is to dress just as they please. The sellers are to wear a favor "You don't mean to say you send of black and gold to distinguish them. that mite to schol?" Harold asked, I'll send over the one I made for Cice-

Mrs. Tanner and Beryl talked over the bazaar after supper that night. "It will be a little glimpse of gaiety for you," said the elder woman

kindly. "This is a very dull life for you, . Miss Lendon." "I am not at all dull," said Beryl,

She had altered since she came to gone from her face, and, in spite of up her mind. hard work, she looked younger and brighter. She really quite looked forward to the garden fete, as its promoters called it, as a festival; for,

enjoy the sight of prety things and bright faces.

CHAPTER VII.

after all, she was young enough to

Mrs. Tanner almost started when ing to live at the Manor when General | Beryl came to show herself when she was dressed for the fete, and yet the girl only wore the white cashmere which had been her best attire last summer. It was very soft and clingstraight folds, the bodice trimmed with General Craven thinks he will re- a little white silk, and a broad sash too, and trimmed with a long white feather and a quantity of chiffon. She looked far more like some rich wanfidence. I do hope the Lindons won't dering princess than a humble school assistant.

"Shall I do?" asked Beryl, a little

"You had better put a cloak over your dress for the drive, the lanes Beryl, enclosing the advertisement are so dusty," said Mrs. Tanner. "You look charming, and I am sure Mrs.

That lady drove up then in her rather shabby pony carriage. The fete was to be held in the grounds of Dynevorse are the last people to think There was no signature. Beryl could three miles from Woodlands, so she had arranged to call for Miss Len-

> "I'll bring her back safely," she promised Mrs. Tanner, "but I can't promise when. The fete opens at 3, and we are supposed to go on till we've sold everything.

She talked very pleasantly to Beryl as they drove along, saying she would introduce her to Miss Dynevor, who was about her own age. "Please don't," said Beryl shyly-"I

mean, she might not like it. Miss Dynevor of Dynevor must be a great lady, and I am only a teacher."

"My dear," said Mrs. Grey, "the Dynevors are the last people to think less of you for that. And so far from

works very hard at home." "But the Manor is called after

"And it ought to be theirs, only it isn't." She went on to give Beryl the full and particular story of Nina Dynevor's infatuation for Eustace Lindon, and the wrong it had led to. Beryl only kept silent by an effort. It was terrible to listen to the reproach of her own parents and say nothing; but deep down in her own heart the girl felt her gentle mother tady, aged 18, brown hair, grey-blue begged Mrs. Tanner to lend her young had never done the wrong ascribed to her. No, the will which left the Manor away from the Dynevors had been extorted from her weakness, not made of her own free will.

"I hope I have not tired you out." concluded Mrs. Grey, "you are looking very pale."

"I am generally pale, thanks." The general stood on the steps of the Manor to welcome them. He looked a little astonished as Mrs. Grey introduced her companion-the girl was so unlike what he had expected: but he soon led the way to the huge marquee which had been erected in the grounds for the five stalls held by the elite of Easthill.

A smaller tent was devoted to flowers, yet another held refreshments, a ladies' orchestra-from Brighton, be it whispered-discoursed sweet music in a third. Mrs. Grey and Beryl hastened to their places, while the general went back to await the advent of the great lady who was to formally declare the fete open.

It looked to Beryl like fairyland: and when a few minutes later things were in full swing, and the people began to flock in, she proved herself quite an expert saleswoman. Many of the visitors thought Mrs. Grey's assistant the prettiest girl present.

"Harold," whispered Kitty Dynevor to her brother, when he made his appearance, "your fair traveler is here." "What do you mean?" He asked, bewildered.

"Don't you remember asking if there were a school at Easthill-on-Sea, because a girl was making her way to it at the station one day? Well, the girl is just here at Mrs. Grey's stall: but she doesn't look like a school teacher, does she?"

She did not. It flashed on Harold that he had never seen a sweeter face. He thought the shadow on the grey eyes was lighter, and he wondered if she had ceased to worry over the hundred pounds reward offered for her recovery. She did not look in the least

like a fugitive or a runaway. Mrs. Grey's voice broke on his medi-

"Mr. Dynevor, do take Miss Lendon to the house to have some tea. Mrs. Craven has some in the dining room Dodd's Kidney Pills in Iowa have crespecially for our benefit; the tent is ated quite a sensation in some parts ago; but I couldn't find any one to tism, Kidney or Bladder Trouble which send with Miss Lendon, and, as she these wonderful Pills cannot cure. does not like to go alone."

"I shall be only too pleased," said very large. Harold; and the two left the marquee

It was not far, only a few hundred yards as distance went; but it seemed miles to Beryl because all the way she was trying to decide a question. One glance had told her that Mr. Dynevor had been at Easthill station when she arrived, therefore it must be he who sent her the advertisement and words of kindly warning. Should she allude

It was only when she was in sight Easthill. The scared, anxious look had of the old Manor house that she made

(To be continued.)

ODD OCCUPATION.

Professor of Being Burled Alive Testifles in a Courtroom.

One of the witnesses in a recent lawsuit in Cleveland was Edward Kaehn. The Cleveland Leader says: "The examination of Kaehn proved to be very amusing. On the cross-examination Prosecutor Keeler demanded to know the business of the witness. The witness said that he lived at -325 Lake street, and was known as Prof. James Smith, and that his specialty was being buried alive for exhibition purposes. He declared that he never had really died, but claimed that he could lie in a grave six days and nights. He averred that he was ready at any time to be buried for \$500 per week, providing that there was a proper and an unmistakably trustworthy committee to play the role of resurrection angels should they be needed to save his life. He was rather reluctant about 'tipping off his act,' as he expressed it, but Judge Neff became interested and wanted to hear all about it. Kaehn declared that he has been placed in a coffin which had been properly upholstered, and that it has been lowered into a grave 6 feet 4 inches deep. An air shaft is constructed and the grave

"'What is the air shaft for?' asked

"'For air,' replied Kaehn, 'and for sending down the beer, water and

" 'Then you always had to have air, did you?' continued the prosecutor. "'Oh, no. Sometimes I was completely buried for twenty-four hours.

In a case of that kind a bucket of water was placed in the coffin and several sponges saturated with water. The water evaporated, and that furnished all the oxygen I needed to live on."

An odd ceremony took place in France not long ago in the baptism of two new bells for the Church of Preig-

in Hunting Eng'and lavests \$55,00,0000

In the pleasure of hunting England Many Small Attentions to Others Omithas invested, it is estimated, \$55,000,-000, and each year, following the chase. puts into circulation in that country over \$25,000,000. The various English packs number about 400, of which 22 to make life sweeter and finer is noted. are of staghounds, 196 foxhounds, 127 In business circles some one has actuharriers and 51 beagles. The Earl of ally gone on record as favoring the Bathurst has figured that the daily cost in the season of keeping foxhounds and Sir," and "Yours very truly" from busihunting the country is \$3,250. The main food of hounds consists of oatmeal, dog biscuit and horse meat, and hundreds of tons of these components of the dog ration are bought and sold in England each season for the support of the packs. Hunting, except in the case of hunting with beagles, means that the hunters must be mounted, and It is estimated that for this purpose 105,000 private hunters are kept throughout the country, not including the horses of the servants of the hunt. In fact, huntsmen figure up that their diversion is a great national blessing.

#### POLICE OFFICER RESCUED.

Officer A. C. Swanson of the Council Bluff's Force Tells an Interesting Story.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Jan. 19, 1901.-(Special.)-Kindhearted Officer Swan- those with whom we come in contact, son of the local police force is very and eventually we miss much of the popular in this city. He has lived beauty and charm of living, without here for seventeen years, and has en- realizing just what has brought about joyed many high offices in social and the change. Was it not Emerson society work. He is now Vice-Presi- who said, "Life is never so short but dent of the "Dannebrog" Brotherhood, there is time enough for courtesy?" the largest Danish secret society in And another said. "Is not the life more America, which combines benevolent than meat?" Of what advantage are with the social features. Owing to the possessions whether material or inconstant exposure and many hours on tellectual, if one has forfeited the love his feet, which his duty as a police of those nearest, or has failed to find officer makes unavoidable, Mr. Swan- in the great sea of human faces some son became the victim of serious Kid- which brighten with pleasure at his ney and Liver Trouble. He was very approach? There is not too much of bad, but has entirely recovered. He genuine courtesy, but too little. Its gives the story in his own words as absence may be noted everywhere, in

years with Kidney and Liver Trouble, in the churches, where of all places and have tried many remedies, some of which gave me temporarily relief, and We would resent the implication that others which were absolutely worthless. I began to think that there was those bound to us by the ties of love no help for me, when my nephew gave and companionship, yet it is oftener me a part of a box of Dodd's Kidney the sin of omission than that of com-Pills which he had left, saying that it mission which is recorded against us would do no harm to try them, as they by our dear ones. had certainly fixed him all right. What he gave me helped me so much that I felt justified in purchasing more, and I grew slowly better. It took almost two months to effect a complete cure, as mine was a very bad case, but I can cheerfully and truthfully say that I am a well man today, and I am very grateful that Dodd's Kidney Pills were thus brought to my notice."

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Iowa Politician Dead.

W. H. Redman, former representative in the Iowa legislature and suddenly at his home in Newton Friday. He was a member of the Loyal Legion, having served with distinction best, yet it costs no more than the poorest. in the war of the rebellion. He was a candidate for the nomination of secretary of state before the last republican

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A married man says he was always fond of ongue—and he likes it still. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on the box. 25c.

An Irish politician says that half the lies tole bout him are not true.

and expenses to men with rigs to introduce our POUL TRY COMPOUND. JAVELLE MFG. Co., Dept. D. PARSONS KANSAS. An egotistical artist says the sun gives him a

Many causes induce gray hair, but Parker's Hair Balsam brings back the youthful color. Hinderconns, the best cure for corns. 15cts.

There are two many lawbreakers who call

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'BBIEN, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

A man's character is often shown by what he considers laughable. Some articles must be described. White's

Tolerance is the fuel that generates the steam

"All the Sweetness of Living Blossoms," the matchess perfume, Murray & Lanman Florida Water.

No farmer can plow a field by turning it over in his mind.

## How Are Your Bowels?

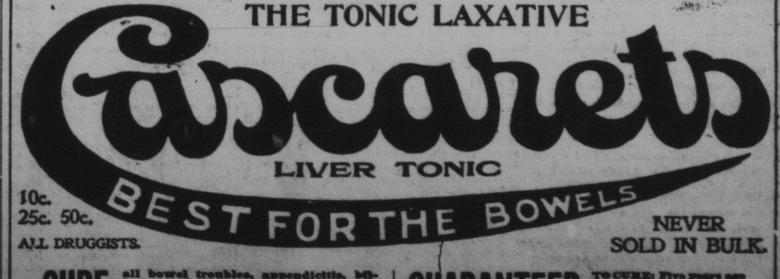


About the first thing the doctor says--

Then, "Let's see your tongue." Because bad tongue and bad bowels go together. Regulate the bowels, clean up the tongue. We all know that this is the way to keep and look well.

You can't keep the bowels healthy and regular with purges or bird-shot pills. They move you with awful gripes, then you're worse than ever.

Now what you want is Cascarets. Go and get them today--Cascarets--in metal box-cost 10c. Take one! Eat it like candy, and it will work gently-while you sleep. It cures, that means it strengthens the muscular walls of the bowels, gives them new life. Then they act regularly and naturally. That's what you want It's guaranteed to be found in



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An independent local newspaper publish every Thursday afternoon, from its office in the basement of the TurnBull & Wilkinson block. Chelses. Mich...

#### BY O. T. HOOVER.

Perms:-\$1.00 per year; 6 months, 50 cents.

Entered at the postoffice at Cheisea, Mich., as second-class matter.

Chelsea'Phone No. 50. Don't be afraid to call us up.

The Lima Epworth League will one reported a fine time. give a shadow social at J. Easton's ou Friday evening. February 1st. Every one is invited to attend. A good supper will be provided.

#### SHARON.

Samuel Bohnet spent a few days at Jackson Monday. with his cousin, Miss Anna Artz at Brighton

Miss Amy Hewes who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. the perfect milk substitute. Try it. Hewes has returned to Benton Harbor.

Albert M. Heim had the misfortune to get one of his fingers quite badly mangled, while sawing slats for Wm. Monks.

Some of the young and industrious boys of Sharon and Sylvan, are just more than rushing themselves making crates and sawing slates at Mr. Monks' | Main's was well attended. mill, which makes the lonely old mill; a very lively place, and is supposed to were Sylvan visitors Sunday. be a very noisy one.

Genuine Rocky Mountain Tea is never old in bulk by peddlers or less than 35c. Don't be fooled, get the tea made famous her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John by the Madison Medicine Co. Ask your | Knoll. druggist.

#### UNADILLA.

D. and Nora Durkee visited at Ed. Cranna's last Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pyper and Watson Lane are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watson visited his mother in Chelsea last week.

A number from this place are attending singing school at Gregory.

Arthur May and Addo Ilill made a very enjoyable time. business trip to Stockbridge one day

The Unadilla Farmer's Club met at | Carrie and Ella May Sehweinfurth hall last Saturday. Oysters were served at noon and all report a fine Agnes Schaible spent Friday evening

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold. 25 cents.

#### WATERLOO.

Sunday in Stockbridge,

Henry Lehman and John Hubbard were Jackson visitors Monday.

Miss Fanny Musbach of Francisco spent Sunday at H. Lehman's.

The farmers are at work putting up ice for the warm weather, this week.

Laurance Quigley and Charles Runciman spent last week in Detroit. Rev. Briedenstien and Spencer Howlett and wife spent Friday with Mr.

and Mrs. Geo. Runciman. Miss Lou Cooper of Dansville has been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delancy Cooper for the past weeks.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

#### NORTH LAKE.

Born, Monday, January 21, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb, a son.

Wednesday of last week was held the regular meeting of the Grange. The regular business of the evening was followed by the installation of the newly elected officers. The pleasing ceremony was ably performed by Mrs. and Mrs it is, you will cure it; if not, G. T. English of LaFayette Grange. The outgoing and incoming Master having each addressed the members in a few appropriate words, the company adjourned to the banqueting hall. is to stop its cause, and help where a supper well worthy of the occasion had been prepared by the ladies of the Grange. The latter fairly surpassed themselves both in the abun dance and quality of the viands and the correct and attractive way in which the tables were furnished. After all were satisfied, the short remaining time was spent in friendly visiting and discussion, then the good nights were cure. It never does harm. said, and every one felt that for the amicable and social benefits, it was good to be a Patron of Husbandry.

#### PRANCISCO.

Algernon Richards is on the sick

Miss Martha Musbach is spending a tew weeks at Waterloo.

Chris Kaiser is suffering with

Miss Carrie Schweinfurth is suffering with neuralgia.

Mrs. Geo. Ortbring is suffering with a serious attack of th e grip.

Rev. L. S. Katterhenry is attendng revivals at Ann Arbor this week. Miss Jane Daily of Unadilla is visiting Mrs. Geo Orthring for a few

There was but a small crowd attended the concert at the Union church Friday night.

The party given at the home of Mrs. Henry Mains was well attended, every

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lehman of Chelsea spent Monday with their daughter Mrs. Geo. Mante.

past two weeks returned to her home

RAISE CALVES WITHOUT MILK. Thousands are doing it cheaply and successfully with Blatchford's Calf Meal Watson-Welch Grain & Coal Co.

#### SYLVAN.

Mrs. Cyrus Ward has been qui e ill the past week.

Herman Forner is now working for Burleigh Whitaker.

The social hop given at Miss Eva

Miss Amanda Merker of Detroit

spent Sunday with her mother. Mabel St. Clair of Lima is visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ward of Chelsea spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkhart of Chelsea

The Misses Emma Frey and Agnes Schaible were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hayes.

All who attended the dance at Mr. Liebeck's, Friday evening report a

Miss Nellie Schweinturth of Jackis the guest of her cousine, the Misses

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hayes and Miss with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Heselschwerdt.

Persons who suffer from indigeston Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price can not expect to live long, because they cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the products of the undigested foods they do eat poison the blood. It is J. L. Hubbard and family spent important to cure indigestion as soon as possible, and the best method of doing his is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive or gans to perfect health. Glazier & Stim-

Nobody knows all about it; and nothing, now known, will always cure it.

Doctors try Scott's Emulthey think it is caused by imperfect digestion of food. You can do the same.

It may or may not be caused by the failure of stomach and bowels to do their work. If vou will do no harm.

The way, to cure a disease of charity.—Baltimore American. the body get back to its habit of health.

When Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil does that, it cures; when it don't, it don't thropist, isn t he?"

> The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not vou.

tried it, send for free sample, its agreeab! taste will surpri SCOTT & BOWN!

Chemists. 409 Pearl St., N. 1 50c, and \$1.00; all druggists.

A Curious Russian Trade,

The Rostov police have just succeeded in arresting a woman who has been wanted for the past two years for having driven a lucrative trade in artificial mutilations. After her husband's death the widow continued the business, and by some want of caution aroused the attention of the police, the 7th day of December, A. D. 1880, in but she has long managed to evade liber 60 of mortgages, on page 12, by them, while continuing to perform her which the power of sale in said mortgage operations. By injecting under the has become operative and whereas there skin at the joints some preparation of is now claimed to be due the sum of petroleum, she produces a very nat- seven hundred and thirty dollars, for ural-looking contraction of the joint principal and interest and thirty dollars among the common people who desired, at as small an expense as possible, to escape being taken for soldiers, and among less deserving and given that by virtue of said power of sale and the laws of this state on Monclever swindlers, who defrauded ac- day the 1st day of April, 1901, at 12 cident insurance companies by affect- o'clock, noon, at the east front door of the ing the same kind of disfigurements. court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan Miss Nellie Schweinfurth who has The last attempt, which led to the been visiting relatives here for the capture, was on a young man who had arranged to fall out of a train, and so account for his injuries to the insurance company, besides the possibility of getting a sum of money from the railway company .- London Stand- the account due, interests, costs and ex-

Debts Inherited in India. It is the universal custom all over India for a man whose monthly income is perhaps three dollars to spend as much as \$300 on the marriage of his daughter. This sum he borrows from the local money lender, a veritable blood-sucker, whose minimum rate of interest is 24 per cent., which is only accorded to thoroughly well-to-do people. The ordinary peasant, small shopkeeper or domestic servant pays one the County of Washtenaw, State of Michanna per rupee per mensem in the way Mr. and Mrs. George Millspaugh of interest, and as 16 annas go to the rupee it will be seen that this works cause therein pending wherein Reuben out to 75 per cent. per annum. As a rule, it is more than the borrower can do to pay off this interest, and so the debt goes on growing and is handed down from father to son, a terrible load at the south front entrance to the Court which is never got rid of .- N. Y. House in the City of Ann Arbor, County

#### Reflections of a Bachelor. Love isn't quite as comfortable as

laziness, but it's a lot cheaper. A woman's heaven would be a dead

failure without it had a little fuzzy dog of land situated and being in the Townin it and a big garret, A woman gets most of her happiness out of remembering how miserable she

was some particular time before. A woman is considered bright by the other women by the number of kinds of a fool she can make of a man in five

Every time a woman sits up half the wakes up the next morning and acts the quarter line of said section, twenty ugly to the one she is married to .- N. Y. | chains and sixty two links, thence north

#### A Discovery.

able, indeed. I really think the matter is worth bringing to the attention of links to the place of beginning; contain-"What are you talking about?"

"Our six-year-old son, Telemachus. 15th, 1901. Henrietta and I were discussing him, and after ten minutes' conversation it was conclusively demonstrated that he inherits all his good qualities from his mother and all his bad ones from me." -Washington Star.

Loyalty. "Loyalty," remarked Senator Sorghum, "is one of my great ch acter-

change your mind once or twice." "That is true. But my loyalty is tremendous while it lasts. When I attach myself to a man's political interests I stick to him like a brother until he gets defeated .- Washington

#### Narrow Escape.

Yunker-Did I ever tell you about that narrow escape I had from a hotel fire while I was in New York? Eldster-Naw.

"It was the narrowest escape I ever went through. The check from Uncle John arrived while the landlord was sion of Cod Liver Oil, when talking of sending for a policeman."-Indianapolis Press.

"Bread!" snapped the busy house-wife. "And loafed, I presume, in a phia Bulletin.

To See Herself. Mrs. Givem-Isn't Mrs. Loudleigh rather ostentatious about her charitable works?

Mrs. Roastem - Ostentatious?

#### She-Before we were married you used to say I was the apple of your

eye peeled since then.—Philadelphia Bulletin. Public Spirit.

He-Maybe I did; but I've had my

"Mr. Biggleson is quite a philan-"Yes. He always draws up the subscription papers other people are asked to sign."-Chicago Times-Her-

#### Verdi's Nerve.

Verdi is erecting a home for superannuated Italian artists of all classes. Although almost 90 years of age, says the Washington Star, he is himself far from being eligible to admission to such an institution.

Due to a Defective Memory. Many a man's originality is due to a defective memory.—Chicago Daily News.

Peptorene Tablets cleanse and improve the blood, curing all eruptions of the skin. 25 cts. per box.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage, dated the third day of December, A. D. 1880, executed by John Frederick Barth and Christina Barth, his wife to Jay Everett, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county of Washtenaw, in said state of Michigan, on Washtenaw, in said state of Michigan, on as an attorney fee as provided by law, and the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, therefore, notice is hereby (that being the place where the circuit court for said county of Washtenaw is held), I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, the lands and premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy penses of said sale, said premises being situated in the township of Sharon, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, and described as follows, to wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of section Fourteen, (14)
Dated at Chelsea, Mich., Jan'y, 2, 1901.

JAY EVERETT, Mortgagee. G. W. TURNBULL, Attorney for Mortgagee.

CHANCERY SALE.

IN PURSUANCE AND BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court for igan, In Chancery, made and entered on the 8th day of October, 1900, in a certain

Kempf is complainant and Maria L. Barker, James E. Sumner and May B. Sumner are defendants. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, of Washtenaw and State of Michigan (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), on Wednesday, the 6th day of March, 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described 'property, tenaw and State of Michigan and de-

viz: All those certain pieces or parcels ship of Pittsfield in the County of Washscribed as follows, to wit: The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section number five (5) in town three south and range six east; containing forty acres more or less. Also the following described land: Commencing at the southeast corner of the south half of the northeast fractional quarter of said secnight acting sweet to a lot of men she tion number five, running thence west on parallel to the east line of said section, five (5) chains and eighty-two links to a stake, thence east parallel to the quarter "It's very remarkable," said Mr. line of said section twenty chains and sixty-two links, to the east line of said said section, five chains and eighty-two

> ng twelve acres. Dated, Ann Arbor, Michigan, January

WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Circuit Court Commissioner in and for Washtenaw County, Michigan. GEO. W. TURNBULL,

Solicitor for Complainant, Chelsea, Michigan.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw. The undersigned having said county, Commissioners to receive, "But you have been known to examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Adam Bohnet, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of Cavanaugh & Wedemeyer in the City of Ann Arbor in said county, on Monday the 8th day of April and on Monday 8th day of July next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated, January 7th, 1901.

DANIEL E. HOHEY, JACOB ZAHN, Commissioners.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHshe Hit It.

"Ma'am," said the tramp, hoping to strike a sympathetic chord in the woman's breast, "I was bred in old Kentucky."

"Bread!" snapped the busy housewife. "And loafed, I presume, in a good many other states."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-DEAD TENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Richard McClain late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said that they will meet at the office of G. W. TurnBull in the Village of Chelsea, in said county, on Monday the 8th day of April and on Monday the 8th day of July next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated, January 7, 1901.

JAMES TAYLOR, GEORGE J. CROWELL, Commissioners

PROBATE ORDER. should say so. Why, that woman would like to have a pier glass over her mantle of charity.—Baltimore American.

Clearer Vision.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-tenaw, s. s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor on Turs ay, the 22nd day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, W. L. Watkins, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Squire S. Covert, deceased. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHeri, deceased.
Theodore T. Covert the administrator of said

estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final ac-count as such administrator. count as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Thursday, the latth day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the foremoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the hei sat-iaw of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard a new-spaper printed and circulating in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

of hearing.

W. L. Watkins: Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)

George R. Gunn, Register of Probate.

Quality and not quantity makes De Witt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills. Glazier & Stimson.

## ime to Oil Up.

Like every other complex machine, the human body has its periods for repair. Sleep is Nature's time for rest, when the repair shops of the brain make good the damage of the waking hours. The man who cannot sleep, or who suffers from headache, nervousness, lost appetite, indigestion, heart trouble or pain, is running with a hot box. Give the tired brain and worn-out nerves a chance to rest. Stop! It is time to oil up.

"I was troubled for a long time with a stomach disor-der and terrible headaches. I could not rest or sleep and night after night would lie awake until three or four in the morning before I closed an eye. The doctors did not help me and I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine. I could see an improvement the second day, and in a few weeks my head and stomach trouble were gone."

A. H. SERFF, Astoria, Ills.

## Dr. Miles' Nervine

feeds and rests the weary brain and weakened nerves. It gives zest to the appetite, stimulates digestion, increases circulation and restores health to body and mind.

Sold by druggists on guarantee.

DR. MILES MEDICAL Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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### LADIES'

Underwear 25c to \$1 00 Hosiery 15c to 50c

Loomers Corsets \$1.00

Misses Corsets 50c Cahimere Gloves 25c

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Kid Gloves \$1.00 to \$1.25

Children's Mittens

Children's Hats

Underwear 25c to \$1,00

GENTS'

Caps 25c to \$1.00

Overalls 50c Shoes \$2 00

Hosiery 10c to 50c

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Shirts 50c to \$1 50 Gloves and Mittens 25c to \$1

Boys Knee Pants 25c to 75c

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A Ladies' and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods and

Wanted—Eggs and Good Butter. 

## Chelsea Savings Bank

Capital and Resources September 5, 1900, \$325,479 20. Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw.

Owns and offers in amounts suitable for the investment of small savings or large sums German Empire Government 31-2 per cent Bonds in 200 mark, 500 mark and 1,000 mark Bonds. Interest payable April 1st and October 1st each year. Interest coupons cashed at Chrisea Savings Bank. The above Investment yields 4 per cent interest, while the U.S. Bonds yeild less than 2 per

cent. These Bonds are appreciated by our German friends in view of the obnoxious

tax law applying to real estate mortgages, rendering it more and more difficult to

place money on farm mortgage loans within the state of Michigan which will pay been appointed by the Probate Court for more than 21 to 3 per cent after deducting taxes. This Bank pays 3 per cent interest on moneys deposited with it according to its rules. -

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Geo. W. Palmer, M. D.,

Wm. J. Knapp, President, Thomas S. Sears, Vice President, Heman M. Woods, Wm. P. Schenk, James L. Babcock Victor D. Hindelang, Geo, P. Glazier, Cashier.

Theo, E. Wood, asst. Cashier. D. W. Greenleaf, Teller. A. K. Stimson, Auditor.

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Price consistent with quality and fully guaranteed.

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We have hundreds of dollars worth of Blankets which must be sold.

Having bought direct from the factory we are prepared to discount other dealers prices at from 15 to 20 per cent. Silk, Plush, Mohair and a Beautiful Novelty in Genu

ine Lambs Wool Robes are among our attractive features.

Come early and get the best selection.

## STEINBACH

Standard Sewing Machines.



Taking Turkish, Vapor, or Medicated Baths. andard Bath Cabinet Co., Toledo, Ohio

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

If you're sore To the core, With aching bones, And husky tones When you speak, And you're weak In the knees. And you sneeze, And often cough Your head near off, And you note That your throat Feels quite raw, And your jaw, Feels as if You'd got a biff, And dull pains Vex your brains, Then you've caught it, You have got it-It's the grip.-Ex,

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Mrs. Claude Monroe is reported to be quite ill.

Miss Nettie Beach who has been quite Ill is some better.

ToDay, the new Detroit penny daily is sending out a very neat calendar.

There will be a one-day farmers' institute at Grass Lake, Tuesday, January 29.

Wood & Zincke have taken their shooting gallery outfit to Milan for a short stay.

281, K. O. T. M., will present a drama at The subject at the Congregational

In the near future Chelsea Tent, No.

church Sunday evening will be "The Passing of Victoria." The donation last evening for Rev. F.

A. Stiles was a very pleasant affair and brought in the sum of \$102. St. Mary's Literary Club will meet at

the home of Miss Lena J. Foster on Tuesday evening, January 29th.

Chelsea merchants are offering unheard of bargains for the next few days, before they take their annual inventories.

Miss Julia Ball will be one of the speakers at the Farmers' Institute to be held here Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

M. S. Cook and R. P. Copeland of Dex ter have began buying the right of way for the Boland electric road between Ann Arbor and Dexter.

The Durno-Emmett Combination will be the next number of the Peoples' Poplar Course. They will appear Wednes day evening, January 30th.

and president of an electric car line from the Atlantic to the Pacific will be William A. Boland .- Grass Lake News .

A donation will be given at the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, 8. Jones. Everyone is invited.

fine a lot of stock as they have shipped expected. from this station in many months.

the new paraphernalia will be used. Elmer H. Dean of Sylvan roports that on Tuesday of last week he saw a robin fly out of a juniper bush and light into an

oak tree near where he was standing. The Wednesday evening session of the Farmers' Institute will be cut as short as possible, in order to give all an opportunity to attend the concert at the opera

0. T. M., presented their retiring lady Joseph, Mo., and who has 500 men under commander, Mrs. J. Bacon, with a very handsome chair at their regular meeting date of January 20th as follows: "We are Tuesday evening.

the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and them all. Our cutting gang has 56 men and Mrs. John Messne, Miss Martha Messner, they cut 4,908 hogs up in 7 hours and 50 to Mr. Gahart Lesser. Rev. L. Koelbing minutes or 550 hogs per hour, so you see of Dexter, officiating.

The concert given by the Royal Orchestra at the opera house Saturday evening, as against 810,000." Mr. Rogers has been was listened to by a fair sized audience. The work of the company was well received by the audience.

Tuesday, Register of Deeds Huston, received twelve deeds from Mr. Boland's the station at Pinckney Monday agents. The deeds cover rights of way morning at about 8:30. He was going in Sylvan and Lima townships. For one to work at the ice houses three miles strip as high as \$1,000 was paid.

Mrs. J. M. Otis, formerly of Chelsea, dled in Nebraska City, Neb., January 22d. Her remains will be brought to motion, when, dinner pail in hand he, making of worthless counterfeits. Be sure Chelsea for interment. Mrs. Otls is a sister of Mrs. T. S. Sears of this place.

Chelses in comparison with villages having less than 2000 inhabitants, has jumped from the 29th place in 1890 to the 10th place 1900 and of the nine larger places only two show a larger gain, viz.: Harbor Springs and River Rogue Village, a suburb of Detroit. The others simply Constipation neglected or badly treat-had more inhabitants in 1890. Chelses ed, leads to total disability or death. Cure be taken as soon as indications also has more inhabitants than all the other villages between Ann Arbor and Jackson put together.

ed, leads to total disability of death. Cure be taken as soon at indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prestigation in all its forms, 35c. Ask your druggist.

The M. C. R. R., will run an excurdon train to Detroit, Saturday, February 2d. Fare for round trip \$1.10. Train leaves Chelsea at 10:29 a. m. Returning leaves Detroit at 7 p. m.

Frank Blackman of Jackson, a team ster employed in grading on the Boland line, was quite badly injured one day last week by being struck on the head with the handle of one of the wheel scrapers

A regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S. will be held January 30th. Mem. bers are requested to be present promptly at seven o'clock, on account of the concert. Business of importance to be trans-

C. W. Maroney, who has the contract for the re-modeling of the Baptist church is progressing very finely with the work, and when it has been completed the society will have a modern church that they may well fell proud of.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T, Hoover were very agreeably surprised Tuesday evening when a number of their friends marched into their home, and took complete possession of the place. They came prepared for a good time, and the event was a very enjoyable one.

The right of way between Chelsea and Dexter, which has given the Boland people some trouble, is now practically all have been spending several days of this secured and there is nothing to interfere with the road bed being completed between these two places as soon as the sary of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bird. weather will allow it.

The county jail is to be made proof against prisoners breaking through the walls and gaining their liberty. A resolution passed by the board of supervsiors authorizes the building committee to examine the jail and make such changes as are necessary.

Word reached here Wednesday of last week that G. M. Rank of this city, representing the Deering company, was taken from a train upon arrival at Kalamazoo at 7 o'clock p. m., he having been stricken with apoplexy. His condition is not serious .- Jackson Patriot.

Chas. E. Paul having decided to guit farming will sell at auction, at his home commencing at 1 o'clock, some live stock, springs of purest water, its fishing all druggists. farming tools, quantity of marsh hay and advantages are unexcelled and that it corn stalks. Geo. H. Foster the popular auctioneer will have charge of this sale.

Dr. Robert McColgan, who has been attending the New York Post-Graduate Medical College, will resume his practice northern extremity, would no doubt Friday, January 25th. While east the prove a paying investment.—Grass Dr. has taken an extended course in Lake News. modern medicine and surgery and has paid special attention to diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat, by getting special The News predicts that the first builder operative courses in these branches.

The box social under the auspices of LaFavette Grange that was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Fletcher's a couple of weeks ago and postponed on account of the small February 6th, for the benefit of Rev. C. pox scare, will be held at their home on field in the last half of—" Friday evening, February 1st. Boxes to in the form of a lottery at 20c; coffee and The farmers of this vicinity are deliv- other sweets to be had at side tables. ering to the different drovers today, as Everybody invited and a good time is

The Chelsea market today is as fol-Friday evening there will be a special lows: Wheat for red or white 73 cents; meeting of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M., for oats 25 cents; rye 50 cents; barley \$1.00; the purpose of initiation. It is expected beans \$1.75; clover seed \$5.00; beef cattle 21/4@31/4 cents; dressed beef 5@7c; veal calves 41/605 cents; dressed veal 61 @7 cents; hogs \$4.85; dressed pork 5@51/2 cents; sheep 31/2@4 cents; lambs 41@5 cents; chickens 6 cents; fowls, ducks and geese 5 cents; turkeys 7 cents; time and they agreed that as each potatoes 25 cents; onions 60@70 cents; died his shaft was to be broken and apples 40@75 cents bushel; butter 12@13 the fragments left where they fell. cents; eggs 16 cents.

this place, who has charge of the pork The members of Columbian Hive, L. department of Swift & Co., at South St. him at that place, writes his father under killing heavily, over 23,000 last week. The killing gang has 84 men and they killed Married, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at 581 hogs in one houryesterday and dressed land. We killed 926 000 hogs last year in the employ of this company for the past 9 years.

> Emmett Monroe, aged 22 years, was killed by the accommodation train at east of that place, and although having plenty of time to get on waited sores and slein diseases acquired by Deuntil the train was under considerable Witt's Witch Havel Salve, has led to the attempted to board the front end of the coach. He missed his footing, and after being dragged about two rods, in the presence of several persons, finally lost his hold and fell under the coach, the wheels severing his head from his bedy.

Constipation neglected or badly treat- would suggest that One Minute Cough

PERSONAL.

J. J. Raftrey was a Jackson visitor

J. D. Watson was a Lansing visitor

Hiram Lighthall has been spending

this week in Detroit. W. I. Wood spent the first of the week sertion.

with his family here. Miss Ethel Bird of Romulus is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mesdames J. D. Colton and J. D. Watson spent Monday at Detroit.

Will Zincke will arrive home today for a short visit with his family.

Miss Gierson of Williamston is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. M. L. Burk-

Mrs. Henry Lovejoy and daughter of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Friermuth. J. B. Cole was in Detroit this week in

attendance on the session of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. Mr. and Mrs. John Greening and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor spent several days of last week at Whit-

more Lake. Mesdames J. C. Goodyear and D. Clark week at Romulus. While there they attended the sixty-first wedding anniver- and continuing until April 30th.

J. B. Cole, Wm. Bacon, Rev. C. S. Jones, H. Lighthall, T. W. Mingay. W. W. Gifford, Henry Gorton, Geo. Ward, Henry Wilson and O. T. Hoover were in Ann Arbor Monday evening, the guests of Golden Rule Lodge, No. 159 F. & A.

Morris Topping of Plainfield died suddenly Sunday. He came to Michigan in 1839, and accumulated considerable wealth. He had been postmaster at Plainfield since 1858.

Taking marl from the bottom of Grass Lake by the Zenith cement company will have the effect to obliterate possesses every natural requirement for a first-class summer resort will not be denied. A big pleasure resort on Darr Hellier's island, at the lake's

Identifying the Class.

"I don't recall seeing you at college. I guess you must be before my time." "Possibly, possibly. Who was at the head of the faculty when you were

"Um-let me see-I don't just recall his name, but I was there the year Jenks played half back on the football team and kicked a goal twice from the

"Oh, sure; of course. That was the year our center rush carried most of the opposing team on his back for a gain of 30 yards. Yes, indeed. I wonder who was president then. I don't seem to be able to remember minor details of college life myself."-Chicago

A Strange Compact.

An interesting and puzzling sight greets the visitor to Mount Moriah cemetery, Philadelphia. Some 20 how much or how little Spice or Flavcorner three tall shafts of rough hewn granite. They had been friends a long The second of this trio has just passed away and his column has been shat-L. E. Rogers, son of D. N. Rogers of tered, as was that of his former friend years ago. No fence incloses the strange monuments, and no names are carved on the granite.-Chicago Chronicle.

Terrapin for Slaves and Hogs. Judge Page, of Maryland, commenting on a paragraph in the New York Press to the effect that in colonial times Ground Saigon Cinnamon 75c pound lessees of slaves were obliged by law to feed the negroes on terrapin at least studied compliment to the black men, we are going some. We are exporting for in those days the finest diamond large quantities of firesh pork to Eng. backs were regarded as food fit only for slaves and hogs. In feeding them to the latter the terrapins were chopped up with a spade and served raw.-Chicago Chronicle.

> Red is a danger signal on a railroad on a fellows nose and on a woman's face Men and women use Rocky Mountain Tea and get genuine rosy cheeks. 35c. Ask your druggist,

> The merited reputation for curing piles to get only DeWitt's Salve. Glazier &

> > DRESSMAKING.

We are prepared to do sewing of any COLE SISTERS. kind at home.

When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We

## WANT COLUMN

Merrit Boyd was a Grass Lake visitor RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND, LOST, WANTED, ETC.

> Advertisements under this head will be printed for 15 cents for the first insertion and 10 cents for each subsequent in-

WANTED-Gentlemen and children's mending. All work neatly done. Mrs. P. Haner.

FOR SALE-Good buggy, with leather top, 1 single harness, 1 bicycle all for \$25. Call at Cummings store.

FOR SALE-100 good breeding ewes Inquire of Frank Leach.

LOST-On Thursday a leather pocketbook containing a sum of money and a check. Finder please bring to Standard office. \$5.00 reward. Cyrus Updyke.

WESTERN RATES REDUCED.

Greatly reduced one-way rates will be in effect from Chicago, Milwaukee and Manitowoc via Wisconsin Central Railway to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia each Tuesday, commencing February 12th

For detailed information inquire of 3 nearest ticket agent, or address
H. W. Steinhoff, District Pass.
Agent, W. C. Ry., Saginaw, Mich., or
Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctors bill, time and the rushes and deepen that charming suffering, and I will never be without in Jeruslem on Tuesday, January 29th, sheet of water. This lake is fed by this splendid medicine again. For sale by

#### FARM FOR SALE.

Consisting of 140 acres known as the H. C. Boyd farm, located just south of Sylvan Center and four miles west of Chelsea. This farm has good buildings, is well adapted for stock or dairy, sugar beets, tobacco, onions, etc. For particulars inquire of Homer Boyd, Sylvan, or M. Boyd, Chelses.



### It's a Matter of Taste

years ago three eccentric men of oring is used, but it's a question of wealth put up in the most secluded judgment how much is paid for them.

> Freshly ground Spices of known strength and purity and pure Flavoring Extracts are always found in our

GROCERIES.

Better results will be attained by using these goods.

Cheap Spices are dear at any price.

#### WE OFFER:

Ground Shot Pepper 30c pound twice a week, states that this was no Ground Armboyna Cloves 40c pound Ground Jamaca Ginger 40c pound Ground English Mustard 40c pound Penang Limed Nutmegs 75c pound Pure Vanilla Extract 10c oz. Pure Lemon Extract 5c oz.

> Our Coffee Mill is busy grinding out the finest grades of Coffee at low prices.

Standard Mecha and Java 25c pound Royal Mocha and Java 35c pound Fancy Mocha and Java 30c pound Santos Combination 20c pound

The best Coffee for the Money in Chelsea at 16c pound.

Pure Maple Syrup 30c quart

Pure Eastern Buckwheat 30c sack

Fancy Table Syrup 25c gallon Elsie Full Cream Cheese 15c pound Fancy White Honey 15c pound 20 pounds Brown Sugar for \$1.00

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Two Weeks of Unparalleled Bargain Giving.

A complete sweeping out of all winter goods, odds and ends, odd qualities, broken lots and discontinued lines of goods before our annual inventory,

All Jackets, shawls, bed blankets, underwear, dress goods, flannels. men's over shirts, sweaters, caps, gloves and mittens, overcoats, ulsters, suits, odd pants, horse blankets, fur coats, etc., cheaper than you will buy them elsewhere.

Prices Cut no Figure, Stock must be Reduced.

25 ladies regular \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.00 Jackets, [all this seasons make] will be closed out at \$5 00. Positively the greatest bargains ever offered in Chelsea. No better style garments; no better made garments; no better fitting garment shown anywhere; every one all-wool and si k or satin lined throughout.

Ladies' Plush Capes, fur trimmed, reduced to \$5,00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50

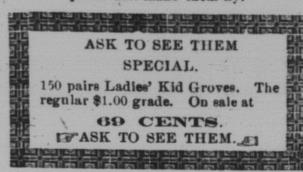
Children's Jackets marked way down. Dress Goods at from 1-4 to 1-2 off regular prices,

All Fancy Silks marked way down.

All odds and ends in Underwear at reduced prices. Hats and Caps marked way down.

Clothing way below Ordinary Clothing Prices. Not old truck, but new, up-to-date clothing that is in every way superior to the ordinary ready-made clothing and marked at money

saving prices, will be shaved another 25 per cent during this sale. 300 PAIRS OF SHOES will be closed out during this sale. Our sale prices will make them fly.



Every dollars worth of goods that can be turned into cash must go during this sale. Don't miss it.

## HOAG & HOLMES

1-4 OFF SALE ON HEATING STOVES.

CLEARING PRICES IN

EVERY DEPARTMENT

Bargains for everybody. Come and Look.

HOAG & HOLMES.

We are headquarters for the

FINEST TAILORING

in Washtenaw County.

We have the largest and best stock to select from and ten dollars will go farther here to dress you, and dress you well than elsewhere.

LADIES' COATS AND CAPES

made and re-modeled. We carry in stock goods suitable for ladies wear. Agent for the celebrated Dyers,

> and finished like new goods. Samples and Estimates furnished on application.

All kinds of Silk and Woolen Goods Cleaned by our New Process

GLASS BLOCK TAILOR PARLORS.

J. J. RAFTREY, Proprietor.

#### CASE HEARD ON ITS MERITS.

There is a Peculiar Mixup in the Branch County Agricultural Society- Other Happenings in the Two Peninsulas Stewed Down for Ready Reading.

A Peculiar Mixup.

There is a queer mixup in connectural society. Some years ago the to track horses. buildings and grounds were quite heavily mortgaged and soon afterward failed to pay expenses. Now it developes that by the terms of the original deed the real estate was to revert to the county in case fairs ever ceased to be held, and the mortgagee wants to know where he is at. The matter was submitted to the meeting of the county board of supervisors just held, but they declined to takele the problem. The indications are that the grounds will lie idle a long time, the same as during the past two or three years. There are 30 acres of beautiful the disease this winter. land, well inside the city limits, and provided with excellent buildings. There is talk of resuscitating the agricultural society.

Pingree Contempt Proceedings.

The contempt proceedings against ex-Gov. Hazen S. Pingree have again reached the supreme court, and this time some action will probably be taken which will establish the right of the circuit court to try the executive of the state on the charges presented. The application in the supreme court This time is for a writ of prohibition, The application being based on the records in the court below. The case is entitled The People ex rel. Hazen S. Pingree against the circuit judges of Ingham county, both Judge Wisner and Judge Wiest being made respond-

Bills Passed on the 15th.

The following bills were passed by The house on the 15th: A bill authorizing school district No. 1, of Hancock, to borrow \$15,000; one authorizing the new buildings are to replace it. The "Llage of Ludington to borrow \$100,-000 for street improvements; one legalizing certain bonds of the village of Gaylord; one amending the dissection law, so as to give Detroit Homeopathic college a portion of state cadavers; one enlarging the village of Farmington. The following bills were passed in the senate: To legalize \$7,500 of bonds issued by Gaylord; one to legalize \$1,500 of bonds in St. Clair county.

Incorporated Cities and Villages.

Of the 382 incorporated cities and villages in this state but five-Detroit. Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City and Jackson-have more than 25,000 population. Two have more than 20,000 and less than 25,000; 12 have more than 10,000 and less than 20,000; 22 have more than 5,000 and less than 10,000; 46 have more than 2,000 and less than 5,000. The remaining 205 places are less than 2,000 in population.

#### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Metamora is to have a new bank

A syndicate has purchased the Hart Journal newspaper plant.

The schools at Mendon are closed be-

cause of an epidemic of fever. There were 117 deaths in Detroit during the week ending Jan. 19.

The Straits of Mackinaw are frozen over for the first time this winter.

Gov. Bliss and staff will attend the

inauguration of President McKinley at Washington. An additional free rural mail deliv-

ery route has been ordered established at Howell, Feb. 1.

at Homer, Feb. 12. Laingsburg's council has adopted an | months.

official time after Feb. 1. There are 56 inmates in the Calhoun county house, of which number 18 are

in the insane department. That I'ort Huron canal question has

not yet been settled, but the aldermen are said to be hedging.

Ann Arbor will ask the legislature to pass an act enabling it to purchase the private water works plant.

outgrown its present quarters and proposes to build a fine new church.

Booker T. Washington, the noted colored educator, will speak on the "Race Problem" at Ann Arbor, Jan. 31. Grant, Newaygo county, will be sup-

plied with electric lights from Newaygo's big water power plant, eight miles

The U. S. Telephone Co., with headquarters at Cleveland, O., has been granted a franchise to run a toll line into Jackson.

The dog population of Hudson is being rapidly reduced by some unknown who has instituted poisoning operations on a large scale.

Arrangements are about effected for the 12th annual banquet of the Pontiac Lincoln club, which will be given in that city on Feb. 12.

Alex. McDowell, of Detroit, who was 736 years in Jackson prison.

isters in conference at Lansing recently, propose to break up St.

Joseph's marriage industry. Professional burglars cracked the safe of Wm. F. Sandall & Co., bankers, of New Baltimore, on the 19th. They got over \$3,000 for their trouble.

At a special election held at Holland on the 21st the proposition to bond for \$50,000 for the purpose of securing new factories was carried by over 500 ma-

Hastings has just secured a new industry, a bookcase factory from Grand Rapids, and is now on the trail of another which will give employment to Reinet.

The supervisors of Ottawa county have decided to try the stone pile scheme to see if it will keep away the hoboes who now flock there in large

Sheriff Brewster, of Pontiac, will shortly add a bloodhound to his force, the animal at present being at a Cantion with the Branch County Agricul- adian boarding school, being trained

The New York Life Insurance Co., on the 21st paid the state treasurer the society ceased to hold fairs, as they \$14,509 in taxes, being two per cent on the premiums collected in Michigan during the last year.

> The Alma Argus has changed hands, F. W. Blair selling out the paper to George Merritt. The former goes to Lansing, where he has a place in the auditor-general's office.

> Two more deaths from typhoid fever have been reported at New Boston, and many persons are in a precarious condition. This makes 10 deaths from

> Beds of valuable clay, such as is used to make ornamental tiling, have been discovered near Addison, and a stock company will be organized at once to manufacture the tiling.

The business portion of Ellsworth, a flourishing village on the Pere Marquette, southwest of Petoskey, burned on the 20th, causing a loss of nearly

A special election to vote on bonding the city of Holland for \$50,000 for a public park, the funds in reality to be used for obtaining new factories, was held on the 31st and was carried by

The fish hatchery at Sault Ste. Marie had a narrow escape from being destroyed by fire on the night of the 20th. The active work of the bucket brigade saved the lives of 4,000,000 lake and brook trout.

. Marquette is to have one of the finest groups of school buildings in the state. Recently the high school structure was destroyed by fire, and the same will cost \$100,000.

The railroad which is being built to connect the cement factory at Alpena with its marl beds, several miles out of town, is nearly completed, and it is expected that the manufacture of cement will begin next month.

Emmett Monroe, of Pinckney, was decapitated by the cars in that village on the morning of the 21st. He attempted to board a rapidly moving train when he missed his footing an was drawn beneath the wheels.

Paris township, Huron county, claims the cha upionship for weddings, with from two to a half dozen each week. and each is celebrated by the entire population. Nine were "called" from the Catholic pulpit on the 20th.

On the 21st Frank Curtis, of Luding- killed. The trouble grew out of a ton, received a 15-year sentence in Jackson prison for rape committed against his 19-year-old daughter. This is the severest sentence imposed in a Mason county court in 10 years.

During the year 1900 the water works gating \$765,984. at Escanaba pumped 323,450,680 gallons of water. Apparently not enough of this amount was used for drinking purposes to spoil the thirst of the residents, for 85 saloons flourish in the tearing out an entire corner.

The beet sugar factory at Marine City is now running full blast and turning out a fine grade of sugar. This factory is one of the best in the state ana plantations on every side. and is situated in a beet growing country that will insure a good run of bus-

Real estate in the vicinity of Lakeland, Livingston county, formerly The baby weighed 81/2 pounds. called Hamburg Junction, is going The 4th 31 nual banquet of the Cal- clear out of sight as regards price, on houn County Lincoin club will be held account of the fact that a cement fac- of the death of Cadets Booz and Breth, tory is to be built there inside of six

The secretary of state says that their death was not caused by hazing, ordinana, making standard time the probably not over two-thirds of the as previously announced. births that actually occur in Michigan every year finally get upon the records. The result is the almost comcollection of births.

Upon recommendations of the boards of control of the Jackson and Ionia prisons, Gov. Bliss on the 19th, paroled Wm. Edgerton, of Sanilac county; gines. Chas, A. Brown, of cass county; J. The Presbyterian society at Caro has White, of Livingston county, and Chas, A. Bulley, of Wayne.

Gov. B.iss on the 18th signed a parole for Thos. C. Wright, sent from Shiawassee county to Jackson for 10 years in 1894 for criminal assault. The application was approved by the warden and board of control. His term legal. would have expired in April, 1902.

A Charlevoix woman discovered that the chimney of her house was on fire the other night, but instead of losing her head and alarming the neighborhood she just ran upstairs, pulled the stovepipe out of the chimney and poured in some salt, and in a minute or two there wasn't enough fire left in the chimney to light a match.

The Michigan Central Railroad Co. has leased a piece of 1 and on the east side of the lake at Grass Lake, and will erect three mammoth ice houses. there at once. The spur track which convicted of burglarizing a saloon at has been put in to accommodate the Jackson on the 21st, was sentenced to cement company, will be extended to reach the ice houses. It is expected Through proper legislation, the min- that Ypsilanti will receive her ice supply from Grass Lake the coming sum-

Two of the three so-called smallpox victims at Holton, Muskegon county, cut 40 cords of wood for themselves while quarantined at home. They must have been very sick men indeed.

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

The casualty list shows that there has been a severe engagement, with a loss of 6 killed 17 wounded and 5 miss. ing at Murraysburg, where the Dutch are said to have joined the invaders. Murraysburg is 16 miles west of Graaff

According to a dispatch from Brussels, bubonic plague is raging among the British troops in Cape Colony, and many deaths that are attributed to enteric fever and dysentery are really due to plague.

The British government has decided to send large reinforcements to Lord Kitchener, and the London war office, in carrying out this decision has determined to enlist 5,000 yeomanry vol-

Three hundred Boers captured a small British convoy at Bronkhurstspruit, near Pretoria, on the 15th, but made off after liberating the prisoners.

#### CHINA WAR NEWS.

So far as the state department at Washington can influence the negotiations now about to begin at Pekin between the ministers and the Chinese plenipotentiaries on the basis of the agreement just signed, it will seek to clear the way of all minor matters and of points upon which there is no disagreement whatever between the allies, before undertaking the solution of the more difficult problems involved in the settlement of the questions of indemnities, guarantees and commercial treaties. It is fully expected that the Chinese representatives will offer opposition to almost every point in order to secure more favorable terms.

Valuable Almanac Free.

We have received a copy of the new almanac for 1901 published by the Royal Baking Powder Co. It is an artistic and useful book and will be of interest to housekeepers. A noteworthy feature of the almanac is a prediction of the weather for every day of the year, by Prof. DeVoe, who correctly prophesied the great Galveston cyclone and other important meteorological events. We are authorized to say that any woman reader of this paper can secure a copy without cost by sending a request to the company, at 100 William St. New York.

#### THE NEWS CONDENSED

The Cubans have not yet been able to agree on a constitution. The U.S. government has under con-

sideration a device for the prevention of shipwrecks.

As the result of a fire in a hotel at Kewanee. Ill., on the 21st, three persons were killed and two others were

Utre ch in a few days to consult an oc-The new \$100,000 hotel in course of

by a gale on the morning of the 16th. Loss 15,000. As a result of a riot in Corbin, Ky., on the 17th, several persons were

The sugar and chicory factories of Bay City have practically closed their season. They have paid out to farmers for beets and chickory sums aggre-

The failure of the brakes to work caused a traction car to run wild at Newcastie, Pa., on the 19th. It left the track and dashed into city hall,

According to a dispatch from Kingston, Ja., dated the 21st. a distructive storm has raged there since the 18th, causing total destruction of the ban-

.A Caesarian operation was performed at the University hospital at Ann Arbor on the 15th. It was a success, and both mother and baby will live. The

The congressional committee. appointed to investigate the real cause at West Point, have finished their work, and will report to congress that

A head-on collision between freight trains on the Grand Trunk railroad, near Locke's Mill, Me., on the 19th, replete loss of the statistical value of the suited in the deaths of five men and serious injury of several others, and four locomotives and 12 cars were demolished. Both trains were very heavy, each being drawn by two en-

> The supreme court of Missouri on the 21st sustained a motion to quash the alternative , writ of ouster, in the St. Louis Consolidated Street railway case, instituted by the attorney-general on the ground of illegal combination in violation of the anti-trust laws. This makes the consolidation

> A Lakeville man received some garden seeds from the agricultural department at Washington in an official envelope bearing the usual warning, Penalty for private use. \$300," the franked envelope of course being meant. He didn't understand it that way, however, and sent the seeds back with a letter to the effect that he had not used one of the seeds and was not subject to any fine.

A dispatch from Port Louis, Island of Mauritius, dated the 17th, says: The British steamer Kaisari, which sailed from Rangoon, Nov. 23, for Reunion, was wrecked at Reunion. Twenty-five of the persons on board the vessel, including the captain, lost their lives. The disaster to the Kaisari may have been due to the hurricane which swept over the island Jan. 12, causing a number of vessels to be driven ashore.

It is rumored that Aguinaldo visited his mother in Cavite province and narrowle escaped capture during the recent roundup of one of the villages in CONGRESSIONAL NOTES.

The finance committee spent the entire day on the 20th in agreeing upon details of the revenue reduction bill. The total reduction is \$42,000,000. The beer tax is reduced to \$1.50. The tax on tobacco also has a reduction of onehalf of the war tax, leaving it at 9c a pound. The present two cent stamp on bank checks will be retained until Jan. 1, 1902, when it will be reduced to one cent. The tax is removed from all patent medicines, when the formulae or ingredients are printed upon the label or wrapper of the bottle. All secret compounds for medicinal or toilet purposes are taxed the same as now. There is a reduction of one-half of the tax on perfumes, pomades, and other toilet articles. The bank tax, which is now equivalent to \$2 a thousand of capital, is reduced to \$1 a thousand of capital and surplus. Stamps will not be required upon notes, mortgages, or other evidence of indebtedness, but will be continued upon deeds and other certificates of transfer and evidences of wealth. The inheritance tax is reduced one-half, and all bequests to libraries, educational and charicable institutions are exempt.

It has been many years since one senator in the U.S. senate spoke of another as a liar, and yet it was done in the executive session of the senate on the 21st. It was when James S. Harlan's nomination was brought up for attorney-general of Porto Rico. Justice Harlan of the supreme court is the father of Jas. S. Harlan, and the nomination was attacked because it was intimated that the nomination was made to influence Justice Harlan's opinion in the cases involving the constitutionality of the administration's colonial policy.

The senate on the 18th finally disposed of the army reorganization bill. The measure having originated in the senate, the final question was not upon its passage, but upon agreeing to the senate amendments. They were agreed to by a vote of 43 to 23. While party lines were drawn on the measure, four Democrats voted for it. The bill has occupied practically the entire attention of the senate since the 3d of January, when it was made the unfinished business.

The session of the house on the 19th was devoted chiefly to the postal codification bill, which was about half completed. The discussion turned mainly on the .proposition to compel star route contracts to be let to persons living contiguous to the route, but the proposition was defeated after extended debate. Among the bills passed was that granting 15 days' annual leave to employes of navy yards, arsenals, etc.

The naval appropriation bill was reported to the house on the 19th with A special from The Hauge on the 15th | an elaborated statement of its provissays ex-President Kruger will leave for ions by Chairman Foss of the naval committee. This bill earries \$77,016,-635, the largest ever reported to the house from the committee on naval afconstruction at Frankfort was wrecked fairs. This is about \$11,865,718 above the bill of last year and \$10,0220,395 below the estimates submitted by the navy department. The bill went on the calendar.

The President on the 18th sent the following nominations to the senate: Franklin Moses, of Alaska, to be register of the land office at St. Michael, Alaska. Marine corps-First lieutenants to be captains: Henry Leonard and Henry W. Carpenter. Second lieutenants to be first lieutenants: R. G. McConnell, John W. Wadleigh, Wm. R. Coyle and R. S. Hooker.

Someone who has more money than he can conveniently use is going to start a newspaper at Marcellus. The village already has one good paper, and needs another about as much as a cat needs two tails.

Everything came Michigan's way in the house, in committee of the whole, on the 15th, during the consideration of the river and harbor appropriation bill. Although one-eighth of the \$60,-000,000 appropriation is credited to Michigan's account, every item was

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK. New York — Cattle Sheep Lambs Hogs Best grades . . \$4 25.65 25 \$4 50 \$6 30 \$5.75 ower grades... 8 10@4 15 3 00 5 00 5 55. Chicago-Lower grades. 2 70@4 6) 3 50 4 60 Detroit-Best grades .... 4-25@5 09 Lower grades. 2 75@3 75 8 75 50) Buffalo-

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According to a recent ruling of a Hamilton, Ont., magistrate, barbers can shave on Sunday. In view of the excessive sugar stock

in Argentina, the sugar manufacturers have resolved to export 50,000 bags of sugar at a loss. The customs committee of the French

chamber of deputies has adopted the proposal to raise the import duty on corn to five francs. According to a dispatch from San-tiago de Cuba on the 20th, the people there are experiencing the coldest weather known for years. INTRICATE WATCH.

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A manufacturing firm of Geneva, Switzerland, has for many years been making a specialty of complicated timepieces, and a watch placed on view at the Paris exposition is regarded by them as their highest achievement. In it they have overcome problems which were before considered insolvable, and have succeeded in retaining the size of the watch within a convenient limit of a pocket timepiece-namely, twenty linges, corresponding to the American eighteen size. But two of these watches have ever been constructed. One of these was purchased direct from the workshop of the firm, to be added to the magnificent watch collection of A. Ponti, the celebrated amateur of Milan, Italy. This watch, which has a perpetual calendar indicating the days of the month, the days of the week, and the phases of the moon, also possesses two separate small dials, upon which are shown automatically for a given latitude the time of the rising of the sun and the time of its setting. The difficulty overcome here was great, but what comprises the merit of the piece is that, in connection with the minute hand, which shows the mean time (the time we use), it carries another hand which indicates the sun's time (the true time). This hand, moving from the center, as do the hands showing the mean time, constantly travels with them, and places itself each day at midnight in the position it should occupy in order to indicate for that day the difference between the mean and true time. The variation is very great, being as much as fifteen minutes in one direction

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Life is mostly made up of desire and

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES do not tain the hands or spot the kettle.

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## A CRY FOR HELP.

Result of a Prompt Reply. - Two Letters from Mrs. Watson, Published by Special Permission.-For Women's Eyes Only.

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To MRS. PINKHAM, LYNN, MASS.: "DEAR MADAM: - I am suffering from inflammation of the ovaries and womb, and have been for eighteen months. I have a continual pain and soreness in my back and side. I am only free from pain when lying down, or sitting in an easy chair. When stand I suffer with severe pain in my side and back. I believe my troubles were caused by over work and lifting some years

"Life is a drag to me, and I sometimes feel like giving up ever being a well woman; have become careless and unconcerned about everything. I am in bed now. I have had several doctors, but they did me but little goe a.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been recommended to me ty a friend, and I have made up my mind to give it a

"I write this letter with the hope of hearing from you in regard to my case." - Mrs. S. J. WATSON, Hampton, Va.



November 27, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: - I feel it my duty to acknowledge to you the benefit that your advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have done for me.

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"I have nothing but praise for Peruna, and recommend it to those simi-larly afflicted whenever I can." nces M. Anderson.

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Peruna cures catarrh in all stages and varieties, whether acute or chronic, and is therefore the most effective "About two months ago I was taken remedy ever devised for removing all the derangements which follows la

> Grove, Ala., the following letter: Dear Sir—"Last week I was taken with la grippe and catarrhal deafness. I wrote you for advice and followed your directions. After taking two bottles of Peruna I found myself well of George, duke of York, born June 3. la grippe, and my hearing was fully restored. My health is better than it has been in five years.

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Her Last Moments on Earth Were Painless.

Prince of Wales Is Now King of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India-A Brief Glance at the Dead

the end was not unexpected.

WALES IS NOW KING,

Dead Queen's Eldest Son Takes the Title of Edward VII.

Wales takes the throne a grandfather. ent to the crown, the duke of York, is the queen, 35 years of age and has three chil- an she was

England's new king was born Nov. 9, 1841, at Buckingham pelace. He the country and themselves had lost was created prince of Wales and earl a valuable friend. of Chester by patent under the great seal, on Dec. 4 of the same year. In 1862, after extensive globe trotting, he was introduced at the privy council, and took his seat 'n the house of lords as duke of Cornwall. On March 10 his royal highness married Princess Alexandra, eldest daughter of the king of Denmark. The English government at once granted him an income of \$200,-000 a year, exclusive of the revenues of his duchy, making an aggregate of about \$500,000 a year. He was elected grand master of the Freemasons in England, in succession to the marquis of Ripon, in 1874. In May, 1875, he was installed at the Freemasons' hall as first principal of the Royal Arch Freemasons. The prince for several years has been a bencher at the Temple and also an elder brother of Trinity house. He is president of the Counci) of the Royal Arcanum society. In Samuel M. York writes from Union the royal navy he has held for some time the rank of honorary admiral of the fleet and captain of the Royal Naval Reserve. Following are King Albert's children and their offspring: 1865, who married Victoria Mary, daughter of the duke of Teck, to whom two sons and a daughter were born. Louise, born Feb. 20, 1867; married to the duke of Fife July 27, 1889, to whom two daughters were born. Victoria, born July 6, 1868. Maud, born Nov. 26, 1869; married July 22, 1896, to Prince

QUEEN'S PERSONAL TRAITS.

Clear Good Sense and an Exceptionally Judicial Mind-

that she yielded to her mother, that, home, and consideration for her abroad. the early years of her reign, impatient just estimate. and irritable when thwarted in her wishes, but that she had uniformly excellent spirits, was easily amused, and Her Majesty's Life Was Several Times was courteous and good-humored to all the court. Lord Melbourne would sometimes presume, in conversation, upon the exceptional tolerance that the queen exercised toward him, but she had been known to rebuke him at the proof, he took no offence at its having been given. It was this same favorite minister that praised the prudence and discretion of the young queen, declaring that she constantly astonished him by the display of these qualities, so seldom found except with mature

The strong element of Victoria, it would appear from the slight, but various, side lights obtainable from contemporary biography, has been clear good sense and, for a woman, an exceptional judicial mind. It has been said by those who had no reason to speak of her with favor that she has always commanded the respect and confidence of those associated with her for these

oo young to have views of her own or criminals by morphine instead of rope olitical convictions. But, naturally, defeated. When she came into power she was

she came with tendencies derived from her parents and friends. Her father had been a Whig, and her mother and Uncle Leopoid shared the same politi-

She came to the throne with a Whig ministry in power, and thus brought mother in Grand avenue and in other into immediate association with the Whig leader, Lord Melbourne, it was SURROUNDED BY HER FAMILY natural that this inclination should have deepened. Intercourse with Melbourne was congenial, and it was made exceptionally agreeable by the sauve, sympathetic and considerate manners of the minister. According to the testimony of his friends and adversaries, the manner of her kind, gathered her he had peculiar opportunities for form-Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 23.—Queen ing the young queen's mind, but was so Victoria passed away surrounded by impressed by her sterling character her physicians and members of her and the responsibility of her position, as in no sense to have laid himself The prince of Wales is now king of open to the charge of unfairness. He Great Britain and Ireland and em- even advised his opponent, Sir Robert peror of India. The queen's death Peel, in succeeding him, that, if he places him on the throne as her legal would have matters progress smoothly have been settled by the Boer war is successor. He will reign as Edward with the queen, he must explain measures to her clearly and concisely, as The queen's last moments were free she was well aware that she lacked from pain. She had been in an almost knowledge and experience, and had the ly that the division is the largest tacticomatose condition for some time and sense to comprehend quickly when cal unit that can be conveniently emquestions were simply set forth.

The queen had already had one misunderstanding with Sir Robert Peelin the famous ladies-in-waiting controversy-and was not friendly to his The prince of Wales' ascension to side in politics. Neverth ess, the the throne of England in all probabil- prime minister found no obstacles to ity marks the beginning of another overcome in conducting the governlong reign of kings, which his mother ment business with her, and each interrupted for so long a period. He seemed to outvie the other in the efis the first king England has had since fort to put aside personal prejudices. William IV. died, in 1837. King Wil- Sir Robert Peel succeeded in winning liam IV. was Queen Victoria's uncle. as completely as his predecessor had and she succeeded him. The prince of done the confidence and esteem of the queen, and when he retired from of-He is 60 years old and has four chil- fice he was as deeply regretted as the dren. His eldest son and heir appar- more popular Melbourne, from whom · the affectionate womleart, parted with tears. When ? rt Peel died, both the queen an. e consort felt that

AS A WIFE AND MOTHER.

Deep Affection for the Prince Consort

and Pride in His Merits. The felicitous matrimonial union made by Victoria, and which has been designated as the happiest royal marriage on record, had the most important influence on her life and reign. It had the effect of softening and harmonizing her strong character, as fortunate domestic relations have upon women in general. It had the incalculable effect of affording her sympathetic and intelligent counsel in her important official duties. Prince Albert, reared with no less care and seriousness than the Queen herself, manifested in his appearance and manners all the effects of an intellectual, moral and refined association. He was handsome and courtly in his bearing, but modest and sensitive.

Queen Victoria and Prince Albert, by a prompt entrance upon their regular work, and from the complete subservience of their own wishes and interests, which one sees expressed all through the memoirs of the prince consort and the queen's diary, confess a recognition of this sense of duty on the part of the crown to the nation. One has litt'- 'oubt in noting the conscientious language of the prince, which, at times, is almost abnormally exalted and passionless, that it was due in great part, to his influence that the queen has maintained this elevated view of her position.

The feelings of the mother must often have struggled for mastery, as, indeed, she shows in her various confidential letters to the Queen and King So careful was the training of the of the Belgians, and to Baron Stockqueen, and so complete the obedience mar, the dependent upon herself at

when she came to the throne, nobody, | She was always more pained by the not even her teachers, could tell what slighting remarks of the press upon character she would develop. She had Prince Albert than herself. When his the energy of abundant vitality, youth words and actions were misunderstood. and sound health; she had a strong as they often were, because of his imwill, and she gave evidence of a some- perfect knowledge of the English lanwhat undue consideration for herself, guage and the mind and character of which was undoubtedly the natural the people, the suffered as only one growth of the attention that had been can who stands between two dear accorded her since she occupied, when friends, anxious for their appreciation only 12 years of age, so prominent a of each other, but conscious that the position as a place on the throne at the desire is vain. And the queen has herleft of Queen Adelaide. But she was, self pronounced that the happiest day above all, kindly and affectionate in of her life was that of the opening of her disposition. Her sympathies were the great international exhibition in quickly excited and she was generous 1851, when on the faces of a multitude in her temperament, pleasing herself assembled in Crystal Palace, she read particularly in alleviating distress. Her surprise at the great work of which sense of honesty was unimpeachable, the prince was the originating and acand in all her dealings later with poli- tive spirit, and recognition at last of ticians she could tolerate nothing 30 some part of the noble, but modest, little as half-way truths or diplomatic merits for which she had long, as an reticence. Greville says she was, in affectionate and proud wife, craved a

ATTEMPTS AT ASSASSINATION.

Imperied. On several occasions the queen was alarmed by threats or attempts at assassination. For the most part these assaults or attempts were the work of insane persons. More than once she table in a manner of such gentle dig- had narrow escapes from harm, but at nity that, while he accepted the re- each time evincing the greatest brayery and presence of mind. On the 10th of May, 1839, when England was feverish with hard times, Chartist and repeal agitations and the like, a madman crept up to the garden steps of Buckingham Palace threatening to murder the queen because no Protestant should be allowed to sit on the throne of Engfand. He was promptly seized by the sentinel and afterward sent to Bride-

> Several other attempts were made on the dead queen's life, but none of them did any more injury than to frighten her attendants. The queen herself never showed great alarm. Her reign was the longest, beating that of Elizabeth by nearly four years.

Bill in Indiana Legislature to kill

Imitated His Mother. It's a Short Road As the child is so the man is a state-

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One of the things that appear to

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crowd smiled .- Milwaukee Journal.

nent that has proved its truth, and as the man is so is the child, is just as from a cough to consumption. true. This was amply proved yesterday Don't neglect a cough-take when a little tacker followed his Shiloh's ways. He was just at that size when he is really too small to wear trousers. but just the same has them on, a real Consumption cute little fellow as the girls say cute. And he wore over his tiny trousers a long cloak that brushed his shoe tops. Now, the weather, as may be remem-Cure

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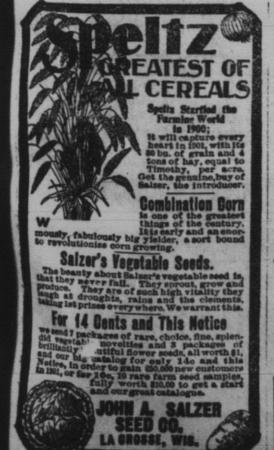


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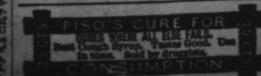


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ht, 1897, by F. Tennyson Neely.] CHAPTER XI.

That evening, when John Folsom, half an hour earlier than the stipulated time, drove the girls and their friend, Lieut. Loomis, out to the fort, Maj. Burleigh was left to his own devices, and his face plainly showed that he was far from pleased with the way things were going. The news that Marshall Dean had been placed in arrest by order of the commanding officer of Fort Emory, following as it did close on the heels of the tidings of that young officer's prompt and soldierly handling of the crisis at the ranch, made Folsom boil over with wrath. His first word was one of caution, however. "Hush!" he said. Speak low. Yonder stands his sister. The girls must not know yet." and closing the door behind them, he demanded all particulars Lannion

could give him, which were few enough. "The lieutenant halted the troop outside the post," said the indignant ranchman, "had it dismount there while he rode on in to report to the commanding officer for instructions. The colonel was taking his nap after lunch, and the adjutant was at the office, and what does he do but get up from his desk solemn-like, and when the lieutenant says: 'I report the arrival of troop C at the post, sir,' the adjutant didn't answer a word, but reached out and got his saber and began buckling it around him, and then he put on his cap and gloves, and says he: 'Lieut. Dean, I'm sorry, but my instructions are to place you in close arrest, by order of Col. Stevens.' Why, you could have knocked me down with the kick of a gopher I was so dumfounded! The lieutenant he didn't say anything for a minute, but turned white and looked like he could have knocked the top of the adjutant's head off. 'An officer will be sent to take charge of the troop,' said the adjutant, 'an' I suppose you'd better confine yourself to your tent, as the colonel means to have them camp there a day or two, until he hears from Capt Brooks as to quarters.' 'Well, will you have the goodness to say what charges have been laid against me?' said Mr. Dean, and the adjutant hemmed and hawed, and 'lowed that the colonel hadn't formally drawn 'em up yet, but that a copy would be served on him as

Then I said I'd go right i

you, and that's all I know." And then it was that Folsom turned on Burleigh, with gloom in his eye, and said: "By the Eternal, Maj. Burleigh, I hope you've had nothing to do with

"Nothing in the world, I assure you, Mr. Folsom. I-I deeply regret it. Though, as I have told you, I can hardly be surprised, after what has been said, and-what I have seen." But the major could not squarely meet the gaze in the keen eyes of the old trader, nor could the latter conceal his suspicions. "I know you wish to hear all the particulars of the affair at the ranch from this gentleman," said the major, uneasily, "so I will leave you with him for the present," and backing out into the hall he turned to the foot of the winding staircase where Elinor had met her friend. The girls were still there, their faces clouded with surprise and anxiety. It was an

opportunity not to be lost. "Pray do not be troubled, Miss Folsom," said Burleigh, advancing upon them with outstretched hand, "er-Mr. Folsom merely wants to hear further details from Lannion. I wish to extend my congratulations to you and-ahthis young lady, first upon the fortunate escape of your brother," and he bowed over his distended stomach to Elinor, "and second upon the part played by yours," and he repeated the bow to Jess, who, however, shrank away from the extended hand. "It will go far to counteract the stories that I-ah-er-believe you know aboutthat were in circulation, and most unjustly, doubtless, at-er-his expense."

"Who put them in circulation, Maj Burleigh?" asked Pappoose, her brown eyes studying his face as unflinchingly as had her father's gaze a moment be-

"That, my dear young lady I-eraginative, I dare say."

Miss Dean agitated, and Burleigh him- he had taken government money and in silence, he saw the color creeping self had many a reason for feeling ill turned it into handsome profit at ease. Just at the time of all others through the brokers of San Francisco when he most desired to stand on good terms with the well-to-do old trader and his charming daughter he found himself the object of distrust. He was is it's bound to change," and change thinking hard and far from hopefully it had, and left him face to face with as a moment later he hastened down calamity and dishonor. Where was the street.

"Tell them to send up my buggy, quick," were his orders as he stepped within his office doorway. Then lowering his voice: "Has Capt. Newhall returned?" he asked the chief clerk.

"The captain was here, sir. Left word he needed to take the first train -freight or construction, it made no difference-to Cheyenne and expected to find a letter or package from you, and there's two telegrams in from de-

The major turned thither with solemn face, and read them both, his back to his subordinate, his face to the light, and growing grayer every moment. One was a curt notification hat \$10,000 would be needed at once at

Warrior Gap to pay contractors and workmen, and directing him to send the amount from the funds in his keeping. The other read as follows:

"Have all transportation put in readiness for immediate field service. Every wheel may be needed."

This he tossed carelessly aside. Over the first he pondered deeply, his yellow-white face growing dark and hag-

Ten thousand dollars to be sent at once to Warrior's Gap! Workmen's pay! Who could have given such an order? Who would have imagined leigh savagely ground his teeth topayment would have to be made before July, when some reasonable amount of work had been done? What could laborers do with their money up there, even if they had it? It was preposterour! It was risky to attempt to send it. But what was infinitely worse for him-it was impossible. The money was practically already gone, but-not to Warrior Gap.

Those were days when inspectors' visits were like those of other angels, few and far between. The railway was only just finished across the great divide of the Black hills of Wyoming. Only as far as Cheyenne was there a time schedule for trains, and thatfar more honored in the breach than the observance. Passengers bound west of that sinfully thriving town were Then, leading the way into the library luckier, as a rule, if they went by stage. Those were days, too, in which a depot quartermaster with a drove of government mules and a corral full of public vehicles at his command was a monarch in the eyes of the early settler; and when, added to these highpriced luxuries, he had on deposit in various banks from Chicago to Cheyenne, and even here at Gate City. thousands of dollars of government greenbacks expendible on his check for all manner of purposes, from officers' mileage accounts to the day laborer's wages, from bills for the roofing of barracks and quarters to the setting of a single horseshoe, from the purchase of forage and fuel for the dozen military posts within range of the village lost itself in the prairie; his supply trains down to a can of axle grease. Everyone knew Burleigh's horses and habits were far more costly than his pay would admit. Everybody supposed he had big returns an early start and got ahead of him. from mines and stocks and investments. Nobody knew just what his investments were, and only he knew how few they were and how unprofitable they had become. Those were days when, as now, disbursing officers were forbidden to gamble, but when not as now, the law was a dead letter. Burleigh had gambled for years; had, with little remorse, ruined more than one man, and yet stood now awe-stricken



Where was he to raise the \$10,000?

and dismayed and wronged by Fate since luck had turned at last against him. Large sums had been lost to players as inexorable as he himself had been. Large sums had been diverted from the government channels in his charge, some to pay his so-called debts of honor, some to cover abstractions from other funds, "robbing Peter to pay Paul," some to silence people who knew too much; some, ay, most of it, in fact, to cover margins, and once money gets started on that grade it slips through one's angers like quicksilver. At the very moment when Anson Burleigh's envious cronies were telling each other he stood far ahead of the world, the figures were telling him he stood twenty thousand dollars behind it, and that, too, when he was confronted by two imperative calls for spot cash, one for ten thousand to Warrior Gap, another for a sum almost as big to "stake" a man who never yet had turned an honest penny, yet held the quartermaster where he dare not say so-where indeed he dare not say

"If you haven' it you know where yor can get it-where you have often got it before, and where you'd better get it before it's too late;" these were words said to him that very morning, in tones so low that none cannot surmise. They are mostly im- but he could hear; yet they were ringing in his head now like the boom But Miss Folsom looked unmollified, of some tolling bell. Time was when and Chicago. But, as Mr. John Oakhurst remarked: "There's only one thing certain about luck, and that he to raise the ten thousand dollars that must be sent to the post quartermaster at Warror Gap? The end of the fiscal year was close at hand. He dare not further divert funds from one appropriation to cover shortages in another. He could borrow from the banks, with a good indorser, but what indorser was there good enough but John Folsom?-the last man now whom he could bear to have suspect that he was in straits. Folsom was reported to be worth two hundred housand dollars, and th t levely girl would inherit half his fortune. There lived within his circle no man, no woman in whose esteem Burleigh so

to shame him before officers of the general's staff and expect to go un-whipped? Was that butt-headed subaltern to be the means of ruining his prospects right here and now when he stood so sorely in need of aid? Was the devil himself in league against him, that that boy's sister should turn out to be the closest friend old Folsom's daughter ever had-a girl to whom father and daughter both were devoted, and through her were doubtless interested in the very man he had been plotting to pull down? Bur-

"Go and hurry that buggy," he ordered, as he crushed the sheet of paper on which he had been nervously figuring. Then, springing up, he began pacing his office with impatient stride. A clerk glanced quickly up from his desk, watched him one moment with attentive eye, and looked significantly at his neighbor. "Old man's getting worse rattled every day," was the comment, as the crash of wheels through loose gravel announced the coming of the buggy, and Burleigh hastened out, labored into his seat, and took the whip and reins. The blooded mare in the shafts darted forward at the instant, but he gathered and drew her in, the nervous creature almost settling on her haunches.

"Say to Capt. Newhall when he gets back-that I'll see him this evening," called Burleigh over his shoulder. "Now, damn you, go-if you want to!" and the lash fell on the glistening, quivering flank, and with her head pointed for the hard, open prairie, the pretty creature sped like mad over the smooth roadway and whirled the light buggy out past the scattered wooden tenements of the exterior limits of the frontier town-the tall white staff, tipped by its patch of color flapping in the mountain breeze, and the dingy wooden buildings on the distant bluff whirling into view as he spun around the corner where and there, long reaches ahead of him, just winding up the ascent to the post was a stylish team and trap.

John Folsom and the girls had taken Old Stevens was up and about as Folsom's carriage drove swiftly through the garrison and passed straight out by the northeast gate. "I'll be back to see you in a moment," shouted the old driver smilelessly, as he shot by the lonely colonel, going, pepers in hand, to his office, and Stevens well knew he was in for trouble. Already the story was blazing about the post that nothing but the timely arrival of Dean and his men had saved Folsom's ranch, and Folsom's people. Already the men, wondering and indignant at their young leader's arrest, were shouting over the sutler's annual Repairing of all kinds promptly done. bar their peans in his praise, and their denunciation of his treatment. Over the meeting of sister and brother at the latter's little tent let us draw veil. He stepped forth in a moment and bade his other visitors welcome. shook hands eagerly with Loomis and Is the best and most urged their coming in, but he never passed from under the awning or "fly," and Folsom well knew the

"Jump out, daughter," he said to Pappoose, and Loomis assisted her to alight and led her straight up to Dean, and for the first time in those two years the ex-cadet captain and other work on the farm the whilom little schoolgirl with the heavy braids of hair looked into each they can not be exotner's eyes, and in Dean's there was amaze, and at least momentary de- celled light. He still wore his field rig, and the rent in the dark-blue flannel shirt was still apparent. He was clasping Miss Folsom's hand and looking straight into the big dark eyes that were so unusually soft and humid, when Jessie's voice was heard as she qualled, came springing forth from the tent:

"Look, Nell, look! Your picture!" she cried, as with the bullet-marked carte de visite in her hand she flitted straight to her friend.

"Why, where did this come from?" asked Miss Folsom in surprise, "and what's happened to it?-all creased and black there!" Then both the girls and Loomis looked to him for explanation, while Folsom drove away, and even through the bronze and tan the boy was blushing.

"I-borrowed it for a minute-at the ranch just as Jake came in wounded, and there was no time to return it, you know. We had to gallop right

"Then-you had it with you in the Indian fight?" cried Jess, in thrilling excitement. "Really? Oh, Nell! How I wish it were mine. But how'd it get so blackened there-and crushed? You haven't told us."

"Tell you some other time, Jess. Don't crowd a fellow," he laughed. But when his eyes stole their one quick glance at Elinor, standing there up like sunset glow all over he beautiful face as she tyrned quickly sway. Lannion had told them of the close shave the lieutenant had had and the havoc played by that bullet in the breast pocket of his hunting shirt. TO BE CONTINUED

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