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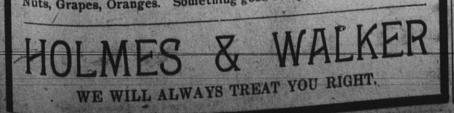
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was 88 in the state and central counties, 85 in the southern counties, 93 in the northern and 96 in the upper peninsula.

The condition of fall pasture as compared with au average per cent. is 98 in the state, 97 in the southern and central counties, 99 in the northern counties and 102 in the upper peninsula. The condition of live stock through-

out the state is 96 for horses, cattle, Delegate to Grand Lodge-H. D. sheep and swine.

Notice to Lima Taxpayers.

The undersigned will be at the Grand Vice Chancellor Hugh Van-Lima town hall every Friday during December; at the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank, Chelsea, December 28 and January 4; at the Dexter Sav-ings Bank, Dexter, January 3, to re-ceive taxes. dewalker, of Ypsilanti, was present At the close of the meeting a lunch was served to which all did ample

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September 17. E SAIL tomorrow. I am devotedly thankful to dad for insisting that mother take me away for a while. Perhaps we will remain a year. I hope it may be

want to live the rest of my life in Europe-Asia - Africa - anywhere, as far away from Riverside as possible. Mother says I'm a silly little lovesick girl; but dad thinks I need a change. I'm not silly-and I'm not lovesick. Carl has behaved in a most ungentlemanly way. Just because I motored to Lakewood

with Sam Perkins and his sister is no reason why he should get cross and take that actressy - looking person with him everywhere he goes. Sam's sister says she is a Frenchwoman. I always did hate French, and I'm glad I refused Carl to meet her,

glad I snubbed Carl and glad I was out when he called. Two long, miserable weeks without seeing

Carl-and tomorrow we sail. Perhaps I won't see him for months-maybe never again. I wonder if I care. October 20.

More than a month has passed since have written in my little diary. I wouldn't write now, only this morning point. a letter came from Carl, and I just have to record it.

Carl says he is lonely; he misses me, and he cannot understand why I ran away to Europe so suddenly. The letter is full of reproaches for

MY treatment of HIM, when all the time it was HIS meanness to me that made me so ill, so that I had to get He does not mention one word about that horrid French creature.

I shall not write. Well-perhaps will. November 24. At first I hated Paris. London was nice. Vienna stupid,

but Paris-impossible, until last Sun-

GAME REQUIRING HIGH HAD DEGREE OF SKILL.

THE CHELSEA STANDARD, DECEMBER 12, 1912.

AZTEC BALL PLAYERS

Stars of the First Magnitude in the Big Leagues Today Would Have Found Nothing Easy About Those Contests.

No, the first game of ball ever played ten. I hate America, on the American continent did not take loathe New York, and place the first time the home team walloped the visiting "ginks" way back in the last century. That "game" seems to have been played several centuries ago.

It was an Aztec game and it was played somewhere out on the mesas of Mexico, long before the Spaniards The new neighbor, who had but rearrived in their search for gild.

The sort of ball that the Astecs knew nothing of Betty's history, had played was very popular with the pub. just left. With the Christmas spirit lic, just as the big league draws at everywhere she had thought of tention today. They had no "regular course Betty was preparing a feast ney Pills can be had at our entire league balls" at \$1.25 each, but used for the day.

one of rubber or elastic resin, and in "Now, if Jim hadn't never sailed another sort of contest used those away on that water-logged old Mary Ann, as he did a-going on four year made of gold. The ancient Aztec game was called ago, I guess I could a been preparing

totologue and was played in a court for Christmas like other folks. If known as a tlachco, not so large as there hadn't been nobody else, Jim the present day diamond. The players and me could of enjoyed Christmas, were clothed only in a maxtlati or and then maybe there'd a been somebody else-somebody what just about girdle around the loins.

There were pitchers, but not catch now would a been liking dolls or tin ers, and the fielders were few. When cars, and if so Jim and me would a pitched the ball was struck by an been having a Christmas tree for that

upward movement of the thigh or el somebo dy, bow, according to how it was aimed, and we'd be whether high or low. After being a having the struck the sphere, in order to count, best Christhad to pass through a hole in one of mas in all several stone disks hanging just in South Cove. front of the wall of the court. The "My, how I feat of bunting that ball with the did try to thigh and sending it through one of keep Jim those holes required a great deal of from sailing skill, as might be imagined, Agility in that Mary was one of the prime requisites of an Ann. Any. Aztec big leaguer. Any player touch body what ing the ball with the hand lost a knew anything about .

The emoluments of the game were ships knew quite as interesting from a pecuniary she wasn't fit . standpoint as they are today. Things to go to sea of great value were usually given to in, but Jim the winners. And not only the prize, says it's the The victors were often presented with only berth jewels, fine cotton stuffs, feather work he's likely to get, and takor plumes of great value. The game with the gold balls was a ing it would

favorite of Montezuma. It is said that our marrying when Cortez staged his little hos just that torical skit known as the Conquest much sooner, and the Mary Ann or of Mexico and took Montezuma pris Jim ain't never been heard of since oner the royal captive spent a great she left that South America place to deal of his time in durance playing go round the Horn on her way to the game with gold balls. He often China."

The bright eyes of Betty Green challenged the Spanish general to a were wet with tears as she opened contest. These yellow "pills" were thrown the oven door to raise the pie to a



special."

Betty Green sighed as she placed

the pie in the oven, and pulled a

kitchen chair up beside the stove.

cently moved into the town, and who

something to eat tomorrow, which happens to be Christmas, she thought I was preparing for that day a

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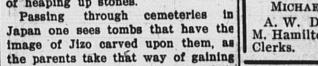
PECULIAR BELIEF IN JAPAN

Seems Strange to Our Western Ideas, Though There is Much That is Pathetic About It.

Among the Buddhists in Japan it is believed that the souls of children go after death to Sui-no-ka-wara (the stony river-bed) and there they remain until they reach maturity under the care of Jizobosatsu, who is represented as a priest with a long cane in one hand and a ball in the other. . He is said to stand in the center of the kawara, where he preaches to the children as they pile up stones, one for the salvation of their father, one for the mother, the third for brothers, the fourth for sisters and the fifth for their own salvation.

When night comes on and the wind blows hard a gigantic evil spirit appears and with a huge iron rod knocks down the heaps of stones which the children have made, and they are so frightened that they run to Jizo and hide themselves in the big sleeves of his kimono, which have a miraculous way of increasing in size according to the number of children who seek refuge. Then the evil spirit disappears and the children begin again the work

of heaping up stones. Passing through cemeteries in



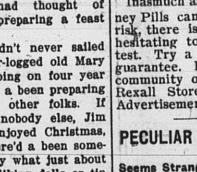
colt 3 years old; 5 cows all due to calf in the spring; 2 yearlings, 3 spring calves; sow with 9 pigs, sow with 6 pigs; Plano binder, McCormick hay rake, hay tedder, land roller, Oliver plow, spike tooth drag, new 1-horse cultivator, 2-horse Gale cultivator nearly new, grain drill, hay rack, stock rack, 2 wagons, double platform buggy, top buggy, runabout, surrey, light double driv ing harness, 3 work harness, double work harness, single harness, single brass trimmed harness nearly new. corn sheller; bag truck, cauldron kettle, Portland cutter, grain bags, horse blankets, buffalo robe, 75 hens, 600 bushels corn in ear, 6 stacks corn stalks, quantity of hay and some household goods, also cream separator and numerous other articles. Lunch and Hot Coffee at Noon.

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a beggar.

day, when we met Mrs. Harmon. business Saturday. Isn't it strange what a change one Miss Estella Guerin, of Ann Arbor, day, one hour, can make in a girl's spent Friday with friends here. life?

Miss Gladys Whittington was the

Mr. and Mrs. B. Landwehr, of

Mrs. W. J. Foor and son, of Chelsea,

pent Sunday at the home of Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb and child-

Mrs. Samuel Schultz and daughter,

of North Lake, were guests at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rem-

Being Convinced.

Sure-Death Fly Poison.

"Millionaire or not," said the govern-

or to a reporter, afterward, "the man

who holds out his hand for help begs.

The fact is self-evident. It needs no

oung Benedick, who entered his club

ren were guests at the home of Mr.

Mrs. Jacob Streiter.

nant last Friday.

the week.

Freedom, were Lima visitors Sunday.

guest of Ann Arbor friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Field, friends mother's, gave a dinner for us. Mrs. Harmon was one States and

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of the guests. She looks much better in the evening gown than in her street suits: not nearly so frowsy, and the rouge on her cheeks doesn't

and Mrs. Henry Hoffman the last of show at night. I Im was appalled when mother introduced me to her, to recognize Carl's French friend. She

is his cousin, but she has lived in Paris since she was It is said that Andrew Carnegie's a little girl.

use of simple spelling has "irritated" We had a lovely talk. She told me some people on the other side of the all about her recent visit to America water, who have read his published and how good Carl had been in taking speeches on certain subjects. "The her about.

effect on the reader," says one man, I like her now that I know her. 'is irritating, rather than convincing." She says Carl was perfectly miser An American, commenting on this able over a girl he was in love with, comment, says that if a person cannot who had gone abroad for the winter. be convinced by reason and sense, irri-She did not know the girl's name. tation is the next best thing. Now, I blushed furiously when she spoke whether or not one believes that irriof it. tation ever is or was or could be a That was Sunday. We have seen

wise method of procedure in causes Mrs. Harmon several times since then. good or bad, it is a notable fact that I made mother promise to take me irritation often seems immediately to home. She cabled dad, and said she precede conviction. For example, take would be thankful to get back to woman suffrage. I know of a dozen plain home cooking and her own cases in which violent dislike of the bathroom. Mother is a dear, and so idea turned almost without warning funny.

into approval of it. Will the irritation December 25. simple spelling rouses in the breast What a happy, happy Christmas day of many of us fade into acceptance of it has been!

> The very best I have ever known. Once I said I hated America-New

> > 5300

York-but I don't. I read somewhere recently that for I love New York maldehyde and water constitute a and America, Rivgood fly poison, and hasten to add my erside, home, AR. good fly poison, and nasten to add my testimony to the many volumes al-ready written on this important sub-ject. The scheme will work, under proper conditions. Purchase 5 cents worth (or more, if you have many flies) of formalde a de

if you have many flies) of formalde and kind, since we hyde at any drug store, and put two came home two or three drops in a saucer of water. weeks ago. He Then-and this is extremely immet us at the pier. portant-catch a fly and hold him by I was never so the left hind leg with his head imglad to see anymersed in the mixture for three-quarbody in my life ters of an hour. When removed he as I was to see will be quite dead. Repeat the opera- dear old Carl. Dad was there, too. tion until all the flies have disap-

My Christmas gifts are lovely. of all is Carl's love and the rin gave me as a token of his deep, The Male Boy. Governor Marshall of Indiana said dying love. I think it was sweet him to give me such a wonderful d the other day that he who demands mond, besides the candy and bo and flowers. It flashes fire as I tu special privileges of the government is

my hand in the light. Daddy s I'm too young to marry, but I sha coax him to let me marry Carl fi une. I'm the happiest girl in the work tonight, and Carl is the hap roof. Even to state it seems supiest man. He has told me so him self. 1 wish everybody in the world erfluous-seems like the shout of Gre as happy as we this Christma

at targets of the same precious metal. higher shelf. Ever since Jim Busby History shows that Montezuma had failed to return in time for the wedthe makings of a pitcher who might ding which Betty had so carefully

have been in fast company had he prepared for four years ago-a weddelayed the date of his birth a few ding which was to be the big event centuries. He could lean them against of the Christmas season at South the home plate with unerring regular | Cove-she had had a lonesome life.

ity. The Spanfards never could learn to play ball any way, and Cortez was that was to have been Betty's wednot one two three with the first great ding day her aged father had been American pitcher, so he lost fre carried to the village cemetery, leavquently.

upon having high stakes placed on except those at South Cove Betty rethe game and won precious stones, mained in the little fishing town in ingots of gold and other more or less desirable property, which he prompt- ty-seven years ago. ly distributed to his attendants with

Cortez .- New York Sun. Alligator Hunting Free for All. Since the publication in this paper

a few weeks ago of a paragraph about the profits to be made in alligator farming, many letters have been received asking for further information. It will interest these correspondents to know that alligator hunting is now free for all on the Magdalena river in Colombia and that there is one firm in Newark, N. J., which has a virtual of the world, buying as it does from 80 to 90 per cent, of the production.

In the Magdalena river are three species of alligators, only one of which, the caiman porro, is of any value.

Change of Diet. Senator Penrose was congratulated at Atlantic City on his aspect of sunburnt and vigorous health. "It is the change," he said, "the

change from the baking heat of Washington. There's nothing like change, you know. There was wisdom in the doctor's remark:

"You should eat for breakfast every morning,' said the doctor, 'an orange and two poached eggs.' "But, doctor,' said the patient, 'I

do!' "Then,' said the doctor quickly, 'don't!' "

Somewhat Like Eve.

Rose Pastor Phelps Stokes, at a din ter in New York, was describing a particularly intelligent little "country akor."

"In a soft and wistful August twi light," she said, "this little girl and I stood watching the milking. The little girl was complaining about her ahabby clothes-the gift of some chartable organization.

"'Eve,' she grumbled, quaintly, as e looked down at her old-fash nd ill-fitting dress-'Eve had noth but leaves to wear; and I have thing but leavings."

Two months after the Christmas

ing her alone in the world. With no The Aztec emperor usually insisted other relatives, and with no friends which she had been born nearly twen-

With the baking finished, Betty left the wonted generosity of his emperor the kitchen and went into her bedship. Cortez probably played a clever room. She wanted nothing so much game on "Old Monte" for he was the as to be alone in that room that had captor, you know. He probably re been her father's-in that room where lieved those same attendants of their she kept carefully preserved the wedevidences of Montezuma's liberality as ding clothes she had lavished so much fast as the old fellow loaded them up, care upon four years ago. These and thus kept up a clever triple mone- clothes and the faded photograph of tary play, Montezuma to servants to Jim Busby on her bureau were all that were left her of her romance.

With these she would spend her Christmas eve, would live over again the courting days. And Jim should be there with her. That would be her Christmas.

With care she took each garment from its wrappings in the bureau drawer and spread them on the bed. The pretty wedding dress which Sarah Glover had helped her make -yes, she would put it on tonight just as she had planned to four years ago. monopoly of the alligator skin trade Jim would like her to do that: he had always liked to see her prettily dressed, and maybe Jim might see New York Times. her from the spirit world tonight.

As she fastened the gown she almost forgot that Jim could not be

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there, that it was all a make-believe. As she stood before the mirror the smile of taste all right. four years ago came back again. She noted the color in her

cheeks; it was like bridal blush. A rap at the door dispelled the illusion

she had permitted herself for a few moments. She could not go to the door in that dress. The caller would have to wait, but he did not wait. She heard the door swing, a heavy step on the floor, and

a voice-oh! such a familiar voicecalling Betty. "Jim! My Jim!" she answered, as she pulled open the door of her bed room and sprang into the arms of

strong, bronzed sailor. Far into the night she listened to Jim's tale of shipwreck on the Pata gonian coast, of the months and year of practical captivity before he coul

t back to a seaport. "And now," he said, "I am home to claim my Christmas bride." "And I have our Christmas bakin

one," said Betty. WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

children, and one will see little piles of stones built up by the parents and brothers and sisters of the children with the hope of helping in the tedious work of the little ones in the kawara. -Christian Advocate.

the special favor of Jizo for their

- Chicken Race War. "A sectional issue has arisen in our town," said the commuter. "Before it is settled I am afraid the civil war will be fought all over again. Anyhow, our southern friends are sure to indulge in some fire-eating language "A resident of our village, who undertook to raise chickens, received a crate of fowls from a South Carolina farm. When the neighbors learned where the chickens came from

they raised a row. "'If you must get chickens,' they said, 'get northern chickens. They don't crow nearly so much as southern chickens. There is something in the climate down there that makes a chicken crow four times as often as a chicken brought up in any other part of the country.'

"That peculiarity of southern chickens was news to the amateur poultry man. He noticed, however, that his chickens really did crow more persis tently and more vigorously than any other chickens he ever had known and when an experienced poulterer assured him that they always would because southern chickens always do. he sold them and bought New Jersey chickens instead. Now he is in hot water with the southern families in our town, and heaven only knows how the squabble will terminate."-

Rented Wedding Cake.

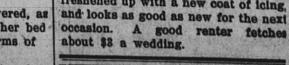
There was something wrong with the cake, the baker said; it looked all right and it smelled all right, but his artistic sense told him it would not

"Then fix it up with an extra coat of icing, and we will keep it for a renter." said the proprietor.

"Who in the world would rent cake?" someone asked. "Wedding parties," said he. "They

want a big cake in the center of the table for show, but a cake of that size good enough for a wedding would cost more than they can afford to pay, so they order fine cake put up in in-

dividual boxes for the guests, and use the bride's cake just as an ornament. They don't buy it, they rent it. Some times a cake is rented a dozen differ ent times. After each wedding it in freshened up with a new coat of icing.





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FOUND-A horse blanket; owner can get same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 18

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NOTICE-For choice fruit and orna

mental trees and shrubs, also farm and garden seeds, leave orders with A. Kaercher, Chelsea. Christmas trees for the searcher and the searcher

trees for church and family use pecialty. 20

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THE CHELSEA STANDARD, DECEMBER 13, 1912.



ing his son, who had got on in the world, and who kept a large house, servants, etc.

When the two sat down to dinner the first night a manservant waited upon them, and was most assiduous in, his attentions to the old farmer. ~ after watching his antics for a bit the guest exclaimed:

What the mischief are ye dancin' about like that for? Can ye not draw in yer chair and sit down? I'm sure there's enough here for the three of ses."--- London Mail.

One Fisherman's Idea.

First Angler-Look, this fish was armost caught before; see the broken monk its mouth

Second Angler-It should have had sense enough to cteer clear of hooks affer that.

First Angler-Oh, come, you can't expect a fish to exhibit more sense than a human being.

Just Shopping. Tired Clerk (over piled up counter)

-Can I show you, anything else, madam? Costomer-Yes; the nearest way

out.-Boston Evening Transcript.

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SO'S REMEDY

ed that a god or goddess dwelt in the evergreen. Long prior to the Christian era, the fir tree was used in Rome in the December holiday festivities of the Saturnalia and its branches were decked with little yellow jeweled images of pagan divinities, especially

of Bacchus. In the Valetide celebrations of the Druids of ancient Britain, the evergreen had a distinctive place with fyy, holly and mistletoe. The Druids believed that the evergreens sheltered the good spirits of the air who fied to them at the approach of cold weather.

There is a Scandinavian myth that tells of the tree that sprang from the blood-soaked ground where two lovers met a violent death, and of mysterious lights that hovered about the tree at Christmas time. At the period of the winter sclstice, the ancient Egyptians decorated their houses with palm leaves which symbolized immortality and the starry sky. At this period of the year the ancient Persians decorated the plane tree with ornaments and jewels.

An old German tradition gives Saint Wilfred the credit of transforming the tree worship of the savage Teutons to a Christian ceremony. It was about the year 725 that he led a party of priests into central Germany for the conversion of the worshipers of god Thor. Prince Gregor, the grandson of a king, was with him, having been intrusted to his care by the abbess of the cloister Phaizel. On Christmas eve they were fighting their way through the snow of the forest when they came upon the heathen tribe of Geismar. They were assembled under the thunder oak, symbolic of the power of Thor, and were prepared to offer up sacrifice. The white-haired priest of the heathens had chosen the young son of the chief as the fairest possession of the tribe. and he was to be offered, for the god was very hungry and needed the utmost atonement.

As the venerable priest raised his stone hatchet on high and brought it down to kill the boy. who was ready, prepared for the stroke, Winfred appeared and warded off the blow with his staff. The people were gratified at his saving of their favorite and allowed him speech and he gave them the Christian creed. Then he and the Prince Gregor took their axes and cut down the Thunder Oak. As it was ready to fall the lightning came and split it in many parts and it fell sunder. The waiting tribe then beheld in its place a slender fir tree, green and sparkling and odorous. Winfred bade the tribesmen bear this tree to the hall of Grundhar, the chleftain, to there assemble about it and make merry. About this first Christmas tree the wild men of the woods first heard the tale of the shepherd boy and the fields of Judah and it gripped their sturdy earts. The tribes became Christian and ever after used the fir tree as a token of the day of Christ's birth. The Christmas tree in its present style of

had already brought the custom to our own country and here it has become so popular that the supply of trees in the city markets is never equal to the demand.

Linking the present with the dim past of unnumbered centuries, there will this Christmas be displayed in American homes 5,000,000 evergreen trees. There are about 20,000,000 families in the United States, and one in four of these will make the Christmas tree a part of the celebration that is at hand. This does not mean that only these will participate in the festivities of the season. for there is still the stocking method of dispensing gifts. But in this great number of homes it has become the custom to use the trees in accordance with the old-fashioned custom of sturdy, rural Germany.

New York, the metropolis of the nation, uses far more Christmas trees than any other city in the world. Yet the city is so admirably located from the standpoint of available forests that the supply is always abundant and prices low. A quarter of a million Christmas trees are each year brought to New York and all of them are sold during the week before Christmas. Over on Riverside Drive, where are the homes of the wealthy, expensive trees are sold. These are elaborately prepared, often being specially grown for the purpose and bring prices as high as \$50. Yet the East Side gets its due proportion, and so abundant is the supply that good shrubs may be had for 25 cents and 50 cents. The little trees grow quickly and the farmers are often glad to have them cleared off their land. As a result the people who count the pennies closely find the Christmas greens within their reach.

Father Knickerbocker lives right in the midst of the most productive Christmas tree section. The state of New York yields them abundantly. Straight down from the Adirondacks they come in trainload lots. Northern Pennsylvania also produces them without stint, and so are all the nearby cities guaranteed an abundance. All through New England there is a general use of the Christmas tree.

For a month past there have been hundreds of men preparing the Christmas tree harvest for the youngsters who dwell in the towns and cities. In the smaller communities, provided the region produces the right sort of trees, the farmer himself cuts them down and brings them to market. He sells these trees to market men, to grocers, to florists and decorators. They are bought from him by the wagonload and cost little. Then they are properly prepared and set upon the sidewalk. But preparation for the larger markets are different. In the hills around the greater cities making ready for Christmas is begun two months before the arrival of the day to be celebrated. In Maine, for instance, the men go out in gangs of four. They know their business, for they have gathered this self-same harvest for a generation. They have bought the trees as they stand in the field, paying the farmer five cents each for them. The butt of the tree is sawed off smoothly and painted over in order that the sap may be re-

this purpose. Individuals may do the same thing and overcome before he could put his with no more explanation than that given above. hand to the throttle. Trees from the native woods around any village may have their roots pruned in advance or they. may be dug up with no preparation whatever. There is a better chance of their flourishing when they have been prepared for the transplanting. But any evergreen dug up with a bit of earth about its roots should grow.

There is also a manner of permanently marking trees without injuring them or interfering with their growth. A tag fastened to a piece of wire will remain attached to a tree for a century. This tag may be of metal and on it may be stamped the date and whatever legend is desired. The home of a growing family may thus be left with a permanent monument of all the Christmases Zimmermans Have Million-Dollar Esthat have passed over the heads of the children that have dwelt within it. When these return to the ancestral hearth in their old age they can recall the planting of the trees and the events that hover about the occasion in question. Incidentally, the landscape will have been beauti the United States who seek to share in fied, and aside from the sentimental phase of it, much valuable timber produced.

States has assumed great proportions and Uncle E. Guinotte of the Kansas City pro-Sam is making plans to place the industry upon a permanently profitable basis through reforest ing large areas. Incidentally the new industry has furnished an opportunity for hundreds of boys and girls to earn their Christmas money in a new way by harvesting the cones of evergreen trees.

Of the nation's forest land, 60,000,000 acres are today covered with mature timber, while 40,000,000 acres are well seeded with young growth. This leaves 100,000,000 acres that are either non-productive or only partly productive. It is for this 100,000,000 acres that seed are to be gathered, and it is upon this vast expanse that they are to be planted unth the whole is developed into its greatest possible yielding capacity, making it one of the finest forests that the WAR BOOSTS COST OF EGGS world has ever known.

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Garrett, with the train speeding madly on, climbed over to the engineer's side of the cab and, although nearly blinded, managed to get to the throttle. The train was brought to a halt quickly then, near monmouth Junction, where Barber was cared for. His condition is serious.

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WHERE IS BATTING HEINE? tate to Split Up and Cub Hero

Isn't Mentioned. Kansas City, Mo .- Hundreds of letters from Zimmermans in all parts of the \$1,000.00 estate of J. K. Zimmer-

man, formly a cattleman of Waco, The Christmas tree industry of the United Tex., have been received by Judge J. bate court.

Mr. Zimmerman, a bachelor, died intestate in Excelsior Springs, Mo., on October 6. S. B. Strother and F. P. Neal, administrators of the estate. also received a flood of letters.

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THE INCOMING LEGISLATURE AND THE PLUMS THE NEW GOVERNOR WILL HAVE TO DISTRIBUTE.

THE ELECTION OF A UNITED STATES SENATOR WILL NOT sion. BE JUGGLED.

Our Correspondent Has Been .ook ing Over the Situation and Conditions Upon Which He Ventures Some Very Clear Predictions.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

State officials, veteran legislators and many persons outside the magic realm of politics confidently predict that the coming assembly of the law makers will develop into the most sensational gathering in the history of Michigan. According to advance information which has drifted into the state house from 'various parts of Michigan, enough bills are being framed by embryo statesmen to hold the legislature in session until the middle of next July, but owing to the fact that the new constitution fixes the pay of the legislature of \$\$00 per session capitol habitues are inclined to the belief that the enthusiasm of the new members will wane after they have been in Lansing about three months. As a general rule old members always welcome a short session so there are some reasons to believe that the pyrotechnics will be all over

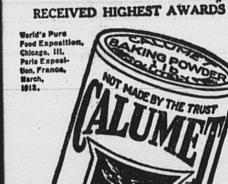
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EARLY DAYS OF YALE islators will endeavor to carry out a missioner is \$3,500 per annum and the program that will endear them to the appointment dates for two years. The hearts of their constituents, the redeputy insurance commissioner receives \$2,500 per year and this is a publicans and democrats will not be found napping.

position that will be much sought for. Then, too, the republicans realize Already there are a large number of candidates for Palmer's job, but the that although they have a comfortable majority in each house, they will be newly elected governor has given no unable to enact any partisan meas intimation as to whom he will name

ures, as the democratic governor for the place. would affix his veto to the bills and Railroad Commission. they would be unable to muster the re-The term of George Dickinson exquired two-thirds vote to pass them over his head. On this account, it is

pires as a member of the state railroad commission and Ferris will be pointed out that much desirable legable to name one of his friends to a islation will probably be placed upon \$3,500 job on that important board. the statute books at the coming ses-The law requires that one member of

the ratiroad commission shall be a practical railroad man, and as that position has been filled by Dickinson during the past four years, Ferris will be required to pick some one with a thorough knowledge of railorading. The appointment will date for six years. Chairman C. L. Glasgow's terms like it in his days at college. The does not expire for two years, but spectacle would be too strenuous for should the democrats still be in control of the state government at that for getting to the field of battle and time, it will be necessary to reap- returning safely to his home without point Glasgow or pick some other re- physical hurt or mental collapse, it is publication in his place as the act re not to be thought of as feasible at his quires that there shall not be more than two members of the dominant a game for youth and for vigorous

party on the commission. Lawton T. middle life. Hemans was named as the lawyer member of the commission by Gov. Osborn two years ago and his term will not expire until Jan. 1. 1916.

However, with Hemans and the other democrat that will be appointed Jan. 1, 19'3, on the commission, the democrats will be in control and will be able to oust some of the clerks who have been holding their places by virtue of the republican party, may be tue of the republican party. There are a number of minor places in the railroad commission that are being eagerly sought by ambitious democrats.

Helme's Chance.

The term of Labor Commissioner Parry F. Powers will terminate the first of next July and this will afford Ferris an opportunity to place one of his friends in a \$2,500 job. There are about ten clerical jobs in that department. At the same time Ferris will and food commission. It is expected that James Hleme, who was made deputy dairy and food commissioner unfour-year term for governor was ad- der Gilman Dame, by Gov. Osborn, will have this place if he wants it. Helme was the democratic candidate for lieutenant governor this year and amendments to the primary election it is said that he will be rewarded for laws and important liquor legislation, his work if he cares to continue on the state pay roll.

Clerical Jobs. There are at least 20 minor places Hartford railroad had not been built in the dairy and foods commission that will afford jobs for the democrats. The salaries range from \$800 to \$2,000. Under the graded salary law passed by the legislature a few years ago all clerks were started at \$800 per year. If they are proficient they may be advanced to \$900 when they have been in the employ of the state six months. and may receive \$1,000 at the end of of the first year if they merit it. However. \$1,000 is the limit for a common clerk, and owing to the fact that it costs considerable more to live in the Capital City now than it did a few year ago, clerical jobs are not much sought atfer by men with families.

WHEN THE FAMOUS COLLEGE WAS IN ITS INFANCY.

Wonderful Changes Have Been Made, as the World Moved On-Athletic Field a Thing Unknown to the Founders.

On Saturday, November, 23, at New Haven, the Yale and Harvard football gladiators matched 'their wits and stamina in a struggle for victory before forty thousand persons of both sexes waving flags and shouting at the top of their lungs. It is a pity that Dr. David F. Atwater of Springfield, the oldest living graduate of Yale, class of 1839, could not see the performance, for there was nothing the old gentleman, however, and as age. Football as a visual diversion is

When Dr. Atwater was at New Haven the students were not athletic. What they spent on college sports would scarcely have filled a blind man's cup with coppers. The doctor remembers a gymnasium, but it was very small, the apparatus was meager, and the students made little use of it. One does not have to go further back than the late seventies at Harvard to remember that the gymnasium of that comparatively modern day was a circular brick building not much larger than a prosperous farmer's smokehouse; ridiculously primitive and inadequate was the equipment according to latter day notions, and the superintendent was a stout gray little man who could spar and fence a bit, but that was about all.

To return to Yale in 1834-39, physical prowess seems to have been demanded only when "town" and "gown" fought together, and brute strength was then more in evidence than skill have an opportunity to pass out a in boxing and wrestling. The college \$2,500 plum in the office of state dairy leader in such affrays was known as Major Bully, the biggest and sturdiest man in his class, according to Dr. Atwater. Yale men were much given to debating and literary expression. "Linonia," "Brothers in Unity" and "Calliope," were some of the societies equipped with libraries and bristling with logicians, the rivalry between these organizations being intense. Amusements of any kind were limited, and from our point of view they were tame enough. The New Haven &



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within twelve weeks after the initial United States Senator. One of the important propositions that will confront he next legislature

will be the election of a United tSates senator. If the republican mapority in the house and senate ratify the result of the primary election United States Senator William Alden Smith will be elected on the joint ballot with several votes to spare. Recendy rumors have reached the state house that some of the belligerent statesmen were holding out and have announced that it was not at all certain that they would vote for William Alden Smith, solely because he was the choice of the republican party in the

Although it is expected that he will primaries. However, it is generally believed touch on taxation questions, there is that all of the differences that aer supno reason to believe that he will make posed to exist at present will be ironany mention of the tonnage tax. Howed out before the solons arrive in Lanever, this is sure to be brought up in sing. Governor-elect Ferris has anthe legislature in some form or other nounced that there will be no "Lorias the state grange and the farmers' merizing" the Michigan legislature. He clubs favor it and the tonnage tax says the republicans must support Senbill is the cause of a hot legislative ator Smith, the democrats Alfred scrimmage every two years. Lucking, and the progressives, Theo-The Appointments. dore Joslin. Friends of William Alden One characteristic of Gov. Osborn Smith in the state house assert that that has been the cause of considerahe will have the required number of ble comment during the past two votes when the roll is called on the years is his penchant for appointing joint ballot, Jan. 14. to office members of the democratic Economy the Watchword. party because of their fitness to fill With Chase S. Osborn in the excuthe positions. When the legislature tive chair and Herbert F. Baker as failed to pass a civil service bill he speaker of the house, economy was the took matters into his own hands and watchword during the session of 1911. proceeded to name men to important The biennial junket, which for years commissions regardless of their polithad been little more than a two weeks' ical affiliations. At the present time outing for a certain corterie of states-Osborn is strongly in favor of a civil men, was eliminated, and although service law and it is expected that most of the institutions were visited both the retiring and the incoming by the committees assigned for that chief, executives will make a plea for purpose, the tours which had prevsuch a bill in their messages to the iously been a big item of expense to legislature the first of the year. the state were entirely done away Will Be Boss of the Job. with and the same results were ac-When Governor-elect Ferris was in complished in a cheaper and more satthe city a few days ago for a conferisfactory manner. Appropriation bills ence with Osborn he intimated that were carefully pruned by the legislathe would appoint men for their ability ure and were more vigorously attackto fill the position rather than for ed by Gov. Osborn. Many clerks who their political prestige. "If there are had heretofore been appointed purely three candidates for a place, I do not for political purposes, were dropped care whether one is a republican, another a democrat and a third a bull from the pay roll. It is expected that the same program moose, I shall pick the man whom I of economy will be followed out by consider to be the best fitted for the the next legislature, and the newly place," said Ferris. "Their qualificaelected chief executive, Woodtridge tions being equal, I should name the N. Ferris. Complications arising from democrat, but otherwise I would chose the tangled political situation will rethe republican or the progressive. I quire that the representatives of the am going to give the people of Michthree factions of the house and senate igan an administration that is as much hew closely to the line and follow out busines sand as little politics as posthe pledges of the party platforms as sible, and I will be boss of the job nearly as possible. myself." Listen to the Voters. The Patronage.

of each one. Only a few days ago he stated that he would have some interesting information to impart along these lines and it is expected that the 1913 legislature will get the benefit of the research work he has been doing during the last year. Being strongly in favor of the initiative, referendum and recall, Gov. Os-

The Ex-augural.

Governor Osborn has not informed

the public as to the measures he will

advocate in his ex-augural, but mem-

bers of his intimate political family

declare that the retiring chief execu-

tive will be progressive enough to

suit the most fastidious. It is known

that Gov. Osborn is strongly in favor

of a central purchasing board to do

the buying for all state institutions

and he will probably ask the legislat-

ure to pass a law creating such a

board. When he assumed the reins of

office two years ago he asked the leg-

islature in his initial message to

create a central board for all state

institutions, but the law makers

frowned on the proposition. Since that

time Gov. Osborn has paid a personal

visit to every institution in the state

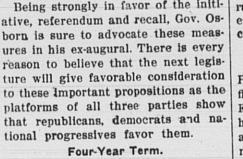
and he knows thoroughly the needs

born is sure to advocate these measures in his ex-augural. There is every reason to believe that the next legisture will give favorable consideration to these important propositions as the platforms of all three parties show that republicans, democrats and na-

Four-Year Term. There is also reason to believe that Osborn will recommend that the governor's term be extended to four years, and that he be prohibited from being a candidate a second time. A

vocated by Osborn two years ago, but the legislature turned a deaf ear. A uniform system of accounting, will be among the propositions dis-

cussed by the retiring chief executive.





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For the first time in many years the democrats are well represented in the legislature, and with a democratic governor sitting on the safety valve, it is expected that there will be some exceedingly lively times when the solons assemble in Lansing Jan. 1, Heretofore the republicans have boast- office the first of the year. It has been ed of a top heavy majority in both 22 years since the democrats of Michmore or less on the defensive, and it will have at his disposal. is claimed by the leaders that every effort will be made to enact a sane, tire state ticket, there would have

the voters "back home." Prospective Legislation.

With 52 members in the house and 21 republicans in the senate, the most time majority leaders are pretty well fixed from a party standpoint, but in not expected that party thes will be is clerkships at the disposal of the new administration in that depart-Well knowing that the bull moose leg- | ment. The salary of the insurance com-

How to divide less than a dozen good jobs among many thousand democratic patriots who are willing nay anxious to serve the state, is a problem that will confront Woodbridge N. Ferris when he assumes the reins of

the house and senate and as a result igan have controlled the executive ofthey have been able to do about as fice and after the years of famine, they pleased without much regard for there will be a lively scramble for the they pleased without must vear they will be few choice plums that the governor Had the democrats elected their en-

conservative program, and more at- been many minor clerkships at the tention will be paid to the wishes of disposal of the party leaders, but as few departments where there will be any patronage to distribute.

Seekers for Place.

Insurance Commissioner C. A. Palmer will be succeeded by a democrat, natters of important legislation it is July 1, 1913, and there will be about not expected that party lines will be 15 clerkships at the disposal of the

Mershon May Stay.

W. B. Mershon's term as a member of the state board of tax commissioners will expire Jan. 1, but it is thought that Marshon will be reappointed by Ferris, if he cares to accept the position again. Mershon is a wealthy lumberman from Saginaw and a democrat. He was placed on the board by Gov. Osborn because of his extensive knowledge of taxation matters, particularly

those relating to mineral and timber lands. With the exception of his personal appointees in the executive office, this constitutes practically all the patronage that will be at the dispresent.

Place to Be Filled.

the governor pays a salary of \$1,800, while the executive clerk in the gov. caravansaries. ernor's office, who is also secretary of the state pardon board, draws a similar salary. At least three stenographers and a messenger are required in the executive office and each receives a salary of \$1,000.

During the term of a governor there are important vacancies to fill caused by resignations or death, so that Ferham.

ris will have plenty of opportunity to exercise his appointive power during the course of the next two years. There are hundreds of non-salaried appointments to be made, but these places are not generally considered of

The next legislature will be asked to create the office of state sanitary. inspector and authorize him to hire assistants. The bill will provide that the inspector be a civil engineer.

much importance.

Copies of resolutions passed by the Commercial club of Bessemer, protesting against excessive tax assessments in Bessemer, have been forwarded to Gov. Osborn and Gov.-elect Ferris. A co-operative store may be established in Cadillac, where groceries and a general line of foodstuffs will be sold at cost. At the head of this plan are local socialists.

According to statements made by dealers, there will be no chortage of coal in Port Huron, su is being experienced in Detroi ______aestnut coal is quoted at \$8.25 per ton.

when freshman Atwater entered college; so there was no running down to New York to see the sights and to dissipate. The stage coach and the canal to Northampton afforded the only means of transportation. Professor Benjamin Silliman was arguing that it would never be possible to build steamships powerful enough to cross the Atlantic.

The college buildings then consisted of a row of brick dormitories, a plain chapel, an atheneum and lyceum building in which the recitations were held; round them all ran the old wooden "Yale fence." Entrance examinations were oral and exclusively classical. Flint and tinder supplied

ignition; imported friction matches, few in number, were regarded as dangerous. Dr. Atwater remembers a tremendous demonstration of livery stable men against the projected New Haven & Hartford railroad because it would injure their business. Such was Yale in the old days in the memory of an alumnus still living .-- New York Sun.

Possum Paradise.

Loris is the native heath of the opossum. Nowhere else does he abound so plentifully or thrive 80 well. It is here that the Georgia peoposal of the democratic governor at ple get their fine specimens when they wish to entertain President Taft at a possum dinner. Folks come from North Caroling here to hunt them, The position of private secretary to and our market supplies Delmonico's and St. Regis and many other famous

> As the canvasback duck and the diamondback terrapin are to Baltimore, so is the possum to Loris. The Maryland duck feeds on wild celery, which grows on the flats of the headwaters of the Chesapeake bay. It is this that gives them their fine flavor, just as peanuts and acorns flavor the razorback hog and produce the Smithfield Adv.

The Loris possum feeds on chickens, nice young fat chickens, such as only Loris has, and many of them are from the postmaster's private crop .--Loris News.

Beauty of Youth.

What an unbearable world it would be if we were all sent into it full grown. Just think of it! What a grand institution youth is, and not erything-the young leaves, the tiny blossoms, the inimitable green of the growing grass, the merry foals, and calves and lambs in the field, the will put you right downy little ducklings and the neat in a few days. little chicks; what an enormous source They do little chicks; what an enormous source of pleasure would be absent without all these. We all keep one special corner of our hearts for what is small. and young-the very softest corner. Even the most pompous and pragmatical of men forgives many things injurious to dignity on the part of a playful puppy or a graceful little kitten. How humanizing the effect of the brute creation is on us we have

never prroperly appreciated.

Countryman's Notion. Farmer (seeing a water cart for the first time)---Dang me, Halbert, if these Lunnon chaps ain't smart! Just look what that feller's fixed up at the back of 'is wagon to keep boys from hangin' on be'ind!"-London Sketch.

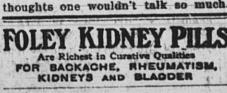
RASH ON FACE FOR 2 YEARS

Durham, N.C.

Sioux Falls, S. D .- "My trouble of skin disease started merely as a rash on my face and neck, but it grew and kept getting worse until large scabs would form, fester and break. This was just on the one side of my face, but it soon scattered to the other side. I suffered a great deal, especially at night, on account of its itching and burning. I would scratch it and of course that irritated it very much. This rash was on my face for about two years, sometimes breaking out lots worse and forming larger sores. It kept me from sleeping day or night for a couple of months. My face looked disgraceful and I was almost ashamed to be seen by my friends. "A friend asked me to try Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. I would bathe my face with hot water and a lot of Cuticura Soap, then I would put on the Cuticura Ointment. In less

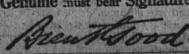
than two days' time, the soreness and inflammation had almost entirely disappeared, and in four weeks' time you could not see any of the rash. Now my face is without a spot of any kind. I also use them for my scalp and hair. They cured me completely." (Signed) Miss Pansy Hutchins, Feb. 6, 1912. Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. L. Boston."

If one gave voice only to one's thoughts one wouldn't talk so much.





their duty. CureCon ation. ss. Indigestion and Sick Headache MALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE Genuine must bear Signature



W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 50-1912.

Often Want quick relief from biliousness-from its headaches, its sour stomach hiccoughs, flatulence, unpleasant breath and the general feeling of good-for-nothingness it causes Thousands-through three generations and the wide world over have found, as you will find, that



give the necessary relief quickly, safely, gently, naturally. harmless family remedy is justly famous for its power to pet the bowels, liver, kidneys and stomach in regular active working order. In every way-in feelings, looks, actions and in powers-you will find yourself altogether better after you have used Beecham's File

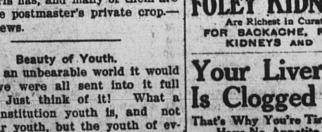
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in building new, healthy tissue and eliminating the old. Alex Alex Tobinsport, Ind., writes Nor. 15. 1905. "No doubt you remem my getting two bottles of mone ABSORBINE, JR., for a Man on my foot. My foot is well." Allas valuable for any swelling or painful affliction, Goitre, Enlarged Glands, Varicose Veins, Milk Leg, Striens, Sprains, Heds Cuts, Bruises, Lacerations. Price \$1.00 and \$2.00 at all draggists or delivered. Book 4 G Free. W.F.Young, P.D.F., 310 Temple St., Spring Held, Manne

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THE CHELSEA STANDARD, DECEMBER 12, 1913.



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But you better come now, while the sizes are complete, for they will go in a hurry at prices like these:

Women's Furfelt Juliet Slippers, in all colors, fur trimmed and with leather

Men's Everett leather House Slippers, in tan or black kid, all sizes, \$1.50

Silk Waists

Holiday Sale of Silk Waists, at - - - -\$3.00, \$3.75 and \$5.00

Handkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs are sure to meet with a delighted "Just what I want." Thousands and thousands here to choose from, at smallest prices.

We bought our Christmas Handkerchiefs long ago-'way back last summer. Had to, to get those exquisite, dainty, hand embroidered styles, those genuine hand-made, Armenian lace edged Handkerchiefs, we now have in stock. We tried last week to get more of as good patterns as we now have, but we could not. When stock on hand is sold there will be no more at any price.

Pure linen, hemstitched, hand embroidered Handkerchiefs at 15c, 25c, 39c

Pure linen, hand drawn, hemstitched, genuine Armenian hand-made, lace edged Handkerchiefs, at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

A. C. Pierce spent Wednesday in Detroit the guest of his son Harold Francis Lusty, of Jackson, spent Monday with his parents in Lyndon. Mesdames Hiram and Cone Light hall are spending a few days in De-

Mrs. W. Benton and daughter Winifred were Jackson visitors Saturday.

troit.

Herman Geisel, of Detroit, was the guest of relatives and triends here Sunday.

were Detroit visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Henry Bradshaw and Wm. French, Sunday.

Jackson.

Mesdames Carl Braun and R. Grant, of Ann Arbor, were visitors here Monday.

friends in Jackson several days of his policy was finally assigned to Gedlast week.

Mrs. Maze.

Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Faber, attended the funeral of John Klager in Jackson last Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Freeman and children were guests of friends in Detroit Friday and Saturday.

funeral of a relative.

been visiting friends.

with her parents here.

Miss Alice Rutherford, of Jackson, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burg Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Cole spent several days of this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. BeGole, in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kilmer and son, of Homewood, Ill., were guests of Mrs. John Kilmer several days of last week.

Frances and Henry B. Steinbach, of Dexter, spent Saturday at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Marion Tussing, of Jackson, be the guest of Miss Helene Stein-

on Friday and will attend the t in Ann Arbor the same o

To Define Practice of Medicine. Secretary Dixon of the board of health, says the coming legislature can assist the health department and the people of Michigan in general by passing a law or amending the present health laws, so as to define what constitutes the "practice of medicine." From the present wording of the law the definition is vague, with the result, so the secretary says, as to allow "quacks" to practice in Michigan without the department being able to

Misses Sylvia and Amanda Paul supervise them in any way.

December 20 and 21.

Plaintiff Gets Verdict.

Judge Kinne Tuesday afternoon of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors took the case of Warren Geddes of Chelsea against the Ann Arbor Rail-Mesdames H. E. Defendorf and way Employes' association away from Harvey Spiegelburg spent Monday in the jury and directed a verdict giving the plaintiff \$160. Geddes sued on the assignment of a \$500 sick and accident insurance policy taken out several years ago by Ralph Westerland, of Chelsea. Westerland died Mrs. J. Wilson was the guest of after an illness of several months and des. The company refused to pay Mr. and Mrs. M. Maze, of Camden, for the time Westerland was sick, on are guests at the home of Dr. and the ground that he was in arrears in his premium payments and also that Floyd L. Rogers, of LeRoy, spent no written notice was served on his several days of the past week with illness or death until seven months after he had died.

Near Shooting Affray.

Hamburg is eagerly waiting for the hearing of Mrs. Arthur Bice, wife of a teacher in the Hamburg school, who is charged with carrying concealed weapons and is now out on bail Miss Alma Pierce was in Ceresco following an alleged attempt on the Sunday where she attended the life of Mrs. Fred Rice, a neighbor, with whom she had some difficulty. Miss Jennie Geddes returned Mon- Mrs. Arthur Rice was taken to Howell day from Hillsdale where she has Saturday by Deputy Sheriff John Stoddard of Livingston county, but Miss Dorothy McEldowney, of Al- managed to secure bail later and was bion, spent Saturday and Sunday leased, pending the preliminary hear ing which will take place in a few

> The arrest of Mrs. Rice and the circumstances leading up to it have neighbors and friedds are loath to appear in the case as witnesses when the hearing takes place.

Makes The Nation Gasp.

The awful list of injuries on a Fourth of July staggers humanity. Set over against it, however, is the wonderful healing, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of thousands, who suf-fered from burns, cuts, bruises, bullet wounds or explosions. It is the quick rounds or ex

Holiday Buy Rugs Gifts TOR

Big lot of Small Rugs made from remnants and samples of Velvet, Axminsters and Body Brussels Carpets, now at 75c, 98c, \$1.15 and \$1.25 each. Each one fringed. 27x54 best Axminster Rugs at \$2.00 and \$2.50 27x54 Wilton Velvet Rugs, regular \$1.75 values, now \$1.35. 36x63 best \$7.50 and \$8.50 Wilton Rugs, now choice, \$5.00. 36x63 Axminster \$4.00 Rugs, now \$3.00.

Holiday Usefu Gifts Clothing Department

Useful Holiday Gifts are a joy and comfort long after expensive trifles are forgotten. Give a man or boy something that adds to his personal comfort or appearance, and your gift is appreciated.

Suits and Overcoats

Suits and Overcoats for the Men and Boys embracing every new and good style rich and handsome weaves and the best of tailoring.

Men's Suits, \$12.50 to \$22.50. Men's Overcoats, \$10.00 to \$20.00.

Boys' Suits, \$4.50 to \$10.00.

Boys' Overcoats, \$4.00 to \$12.00.

Splendid assortment of Boys' Russian Suits, age 4 to 8 years, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Men's Shirts

Christmas stocks are now at their best! Many fresh, new, beautiful patterns await your selection.

The well known Monarch at \$1.00.

The Famous Arrow (fast colors) at \$1.50.

Arrow Collars in all the new shapes 15c or 2 for 25c.

Neckwear

Hundreds of rich, new, beautiful patterns here for your selection, each tie in a Christmas box, at 50c.

SPECIAL-Purchased some time ago for Christmas trade, 75 dozen Four-inhand Ties, mostly regular 50c value, while they last, 35c, 3 for \$1.00. Each tie in a Christmas box,

Give Him a Fine Pair of Gloves

We sell the celebrated "Adler" make in Kid, Mocha and Capes, unlined, silk lined and fleeced lined, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Hats and Caps

Handsome near-seal Fur, at \$2.50 to \$5.00. Cloth Caps for Men and Boys' at 60c to \$1.00. Hats in all the new shapes and qualities, \$1.00 to \$5 00.

Timely Gift Suggestions

GIFTS THAT MAKE A STRONG APPEAL BECAUSE THEY SHOW YOUR

INTEREST IN MAN'S COMFORT. Sweaters and Sweater Coats, 75c to \$6.00.

Pajamas and Outing Nightshirts, 75c to \$6.00 Cadet Hosiery guaranteed, 25c pair.

Silk Hose, Tie to match, \$1.00 per set. Lisle Hose, Tie to match, 50c per set.

Collar Bags, 50c and \$1.00 Cuff Links and Stick Pins, 25c to \$1.00.

Tie Clasps, 15c to 35c. Purses and Bill Books, 25c to \$1.50 Handkerchiefs, plain hem or fancy border, 5c to 50c.

Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, with Initials, 25c.

Men's Shoes and Slippers

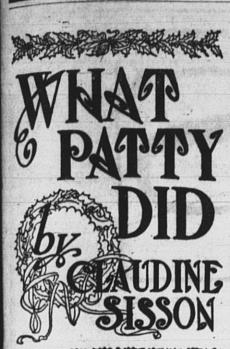
Always Acceptable as Christmas Gifts

Shoes of Gun Metal, Velour, Vici Kid or Patent Leather, in all shapes and styles, button or lace, \$2.50 to \$4.50.

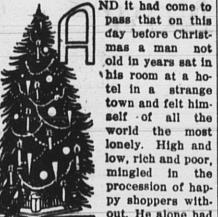
Christmas Slippers in Opera, Everetts or Romeo styles in black or tan. This stock was never so complete, price \$1.00 to \$1.75.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. Store of Certain Satisfaction

excited the people of Hamburg more. than anything that has occurred in recent years, but most of the discussion is taking place in whispers as



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Santa Claus.

It went back five years. He, the son of a railroad magnate, had dared to fall in love with the blue-eyed daughter of a locomotive driver on his father's road-a man whose face and hands carried grime-who dwelt in a cottage-who had no society outside of daily toilers. And he had dared stand before the father who thought himself specially created and say: "Father, I going to be married." "Well?" "To Gladys Davis." "Never heard of her." "The daughter of one of our dneers." There was a moment of painful suspense and then the storm broke. "You shall not! You are either a fool or a lunatic to think of it. An engineer's daughter! Think of your mother-of me-of your sister-the disgrace! You must have lost your senses!" "But I am to marry her," was the steady reply.

"I say no! If the jade has trapped you into an engagement buy her off. The father must use his influence or take his discharge." "But we love and are promised to

ach other."

bells and catch the shouts of children on the street-to wonder if his child still lived, and to wonder further what old Santa Claus would bring her-why, the man cursed the fears he could not keep back. A quarter of an hour later the outlaw was down on the street He would mingle with

the throng. He 0 would enter the stores under the 0 evergreen branchhim-aye, make a purchase and be Santa Claus to Some bigeyed Child on the street. He was an outlaw, but the world should not crowd him guite to the edge. He was almost smilling as

he. crowded his way into a big _ store, and he was looking about him when a small, warm hand was cuddled into his and mas a man not child's voice said: "Please take care of me 'till mam-

his room at a homa finds me-I'm lost!" tel in a strange It was a little girl, and on her face town and felt himwas both a smile and a look of enself of all the treaty.

world the most "Why, of course," replied the outlaw, pressing her hand and drawing by some strange fate lonely. High and low, rich and poor, her back a little. "So you came here mingled in the with your mother after Christmas procession of hap- things and got separated ?" py shoppers with-"That's it, only I think she ran away

out. He alone had from me so that I shouldn't know no thought for what Santa Claus was going to bring me tomo row night."

> "I hope it will be something nice." "Oh, it will be. Are you buying something for your little girl?" "N-o-o." "Maybe she's dead?" "I-I don't know." The girl looked up and noticed the grave expression on the outlaw's face, and cuddled closer to him and said: "I'm sorry if I have hurt you. Mamma says I talk too much. I've just thought that maybe you are not married at all?" "I guess that's pretty near it," replied the outlaw as he tried to laugh,

but made poor work of it. "Well, if you haven't got any little girl I haven't got any papa. What you going to buy. "Why, whatever you say?" "But not for me?"

"Yes, for you. We'll select something, and then when your mother comes I'll ask her if she'll let you have

"I hope she will. You look to be such a nice man that she shouldn't refuse. I picked you out as the very nicest man that came along." "Thank you," said the outlaw as he

as are all church mice, so it came to felt his heart grow big. "Now, then, about this doll. Real hair, eyes that had worked his head and forelegs

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shoulders straightened proudly.

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the Fenways."

twilight.

HEY stood in the deserted vestry of the church, facing each other angrily for the first time in their lives. Then suddenly Janet swept the diamond from the third finger of her left hand and held it forth. "You will oblige me by taking this back," she said bitingly. He stood looking into her eyes, growing grayer of face as he saw the stubborn anger that reposed within them. "Which means that our engagement is broken, and that I may not hope for its renewal," he replied very low. For an instant their gaze met as the glittering thing, lightly held, was passing from hand to hand; then as she released it and before his grip had become secure there was the slip of a nervous finger and with a tinkle the ring fell upon the iron grating of the floor register. Faintly they heard it go bounding far down the metal pipe which led to the furnace below, each supposing it lost forever in the

flames and not knowit had bounded through a small hole of in the pipe and now lay amidst the rub- C

bish of the church's basement. For an instant the girl's eyes softened, then hardened again and - Mary she turned them S aside. Upon the floor in a corner of the the little

8 church mouse was of Miss Fenway's nature that was sitting upon its haunches, and she nodded towards him. "To be renewed always ridiculing her Fenway pride. when the little church mouse brings it back to me," she returned coldly. They turned their backs upon each to cold and hunger!" other and walked away.

A week passed, and the little church unlocked the great front door-upon mouse prowling about in the darkness no condition did she ever leave or through the gloom that glittered even numerous entrances. more brightly than did his own eyes. She lighted the small oil lamps that Cautiously, hungrily, he approached stood on the marble top of the hall ft, smelt of it, felt of it with his gray buffet, placed her coat and hat on the

Its glitter fascinated him. Surely this the great mirror. glistening thing about the size of a kernel of corn must be good to eat, birthday," she whispered accusingly, and he tried his sharp teeth upon it. "and-no one has remembered it!

Yet gnaw as he would, he could not Not one of your old friends! You even scratch it, and at last he decided are alone." that it was only good to play with. "Of course, I am alone," spoke the He was a little thing, and half starved Fenway pride complacently. "Who is

pass that it was not long before he

friend now the wife of a successful Inancier. Miss Fanella's hand trembled, her

face was drawn and white. "A nurse maid," she moaned at last bitterly, "a common nurse maid! She put it kindly, and it is kind of her to think of me in my destitution, but that is what it means. Yet, isn't it better than cold and loneliness and starvation? I'm tired of being different from other people. I'll try being as common as the commonest for a while."

Buddenly the great bell pealed through the resounding old 'rooms. She lifted the little lamp in wonders ment and threaded her way again through the icy gloom. No tradespeople called at the house, and certainly not at the big front door! And generations of superiority had taught at the Fenway portals.

Nelson Travers stood in the porch, O Miss Fanella Fenthe big white flakes heaped upon his way the flurry of broad shoulders. Christmas snow "Good evening, Fanella," he said as was not beautifull if he had parted with her but yesteras she hurried day. Tomorrow is your birthday, I through deepening believe, and Christmas, too. Will you come for a ride with me?"

Though possess Miss Fanella gasped, as well she ing a certain dismight. This, after fifteen years of sitinctive air, her lence! Had it taken him so long to coat was pitifully recover from the repulse of old thin and inade-Madam Fenway?

quate. Though neat-"I-what will the neighbors think?" ly blackened, her she gasped.

shoes leaked and "You are thirty-six tomorrow, are she wore no rubyou not. Fanella? Isn't that old bers. It is small enough to act as you please regardwonder that the storm seemed merci-

less of the neighbors?" less and cold. But when she turned "I suppose it is, Nelson," she adin at the big stone gateway, her mitted with a smile. "But where?" "Will you trust me this once, Fanel-"The old Fenway place," she murla? I promise to bring you back mured, glancing about the gloomy, un-

whenever you wish." kept grounds, "and I am the last of Miss Fanella looked into the white night. Was she dreaming, or could "If you were not it would go hard this unlikely thing really have hapwith them," interjected that other half

pened in the deadening monotony of her life? What difference did it make, any-

"Unless," with malicious emphasis, way. Henceforth she would be only "they chanced to be also impervious a nursemaid. She looked back into Nelson Travers' honest eyes pleading Miss Fanella's lips trembled as she with her to trust him. About her the

stately old furniture upon which her of the basement, saw something enter the house by any of its other pride had fed so many years, pleaded in vain.

know how far I shall go, though."

The man stepped into the old hall whiskers, then stood it up before him. carved rack, and peered closely into and held her coat. His lips closed over his displeasure when he felt the "Tomorrow is Christmas, and your weight of it.

She did not remember the worn gloves on the hall table, and only thought about locking the door when she saw. Travers slip the key into his deep pocket.

Wrapped in robes, she seemed un-

 conscious of the storm, realizing only
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48,686 31- 261,372 49 \$300.014 42 Total. State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, P. G. Schaible, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of December, 1912. J. B. Cole, Notary Public. P. G. SCHAIBLE, Cashier. My commission expi CORRECT-Attest: JOHN KALMBACH, O. C. BURKHART, H. L. WOOD,

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· Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank "Yes," she said, "I'll come. I do not At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business November 26, 1912, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts, viz:- Commercial Department. Savings Department.	\$107,749 97	\$107,749 97
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the neighbors the futility of calling At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, November 26, 1912, as called for by the Con-sioner of the Banking Department:

FURS, HIDES AND PELTS

In the next half hour the father tormed and cajoled. If the son insisted on such a marriage he would be cast out by the family; he would be ridiculed even by the common people. And the magnate ended up with: "Fred, I will have the engineer called up here and give him a check for

a thousand dol-Do you know-there's mamma over lars and tell him there! Let me run and tell her." that this non-The outlaw turned his back on the sense must end." crowd and gritted his teeth and "We shall be winked his eyes. He had been hit

my own."

married three days from now, was his answer. In reply to that the father pointed to the door, and

the son bowed and passed out to be son no longer. He had money that had been left him by an aunt, and the father could not threaten him with poverty.

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Love may always be right, but it can be so influenced as to be seemingly a mistake. The marriage took place and Fred Dillingham was ostracized. He was not kindly welcomed in the other stratum. If there is a gulf between the rich man and the workingman the latter resents intrusion s much as the former. There was love, but after a few months it was influenced from both sides. Both husband and wife were made to fear that grave mistake had been made. They ought away the idea and sought to hold their love, but that brought irriations and vexations and culminated misunderstandings and quarrels. After two years there was a separadon. Neither really desired it. It was what the gossips had predicted. and what they strove to bring about. There was more sorrow than anger then the young husband turned his back on wife and infant a year old and went out into the world as a wanderer. The wife went back to er father's cottage, but not to strug.

le with poverty. The husband been nerous to her. Five long years, and Fred Dilling-Butlaw without a family, whom should any more without good excuse would write to and why? At three years have meant suspension. In a quan-

of age the child, who had been named atty, wondered in her childish way why she hadn't a papa. At five she handed to know. At six she stood fore the embarrassed mother in inignation and threatened to go out nd find one.

And at last the wanderer had ressed the sea and headed for his He was tired and weary and Home? But he had none! he had left it when he left wife and by. This struck him like a sudden W, though he had all along realized it in a general way. No home-no ad left the train and taken lodgings. te had no place to go. With money his pockets, he was a tramp.

And to know that Christmas was at and, and to hear the jingle of sleight

wink, pink shoes and almost as big as through it and was running about you are. She'll be a sister to you." with it encircling his middle, a very "And how much is it?" small creature wearing a diamond "Only ten dollars." saddle with a gold girth. It was fun "My, but can you pay that much! If you can you must be rich."

hard. Three or

four minutes pass-

ed and then a

hand pulled at his

and a voice said:

"But you see I have no little girl of 'That's so. Isn't Christmas nice?

EQUID

"Please, Mister nice man, tell me with something round and hard about your name, that I it. Involuntarily she closed her hand, may introduce you and as she did so the little church to mamma. mouse popped out of the muff and think she will let scampered away, leaving the round me have the doll." object in her fingers. She drew it The outlaw turned forth. It was her engagement ring. and gasped and The last of all to leave her pew, his face went Janet stepped into the vestry upon her way out. Dick was standing before a window with head bowed, looking older, grayer of face than he "You here!" had a few weeks ago, and she saw the deep unhappiness that lay in his eyes. "And you!"

"The little church

mouse brought it

while I tell you," she

HARRY IRVING GREEN.

A Christmas Time Saver.

To save the minutes on Christmas

mured.

"And this is our daughter?" "Our Patty. Father was discharged from the road and moved over here to take another run."

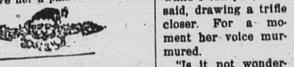
"Gladys!"

"Fred."

white.

It was the next day, and Patty was sitting on her father's knee and the happy mother was wiping tears from her eyes, when the child said: "Say, mamma, I just picked him out her third left finger.

as the very nicest man in all that big crowd, and I didn't make any mistake, did I? Don't anybody sit down on my back to me. Listen doll and give her a pain!"



"Is it not wonder-Made It Work. ul!" she exclaimed. A week before the Christmas holihalf awed, as she findays an undergraduate wished to start home, thus gaining a week's vacation ished. His eyes on the other students. He had, how-.ightened. Wonderful, dear! ever, used up all the absences from t is far more than the lectures which are allowed, and that. It is a miracle of His Spirit wrought upon His daydary he hit upon this solution; he that taken of love everlasting and telegraphed his father the following that even we are not forgotten."

Tightly his arms closed about her. "Shall I come home at my leisure or message:-

straight home?" The answer he received was: "Come straight home." An exhibition of the telegram to the

professors was sufficient. An Assurance.

of weeks before Christmas, and grad-"Don't you think a holiday is more cheerful when there is a large family gathered about festive board?" "I do," answered the sardonic person. "A large family is a glad assur-

ance that there is not going to be enough turkey left to supply the menu enjoy the mystery that centers around an inaccessible room.-Housekeeper. for the next few days."

for a time, but he soon became tired of it and tried to crawl out. He could not. Becoming panic stricken he fied frantically up the stairs. Janet, alone and very unhappy, sat in her pew at the Christmas morning

service. It was rather chilly in the church and she slipped one hand into her muff. Then she gave a start, for with-

> 1 15 "I Have Dreamed of You Sitting Here."

> > there in Whalen that I care for? All the old families with whom we assoclated are gone. It is my misfortune that I am left alone in the old house.' "Why need you be alone? There

are people all about you, common people to be sure, but kindly and good. like to you here, but-And there is-Nelson Travers!"

"A common farmer!" Miss Fanella could almost believe she heard a real voice in the old hall with all the Fenway pride and scorn for I cared, always. I let my pride in it, a voice alarmingly like her stately mother's.

"It has been settled these fifteen years," she said, picking up the little back? They always do in stories-I lamp wearily. "Why must it be gone could not believe it was all over when you went away!" over again every Christmas?"

Through the great cold rooms the light moved dimly, until she entered you would have given me a different what had been the butler's pantry in the old regime. Here a small stove diffused a half-hearted sort of warmth, and a little table and a leather chair were drawn close. "Here dwelleth the last of the Fen-"What a fool I've been, Fanella,"

ways," she said derisively. "Yet too aristocratic to associate with ordinary mortals!"

From her worn, leather bag she eve and leave time for the many things drew a letter she had found awaiting that are bound to come up, shut off her at the postoffice. There were from the children one room in the few persons using such stationery who house suitable for the tree a couple still remembered to write to her. "Dear Miss Fenway?" she read ually accumulate there all decorations "are you still alone at the old place? and presents. The tree can be If so, why can you not come with me trimmed a day or two before the holi- to Japan this winter, and help me day, and the presents wrapped more with the children? There will be no quickly and easily because they are all one in our party but ourselves. Please in one place. The children, too, will let me know by the first of January There followed a page of details The letter was signed by an old school

She was not even surprised whe he drew up before a low, ample hous and lifted her carefully to the door stone.

"I'll be in in a minute," he tol her. "Take off your wraps and ge warm.'

Miss Fanella, her heart beatin high at her own audacity, opened th broad door.

The wide, low rooms within opene pleasantly together, lighted by can dles on the mantels, and by softl shaded lamps.

"How pleasant," said Miss Fanell aloud, going to the open fire, an thinking of her little stove in the bu ler's pantry.

"I have dreamed of you sittin here," said Travers quietly, coming t her. "And now I am going to ask yo to eat supper with me-a Christma supper, you know."

"I shall be most delighted," a swered Miss Fanella with a smil The Fenway pride was mute for once It was a quiet supper. Fanella poured the tea, conscious that her companion's eyes were following her, and she enjoyed herself with a flerce, defiant sort of enjoyment.

"Fanella," said the man, leading her back to the fire, "I will bless you forever for coming with me. I wanted you to see my home, to understand just how simple and unpretentious it is. I know I am only a 'common farmer,' but I've always loved you, Fanella. I cannot endure it to see you live as you do, alone in that great house. Won't you let me take care of you, dear? I know I am not good enough for you. I realize what it must seem

"It is comfortable and-beautiful, Nelson." Her voice broke over the words. "But I do not deserve it. I was not fair and honest with youand my family interfere!

"Oh," she cried, shaken by sudden, fierce sobs, "why did you never come

"Do you mean," said 'Travers, "that answer if I had come back, Fanella?" She held out her hands-true Fenway hands. "Don't you know, dear, that all women are privileged to change their minds?" she asked.

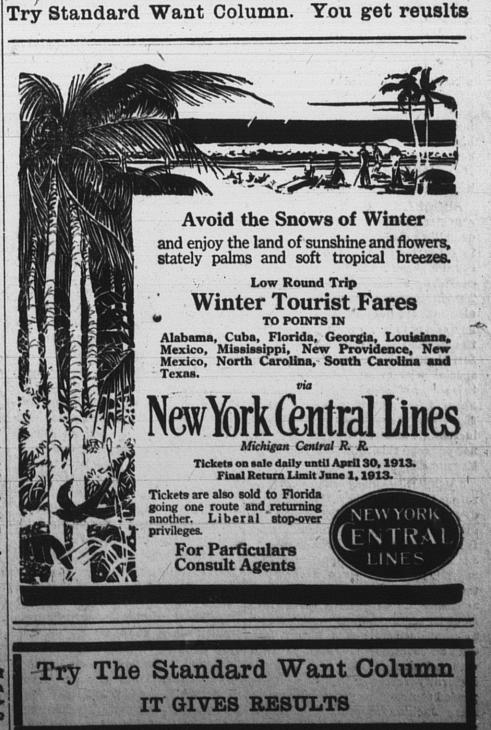
> groaned Travers, holding her close. "Fifteen years! Tell me, when did you epent your coldness?"

"Before you had reached the gate, whispered Fanella, penitently.



For the Old Folks. Cora (aged ten)? to Reggie (aged eleven)-Yes. The games are s wretched bore. But, then, it's Christmas, you know, and the cld people de so expect to enjoy themselves.

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3he approached him, looking up at nim with the old expression which he knew so well. Softly she slipped one

hand into his own, and as his fingers gently closed about it he felt something hard, round and familiar within his grasp. He raised her hand. The engagement ring-his own-encircled THE CHELSEA STANDARD, DECEMBER 12, 1912.



dividual, who claimed to be a lawyer from Kentucky lured into coming to arrival in Michigan in 1837. Jackson by a matrimonial advertise-

MANCHESTER_The Michigan ment. He was given a complete Central trains running over the Lake turn-down by the husband-searcher, Shore tracks between Jackson and and then to forget his disappoint. Toledo have so encroached on the ment he began tipping the drinks in- Lake Shore facilities that that comto him until he got a bigger load pany finds it necessary to provide than he could carry. Judge Dahlem considerable sidetrack accommodawith all due respect to the legal tions, and is now busy building sidings fraternity released the man on sus- at Tecumseh, Manchester and other inded sentence on promise he would points. All of which indicates that eave Jackson at once. He said it the running of Central trains over as back to Kentucky for him.- the Lake Shore is a permanent ar-

cars coal.....

Michigan State Tel. Co.,

GENERAL FUND

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After a frightful coughing spell a man in Neenah, Wis., felt terrible pains in his side and his doctor found two ribs had been broken. What

phone and toll..... The Chelsea Tribune, printing sore lungs. "I feel sure it's a God send to humanity," writes Mrs. Effle Morton, Columbia, Mo. "for I believe I would have consumption today, if I had not used this great remedy." Its guaranteed to satisfy, and you can get a free trial bottle or 50 cent or \$1.00 size at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Advertise-ument Wm. Caspary, lunches...... The Chelsea Standard, print-

25 00 weak. A distressing kidney weakness clung to me persistently and 11 99 these troubles made me very anxious

to get relief. Finally I procured Doan's Kidney Pills and soon after I began using them, I was free from my aches and pains. I have been

> feeling much better every way since." It is ordered, that the 13th day of Deart, atten o'clock in the forencon, at said For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents, Foster-Milburn Co,, Buffalo, And it is furth New York, sole agents for the United order be published three successive ous to said time of hearing, in " States.

Remember the name-Doan's-and 9 00 take no other. Advertisement.

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agony Dr. King's New Discovery would have saved him. A few teapoonsful ends a late cough, while ersistent use routs obstinate coughs, expels stubborn colds or heals weak. sore lungs. "I feel sure it's a God



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The Chelsea Standard START MOVE FOR Q. T. HOOVER, Publisher. CHELSEA. - - MICHIGAN INDIANS' DEBT-PAYING DAY Annual Potlatch of Tribes, Custom o Vears in British Columbia, la Held.

An event of unusual interest to GOV. OSBORN WILL DISCUSS PROsome 300 adult Indians was brought to a close on the reservation here by the singing of a song hundreds of years old, followed by a full dress dance in which eight husky lads played the prominent part.

For some three weeks past the natives have been gathering here. Indians from Cape Mudge, Comos, Victoria, Cowichan, Kok-si-lah, Quamehan, Clam-clem-e-lats, Musquim, Kuper Island and Duncan, with the Nanaimos have had the privilege of straightening up matters and paying Lansing. For the first time in many debts of twenty years' standing as well as those of more recent date.

As the old people can neither read nor write they must perforce have cially able to build a home to be occuwitnesses to their business transactions.

While the Chinook word for "potlatching" means giving, it also carries the meaning of taking. While in some few cases "cultus potlatches," or free gifts, are distributed, in the main the money handed out or the blankets given are simply loans for the future or the payments of debts of longer or more recent standing.

lawed. If on account of unfortunate districts. The land would cost noth-An Indian's debts are never outcircumstances a man dies without paying his honest debts his wife or sons and daughters or more distant relatives feel that a moral obligation addition to the present state house, rests upon them which at such gatherings they dutifully discharge. The amount is paid in full with interest. This (the interest) is usually given as a "cultus potlatch" in which all who can get it take a share.

As there is more or less mixing up in marriages among the different tribes the bonds given and presents received on such ocasions have their peculiar place in such gatherings.

Enlarged photographs of dead relatives are at such times unveiled with ancient form and ceremony, while kind acts performed and brave deeds done are held in everlasting remembrance by those who are their lineal descendants .--- Vancouver' Sun.

She Rules by Appearing Not To. There is one clever woman in Kansas City who is monarch of all she from such evils as were shown in the



ECUTIVE MANSION.

POSITION IN HIS FINAL MESSAGE.

Legislature Will Also Be Asked for Enough Money for Buildings to House Various Departments.

One proposition that will doubtless receive consideration at the coming session of the legislature will be the erection of an executive mansion in affair. years the fund of the state treasury

contains a good-sized surplus and it is pointed out that the state is finanpied by the governor.

It is not known whether Governorelect Ferris will make any mention of tion at the republican state conventhis in his inaugural message, but it is tion next spring, as Circuit Judge Nelthought that Osborn will discuss the proposition in his final address to the had been mentioned as a possible litia officer designated as major genlawmakers. Gov. Osborn has made a candidate, has notified Justice Moore eral in command of the proposed dirented house his home a greater por- that he is not in the race. It is expected that any attempt to

tion of the last two years. The state owns three whole blocks in the center of the best residence ing and the only appropriation necfurnishing of the home. Instead of an it is said that the legislature will be asked to appropriate enough money to erect another building on the site now occupied by the base ball park, where the supreme court, state railroad commission, industrial accident board game warden's department, tax commission, military department, dairy and food department, labor commission, geological survey and highway commission will have quarters. With the exception of the supreme court, all of these departments are

occupying rented quarters outside the capitol and several of the supreme court justices have offices in downtown buildings.

State Free From Canning Evil. The state of Michigan can congratulate itself on being practically free

INAUGURATION CEREMONY

Gov-Elect Ferris to Be Greeted as Governor by 17 Guns.

Plans for the inauguration of Woodbridge N Ferris as govenor of Michigan on the first day of the new year were announced in Lansing, and under them the incoming executive will go to the east porch of the capitol at noon on that day and take the oath of office there before Chief Justice Moore of the supreme court.

A salute of 17 guns will be fired by the First battalion field artillery thereafter, and the governor-elect is inviting Gov. Osborn to join with him in a reception to state officers and members of the legislature from 12:30 to 1 o'clock, after which there will be a general reception. In the evening Gov. Ferris is inviting the justices of a reception in the executive office, and Mr. Ferris is inviting the justices of the supreme court and the state officers and their wives to join in this

> Justice Moore Is Unopposed. Chief Justice Joseph B. Moore, the

dean of the Michigan supreme court, may have no opposition for renominason E. Sharpe, of West Branch, who

defeat Justice Moore in the conven- the hands of a man, who has had regtion will bring forth a storm of protest from attorneys in various parts of the state and it is not thought that a regular army officer be placed essary would be for the erection and that an effort will be made to nomi- in command. nate some one else in his place.

Commercial Workers Organized.

At a meeting of secretaries and other' executive officials from commercial clubs and chambers of commerce of a number of Michigan cities, held in the Lansing chamber of commerce rooms, the Michigan Association of Commercial Secretaries was formally organized and officers for its initial year selected.

The association is headed by Martin C. Huggitt, of Grand Rapids, as president, with Norman Flowers, of Jackson, as vice president, and Thos. H. Stambaugh, secretary, Lansing.

State Can't Educate Tubercular Children.

Michigan has made no provisions for educating its children barred from the public schools on account of tuberculosis, it develops through a case in surveys solely through her tactful at- inquiry into conditions in canning Roscommon county, where a child, an open case" of tuberculosis, has been



This is the medal to be presented by congress to Captain Arthur Rostron of the Carpathia for the rescue of the survivors of the Titanic. It was designed by John Flanagan of New York, and will be made of pure gold.

Favors Consolidation of M. N. G. Michigan's attitude toward the proposition to throw the national guard of the country into 12 divisions with

Michigan and Ohio comprising one of them, has at last been made clear to the war department. Adjutant General R. C. Vandercook and Major Earl Stewart, of Grand Rapids, have placed Michigan on record as favorable to the

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proposed change. But they do not want any Ohio mivision. Nor a Michigan officer. They say such a command ought to be in ular army training. Therefore they are for the innovation with the proviso

Board Wants Convict Farm.

Turn the prisoners of the state of Michigan into successful, happy farmers; install within the walls of the penal institutions a technical school in the science of farming; give the convicts a chance to try out the technical knowledge obtained in the prison agricultural school on a good prison farm, and when their sentences are all the cities of the country. served send them forth equipped for a life of usefulness.

This, in brief, the most recent step in penology in the state of Michigan. is the plan to which the board of con- domain commission when A. C. Cartrol of Jackson prison committed it. ton, the present incumbent, becomes self at its meeting.

Resigns at Request of Gov. Osborn. James E. Wright, justice of the peace and one of the Missaukee

MOOSE MEET IN CHICAGO Progressives Plan to Push Program

Before State and National Assemblies.

Frankly bidding for the confidence of the nation in its moral and intellectual leadership, the progressive party will put forth a legislative, constructive program from its conference in Chicago this week that will be pressed on congress and the legislatures of the several states with all the force that the new party can organ-

ize behind it. Experts are now at work framing a series of eight bills that will constitute the minimum demand of the

progressives in the Illinois legislature. There are a short ballot measure, initiative and referendum, and a constitutional amendment permitting initiation of amendments to the constitution; a complete new popular primary law; corrupt practices act; min-Apportionment Made Postmasters to imum wage legislation; public utilities legislation; a measure for the protection of railroad employes, and Test as to the conduct of the new adoption of the famous Kansas "blue parcels post law have been authorsky law" to control the sale of securities and insure that they shall have ized by the postoffice department in

value behind them before they may be marketed. These measures, adapted to the requirements of each state, will be presented and pushed wherever there is

tute the backbone of the people's rule ations. program of the party. The leaders are confident that the many legislatures

death of William Francis Glasby, may-

or of East Saginaw in 1836, at his

Engineers of the Grand Trunk rail

road are in Saginaw arranging to raise

the tracks between Saginaw and Bay

City above flood danger. Last' spring

the tracks were covered, interfering

THE MARKETS.

steers. \$7.50@8: steers and helfers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$6.50@7.35; steers and helfers, 800 to 1,000, \$5.50@6; steers and helfers, DETROIT - Cattle - Extra dry-fed

800 to 1,000, \$5.50@6; steers and helfers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4.50@5; choice

home in Los Angeles, Cal.

with transportation.

From these reports the department under the spur of the public demand which the progressive campaign has aroused, will move for these things the balance of the year, for which an the present winter. appropriation will be asked of con-Word is received in Saginaw of the

gress: Postmasters are limited only by the amount of money given them. They are authorized to work out their own delivery system, whether by mail carriers on foot, horseback or in automobiles. Upon reports from the several postoffices the department expects to choose a plan for delivery in

New Job for Pierce.

More than 200 laborers on the Kal-

amazoo city pay rolls will receive a

Warren Shepard, of Belding, Mich.

will get \$1,200 in a lump from Uncle

Senator-elect Woodworth, of the

The appointment of Charles S Pierce to be secretary of the public

state land commissioner, Jan. 1, was announced in Lansing.

Inasmuch as Pierce had been considered to have a cinch on the position of clerk of the house of representatives the coming session, this apcounty poor superintendents whose pointment will let down the bars for resignation was demanded by Gov. a flock of candidates for the clerkship Osborn, has complied with the de- of the house, which pays \$70 a week



BALKAN PEACE CONFERENCE TO BEGIN FRIDAY, THE THIR. TEENTH, IN ST. JAMES PALACE, LONDON.

WILL BEGIN NEGOTIATIONS IN DEFIANCE OF ALL SUPER. STITIONS.

The Outlook for Lasting Peace

Throughout Europe is Considered Promising.

The Balkan war situation is practically unchanged. There is no confirmation of the Constantinople dispatches that Greece has affixed a belated signature to the Baghtche protocol for an armistice. As far as can be learned, Greece still refused to join the truce agreement.

The other Balkan states and Turkey are continuing their preparations for the peace conference which, in apparent defiance of all superstition, will begin in London on Friday, Dec. 13. Athens dispatches give assurance that a legislature in session. They consti- Greece will participate in the negoti-

> With peace of some kind, no matter how costly, assured by the protocol, it is agreed that Turkey has turned her attention to a policy of diplomacy that will sow the seeds of dissention among the Balkan allies, in order that Turkey might conclude as favorable bargain as possible.

Diplomatists and war experts credit to Turkish mendacity all of the little disquieting rumors from eastern Europe, reports for which no founda-

tion in fact can be discovered. The report that the Greeks had signed a separate and more advantage eous armistice with Turkey; that Roumania would insist on representation in the London conference, and a part in the division in the spolls; that the Greeks would hold aloot from the negotiations; that Seria would persist in her defiance of Aut tria-Hungary, and various other m mors of the same kind were attributed the porte's crafty efforts to str

that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4.50@5; choice fat cows, \$5.50@6; good fat cows, \$4.50@ 5; common cows, \$3.75@4.25; canners, \$3@3.50; choice heavy bulls, \$5.50@6; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$4.75@66; stock bulls, \$3.75@4.50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1.000, \$5.50@6.25; fair feeding steers, 500 to 1.000, \$5.25@5.50; choice estockers, 500 to 700, \$5@5.50; fair stock-ers, 500 to 700, \$4.50@4.75; stock heifers, \$3.50@4.25; milkers, large, young, med-ium age, \$45@65; common milkers, \$30@ 40. up trouble. With all of the Balkan belligerents appointing their peace plenipotentian ies and all of the six powers accept ing the proposal for the ambassador ial conference, the outlook for lasting peace throughout Europe is consid 50c higher

Washington, during the first 15 days of January, a certain apportionment being given to each of the 1,600 free delivery offices, to be spent at the discretion of the postmaster in working out delivery and ascertaining the ex-

TEST PARCELS POST

Work Out System of Delivery.

tent to which the parcels post is being used through his office and the receipts derived from it. expects to base its estimate of money needed for carrying on the business

while her husband is very positive in what he says, but not so much so in what he does.

One evening last week their son, Robert, was getting his lessons on the dining room table and he needed a ruler to draw the straight lines of a diagram.

"Mamma," he called out, "have we a ruler in this house?" "Yes, dearle," came the bland re-

ply, "your father is in the library."

Sir Henry's Advice.

tells this little anecdote of him in the pected could be secured." New York Times:

Sir Henry received a great number of trivial notes from all sorts of people. Most of them never got beyond intends to appoint William P. Nishis secretary, but one at least reach bit his private secretary, and that ed "the governor," who found that the writer complained that he was Sir Henry's double, and was continually being mistaken for him. This so annoyed the gentleman that he insisted on knowing what the famous actor intended to do about it.

Sir Henry sent an envelope containing a shilling and the terse advice, "Get your hair cut."

One of Life's Mysteries." men. Nothing in the awful mystery of life and death is more inexplicable than the widening contrasts of human for-Why should one child be tune. brought into the world to wealth, dignity and honor, and another child to Lansing board of health that farmsqualor, penury and crime? Can ers in lngham county are selling cholthese disparities of condition be era-infected hogs in the capital city, mended through the political fabric! and the matter has been reported to If we should place a man in the presidency for life, invested with all the State Veterinarian Ward Giltner, of powers needful to a wise and benev M. A. C., says he has received unofolent absolutism, could he change te ficial information that this practice any appreciable degree the existing is being carried out in other parts of order? Could he remotely reach the disease of sin and sloth, of greed and craft, of poverty and wealth sc as to give the halt, the lame and the blind some chance against the healthy the energetic and gifted ?- Louisville Courier-Journal.

Famillar Names.

Out of approximately 5,500 students listed in the college catalogue at Har vard fifty bear the name of Smith The Browns are a poor second, with twenty-four representatives, but are family.

Above the Average. Mrs. Wayupp-How much sleep do I need, doctor? Doctor-Well, the average person needs about seven hours.

Mrs. Wayupp-Then I shall take about fourteen. I consider that I am that much above the average .-- From Judge's Library.

Old Landmark Must Make Way, Old Emiphany church, Philadelphia the way for an apartment hou sost \$1,000,000

old-fashionedfi domineer- factories in New York, where women ed-over wife. She has a very meek children and even babies were worked way of aserting herself, which has all 15 to 19 hours a day, housed in filthy in the county poor house without any the force of a diplomat behind it. barracks and driven to their work by padrones armed with clubs. "A trained special agent of the Na-

tional Child Labor association has made a two months' investigation of the canning factories in Michigan," said John W. Smith, deputy state factory inspector.

"He was armed with the authority of the Michigan state labor department and visited every section so as to become thoroughly acquainted with all conditions. His report, in substance was that conditions in Michigan were

A former friend of Sir Henry Irving about as good as it could ever be ex-

Nisbit for Private Secretary. Gov-elect Ferris announces that he he will appoint James W. Helme dairy and food commissioner, and James Scully member of the state railroad commission.

Mr. Nisbit lives at Big Rapids, the home city of the governor-elect. For Many years he published a weekly newspaper, and he now issues monthly the Michigan Bulletin, a publication devoted wholly to the progressive affairs of Michigan newspaper

Cholera-Inspected Hogs Sold in Lansing.

Health Officer Huntley informed the the sanitary live stock commission. the state. The law provides a fine of \$100 and imprisonment for 90 days for anyone convicted of selling diseased cattle or hogs.

Tax Commission to Visit Wayne. The state tax commission, which has boosted the appraisal in five counties

\$29,000 000, it was reported, will probably conduct an investigation in several other countles before finishing work. Wayne, it was said, will be one of them. The commissioners, it was tied with the numbers of the Davis stated, will probably go to Detroit in a few days.

> According to the advisory board of pardons and paroles, which has been in session at the Michigan state prison, 81 per cent of the paroles granted this year have been successful.

Homer Waterman, secretary of the Michigan Federation of Labor, says the federation will bring before the next legislature the modification of injunction laws, amendment of the prinary law, uniform text boks, payment convicts for labor, abolishment of fid labor, and abolishment of under d bakeries.

barred from the schools and is now provision for education.

Pierce to Succeed Himself.

Charles S. Pierce, clerk of the house of representatives, will be a candidate to succeed himself. Pierce claims to have enough votes pledged to insure his election. Despite reports. to the contrary, Pierce will not be a candidate for secretary of the house domain commission to succeed A. C. Cartor, who becomes land commissioner the first of the year.

Young Elected to Congress.

H. Olin Young, republican, was given a certificate of election by the state board of canvassers to the office of congressman in the twelfth district in the upper peninsula. The decision was based on an opinion given by the attorney general's department. The decision means the defeat of the progressive candidate, William J. McDonald.

Says She Killed Lansing Woman. Mrs. Mary Lucas confessed to the police that she killed Mrs. Pauline Single. She states she invited Mrs. Single to eat supper at her home and put poison in her cocoa. Mrs. Single rushed from the Lucas home soon after she had drunk the cocoa and died before a physician could be summoned

State to Employ Mining Engineer. At a conference of the state tax commission, in Lansing, a resolution was passed providing for the employment of a mining engineer, salary to be agreed upon by the state board of auditors, whose duty it will be to work under the state geologist and make appraisals of all mining properties in the state.

Rev. J. A. Dunkel, of Warren avenue Presbyterian church, Saginaw, is appointed chairman of the home mission committee of the Michigan Presbyterian synod, succeeding Rev. C. A. Lippincott, of Flint.

Friends of John Eisy have asked Gov. Osborn to recommend to the legislature an appropriation for Eisy's widow. Eisy was shot by state militfamen during the trouble at Jackson prison last summer.

The Kalamazoo society for the prevention of cruelty to children and animals will reincorporate. Gov. Osborn has stated that he will make one of the 'nembers a marshal with power to act anywhere in hte state.

The public domain commission granted the Northern Development Co. a three-year option on 100,000 acres of land under the control of the commission, which are distributed about in Saginaw, Montmorenci, Bay, Crawford and Cheboygan counties The company will begin prospecting or oil at once

mands made by the state executive. during the session of the legislature. He thus loses both offices.

Wright's own confession in the STATE NEWS IN BRIEF. Myrtle O'Neil case, following nis ar-

the city.

ceive \$12 a month.

rest in Detroit last month, convicted him. It was he who was chosen by Sheriff Brown and Prosecutor Miltner, also removed by Gov. Osborn, to accompany the O'Neil girl out of the

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

state into Canada.

ciation, of Kalamazoo, has appointed The state bank commissioner has a committee which will try to secure authorized the City bank of Battle a Carnegie library. Creek to increase its capital from Nearly 1,000 children will be pre-\$100,000 to \$150,000.

sented with shoes at Chirstmas There is considerable agitation all through the beneficence of the Grand over Gratiot county over the recent Rapids lodge of Elks. The order will raise in rates of the two competing spend \$1,000. telephone companies, the Bell and Un-Plans are being made to hold the ion systems.

ninth annual Michigan corn show of An urgent invitation to visit Battle the State Corn Improvement associa-Creek was given Col. Theodore tion at the Kalamazoo Western nor-Roosevelt by the Battle Creek delemal, Jan. 10 and 11. gates who are in Chicago for the Bull Moose conference.

Huron-Sanilac district was in Lansing At a meeting of the Saginaw counand stated he was preparing bills to cil the voting machines and election introduce at the coming session for boards were found not guilty of trouthe initiative and referendum. ble caused on election day by failure West Side Business association of of the progressive lever to work. Saginaw adopted a resolution urging Andrew W. Youngs, 24, of Flint, the state legislature to take action to has been placed on trial charged with insure Michigan being represented at manslaughter. Youngs is held for the the Pan-American exposition in San death of Rose Alberta, the young wo-Francisco in 1915. man killed about four months ago The Michigan crop report just issued

while riding on a motorcycle, which Youngs operated.

Following Sunday saloon closing in Menominee, enforced two weeks ago, and the demand of 13 Marinette ministers to close saloons in Marinette, Wis., Mayor Fisher, of Marinette, has rooms.

Tuberculosis has caused 1,870 deaths in Michigan in ten months. Typhoid fever 453, the lowest in several years. Diphtheria and croup 346. Scarlet fever 136. Measles 79. Whooping cough 217, Pneumonia 2,164, which is

B. M. Holcomb, of Kalamazoo, state Saginaw, are the parents of twin inheritance tax examiner to succeed daughters, who will celebrate their T B. White resigned, to become state birthdays on different dates. One tax commissioner. Mr. Holcomb has daughter was born shortly before midbeen abotract clerk in the depart- night Friday and the other early Saturday morning. ment.

The recently reorganized Muskegor Railroad Co., it was decided to over Chamber of Commerce has elected of rule the order of the traffic depart- ficers, Paul R. Beardsley being ment not to accept perishable freight chosen president, Dr. J. F. Densloy in less than carload lots during severe vice president; W. Wilfred Barons reather unless shipped in refrigerator, secretary, and John H. Moore, trens

leal-Market strong and than last week; best, \$9.50@11; others, \$

@8.50. Milch cows and springers steady Sheep and lambs—Lambs 25c@40 Sheep and lambs—Lambs 25c@40c higher and sheep steady; best lambs, \$7

@7.25; fair to good lambs, \$6.50@6.75; light to common lambs, \$5@6; fair to good shee \$1.75@2.75. sheep, \$3@3.75; culls and common Hogs-Light to good butchers, \$7.40; pigs, \$6.70@6.90; light yorkers, \$7.25@ turkey for their Christmas dinner from

7.30; stags, 1-3 off. ORAIN, ETC.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash and Decem-ber No. 2 red, \$1.05 3-4; May opened at \$1.10 1-2; gained 1-4c and declined to \$1.10 1-2; July opened at 93c, touched 931-2c and declined to 98c; No. 1 white, \$1.04 3-4. Sam as back pension. He will also re-The East Side Improvement asso-Corn-Cash No. 3, 491-2; No. 3 yellow 501-2c; No. 4 yellow, 481-2c. Oats-Standard, 37c; No. 3 white, cars at 36c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 35c. Rye—Cash No. 2, 64c. Beans—Immediate shipment, \$2.3

prompt shipments, \$2.18; December, \$2.15 January, \$2.15. Clover seed—Prime spot \$11: sample, 12 bags at \$9.50; prime alsike, \$13; sample alsike, 8 bags at \$12, 5 at \$9.50.

GENERAL MARKETS

There is little change in produce prices and the market is quiet in all directions. and the market is quiet in all directions. Strictly fresh eggs are in much better de-mand than supply and the market is firm. Butter of the best grade is firm and in moderate supply. Poultry rules steady, with no oversupply and a good demand. Potatoes are steady and quiet. Most of the trade is still done direct from the farmers. Fruits are dull and apples very slow. slow.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 36c; cream-ery firsts, 33c; dairy, 22c; packing, 21c er ib. APPLES-Baldwin, \$2.25@2.50; green per

ing. \$2.50@2.75; spy, \$2.75@3; steel red. \$3@3.50; No. 2, 75c@\$1.50 per bbl; fancy, \$2.50@3 per bbl; common, \$1.50@2 per

bbl. CRANBERRIES—Late Howes, per bbl. \$9: in bushel lots, \$3.25. PEARS—Oregon, \$2.50@2.75 per box. CABBAGES—\$1@1.25 per bbl. DRESSED CALVES—Ordinary, 10@11c

ancy, 12@13c per lb. ONIONS-55c per bu. DRESSED HOGS-\$9.50@10 per cwt. shows that the condition of wheat is good. The condition as compared with

for light to medium. DRESSED POULTRY - Spring chickan average per cent is 90 in the south-DRESSED FOULTRY — Spring chick-ens, 13@15c; hens, 12@14c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 17@19c; ducks, 17@20c; gese, 14@15c per fb. POTATOES — Michigan, sacks, 53c; bulk, 48c, in car lots, and 55@60c for

store. HONEY-Choice fancy white comb, 16 @17c per lb; amber, 14@15c. LIVE POULTRY - Spring chickens, 12 1-2@13c per lb; hens, 11@11 1-2c; No. 2 hens, 9c; old roosters, 9@10c; ducks, 15@16c; geese, 13@14c; turkeys, 17@18c

per Ib. VEGETABLES-Beets, 40c. per bu; carvisation of the second second

tuce, \$1.25@1.50 per hamper; home-grown celery, 35@30c per bu; green peppers, 40c per basket; rutabagas, 45c per bu. PROVISIONS-Mess pork, \$19; family pork, \$28@24; celar backs, \$22@24; hams, 16:1-2@17c; briskets, 11:1-2@12c; bacon, 15@20c; shoulders, 14:1-2c; picnic hams, 14c; pure lard in tierces, 12:2-4c; kettle rendered lard, 13:3-4c per b. HAY-Car lot prices, track, Detroit: No. 1 timothy, \$16@16;50; No. 2 timothy, \$14:50@15; No. 1 mixed, \$14@14.50; light mixed, rye straw, \$10:50@11 per ton.

There is a possibility, it is said, that William L. Fitzgerald, recently elect ad member of the legislature, will be the democrat candidate for speaker of the house.

It is stated in Port Huron Grand runk circles that Thomas Pidgeon. reight agent here for years, will be transferred to Owosso. J. C. McFadean, a former chief clerk in Port Huron but now employed by the comany in Detroit, will take Mr. Pid

ered promising. 500 Die of Cholera. Cholera is causing great havoc in the native quarters of the Turkish

capital. It is officially admitted that over 1,000 cases have occurred during the past 20 days and that half of then have been fatal. This total, however, is believed to be much below the real

figures. The prefect in a proclamation is sued refers to the great proportion of the epidemic and warns the public that failure on their part to not cases of cholera to the authorities will be punished by fine and imprisonment

WILL RESIST DEMANDS.

Turks Prepare to Wage Diplomati Controversies to Save Terri-

tory.

Hoping to offset on the field of d plomacy what they lost on the fit of battle, the Turks are preparing in resist with the most aggressive d plomacy any one excessive deman by the allies in the peace conference which opens in London on Friday. Each of the five governments volved will be allowed three envolt It is expected the course of the gotiations will be marked by some affairs for the envoys. King George may give a dinner for the plenin tentiaries if they settle all the issue amicably and without discord. Of the Turkish delegates only the name Osman Nizami Pasha has been ficially handed in to the foreign fice. The Ottoman government been puzzled to select the best mes

To Buy Birthplace of Lincoln. Rep. Johnson, of Kentucky, h duced a bill in the house for the quisition by the government of farm and the log cabin in Kentur in which Abraham Lincoln was h Johnson proposes the homestead

kept as a park.

Peter Jenison, 40, an employe King paper mills, in Kalamazoo, crushed and instantly killed between

two freight cars. John W. McKibbin, Sr., of Sag died a few minutes after his son, A W. McKibbin, Jr., reached home

the battleship Georgia. Men who signed the local option tition in Calhoun county for a submission of the question next sp will receive a strong appeal from liquor interests to vote "wet."

clerks are copying the names of who signed the petition. Deputy State Food Ins and City Inspector Fr tained samples of oysters can meat markets and groceries. ers were sent to Lansing and analyzed and proc against dealers where the b

to be watered.

Kelly's name was left off the Lake county ballot. Mrs. Fred Kemp, of St. Louis, was very high for the state. Diarrhoea en. awarded a \$1,600 verdict in the Ithteritis, under two years of age, 1,177, aca circuit court against the Michigan

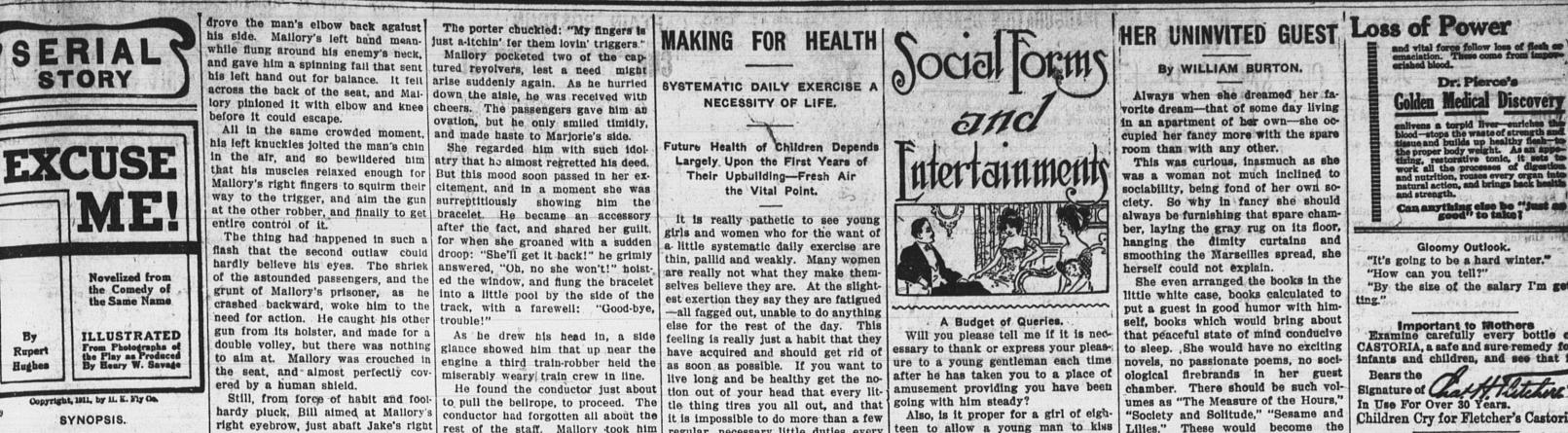
which is low compared with other Bonding & Surety Co., bondsmen for years. Cancer 1,796. Secretary Dixon two Merrill saloonists, charged by says the state board of health spends Mrs. Kemp for her husband's death. annually one cent per capita, while which occurred in 1910. Kemp was Pennsylvania spends 4 cents per cap. killed when he drove into a ditch on his way home.

Auditor General Fuller appointed, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Buschke, of

At a meeting in Grand Rapids of the receivers of the Pere Marguette

board of canvassers to have H. Clay McNitt's election declared void.

ern counties; 88 in the central counties and 97 in the upper peninsula. Judge Lamb has taken under adviseordered the enforcement of the cur- ment the mandamus proceedings of few law and the regulation of pool Thomas Kelly, defeated progressive candidate for representative. He brought suit against the Lake county THE CHELSEA STANDARD, DECEMBER 13, 1912.



Lieut. Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philppines. He and Marjorie New-ton decide to elope, but wreck of taxi-cab prevents their seeing minister on way to the train. Transcontinental n is taking on passengers. Porter a lively time with an Englishman has a lively time with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop, a Yankee business man. The elopers have an exciting time getting to the train. "Little Jim-mie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get Even

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mie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maudlin con-dition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears. She is also bound for Reno with same ob-fect. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb. Latter blames Mrs. Jimmie for her mar-tal troubles. Classmates of Mallory decorate bridal berth. Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on a vacation. They de-cide to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of bis calling. Mariorie deno matter protocol, it turned her diplomacy edde to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of his calling. Marjorie de-eddes to let Mallory proceed alone, but train starts while thes are lost in fare-well. Passengers join? Malory's class-mates in giving couple wedding hazing. Marjorie is distracted. Ira Lathrop, woman-hating bachelor, discovers an old sweetheart, Annie Gattle, a fellowdissention order that favorable a

xperts credl of the litassenger. Mallory vainly hunts for a reacher among the passengers. Mrs. Vellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Ater she meets Mrs. Whitcomb. Malom eastern Wellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Later she meets Mrs. Whitcomb. Mal-ory reports to Marjorie his failure to ind a preacher. They decide to pretend a quarrel and Malfory finds a vacant berth. Mrs. Jimmie discovers Welling-on on the train. Mallory again makes in unsuccessful hunt for a preacher. Dr. Temple poses as a physician. Mrs. Temple is induced by Mrs. Wellington to smoke a cigar. Sight of preacher on a station platform raises Mallory's hopes, but he takes another train. Miss-ng hand baggage compels the couple no foundaered. Greeks had re advantagurkey; that representaerence, and the spoils; hold aloof hand baggage compels the couple that Servia ance of Aus is other reere attributforts to stir

ng hand baggage compels the couple o borrow from passengers. Jimmle ot borrow from passengers. Jimmle rets a cinder in his eye and Mrs. Jim-nle gives first aid. Coolness is then resumed. Still no clergyman. More porrowing. Dr. Temple puzzled by be-havlor of different couples. Marjorie's ealousy aroused by Mallory's baseball argon. Marjorie suggests wrecking he train in hopes that accident will roduce a preacher. Also tries to induce onductor to hold the train so she can hop. Marjorie's dog is missing. She uils the cord, stopping the train. Con-uctor restores dog and lovers quarrel, athrop wires for a preacher to marry im and Miss Gattle. Mallory tells La-brop of his predicament and arranges o borrow the preacher. Kitty Lewel-rn, former sweetheart of Mallory's, ppears and arouses Marjorie's jealbelligerents. lenipotentian wers accept ambassador k for lasting e is consid-

ars and arouses Mariorie's

right eyebrow, just abaft Jake's right rest of the staff. Mallory took him ear, and shouted his old motto: "Hands up! you!"

"Hands up yourself!" answered Mallory, and his victim, shuddering at the fierce look in his comrade's eyes, the train into the baggage coach. gasped: "For God's sake, don't shoot,

Even then the fellow stood his ground, and debated the issue, till Mallory threw such ringing determination into one last: "Hands up, or by up!" As he whirled in amaze, he God, I'll fire!" that he caved in, lifted saw two revolvers aimed point blank his fingers from the triggers, turned at him from behind a trunk. He the guns up, and slowly raised both hoisted his guns without parley, and hands above his head. the train crew trussed him up in short

order.

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A profound "Ah!" of relief soughed through the car, and Mallory, still keeping his eye on Bill, got down cautiously from the seat. The moment he released Jake's left hand, it darted to the holster where his second gun was waiting. But before he could clutch the butt of it. Mallory jabbed the muzzle of his own revolver in the man's back, and growled: "Put 'em up!" And the robber's left hand joined the right in air, while Mallory's

left hand lifted the revolver. Mallory stood for a moment, breathing hard and a little incredulous at his own swift, sweet triumph. Then he made an effort to speak as if this sort of thing were quite common with him, as if he overpowered a pair of outlaws every morning before breakfast, but his voice cracked as he said, in a drawing-room tone:

"Dr. Temple, would you mind relieving that man of those guns?" Dr. Temple was so set up by this distinction that he answered: "Not by

a-" "Walter!" Mrs. Temple checked him, before he could utter the beau aboard! tiful word, and Dr. Temple looked at her almost reproachfully, as he sighed: "Golly, I should like to swear just once more." Then he reached up and disarmed the man who had taken his wallet and his wife's keepsakes. American children breathe in this desperado romance with their earliest traditions, and Dr. Temple felt all his boyhood zest surge back with a boy's tremendous rapture in a deed of derring-do. And now nothing could check his swagger, as he said to Mallory: time." "What shall we do with these

He felt like apologizing for the

clerical relapse into a pulpitism, but

Mallory answered briskly: "We'd bet-

ter take them into the smoking room.

They scare the ladies. But first, will

distribute the contents to their right-

The conductor was proud to act as

his robber with one of the revolvers.

and commanded: "Forward, march!"

The little triumphai procession

moved off, with Bill in the lead, fot-

lowed by Dr. Temple, looking like a

whole field battery, followed by Jake.

followed by Mallory, followed by the

norter and as many of the other pas-

sengers as could crowd into the smok-

The rest went after those opulent

CHAPTER XLI.

Clickety-Clickety-Clickety.

by speaking across a barrier:

Mrs. Temple gasped in horror, but

were all new gifts found on a bush.

Meanwhile, under Mallory's guid-

together back to back with the straps

was not blighted after all.

bravest man on earth."

dam-ned sinners?"

ful owners?"

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ing room.

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band!"

regular, necessary little duties every aside, and told him the situation, then day. turned to Marjorie, said: "Excuse me

Unless a woman is bodily ill or crippled there is no reason why she cannot send the blood bounding through all her veins in such a manner as to stamp the glow of health upon her en-P. J. H. tire body. Mothers of large families

with a household to superintend have not much time, I know, but it is their duty to see that their children take some form of exercise daily aside from the regular routine. Their future health and life depend upon it. Dozens and dozens of sickly and consumptive children are being saved yearly by hygienic habits, fresh air, sunshine and exercise.

It is not necessary to adopt exercises which take up a great deal of time unless one wishes to and has the time to give, nor is it necessary

to have all sorts of apparatus to obtain the best results in exercising. One of the best built women I ever saw told me the other day that she exercised ever since she could remember, and never had any bought instruments for her work. Everything was home-made. To their use and to sunshine and pure, fresh air, she owes all that she is today.

It is an easy thing to add a simple exercise to one's regular toilet work in the morning and again a little at backwards. Mrs. Temple brought out | night before retiring. It may be just alone can save you from a cold or per-

haps something more serious. In the morning when you awake, if possible, have someone come into looked him over, grinned, and reached wide your windows if they have not for the bell-cord, with a cheerful: "All been fully open throughout the night. Lie limp in bed. Inhale through the nose. Fill your lungs to their fullest capacity and then slowly exhale. Do this at least four times or six if you wish. Just before retiring at night, and without any restrictive clothing, stand at an open window with hands on hips, thumbs pointed backward and while inhaling rise slowly upon the toes; hold the breath while counting ering .-- X. Y. Z. three, and slowly, while exhaling, drop back upon the feet. Repeat a half dozen times. Six minutes night and morning is all that is necessary. The true value of that twelve minutes

teen to allow a young man to kiss her good night if she has been going shelves and gratify a guest even if he with him steady for only four months? never got beyond the titles. Should a gentleman ask to call on. a girl each time he wishes to see her, her salary the apartment was made or is it a girl's privilege to ask him possible she took one with five rooms to come and see her .- E. S. H. and instead of four, because, as she told the agent, she "must have a spare

room." It is always polite to thank a per-The rooms of reality are never as well furnished as are those in the son who has shown you any attention, even if that person be a well-known houses of our imagination. Still, her guest chamber was a marvel of whitefriend. I consider it decidedly improper to kiss a man good night, and ness and daintiness. There was a lovely gray hand woven flower bordungentlemanly in him to ask it. He has no right to your kisses and will ered rug on the floor and a French striped paper with a pattern of tiny respect you much more if you hold rosebuds on the wall. The woodwork yourself in reserve. It is not necessary to ask permission to call every was white, and so were the little iron bed and the enameled dresser and the time, for among good friends it is understood that they are welcome. stiff chair. There was another chair, a rocker, covered with cretonne of

much the same pattern as the paper, Questions From "Brown Eyes." and it stood close to a low wicker ta-I am very much interested in your ble, on which was placed a small raincorner of the paper and would like bow glass vase, an Indian basket and to ask you a few questions.

a few books. My birthday is in December, on the 15th. I would like to invite a few the same colors as those in the wall of my girl friends in the afternoon, paper-pink, to match the buds, or and some of my boy friends in the green, to match the buds' leaves-and evening. I will be sixteen and will they looked like the kind of books one have them come on either Saturday! is proud to buy, but never has time or Monday to read. But "The Measure of the

How should I word the invitations What shall I have for refreshments, for the girls and boys after supper? How should I entertain them?

had cost much thought and self-denial For this party I think I would ask to procure it. And it was ten times the guests, tell the girls you want more costly than her own. them to come in the afternoon and But where was the guest? After the boys in the evening for the ice three months of residence in her new cream and birthday cake. home she had never turned down the After all have arrived why not have

"It's going to be a hard winter." "By the size of the salary I'm get-Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it



Advice From an Acquaintance.

So when by a generous increase in

The covers of the books were of

Hours," "Society and Solitude" and

"Sesame and Lilles" stood up fresh

It was a conventional room, but it

room and had expressed themselves

as having slept the sleep of the just

and of infancy, and of having felt a

strong desire never to be obliged to

emerge from the rose colored com-

forter and the Marseilles spread that

Sometimes the guest was a cousin

whom she had known in her child-

hood and who had gone through Har-

vard and was now practicing law in

Boston; the rose comforter and the

"Sesame and Lilies" would be none

too fine for him. Then again it was

an old friend of her father's, an aris-

tocratic woman, who had visited them

ity of the quilt and to pounce upon

closed the door on the grocer's shabby

boy, who had consented to deliver her

groceries after she had returned home

at night, she heard a crash on the

back porch and the sound of some one

falling. She opened the door quickly

and turned the electric light upon the

white face of the boy who but a mo-

ment before had been explaining to

her why he had brought white corn-

meal instead of the yellow she had

ordered. Now his face was as white

as the meal and he looked as if he

would never again deliver groceries.

He was only a mite of a boy and

she had little difficulty in getting him

into the guest chamber and on top of

the Marseilles spread, where he re-

mained until the arrival of a strange.

doctor, who ordered that he be placed

under this prized coverlet and that

he remain there until able to be re-

moved to his home. That was not un-

Those two weeks she declared to

be the happiest of her life, though the

guest who occupied her spare cham-

ber showed no interest either in

books or bouquets. After he had

gone she used to love to sit alone in

the little rocker, staring meditatively

at the backs of the books and at the

But this is not all of the story. She

married the doctor and turned her

back forever on the little room that

never knew the presence of an in-

Inconsistent.

Classifying It.

ttor to the soo said about the fight

d you hear what the English vis-

are so fickle in their love affairs."

roses on the wall.

guest who remained.

"Why is it odd?"

of uniform affection."

"No; what was it?"

til the end of the second week.

One day, a minute after she had

the "Sesame and Lilles."

and inviting."

covered it.

"Now if I can get some acquaintance to indorse my note-" "Better try some stranger."

Liquid blue is a weak solution. Avoid k. Buy Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue. Ask your grocer. Adv.

Exception.

"You can't put water colors in an oil painting."

"You can, sea blue, can't you?"

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colle, 25c a bottle.M

Made-to-Order Kind.

"My wife is always bringing home so much toothpowder," complained a man the other day to a friend. "It's a waste of money. As for me I just take the bathtub cleanser and scrub my teeth."

The pair were walking down Chestnut street and his companion stopped in amazement. "What! Doesn't it hurt your teeth and gums, too?" he

exclaimed almost in horror. "No," came back the surprising reply. "You see they're the kind you buy at the dentist's."

Protecting Valuable Interests. "Why do you charge so much extra for putting in a load of coal?"

"Well," replied the dealer, "you know coal is coal, and while it costs a little more, it is better to have anybody that handles it bonded."

Helping Bob Along.

May-I've just been reading about a Boston physician who tells you what

train was ready to move on its way. Mallory went straight to Dr. Temple, with a burning demand: "You dear old fraud, will you marry Dr. Temple laughed and nodded. Marjorie and Mrs. Temple had been telling him the story of the prolonged

elopement, and he was eager to atone for his own deception, by putting an end to their misery. "Just wait one moment." he said, and as a final proof of affection, he unbuttoned his collar and put it on

Mallory ran back to Marjorie, and

the conductor followed more slowly,

reassuring the passengers in the other

cars, and making certain that the

the discarded bib, and he donned it | learning to breathe properly. Yet this meekly. The transformation explained many a mystery the old man

had enmeshed himself in. Even at he made ready for the ceremony, the conductor appeared, your room before you rise and throw

Mallory had a sort of superstitious dread, not entirely unfounded on experience, that if the train got under way again, it would run into some new obstacle to his marriage. He turned to the conductor: "Say, old man, just hold the train till after my wedding, won't you?" It was not much to ask in return for his services, but the conductor was tired of being second in command. He growled: "Not a minute. We're 'way behind

a minute," and hurried forward. The conductor followed Mallory through The first news the third outlaw had of the counter-revolution occurring in the sleeping car was a mysterious bullet that flicked the dust near his heel, and a sonorous shout of "Hands

Preacher boards train. After rying Lathrop and Miss Gattle the arrying Lathrop and Miss Gattle the reacher escapes Mallory by leaping fom moving train. Mallory's dejection oves Marjorie to reconciliation. The st day on the train brings Mallory he fear of missing his transport. Mal-ry gets a Nevada marriage license. lera. eat havec in the Turkish ry gets a Nevada marriage license, arjorie refuses to be married by a admitted that forie refuses Mr. and Mrs. Jun-make up. Kitty Lewellyn refuses return Mallory's braclet. Robbers curred durin t half of them return otal, however, old up the train. The passengers are below the real nits he is a preacher.

oclamation is CHAPTER XXXIX .-- Continued. But the robbers kept giancing this at proportion ay and that, and one motion would rns the publi part to notify ean death. They themselves were o overwrought with their own ordeal nd its immediate conclusion; that uthorities will imprisonment ey would have killed anybody. Malbry shifted his foot cautiously, and

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"Who's moving?" Mallory answered, th a poor imitation of a careless ugh.

OVe!"

And now the man called Bill had the field of di eached Marjorie's right hand. He st on the fel hortled: "Golly, look at the shiners." re preparing to But Jake, who had chosen Maraggressive d

stantly a gun was jabbed into his

tomach, with a snarl: "Don't you

prie's left hand, roared: essive demand ace conference "Say, you cheated. All I get is this leasly plain gold band."

n on Friday. "Oh, don't take that!" Marjorie overnments in asped, clenching her hand. three envoys Mallory's heart ached at the thought this final sacrilege. He had the rked by socia cense, and the minister at last-and s. King George ow the fiends were going to carry off

he wedding ring. He controlled him-elf with a desperate effort, and or the plenipo e all the issue discord. Of the tooped to plead: "Say, old man, don't

ly the name of ke that. That's not fair." a has been o "Shut up, both of you," Jake the foreign rowled, and jabbed him again with

government té gun. He gave the ring a jerk, but Marthe best men. rie, in the very face of the weapon, ould not let go. She struggled and e of Lincoln. ugged, weeping and imploring: "Oh, Kentucky, intr on't, don't take that! It's my wedouse for the s ing ring." vernment of D

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"Agh, what do I care!" the ruffian harled, and wrenched her finger so thanks, and concealed it among her iclously that she gave a little cry of own things. bin in Kentuck incoln was ber he homestead l

That broke Mallory's heart. With wild, bellowing, "Damn you!" he uried himself at the man, with only bare hands for weapons.

CHAPTER XL.

A Hero in Spite of Himself. Passion sent Mallory into the unual fight with two armed and desrate outlaws. But reason had erties with as much joy as if they anned the way. He had been studythe robber all the time, as if the ain were a war-map, studying his ance, the porter fastened the outlaws stures, his way of turning, and how held the revolver. He had noted of their own feed-bags. The porter at the man, as he frisked the paswas rejoicing that his harvest of tips agers, did not keep his finger on trigger, but on the guard.

Marjorie's little battle threw the rado off his balance a triffs; au Tecovered, Mailory struck-him, and pt him on over against the back a seat. At the same instant, Mai- your eye off 'em." the trigger quart like lightning the trigger guard, and gripped the ters in a vice of steel, while he

"You might wait till I'm married," Mallory pleaded.

"Not on your life!" the conductor answered, and he pulled the bell-rope twice: in the distance, the whistle answered twice. Mallory's temper flared again. He

the conductor take those bags and cried: "This train doesn't go another step till I'm married!" He reached up and pulled the bell-rope once; in the distance the whistle sounded

lieutenant to this lieutenant, and he quickly relieved the robbers of their once. This was high treason, and the conductor advanced on him threatening-Mallory smiled. "Don't give anybody my things," and then he jabbed

ly, as he seized the cord once more. You touch that rope again, and I'll-"Oh, no, you won't," said Mallory, as he whisked a revolver from his right pocket and jammed it into the conductor's watch-pocket. The conductor came to attention. Then Mallory, standing with his right hand on military duty, put out

his left hand, and gave the word: "Now, parson." He smiled still more as he heard Kathleen's voice wailing: "But I can't | ing up, and even so they are apt to

let? "Silence! Silence!" Dr. Temple from velvet. commanded, and then: "Join hands, my children."

Marjorie, as the supposed wife of Marjorie shifted Snoozleums to her the rescuing angel, was permitted left arm, put her right hand into Mai- afternoon appearance to the figure first search, and the first thing she hunted for was a certain gold bracetween them, began to drone the let that was none of hers. She found it and seized it with a prayer of ritual. When the old clergyman had done

his work, the young husband-at-last / throat. Mrs. Temple gave her a guilty start, graciously rescinded military law, recalled the artillery from the conduc-

"Mrs. Mallory, your husband is the Manila, smiled: "You may fire when ready, conduc-"Oh, 1 know he is," Marjorie beamed, and added with a spasm of tor." The conductor's rage had cooled. conscience: "but he isn't my hus-

Marjorie dragged her close, and poured out the whole story, while the other passengers recovered their prop-

quickened and softened into a pleasant gossip, as the speed grew, and the way was so smooth for the wheels

THE END.

narried life. on ?-- Harper's Bazar. of exercise every day, if continued for five or six months, will be so fully apparent that if it required twice the amount of time you could not be

tempted to give it up. If the coming generation is to he strong and healthy the present one must pave the way, and to do this parents and children alike must take

some active exercise. IN VELVET AND VELVETEEN

Gorgeous Wraps Are to Be a Feature of Styles That Will Mark the Coming Season.

Velvet and velveteen are to, be used again this winter in the composition of comfortable and handsome outer wraps. These have many points of usefulness, which fully acounted for their great popularity last year and in the spring. They are, however, only suitable for wearing over

short skirts which do not need holdfind my bracelet. Where's my brace be in the way on muddy days, for it is very difficult to cleanse mud stains

On the other hand, they frequently save the trouble of changing the dress, since they lend a sufficiently lory's, and Dr. Temple, standing be- even when they are worn over comparatively plain costumes. They also form an admirable background for furs, with a glimpse of lace at the

A smart model has a turned-back collar of sailor shape not extended in tor's very midst, and remembering long revers to the waist, which forms a pleasant change. On the waist line it is fastened by a motif of folded black velvet and braid, and to this fastening it is drawn slightly up in and he slapped the bridegroom on the fullness from the right to the left back with one hand, as he pulled the side. This gives it a very up-to-date

Face of Serge.

If any who are puzzled to determine which is the right side of serge will follow this rule, given me some years ago by a worker in cloth, the difficulty will vanish, says a contributor to Needlecraft. Whenever there are diagonal lines in the weave, as in serge, or in the pattern, as in some suitings these lines run from the upper right hand corner to the lower left-hand, on the right side. In many materials other than serge, these diagonal lines may be seen, such as merino, cash-mere, and even broadcloth, though not so evident in the latter.

charades, acting out the words, coffee, (cough fee), dramatic (dram-attic), sinecure (sin e cure). You will find this makes good fun.

A Suitable Toast.

Please give me a good toast to give at a Christian Endeavor society gath-

Try this, seems to me it ought to do very nicely:

To those who have passed me on the highway and gave greeting, To the possible friends who have come my way whose eyes lingered as they fell on mine.

May they ever be eager with youth, and strong with fellowship May they never miss a welcome or want a comrade .- McGee.

Engaging the Minister. Have read your valuable information in answer to questions and I want to ask you a few questions my self. When both parties concerned in a marriage attend the same church, which should engage the minister to perform the ceremony ?- A. M. H.

In the instance mentioned, where both go to the same church, I think it would be best for the two to call ogether, or the "man in the case" may go alone, or the arrangements could be made by a letter to the minister from the bridegroom-elect.

Luncheon Menu. I would be most grateful if you would outline for me a simple but cor

rect luncheon menu.-Janet. Bullion. Breadsticks. Chicken Croquettes. Green Peas. Creamed Potatoes. Finger Rolls Waldorf Salad. Wafers. Neufchatel Cheese.

Ice Cream. Claret Sauce. Small Angel Cakes. Coffee.

Guest Book Verses. Kindly give me through your column verses suitable for a guest book .--- A Daily Reader.

I think either of these quotations suitable: "Dear Lord, I thank thee for my friends.' "Give to the world the best you

have, and the best will come back to you.'

To Use Advertisements. Will you kindly tell me how to use advertisements at a party as a con-

test? By using a picture, should they know the manufactuper ?-- J. A.

Use just the picture with the name of manufacturer left off. It is astonishing how much we do not know when it comes to guessing "ads," al though they may be seen every day and all are familiar.

MADAME MERRI.

Marseilles spread nor put flowers in ails you by holding your the rainbow glass vase, nor brought | Jane-I must tell that to Bob toout the guest towel that she herself night. He's thinking of studying had embroidered. Of course, all sorts medicine. of imaginary persons had occupied the

Very Much So. "When Mrs. Jibbetts was asked why she neglected her friends so, she gave a hald excuse."

"What was it?" -"The baby."

Hard to Go.

"This case has some ugly features about it."

"Then put a good face on it."

A small boy doesn't find it very amusing to do the things his parents are willing to let him do.

An old toper says that none are so in the days of their prosperity, and blind as those who refuse an eye who, being literary in her tastes, opener. would be sure to appreciate the qual-

> Every woman should have an aim in life, even if she can't throw a stone with any degree of accuracy.

The chap who poses as a "good fellow" is apt to get the short end of it eventually.



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Mailory completed his bliss, by giving him Dr. Temple's brace of guns, and establishing him as jaller, with a warning: "Now, porter, don't take

"Lordy, I won't bat an eyelid." "If either of these lads coughs, put bole through both of "em."

cord with the other. The train began air for anybody who has the patience to creak and tug and shift. The ding- to be eternally brushing. dong of the bell floated murmurously back as from a lofty steeple, and the clickety-click, click-clickety-click

that they seemed to be spinning on rails of velvet.

The Real Issue. Husband-And, Mary, a wa came into our office today and told me

omething that will blight our whole Wife-Oh, John, what did she have