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- WE WILL ALWAYS TREAT YOU RIGHT:

Flanders Mfg, Co. Secures Patent Rights For Worm Gear Drive Rights For Worm Gear Drive Resources Patent Ann Arbor Times News: Comparatively few people realize that one of the most interesting relics of the Spanish-American war is a piece of machinery that stands upon the platform, near Professor Herbert Sadler's desk in the engineering depart-

President Brownson of the Flanders Manufacturing Co. was in town Tuesday, the first time since his return from Europe, where he secured for the Flanders Manufacturing Co. the American and Canadian rights in all patents for worm driving gears.

The gears will be manufactured in the Chelsea plant and used both on automobiles and also on the motocycle now being manufactured by the Company at Portion. The first was discovered at one o'clock and started near the chimney. The premises were occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kelly. Mr. Gibson is in charge of the office at the works and Mr. Kelly ran a boarding house

automobiles and also on the motocycle now being manufactured by the Company at Pontiac. This gear being absolutely silent will be a great improvement on motocycles and is being used by all the manufacturers of foreign made automobiles.

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"There will be a veritable avalanche of 'worms' in this country next seasou," says Mr. Brownson. "The adoption of the silent drive for automobile propulsion will be well nigh universal. I base that statement on two reasons. First, it is no secret in engineering circles that practically every prominent automobile manufacturer is today experimenting with acturer is today experimenting with with worm-drive rear axles. Some of them have been quietly doing so for months. And I have yet to hear of a case where the worm has not proven infinitely more satisfactory all round than the present form of bevel gear drive. It is equally efficient under ideal conditions—very much more the cold weather rather thinly clad. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly saved a portion of their goods, but their loss will be considerable as they had a number of rooms furnished for the boarders who were with them and almost all of the beds went up in flames deal conditions-very much more flicient under ordinary conditions and infinitely superior in every other way. No one who has ever ridden in a wormlriven automobile will ever again be driven automobile will ever again be content with any other form—bevel gear or chain. That is one great reason for the impending revolution in automobile engineering.

"The other reason why I confidently predict this change is the fact that European makers—and the very best of them—have adopted the worm-

"Anticipating the worm-driven avalanche which is sure to come, and realizing that, as the Flanders Manufacturing Company is heavily engaged in the gear cutting business, I quietly slipped over to England—where the improved high-efficiency type had its origin—to look over the situation. Great was my surprise at what I found there—prepared though I was to find a strong sentiment in favor of the new type of automobile drive. Europe is a unit in adopting the worm gearing.

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When the name of Lealia Joèl-Hulse will be written high on the roll of honor. Mrs. Joel-Hulse will be written high on the roll of honor. Mrs. Joel-Hulse is the contralto place.

The funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Wednesday morning, Rev. W. P. Considine officiating. Interment Mt. Olivet cemetery.

An Improvement.

The H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. are about to make a radical change in the appearance of the salesroom in their furnishing goods and clothing department.

The shelving on the south side of the store is to be taken out and the

gearing.
"Analyzing the situation I found that a peculiar series of circum A full line of McCormick Binders and Mowers, McCormick worm drive in Europe, chief among ine, McCormick Harrows and Drags, New Keystone Loaders Rakes. Agents for Ontario Drills. All kinds of seeds in season Rakes. Agents for Ontario Drills. All kinds of seeds in season that least sound out of an auto-take that a peculiar series of circum stances led up the adoption of the soloist of the Rutger's Presbyterian solois takes the last sound out of an autotion in preference to nearly one hunweek and will do the contemplated remobile—that is its chief advantage and the feature that appeals strong- and her work has since justified the modeling as soon as possible.

est to the buyer.

"The Flanders Manufacturing Company will manufacture worm cutting machines both for its own use and for sale to other makers. Meantime, several English made machines are on the high seas and will be installed immediately on arrival here. Already the company is figuring on several orders for gear sets for prominent automobile manufacturers."

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Obituary.

Elizabeth Ann Davidson was born at. Syracuse, N. Y., July 6, 1829.

Vosburgh. To this union was porn four daughters, Mrs. Harriett Phillips, New Berlin, N. Y., Mrs. Ellen Cook, Potterville, Mich., Mrs. Emily Freer, Eaton Rapids and Mrs. Georgia Canfield of Detroit, also one son James Vosburgh, who died in early manhood. She was left a widow June 23, 1869.
April 10, 1877, she married Hiram Hewes, who departed this life March 26, 1893. The remaining years of her life has been spent with her children. Her death she welcomed as a joyful event, saying, Jesus was so good to her, she was so blessed. The end came March 3, 1911, at the home of her daughter, 142 Baltimore street, Detroit. The remains were laid at rest beside those of Mr. Vosburgh at

Sharon Center. She leaves to mourn her loss be sides her children, nineteen grandchildren, twenty-one great grand-children, besides a host of friends a great many whom were in attendance at her funeral. The floral offerings were many and very beautiful. ***

Musical and Literary Entertainment.

Interesting War Relic.

ment.

It is a triple expansion steam cutter engine, recovered from the wreck of the Almeranto Oquendo, one of the Spanish ships sunk by the United States fleet at the battle of Santiago in 1898. It was fitted with a link motion, valve gear, and was something that had been long desired in the university equipment. The machine came into possession of Frank Kirby, a marine engineer of Detroit, and he presented it to the university, well knowing how valuable such a piece of machinery would be here. The engine is apparently of Scotch or English design, and the working of it is a marvel of marine engineering beauty. and Mr. Kelly ran a boarding house

beauty.

The boat from which this engine was taken was one of the steam cutters, about 30 feet long, that ply between the ships of the fleet, or between them and the shore. The engine is battle scarred, but fortunately its working qualities are in no manner injured.

Mrs. John Lingane.

Miss Ellen Savage was born Sylvan, in August, 1845, and died at her home in that township, Sunday morning, March 12, 1911.

were with them and almost all of the beds went up in flames.

Some of the boarders saved a portion of their clothing and the others escaped with very little on. The occupants of the burned house found shelter in the cement plant until tion of their clothing and the others escaped with very little on. The occupants of the burned house found shelter in the cement plant until morning.

The house, at the time it was erected, was reported to have cost about \$5.000 and is insured in a policy that covers the works.

March 12, 1911.

The deceased was born on the farm where she died and most of her life has been spent in this vicinity. She was united in marriage with John Lingane, May 16, 1876, and to this union five sons were born. She is survived by her husband, four sons, Jermiah, Patrick, James and Vincent, three brothers. Rev. Dean Savage, of three brothers, Rev. Dean Savage, of Detroit, Michael Savage, of Jackson, Edward Savage, of Sylvan, and one sister, Mrs. James L. Wade, of this When the history of singing in sister, America is written the name of place.

Mrs. Joel-Hulse is the contralto soloist of the Rutger's Presbyterian counters and tables will also be re-

Because of its extensive range, Mrs. Porter Emerson Browne into prom-Because of its extensive range, Mrs. Joel-Hulse is enabled to sing practically every kind of song and aria written for this type of voice.

A leading music critic of the east in writing of the abilities of this singer recently said: She is a real contralto which one seldom hears in these days of countless mezzo-songanes. Sharon township, Washtenaw county where she knew all the hardships and privations of pioneer life.

In her early life she gave herself to Christ, and united with the M. E. church at Sharon. March 15, 1845, she united in marriage with Oscar Vosburgh. To the life of the l vosburgh. To this union was born perament and musical instinct which a large sum from a man friend. This makes her work one contined delight."

action hastens the inevitable climax, which is in turn followed by an entire readjustment of the family relation.

Pay Tax at Last.

Auditor General Fuller received \$145,000 from the Michigan State ment of the balance due the state on the state taxes assessed last year under the ad valorem law and \$16,000 interest. State officials view this payment as marking the end of the pattern this company to contest attempt by this company to contest its taxes. The corporation paid \$100,-000 of the tax at the time suit was instituted to contest the tax. None of the other companies have paid. Next April \$237,000 more will be due from the Michigan company.

Which is in turn followed by an entire readjustment of the family relation, producing a condition more nearly approximating happiness than any that has heretofore obtained in the dousehold.

The play is in four acts, the first three showing the lavishly furnished and tastefully decorated interiors of a well-to-do New York broker's home. The last an attic room in a lower East Side tenement house. The company especially engaged by Mr. Thompson for the present tour is headed by Doris Mitchell, and includes Lionel Adams, Lissie McCall, Albert Sackett, Gwendolyn Piers, Forest Orr, Alice Kelly, and William Sullivan.

Wolverine Flyer Escaped Being Wrecked Wednesday Afternoon

The Wolverine, the fastest passenger train on the Michigan Central, A St. Patrick's Day entertainment will be given in St. Mary's hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening of this week. A literary and musical program will be rendered by the pupils of St. Mary's school as follows:

The Wolverine, the fastest passenger train on the Michigan Central, had a narrow escape yesterday afternoon about four miles and a half east of Chelsea. The train drawn by two locomotives was twenty minutes late and was running about seventy miles.

Miss Washes and a half east of Chelsea. The train drawn by two locomotives was twenty minutes late and was running about seventy miles.

an hour. its length before it came to a stop on on a small scale.

O'clock.

Girls from Sacred Heart Hall
Piano Solo......Lottie Kuhl
Operetto—"The Green Rosette"...
Senior Boys and Girls

Another big sale will be held by the J. Bacon Mercantile Co. Friday,
Saturday and Monday.

O'clock.

The passengers for local points were transferred to train No. 2, but those who were bound for New York and other eastern points remained until the train was ready to resume the delayed trip. The damage was very slight, a few ties were badly cut up but no rails or bolts were broken.

School Notes.

. Examinations are being held in the high school this week.

Miss Wightman was sick and un-able to attend to school duties on The class in chemistry is at present

The tender of the second engine studing the carbon compounds. left the track and the train ran about They manufacture coal gas this week

The school board met Monday evening and have invited Superintendent Hendry to remain for the two ensuing years. He was instructed to engage his corps of teachers.

The fourth grade was successful in both oral and written spelling contests held last week. The fifth grade pupils say they will turn the tables at the next contest.

The feature of the Saturday night show will be the great western film "The Cattle Baron's Daughter."
Three other films are also on the

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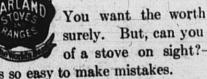
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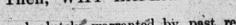
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MAN'S PRAYER FOR A MATE

Supplication for Ideal Woman That Surely Seems to Be Comprehensive Enough.

"Give me, God, a vibrant flame of a woman for a mate. Make her, I pray Thee, a woman of merriment. Fill her with a master love for the strenwons. / Enlarge her vision so that it will see all things, and make her wise with that wisdom which shall let her see naught that demands her forgivemess. Give her a body compounded of strength and symmetry. Send surging through her a spirit elemental. Fill her with a love for the open air, the high hills, the winding streams, the storms that send show and sleet across the wastes. Make her vibrate with the joy of the lightning flash and the crash of the thunder. Let her ever be a silent worshiper of the stars. Make her, I pray Thee, A sweetheart of the natural. I would have her frank and fearless and genttle fit to play her hand in the game of life in the manner of a master. preceding legislature were machine And when in Thy goodness Thou has given this woman unto me, let me ever find in her something elusive-something that shall ever keep me searching joyously and with wonder. Give me, God, a woman who will demand more of me than I have ever dared to demand of myself-who shall help me liberate that creative energy mecessary for the materialization of my dreams. If it be Thy will that this woman be not given to me in the flesh, give her to me as an ideal woman who shall lead me daily to render to my neighbors the service most expressive of my great love for her." -Human Life.

Accommodating Meteor.

One of the most useful results from the study of sporadic meteors, or fireballs, is the light they throw upon the question of the height of the atmosphere, since it is the friction of the air that sets them on fire, and if their National bank of Union City closed elevation is known at the moment of and compelled Cashier Henry T. their first appearance, the probable Carpenter to resign and turn over height of the atmosphere can be cal- the keys. The bank will not be reat a height of 69.45 miles above the of \$50,000 is wiped out. earth, and disappeared, probably by dissipation, at 50 miles.

Earth Illumines the Sky.

source of light. This latter he pronights, but at different hours of the same nights. He has found it to be "Girlie" Letter Gets Wife a Divorce. from seven to fifteen times the gested that it may have a similar origin to that of the light emitted by the coma of a comet.

Spanish Painter's Ideal.

er, is in Chicago, where 140 of his paintings are on exhibition. Describfor Thomas F. Ryan of New York, the artist said: "How did I paint the great discoverer? Embarking from and painted him in a gray light, for surance fees, \$313,958.21 the sun did not shine when he set sail, and we must be truthful above all. I could find no well authenticated portraits, so my serviceable model was his descendant, the present Duke

Vast Saving Possible.

of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis years and Omaha railroad were called together and asked how a saving could be made in the management of any department of the road. The need of economizing apparently impresseed dition. the workmen for the first month afta proportionate saving is possible on of a block, would be destroyed. a majority of railroads if the employmf 355,000,000 in the use of coal on all the railroads of the country in a single year.

Looking Ahead. "I think I had better get a job before we marry."

"Don't be so unromantic, Freddy. I won't need any clothes for a long,

But you may want to eat almost immediately, my dear."

PRACTICALLY NOTHING DONE IN OVER TWO MONTHS OF THE PRESENT SESSION.

AS A WHOLE IT IS A PRETTY FAIR LEGISLATURE, BUT LACKS TACTFUL LEADERSHIP.

Session is Singularly Free From Rumors ThatSinister Influences are Blocking Legislation.

Nearly two and a half months since, the 1911 legislature organized and practically has done nothing, aside

from the drafting of bills. True, legislative sessions ordinarily accomplish as much or more in the last six weeks as in the first 12. Perhaps the present legislature may do so. As a whole, it is a pretty fair and all liabilities. legislature. This might be expected, seeing that every member was picked by the electors on primary day, whereas more or less members of every picked.

The session is singularly free from rumors that sinister influences are working to press or to block particular bills. Of the two members who have received undesirable advertising, one is a republican senator and the other is a democratic senator, and, in both cases, the advertising was for things they did before they were sworn in on the first day of the session. Only two officeholders have been forced out by Gov. Osborn for causes other than political. One was a republican member of the pardon board and the other a democratic member. Both were succeeded by republicans. In a word, it's a legislature that might make a record in the way of reform legislation worth remembering were there organization and tactful leadership.

Union 'City Bank is Closed.

After two days' examination, National Bank Examiner F. A. Rorabeck, of Chicago, ordered the Farmers'

enlated. On August 11, 1909, a bril- opened unles a receiver is appointed. The failure is attributed to loose hiant meteor happened to impress its the failure is attributed to loose banking methods, the carrying of graphic plates, at Tashkend, Iskander intent to defraud. It was found that loose methods have been carried on The distances between these places for years, examiners being deceived furnished base-lines from which the by worthless paper counted as good height could be deduced. The calcu- assets, the directors never having pending. lation, published in the Astrono thoroughly investigated affairs. The mische Nachrichten, Number 4447, assets lack \$70,000 of paying deposishows that the meteor first appeared tors and in addition the bank capital

Three Firemen Injured.

Chief George W. Wallis of the Saginaw fire department and two firemen were injured when a hose wagon In studying the amount of light in collided with the chief's buggy while the sky on a starlit night a German both were racing to a fire. The hose astronomer has reached the interest- wagon was being driven down a side ing conclusion that the luminosity of street at a rapid pace, and desjite the sky is caused partly by direct the efforts of the driver, struck and starlight and partly by some other overturned the buggy. The chief's nose was broken and he was badly poses to call earthlight, and he sug- driver of the hose wagon, was kicked gests that it may be due to a perma- in the head while trying to release nent aurora attending the earth. The his team, and Daniel S. Presley, firelight is variable not only on different man, had his legs and body injured.

Mrs. Ida V. Davis of Menominee has amount of mean starlight, but it is been granted an absolute divorce believed that this ratio is exceptional from her husband, Daniel N. Davis, and does not prevail everywhere, receiving in lieu of dower valuable Some observations indicate that the pieces of real estate in Menominee light had its origin close to the sur. and Escanaba. Mr. Davis is state face of the earth. It has been sug manager for the Modern Brotherhood of America and is well-known throughout the state. A letter signed "Girlie," intended for Mr. Davis, which was opened by his wife in mistake, was a sensational factor in the case.

Joaquin Sorolla, the Spanish paint. School Money to be \$5.50 to \$6 Per Capita.

Auditor-General Fuller estimated ing his portrait of Columbus, painted that the apportionment of the primary school money for May will be between \$5.50 and \$6 per capita.

Since June, 1910, his department has Pales, of course; with a little of the ing sources: Railroads, \$32,492.75; collected \$816,168.33 from the followboat and the sail showing, and a lit- telegraph and telephone companies, tie of the shore and the town. I stud- \$25,482.40; inheritance taxes, \$398, 1ed all the documents I could find, 345.31; franchise fees, \$46,889.67; in-

Winter Wheat in Good Condition. It has been many years since wheat has come through the winter in as fine form in Eaton county as it has of Veragua, who is thirty years old winter killed, and the largely inthis season. Little if any has been creased acreage that was sowed last fall will insure nearly a hundred per cent greater harvest in 1911 than During the panic of 1907 employees for any season during the past fifteen

> The monthly crop report shows that wheat suffered in February in all sections of the state. Live stock is reported to be in excellent con-

Fire Wednesday in the plant of the er the meetings showed a decrease Upjohn company at Kalamazoo did in the ramoaus coar bill of \$38,000, damage estimated at \$100,000. For a when practically the same tonnage time it was feared that the entire had been hauled. It is believed that plant, which covers nearly a quarter

The Woodmen of the state gathered ees would do their best, and it is in Battle Creek for the purpose of Treed that there could be a saving organizing a grand lodge embracing only the countles of Michigan. Here tofore they have belonged to a jurisdiction embracing several states There are 6,000 Woodmen in Michi-

> Gen. Geo. M. Moulton, president of the Western Life Indemnity Co., of of the Western Life in the report Chicago, said concerning the report that his company has been forced to quit business in Michigan, that the pany withdrew from the state Deputy Insurance Commiss land says the company was notified that its license would not be renewed.

Insurance Commissioner's Report. According to Insurance Commis-sioner C. A. Palmer's first report issued, there are 185 fire insurance companies doing business in Michigan. with a total of \$862,244,228 in risks on Michigan property, on which they received \$8,592,393 in premiums and paid \$4,589,683 in losses in 1910.

The state nets a fine income from taxes paid by foreign fire insurance U. S. ARMY IS PREPARED TO companies, the report showing a total of \$235,101 in taxes paid by these companies during the year.

Michigan fire insurance companies, of which there are three, carried \$30,-801,318 in Michigan risks during the year, upon which they received \$371,-315 in gross premiums, incurred \$111,-831 in losses and paid \$106,794 in losses. Mutual companies carried \$16.640.741 in risks and collected \$264,247 in premiums, paying losses to the amount of \$72,190.

In table of assets and liabilities of the companies is a fine showing as to the strength of Michigan companies. Three state companies have assets of \$4,600,699, unpaid losses of \$192,-248, unearned premiums of \$1,570,985, other liabilities of \$50,407 and total liabilities of \$1,813,641. Their capital stock is \$1,300,000 and they have a surplus of \$1,487,057 above capital

STATE BRIEFS.

Six horses and 30 head of cattle Edward Robson, near Belleville, sion express the opinion that the pro-

ed in South Frankfort. They had 65 out of 152 votes.

Frank Fox, convicted in Flint of

shooting to death his sister-in-law, Nellie Blade, was sentenced to life imprisonment in Jackson. The Michigan Schoolmasters' club will hold its annual meeting in Ann

Arbor, March 30 to April 2. The Michigan Academy of Science will meet at the same time. Directly on the departure of the special committee appointed by the

house to investigate the Marquette prison, the regular committee of that institution arrived in Marquette. Phil Pammalee, the St. Johns aviator who recently went souta to man-

scout duty for the government in an air craft on the Mexican boundary. Three big brewery companies have pledged their support in a movement at Battle Creek to have one saloon for every 1,000 population instead of

ipulate a Wright machine, will do

500, in case Battle Creek goes "wet." After pleading guilty to a charge of violating the local option law, Theodore Harder, of Adrian, was given by

The Senate refused by a vote of ry, Fifteenth infantry, who is in to 12 to concur in the House amendment fixing the salary of the state insurance commissioner at \$3,-000 instead of \$3,500 as passed by the Senate.

Francis L. B. Baldwin, editor of the Escanaba Journal, has been given a verdict by the supreme court of \$1,000 against several liquor dealers, whom he charged with forming a combine to injure his business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cook is planning to start suit against several Owosso physicians, charging that the death of her son Charles, aged 22, was caused by their refusal to attend him when they were called.

Gov. Osborn has granted extradi tion papers for Bryan O'Hara and Victor Clore, the Sandusky youths, who are charged with holding up a train in Utah. The boys will be turned over to the western authorities April 12.

The lands, saw mill and timber at Marinesco, Gogebic county, of the Gogebic Lumber Co., a Grand Rapids concern, have been bought by the Edward Hines Lumber Co., of Chicago. The deal involves about \$1,000,000.

Major Bailey K. Ashford, medical corps, U. S. A., the "hook worm expert," will be assigned by the secretary of war to organize and take charge of the sanitary service of Porto Rico provided for at the last session of congress.

Frederick Leslie Hay, a sophomore lit. student from Defiance, O., was: expelled from the university at Ann Arbor. Three weeks ago a warrant was issued for him for obtaining goods under false pretenses from a local haberdasher.

Insurance Comissioner Palmer has notified George Moulton, president of the Western Life Indemnity Co., of Chicago, that the company must not solicit any more business in Michigan after the expiration of their license in this state, March 31.

J. E. Walker, mayor of Pineville, La., was shot and killed by William McManus following a row about litigation in the district court. When Mc-Manus aimed Walker ran, the bullet entering the latter's back. McManus engagement. was captured and placed in jail.

The 500 striking machinists of the Continental Motor Co., at Muskegon, have returned to work, an agreement having been reached. Both sides claim the strike resulted from a misunderstanding, the men believing that the company was discriminating against the union men, whereas the only desire of the company, it is said, was to keep the shop open to both

union and non-union men. A quarterly dividend of \$6 a share. compared with \$7 a share three months ago, was declared by the directors of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. When the dividend is paid on March 25 the stockholders of the company will have received \$114, attractive. 350,000 in dividends since its forma-

Members of the Federated Women's clubs of Saginaw have arranged to bers to place on the election ballot publish one edition of an afternoon paper, using articles written by authorities all over the United States on civic improvement, pure milk, and

El Paso.

LEAVE FORT SAM HOUSTON, HOWEVER, ON AN HOUR'S

SECRETARY OF WAR DICKINSON HAS ABANDONED HIS TRIP TO PANAMA CANAL FOR THE PRESENT.

NOTICE.

Americans Witness Battle and Help to Carry Wounded From the Field of Battle in Automobiles.

It is evident that the movement of troops towards the Mexican border will be started in the next two or three days. The officers of the ninth and eleventh regiments of cavalry have received orders to be ready to move their regiments at an hour's notice.

The troops of these two regiments will be distributed along more than 800 miles of the frontier and will materially augment the third cavalry perished when a barn on the farm of ice. Officers of the maneuver divipatrolling force now doing field servposed wide distribution of the troops The socialist ticket, with the ex- shows that no concentration of moveception of one councilman, was elect. ment for an invasion of Mexico is contemplated at this time.

All the railroads leading from San Antonio to the border points are accumulating and holding in readiness equipment to transport the troops and accoutrements immedately on receipt of cuch orders. The preparation is being made by the railroads on instruction direct from the war department. According to one report it is planned to mobilize not less than 15,000 troops on the bank of the

Rio Grande in the next few days. The quartermaster's department has ordered large quantities of supplies to be delivered on the cars at Fort Sam Houston, the specific date of deivery to be ascertained later. Major General W. H. Wood and his divisional staff are rapidly mapping out the program of the war game.

With Gen. Carter at headquarters are Col. Steven Mills, chief of staff; Capt. Henry G. Leonard, aide-de-camp to Gen. Carter; Capt. Malin Craig, of the divisional staff; Lieut.-Col. Eugene F. Ladd, adjutant-general; Lieut-Col. Harry P. Birmingham, chief surgeon; Lieut.-Col. Daniel E. McCarthy, chief quartermaster; Maj. George Bell, Jr., inspector-general; Maj. Blanton Winship, judge advocate-Judge O'Malley a \$50 fine and a 30-day general; Maj. Harry E. Wilkins, jail sentence. Theree more cases are chief commissary; Maj. Paul Straub, sanitary inspector. Lieut. E. B. Garcharge of transportation, guard and mess for headquarters, will provide

for mess of 20. Most of the divisional staff will draw mounts from the mounting stations scattered throughout the country. The chief quartermaster has word that several hundred high-class mounts for officers are en route to

San Antonio. Gen. Carter's famous mount. Tom Bass, it is understood, was left in Washington. A veterinary advised against shipping his mount from the

Americans Care for Wounded Soldiers. Americans in automobiles rushed to

the aid of the Mexican soldiers wounded in the battle fought near Agua Prieta between a force of 500 rebels under General Blanco and a federal force of 300 men. Some of the most daring of the

Americans arrived on the battle field while the engagement was still in progress. When they reached the scene wounded soldiers and officers were lying about and the federals could not remove them because they had no stretchers. One soldier lay dead and with the permission of the Mexican officers the body was taken to Agua Prieta in one of the auto-

Other Americans also in automobiles who arrived later had difficulty in securing permission from the Mexican officers to act in similar capacity, but permission was finally granted. The wounded were taken to Agua Prieta. One soldier, who was shot

through the breast, died on the way. When the Americans attempted to relieve the wounded of their guns and heavy cartridge belts to lessen the burden, the soldiers refused to give them up. They held their gunsto their breasts as they lay on the cushioned seats of the automobiles.

Eleven federals were wounded, but the number of rebels wounded is not known, as they took their injured with them on their retreat to the

Except for a few prisoners taken by the federals, the rebels retreated in good order. It is understood that Blanco's entire force did not participate in the

Blanco's first move was to throw out a skirmish line to draw the federals into action to ascertain their strength. The battle lasted an hour and it

is believed that the retreat that followed was to draw the federals into the canyon, where the main body of Blanco's force was stationed. federals, however, after a spirited pursuit, rallied and returned to Agua near the heart, has died from the ef-

Because the would-be bridegroom is a cripple, no Battle Creek minister or justice of the peace will marry Arthur Thorp and Miss Julia Saterlee. Miss Saterlee is 18 years old and

John Griffin started mandamus proceedings against the election board of Lake Odessa to compel its memthe names of the candidates on the labor ticket. Members of the board at Pleasant Prairie, Wis., and a claim declare that the party neglected to for \$2,000 damages was filed by the give the required five days' notice naval training station at Lake Bluff. other things in which the clubs are and that they were within their lega! Lake Bluff is 25 miles from the scene rights in leaving the ticket off.

25,000 Face Famine in Chihuahua. Stories of suffering throughout northern Mexico conitnued to reach

A courier who walked from a point north of the city of Chihuahua reported that famine faced the 25,000 inhabitants there.

Fearing siege of the city, hundreds of women have deserted their homes. Accompanied by their children, they are roaming around the country.

Diaz is a Busy Man.

The health of President Diaz, which appears to have been made a factor in the situation in some quarters, seemingly has not been impaired in the slightest degree by the business of the last few months. Instead of being the sick man that he has been painted, he is said not to have been in better health in a long time.

As evidence of the fact that the executive is in ordinarily good health, to say the least, he is at his offices in the national palace at 9 o'clock every morning, giving personal attention to the affairs of the nation. Frequently his duties keep him engaged until after 10 o'clock at night at his winter residence in the city.

It has been but a few days since he traveled out to to the field where an aviation meet was in progress and sat for hours watching the flights with evident interest.

Troops to Cover 1,000 Miles.

Maj.-Gen. William H. Carter, commanding the division, Sunday morning will take charge of the big war game. The scene of field operations will be chiefly in the territory to the south and west adjacent to Mexico. The preliminary plans call for maneuvers ranging over a border territory for

more than 1.000 miles. There will be a series of mimic engagements between the combined sea and land forces at Galveston, and several thousand men from the maneuvers camp at Fort Sam Houston. It is this district that mobilizing of these could not be learned, but that it 20,000 soldiers in Texas and distributing them along the border will serve as an effective barrier against the en piece of machinery flying against sending into Mexico of stores of con- the wall or floor of the glazing or traband goods for use of the revolu- finishing room, tionists. It is well known that a well organized plan of sending arms and ammunition across the border from isolated Texas points has been in effect for several weeks. It is expected U. S. Supreme Court Says Corporathat this practice will now be quickly broken up.

Madero Promises Protection. Francisco Madero, provisional president of the Mexican revolutionists, supreme court of the United States, has addressed a note to each of the which upheld President Taft. foreign powers guaranteeing the per- By the decision a source of income sons and property of foreigners in of approximately \$25,000,000 annually Mexico. This information was relis assured to the government. ceived by the confidential agency of the revolutionists with instructions raised by suits in all parts of the to deliver the notes, when they ar- country; none of them was found sufrive, to the diplomatic representatives ficient to unlify the law. of foreign countries accredited to the United States at Washington, Juan Sanchez Azcona, secretary of the confidential agency, gave out the following explanation:

Agents of the revolutionists in El Paso, Texas, telegraph that there the Minneapolis syndicate, a real eshas arrived there from Francisco tate concern, on the ground that it Madero, provisional president, communications addressed to all foreign governments, in which are explained the causes of the insurrection, giving guarantees for the persons and property of foreigners. These communications will be delivered to the law, which originated in the house, diplomatic representatives of all the and of which the tax provisions are States through the confidential agen-

cy in Washington. Agents of the revolutionary party in San Antonio, Texas, also telegraphed the confidential agency in Washington that they have just received letters dated March 8, in which sympathizers in Mexico City with the revolutionary movement attribute the mobilization of the American troops to the secret intrigues of the government of Diaz. It is said in Mexico City that the threat of intervention by the United States was influenced by Wall street and that Diaz had threat of the possibility of a foreign war, to unify national sentiment in favor of his government. The con trary has been the result and the people now are accusing Diaz of

No Tinkering With Tariff.

That he expects the special session of the sixty-second congress, called for April 4, to restrict itself to consideration of the proposed Canadian reciprocity agreement, was intimated by President Taft in an address before 5,000 persons at the Southern Commercial Congress at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Taft believes a majority of the new congress will favor reciprocity, and he thinks it will be passed regardless of party lines.

If the special session attempts to undertake a general revision of the tariff, or if tries to revise schedules of the Payne-Aldrich law without sufficient scientific data, the president will exercise his power of veto.

Deer Lumber Company at Barrows, Sask., was destroyed by fire. The the Pere Marquette." loss is \$100,000.

Mrs. Cora Wood, of Branford, Conn., who it is alleged shot and killed her yet been informed regarding Russia's husband, Christopher G. Wood, her intention of putting police boats on 11-year-old son, Vardemond, and who the Amur. It is stated at the Rusthen fired a bullet into her own breast sian legation that the project evi-Watts Parker, one of the best

known jurists in the south, is dead. He was for 20 years judge of the twenty-second judicial district of Kentucky and was probably the oldest circuit jurist in point of service in the country. The United States government is the first claimant for damager out-

side of Kenosha county as a result of the explosion at the plant of the E. L. Du Pont-De Nemours Powder Co., of the explosion.

POWDER EXPLOSION

HARDLY A HOUSE HABITABLE WITHIN FIVE MILES OF PLEAS-ANT PRAIRIE, WISCONSIN.

SPARKS POSSIBLY CAUSED IGNI-TION, IS ONE OF THE THEORIES ADVANCED.

Two Persons Are Dead and 350 in jured; Property Loss in Neighbor-Is \$1,500,000.

Pleasant Prairie, Wis., was wiped out and every house within a fivemile radius wrecked by the explosion of an enormous quantity of pow der and dynamite at the plant of the Dupont de Nemours Co.

Two men were killed, one seriously injured and several hundred painfully hurt.

At least 2,500 persons are homeless, for the greater part of the inhabitants of this town, Bristol, and the farmers of the adjacent territory have packed the remnants of their household goods saved from the debris, and are moving away until their homes can be rebuilt.

Damage amounting to \$1,500,000 has been done within a radius of 100 miles, and Michigan cities across the lake suffered severe property losses and nerve shaking panics.

The five magazines which exploded contained 150 tons of finished dynamite, 130 tons of unfinished dynamite, 80,000 kegs of finished giant powder.

Supt. Bumstead of the Chicago di vision of the powder company said claimed by the federal authorities of the exact cause of the explosion might have resuited from a spark from a hammer blow or from a brok-

TAX IS CONSTITUTIONAL.

tion Tax is Constitutional. The corporation tax provisions of

the Payne-Aldrich tariff act were sustained as constitutional by the unamimous opinion of the judges of the

The court did hold the tax was not applicable to the real estate "trusts" of Boston, which are organized not under any statute, but under

the common law. The law was held not applicable to was not "doing business" within the

meaning of the law. Justice Day, who read the decision, first announced that it was within the power of the senate to insert the corporation tax provisions in the tariff a part.

He said the court considered the tax to be an "excise tax on the doing of business," which is exactly the basis on which the government has defended the law.

Justice Day next held that the tax provisions were not the arbitrary exercise of a power. This was urged in argument as one reason why the law should be held unconstitutional.

Backs Taft Peace Plan.

Causing a sensation in the house of commons Sir Edward Grey, forhopes that he would be able, by the eign secretary, and one of Britain's most able statesmen, boldly gave approval on behalf of the government to President Taft's proposal of a hard and fast arbitration treaty between the United States and some other treason and an uprising in the capita. nation as a big step toward international peace.

In an epoch-making speech Sir Edward paved the way for the opening of negotiations between the United States and Britain for a treaty which would banish all possibility of war and refer all disputes, howsoever vital, to arbitration. After the secretary had spoken, the house, by a vote of 276 to 56, adopted a resolution favoring international arbitration.

No Plan to Sell the Pere Marquette. Vice-President Arthur P. Patriarche, of the Pere Marquette railroad, denied that the road is to be absorbed by the Canadian Pacific system.

"There is no deal on with the Canadian Pacific or any other road for the purchase of the Pere Marquette," said Mr. Patriarche. "The story is merely the revival of an old rumor which gets into the papers every once in a The saw mill and plant of the Red while. There are no negotiations with any other system for the sale of

> The Chinese government has not poses.

Michael Onofolo was convicted in Kalamazoo of stabbing to death Joseph Marello, a wealthy Italian grocer, two months ago. Tony Ross is A new submarine cable through the

narrowest part of the South Atlantic ocean, connecting Monrovia, Liberia, with Pernambuco, Brazil, is being laid. The new cable is to be operated by a German company and is believed to be the forerunner of other cable lines from Liberia to practically all the important points along the east-ern coast of South America, as far south as Montevideo and Buenos



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Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy relieves pains in the legs, arms, back, stiff or swollen joints. Contains no morphins opium, cocaine or drugs to deaden the pain. It neutralizes the acid and drives out all rheumatic poisons from the system. Write Prof. Munyon, 53d and Jenserson Sts., Phila., Pa., for medical advice, absolutely free.

If afflicted with 'Thompson's Eye Water

Her savings are the saving of many business girl.

In the Spring cleanse the system and purify the blood by the use of Garfield Tea. Domestic Amenities.

Father-I think the baby looks like Mother-Yes, it shuts its eyes to an awful lot.

All Over.

The Tiger-What's the matter with the giraffe, He desn't look well. The Lion-No, he says he feels sick

all over. The Tiger-Has a sore throat, I suppose.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. Your Druggist, My Druggist, Any Druggist in Michigan.

THE HAPPY MAN.



First Lady-How very happy the bridegroom looks! Really it is pleasant to see a young man looking so joyful.

Second Lady-Hush! That's not the bridegroom; that's a gentleman the bride jilted six months ago.

Exhorting the Ducks. There are two tiny boys in this town whose mother sings often to them at their request, and as she is an ardent church woman, the children hear as many hymns as anything else. The other day they were playing with their wooden ducks in the bathtub, and strangely enough the ducks were more inclined to float sideways than in the approved manner. After several at-

tempts to keep the misguided ducks straight the older boy shouted: "Stand up, duck, stand up!" Then two-year-old, noting the familiar phrase, leaned over the tub and exhorted: "Tand up, duck! "Tand up for Jesus!"

EDITOR BROWNE Of The Rockford Morning Star.

"About seven years ago I ceased drinking coffee to give your Postum a trial.

"I had suffered acutely from various forms of indigestion and my stomach had become so disordered as to repel almost every sort of substantial food. My general health was bad. At close intervals I would suffer severe attacks which confined me in bed for a week or more. Soon after changing from coffee to Postum the indigestion abated, and in a short time ceased entirely. I have continued the daily use of your excellent Food Drink and assure you most cordially that I am indebted to you for the relief it has brought me.

"Wishing you a continued success, I am Yours very truly, J. Stanley Browne.

Managing Editor." Of course, when a man's health shows he can stand coffee without trouble, let him drink it, but most highly organized brain-workers simply cannot.

The drugs natural to the coffee berry affect the stomach and other organs and thence to the complex nervous system, throwing it out of balance and producing disorders in various parts of the body. Keep up this daily poisoning and serious disease generally supervenes. So when man or woman finds that coffee is a smooth but deadly enemy and health is of any value at all, there is but one road—quit.

It is easy to find out if coffee be the cause of the troubles, for if left off 10 days and Postum be used in its place and the sick and diseased conditions begin to disappear, the proof is unanswerable.

Postum is not good if made by short boiling. It must be boiled full 15 minutes after boiling begins, when the orisp flavor and the food elements are brought out of the grains and the beverage is ready to fulfill its mission of palatable comfort and renewing the cells and nerve centers broken down by coffee.

"There's a Reason Get the little book, "The Road to "Wellville," in pkgs.

AN EARLY ADJOURNMENT AND A SPECIAL SESSION ARE DISCUSSED.

FEATURES OF THE WORK UNDER CONSIDERATION BY THE LAW MAKERS

The Primary School Fund Subject of Constitutional Amendment If Bill Passes the Senate.

By L. C. Ward.

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Special Session Likely. The number of bills introduced in the two houses of the legislature number 665 and the number which have reached the governor for signature is just two. All of which shows Gov. Osborn is still crying for a special tax commission to investigate and report at once and he has frankly the bill he will call a special session to receive the report. This would cost the state the neat additional sum of \$13,500. There is also a necessity for a special session if congress passes a reapportionment bill.

Primary Fund Question to Be Submitted.

The constitutional amendment for doing away with school districts piling up money which they cannot use will undoubtedly be submitted to the people at the April election. The McNaughton bill has already passed the House and is on its way through the Senate with every prospect of its going through with a hurrah. It provides that no school district shall have on hand more than enough to pay teachers' salaries for two years in advance. Under the present law some of the districts have money on hand to pay the teachers' salaries for 22 years ahead. Under the new provision when a district has enough ahead to pay for two years it is automatically cut off and the money distributed among the districts which

Will Investigate Fair.

passed by the house. It provides for a joint committee of eight, five from the senate to make the investigation. While the committee has not been announced it will probably consist of Senators Scott, Watkins and Fowle and Reps. Warner, Odell and Copley—with two other members yet to be selected. The committee will examine into how the fair has been conducted in the past and report whether they believe the state should take over the institution.

The bill of Senator Cartier providing for a commission to locate a permanent maneuver ground in Michigan for the National Guard is being held up by Rep. Gansser, chairman of the House committee on military affairs for the sole purpose of trading this bill off against the military reorganization bill.

Detroit, 9.—Cattle: Market, all grades, 10e higher than last week ingred active trade. We quote best and activ

To Support Convicts' Families.

The house has passed the Jerome the time the head of the family is confined in prison. It provides that \$10,-000 shall be appropriated annually for this purpose.

Morford Has Troubles.

Rep. Morford has troubles. He was away on a leave of absence when the tonnage tax bill was voted on but through a mistake a Detroit paper got him in the list of the nays. He is now keeping one stenographer writing to his grange constituents explaining that it wasn't so and that if he had been present he would have voted for the bill.

Early Adjournment.

Unofficial polls of the house indicate that Senator Carl E. Mace's resolution for adjournment May 2 and discontinuance of business April 19, will be adopted. Speaker Baker is in favor of early adjournment. His friends are with him, and it is the general opinion aparently that if final adjournment is fixed, the house will conduct its business in a manner calculated to clear the decks of necessary legislation before adjournment day arrives. This means, as Speaker Baker points out, that there will be a special session to arrange the congressional reapportionment. The speaker estimated this will be called in November or December, or perhaps even a little later in order to fix the districts in time to permit the congressional candidates plenty of time to get acquainted in their changed dis-

Military Bill is Ready.

The bill reorganizing the state military department, which has been having a stormy time in the various committees, is about ready for being payment from the fund for text books. reported out. It provides for the reorganization of the department to put it on a regular war footing all of the and the bill has been made a special time, does away with the present general staff and reduces generally the red tape and the expense of the

Bar the Insects.

Representative Sam O'Dell has introduced a bill to make it a crime for any person to bring into the state any insect or tree disease which will hurt fruit trees. The bill has the backing of the fruit growers of the

David FitzGibbons, elected in the Second district of St. Clair to fill the Vacancy caused by the death of C. M. Green has taken the oath of office and his seat in the House.

It is just possible the University of Michigan may after all get a special ant to the amount of \$250,000. The iniversity asked a total of \$575,000 but the governor has declared special appropriations must be cut to the minimum. An intimation has come about that he will stand for \$250,000

Fighting Demurrage.

Representative Noble Ashley's reciprocal demurrage bill is the latest Work So Many Hours Each Day for piece of proposed railroad legislation which has been dissected and vigorously lambasted by railroad officials The officers of the roads foregathered again in the senate chamber Tuesday senate railroad committees for a few hours, with explanations of the absolute worthlessness of the railroad bills introduced.

The railroad men contended that the problems which Ashley's bill deal with are covered by the interstate commerce commission, and would legally affect only about 10 per cent of Michigan's roads. They explained that the railroads now have hundreds of box cars on hand which are used only during certain rush seasons, but even with this number of extra cars, ley's bill.

A Surgery Law.

Representative Odell's bill providing for the operations known as vasectomy or cophirectomy in order to prevent procreation on the part of how fast the legislature is moving criminal insane persons and persons of feeble mind, was passed by the house and given immediate effect. The discussion involved technical distold members that if they will pass courses and it was necessary to excuse the floor messengers and women spectators on the floor and in the galleries. Some of the feminine audience hesitated to leave even when the suggestion was made from the floor. Representative Rankin launched into his discussion, quoting authorities and talking very plainly and the women left. Similar laws have been enacted in other states and have been found to be of vast benefit in improving the moral tone of the mentally deficient who were made subjects of the operation

VARIOUS MATTERS

Efforts are being made to amend the law by which now veterans of the Civil war are exempted from taxation when their property is not valued in excess of \$1,200. The state supervisors' association urges that all exemption be left to the discretion of the assessing officer. Work of the tion has so far failed to bring about the desired results and a compromise shall be exempted to the amount of ed to the windows. \$800 valuation regardless of the total value of the property.

The Putney bill by which children who have finished the Eighth grade and are not able on their own finan bill which provides for the partial cial resources to take a high school support of convicts' families during course shall not have their tuition and transportation paid by the school district now lacks only the signature of the governor to become a law. It has passed both branches of the legislature without amendment although Rev. Graves undertook in the House to amend the bill to make it optional with a school district to pay the The tuition and transportation. amendment failed.

> Rep. Clark of Ottawa, proposes to reorganize the whole system of caring for the poor. He will make the county the unit and abolish all city and village poor departments. The county superintendents will care for all charging back against the cities and townships the cost of the care of charges coming from them. His bill also provides that charges having any property shall turn it over to the keeper of the county farm as trustee who shall use the income therefrom to aid in the support of the depend-

Senator John Leidlein of Saginaw proposes to introduce a bill to provide for free text books to be paid for from the primary school fund. In anticipation of this move he has withdrawn his opposition to the Menouses providing that any county having on hand enough money to pay teachers' salaries for the next two years shall not receive additional money from the fund until it is remoney from the fund until it is reduced to that measure.

Rep. McNaughton's bill providing that the primary school fund shall not be distributed to counties having on hand more than enough money to pay teachers' salaries for two years is likely to be amended to permit the Senator John Leidlein of Saginaw stands sponsor for this amendment order for consideration.

Rep. Dunn of Sanilac, has introduced a bill providing for the establishment of agricultural, industrial and trade courses of study in all high schools.

The Jerome bill providing an an nual appropriation of \$10,000 for the support of the families of convicts has passed the House without dissent and without argument.

The bill appropriating \$15,000 for the erection of a statue of Zach Chandler in statuary hall at Washingthe senate.

relations has reported favorably on their request within a short time. the Mapes bill appropriating \$15,000 for a statue of Zach Chandler for the command of the department of the hall of fame at Washington. It has lakes, U. S. A., has closed his active nall of fame at washington. It has now gone to the committee on finance and appropriations and is likely to and appropriations and is likely to receive a favorable report from there. Hodges has served forty years.

WARDEN SIMPSON'S PLAN.

Inmates of Jackson Prison.

To establish a definite number of hours as a day's work for the inmates of Jackson prison is the latest reform night, and entertained the house and proposed by Warden Simpson, and it is expected he will inaugurate the change in the near future. The warden believes the inmates have too much time on their hands to hatch up insurrection and plan insubordina-

Under the present system each convict in the various shops is given a certain amount of work to accomplish, and when it is finished he is at liberty to work or not, just as he pleases. If he chooses to work he receives overtime pay, but if he doesn't work he may loaf about the shop. The warden will now make they declared, they would be unable every effort to ascertain the average to comply with the provisions of Ash-length of time it takes an inmate to finish his usual stint, and when this is determined he will make a reainmate may work on his own over-

The warden is doing his best to make the justice of the change apparent to the inmates, so they will have no cause for complaint. The plan at present is to have the convicts work vail in all shops, as it is believed that made, to work as long as young men.

The Famine in China.

More gruesome stories of the horrors of the Chinese famine reached the state department from the consulgeneral at Shanghai.

One traveler reported passing 13 dead bodies in 13 miles on the read. The missionaries tell of the natives eating cakes made of leaves and which had been eaten. Dr. Cochran, an American Presbyterian missionstarving people.

ple outside, or made their way to

THE MARKETS

Veal calves: Market, good grades, 25c and common 30c lower than last week; best, \$8.95@\$9.25; others, \$3.75

Milch cows and springers-Steady. Milch cows and springers—Steady. Sheep and lambs: Market, at Wednesday's prices, 35c to 60c higher than last week. Best lambs, \$6.25@\$6.35; fair to good lambs, \$5@\$5.50; fair to good sheep, \$4@\$4.50; culls and common, \$3@\$3.50.

Hogs: Market, 25c lower than last week. Range of prices; Light to good butchers, \$7.10; pigs, \$7.15@\$7.25; light yorkers, \$7.10; heavy, \$7.

East Buffalo. N. Y.: Hogs-lower; eavy, \$7.30@\$7.40; yorkers, \$7.60; heavy, \$7.30@\$7.40; yorkers, \$7.60; pigs, \$7.60@\$7.65. Sheep—steady; top lambs, \$6.75; yearlings, \$5.25@\$5.75; weathers, \$4.75@\$5; ewes, \$4.50@\$4.65. Calves—\$5@\$11.

Grain, Etc. Grain, Etc.

Detroit: Wheat—Cash No 2 red, 89c;
May opened with a decline of 1-2c
at 92 1-2c, advanced to 92 3-4c and declined to 92c; July and September
opened at 89 1-2c, advanced to 90c and
declined to 89c; No 1 white, 86 1-2c.

CORN—Cash No 3, 47c; No 3 yellow,
2 cars at 48c; No 4 yellow, 2 cars at
45 1-2c; 1 at 45 1-4c. 2 cars at 48c; No 4 yellow, 2 cars at 45 1-2c; 1 at 45 1-4c.
OATS—Standard, 32 3-4c; No 3 white, 32 1-4c. BEANS—Cash, \$1 88; April, \$1 85 asked: May, \$1 90. asked: May, \$1 90. asked: May, \$1 88; April, \$1 85 RYE—Cash No 1, 87 1-2c bid; No 2, 86 1-2c.

86 1-2c. CLOVERSEED—Prime stot, 75 bags at \$9; March, \$9; sample, 20 bags at \$8 50, 30 at \$8 25, 40 at \$7 75, 40 at \$7 50, 12 at \$7, 15 at \$6 50; prime

Parm Produce.

Detroit—Eggs: Current receipts, cases included, 17c per doz. Butter: Réceipts, 123 pkgs; extra creamery, 25c: first creamery, 23c; dairy, 16c: packing, 13.1-2c per lb.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 20c; chickens, 15@16c; fowls, 15c; ducks, 17@18c; geese, 13@14c per lb.

LIVE POULTRY—Spring chickens, 141-2@15c; fowls, 15c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys 17@18c; geese, 12@13c; ducks, 15@16c per lb.

CHEESE—Michigan, September, 17c; late made, 15@16c; York state, September, 17@18c; late made, 15@16c; limburger; 16@17c; domestic Swiss, 18@22e; imnorted Swiss, 28@30c; cream brick, 16@18c per lb.

brick, 16@18c per Vegetables.

Beets. 50c per bu; carrots, 50c per bu; cauliflower, \$2 50 per hamper; cu-cumbers, hothouse, \$2 25@\$2 50 per doz; celery, 29@30c per doz; California celery, \$3 75; Florida celery, \$2 50@ celery, \$2 75 per case; eggplant, \$1 75@\$2 50 per doz; green onions, 10@12c per doz; green peppors, 75c per basket; head lettuce, \$2 25@\$2 50 per case; head lettuce, \$2 25@\$2 50 per case; mint, 25c per doz; parsley, 20@25c per doz; radishes, hothouse, 30@35c per doz; turnips, 60c per bu; watercress, 25@30c per doz. Vegetables.

Western railroads are to ask for more time in which to meet the ruling on the long and short haul clause ton has been reported favorably by of the interstate commerce commisthe senate committee on finance and sion. A committee has been appointappropriations and bids fair to pass ed by the Western Passenger Association to confer with members of the commission at Washington, and The senate committee on federal its members will leave Chicago with

Major General G. L. Hodges, in

HOME NURSING

By EDITH B. LOWRY Bachelor of Science, Graduate Nurse,
Physician and Surgeon.
Pornerly Superintendent of Jefferson Park and South
Chicago Hospitals and Training Schools for Nursea.
Author of "Confidences" A Book for Young Girls."

THE SICK ROOM.

The choice of the sick room is very mportant. A patient in a dark, poorly ventilated one has a harder battle to fight than one in a properly selected room. It should be on the sunny side of the house, well ventilated and as far as possible from the noise of the streets and the odors of the kitchen. In arranging the room, all unneces-

sary furniture should be removed, especially bric-a-brac, which forms a repository for stray germs. The floor is preferably bare, although small sonable addition of time in which an rugs or strips of carpet should be laid. down to deaden the noise of footsteps. Place the bed in a position so that the direct light from a window does not fall on the patient's eyes. Provide an artificial light that also is shaded from the patient's eyes, but between bells rung at intervals of which can be turned on brightly in perhaps seven hours, although the case of necessity. Sudden changes may same number of hours will not pre- arise in the night, when a good light is an absolute necessity and a few moin some cases old men should not be ment's delay may mean disaster. In cases of diseases of the brain or eyes the physician will probably wish to keep the room darkened. Care should be taken that the curtain or shade does not flap in the wind and so annoy the patient.

The temperature of the room should be kept as even as posible. Remember that the temperature usually falls at night during the time when the vistems mixed with millet chaff which tal powers of the patient are at the they buy with the allowance from lowest, that is, in the early morning the government of three cents apiece. hours. Because of this, care should The trees had been stripped of bark, be taken to provide extra covers at that time. Unless otherwise directed, it is safe to keep the temperature of flicted region there were 2,000,000 the room for a fever patient at about ing the wearer's foot appear very tidy. 60 degrees Fahr. For patients afflict- And that in itself is enough to win femed with other diseases, the thermome inine commendation. Twenty-five persons, trapped in a ter should register about 68 degrees burning hotel at Sussex, N. B., es- Fahr. The temperature of the room with dark-colored street frocks. Somelegislative committee of the associa- caped from an early morning fire must be regulated by turning the artiby jumping into blankets held by peo- ficial heat off or on, not by closing perhaps a fluffy bow of tulle or maline windows that are needed for ventila- is used for adornment. And not infreis proposed by which all veterans the ground on ladders that were rais tion. In some cases dry heat from a quently these rosettes have a sparkbe remedied by keeping a kettle of heart of the rosette. boiling water in the room. To keep

and windows closed. It is surprising a traveling bag consists of a broad how many recovered under these con- strap of leather from which a big ring ditions. Sunshine and fresh air are of metal is suspended. A third tie nature's two most potent remedies. In holder has five ivory arms attached to in an adjoining room should be low- satin. ered and the door between the rooms left open. Usually though, the room can be ventilated directly. Raise the window about six inches from the bottom; fit a board tightly under it. Fresh air will then came in between the two sashes and danger of a direct Every morning the room should be thoroughly ventilated by throwing open all windows and doors for a few minutes. Before doing this, the patient | ing costume. should be covered with one or two extra blankets and a light covering silk colors are in great favor for polo thrown over the face. Do not re- and storm coats. move this extra covering at once when gradually as the air in the room regains its normal warmth.

or flowers in the room, but if the patient desires a few, during the day they may always be removed at night. Keep all medicine bottles, empty which appeared last spring. glasses, etc., out of sight and if possible out of the room.

ings should be removed from the room at once, as they pollute the air. In infectious or contagious diseases the urine, feces (bowel movement) and vomited matter should be disinfected with chloride of lime or carbolic acid. Care should be taken not to empty the excreta near a well or any place where the water supply will become contaminated. If no sewerage system is convenient, the feces should be buried or burned after being disinfected. If a patient expectorates he may be supplied with small pieces of cotton to receive the sputum. A paper cone pinned to the side of the mattress, within easy reach of the patient's hand, makes a convenient receptacle for these pieces. A new cone should be provided once or twice a day.

The sweeping of the sick room must be done slowly, keeping the broom always near the floor so the dust will not fly. Before commencing to sweep the broom should be dampened, or moist sawdust or tea leaves be strewn over the floor. The dusting should be done with a damp cloth, never with a feather duster. If there is a fire in the room the coal should be brought in wrapped in paper and gently laid on the fire. The ashes should also be removed noiselessly. The patient's room is the patient's home for the time being, so everything possible should be done to keep it clean, airy and comfortable.

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Evening Slippers.

Just now black velvet slippers are very smart indeed for evening wear. Not only are they very pretty, but they have that advantage which all .black footwear possesses—the virtue of mak-

They are especially modish for wear

If milady wishes something even

cold weather it may not be desirable a brass bar, and a fourth is merely a to have the windows open in the pa- gold plaited stirrup and leather loop tient's room, but in this case windows joined by a strip of hand embroidered

IMMCIIES OF

White, pink, light yellow and Amerdraft on the patient will be avoided. ican beauty shades are used for dancing gowns. Kid gloves on the glace order and

usually white are worn with any even-Polished wood buttons of cloth and crouched in the grass, his yellow

Paris has a new fancy for shading you close the window, but remove it her feathers and even her veils as well as her gowns.

Irish lace bands-carrying out the It is better not to keep any plants Irish lace vest or collar so much worn -adorn many sleeves.

A great many velvet bags have come and satin ones outnumber those Big white flowers, poppies, edel-

weiss, etc., in velvet or in kid, appear All excreta, soiled linen and dress- upon some of the latest large hats.



One of the New Spring Hats, Which S hows That the Flat Sallor Shape Will

ARTIST WHISTLER AS A BOY

Gives Pretty Proof of His Liking for a Little Girl School-

Whistler, the eccentric, the brilliant, the man of cutting wit that spared neither foe nor friend, figures so largely in the newspapers and magazines of the day that it is a pleasant change to catch a glimpse of himin Lillian Whiting's life of Louise Chandler Moulton-just as a boy, in the act of giving pretty proof of his liking for a little girl,

Among the schoolmates of Mrs. Moulton's childish years was the boy who was afterward the artist Whistler, one year her senior.

As children they often walked home from school together, and one night the little girl was bewailing that she could not draw a map like the beautiful one he had displayed to an admiring group that day. It was a gorgeous creation in col-

ored crayons, an "arrangement" that captivated the village school with much the same ardor that the future artist was destined to inspire from the art connoisseurs of two continents. A sad object, indeed, was the discordant affair that Ellen Louise held up in self-abasement, while she poured out her enthusiasm on his achievement. The lad received this praise with

lofty scorn.

"That's nothing!" he exclaimed. You think this is anything? Take it; don't want it; you just see what I can do tomorrow! I'll bring you then something worth talking about."

With the precious trophy in her possession, the little girl made her way home. And, true to his word, the next morning "Jimmy" brought her a package whose very wrapping revealed the importance of its contents: and when she had breathlessly opened it, there was disclosed an exquisite little painting.

Under a Gothic arch that breathedno one knew what enchanted hints of the glory that was Greece and the grandeur that was Rome," or some far-away dreams of Venice, or some other dimly prefigured marvel in the child's fancy, was an old monk, through the picture were silver gleams, and a vague glint of purple, and altofurnace is very irritating. This may ling rhinestone nestling down in the gether, it held some far prophecy of the brilliant future yet undisclosed.

All her life Mrs. Moulton kept the gift. It had an unobtrusive place in her drawing-room, and even figured modestly at the great Whistler exhibition, which was held in Boston by the Copley society after the death of the artist.-Youth's Companion.

Twilight and the Meadowlark.

It was at the edge of a dense sweetgum wood embroidered with golden rod, asters and wild sunflowers-with the reddish-golden sunset glinting on every disease. Formerly patients were the article is to be packed. Another the lower tree trunks—the hour of day's passing, of trailing mists on the bordering meadows-that I saw and heard him. I had come a long way without a note of bird song; with but a glimpse of hurrying wings (for most of the singers had gone south); and I felt that I could not go home without hearing his lovely flute call.

He has another call, a diminutive rattle sounded usually when he first takes flight, but his flute call, though not a note of it changed the year round, is his distinctive music-tenderer, softer in quality during the fall and winter. Heard at twilight, then, it is like a strand of silver mist trailed across the meadow; a faroff voice of memory-a spirit call sad and inexpressibly sweet.

When he saw me coming he breast almost bid, his tail flitting its white, outer feathers in view; but as I waited patiently, perfectly still, he straightened up; his flute rang clear, and presently, out of the sunset, like a faint echo came an answer.-Outing Magazine.

Latin America Can Defend tself. task. But the Spanish enterprise hands were tied. proved his ruin fully as much as the eration.

parently hopeless conditions which on every side by a cruel guerrilla warfare that would make lasting occupation impossible. The earlier scenes of the Peninsular war would be re-enacted on American soil.—Columbian Magazine.

Her Sweet Thought.

Little Marjorie is by no means fond of going to church. She has to sit too still, and "the man" talks some things she can't yet understand.

"And when you can't understand what the minister means, you must remember that he is talking about good and beautiful things, and you must make up your mind to think of something good yourself." That day Marjorle was very quiet

in church, and her mother praised her for it on the way home.

"Chocolates."-Stray Storles.

"What was it, dearle?"

"I did just as you told me," said the wee maid. "I thought of some thing good."

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FAMILY PRIDE.



Prof. Stork-And how are we get ting on with our studies, Ernestine? Have you been promoted to the aring class yet?

Little Miss Quacker-Oh, no, professor. Mother has decided that I shall not take that course. She says anybody can fly-but only the best families take to water naturally.

WOULD LIE AWAKE ALL NIGHT WITH ITCHING ECZEMA

"Ever since I can remember I was a terrible sufferer of eczema and other irritating skin diseases. I would lie awake all night, and my suffering was intolerable. A scaly humor settled on my back, and being but a child, I naturally scratched it. It was a burning, itching sensation, and utterly intolerable, in fact, it was so that I could not possibly forget about Only the uninformed regard Span- it. It did not take long before it ish America as an easy field for alien spread to my shoulders and arms, and conquest. Napoleon, when at the I was almost covered with a mass of height of his power, deemed that the raw flesh on account of my scratching subjection of Spain would be an easy it. I was in such a condition that my

"A number of physicians were callinvasion of Russia, and while it is ed, but it seemed beyond their medtrue that British valor and the genius ical power and knowledge to cure of Wellington were decisive factors in me. Having tried numerous treatthe result, the Spaniards themselves ments without deriving any benefit struck telling blows for their own lib- from them, I had given myself up to the mercy of my dreadful malady, but The Spanish-Americans share with I thought I would take the Cuticura the people of Old Spain that remark- treatment as a last resort. Words able capacity for recovering from ap- cannot express my gratitude to the one who created 'The Cuticura Miraseems inherent in the Latin and Cel- cles,' as I have named them, for now tic races. A strong invader might oc- I feel as if I never suffered from even cupy their cities, but he would be met | a pimple. My disease was routed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I shall never cease praising the wonderful merits they contain. I will never be without them, in fact, I can almost dare any skin diseases to attack me so long as I have Cuticura Remedies in the house. I hope that this letter will give other sufferers an idea of how I suffered, and also hope that they will not pass the 'Cuticura Life Saving Station." (Signed) C. Louis Green, 929 Chestnut St., Philadelphia Pa., Aug. 29, 1910.

The Discoverer. Of faults a seeker he would be. Of recompense he found a dearth Save in the truthful claim that he Had picked the easiest job

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Chelsea Standard

O. T. HOOVER.

as second-class matter, March 5, 1908, stoffice at Chelses, Michigan, under the agrees of March 8, 1879.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Arthur Pierce spent Sunday in De-

Sunday.

Ed. Drury, of Ypsilanti, spent Tues-

Miss Vera Graham was a Jackson isitor Sunday.

week in Toledo.

business Tuesday. Mrs. J. J. Raftrey was in Albion on business Tuesday.

Miss Mary Miller, of Detroit, was home over Sunday. Ed. A. Williams, of Wayne, spent

Tuesday in Chelsea. K. S. Dean, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Warren Geddes was in Almont Tuesday on business. O. C. Burkhart was in Lansing on business Wednesday.

Miss Kathryn Hooker is in Chicago on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Millspaugh were Detroit visitors Monday. Howard Boyd was the guest of Jackson friends Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. John May are spending this week in Jackson. Clyde Lee, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Benton visited Jackson relatives Sunday. Kent Walworth and Julius Strieter

were in Ann Arbor Tuesday. Miss Anna Miller was the guest of friends in Kalamazoo Sunday.

Miss Celia Mullen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here. Thos. Hurley, of Jackson, spent Monday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Hazel Speer, of Hillsdale, was the guest of her parents Sunday. Miss Jennie Winslow, of Saline,

spent Sunday with her mother here. Miss Anna Williams of Leslie wa the guest of Mrs A. C. Johnston Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lamb, of Pontiac, were Chelsea visitors Sun-D. C. Marion, who is teaching school near Parma, spent Monday in Chel-

Misses Garnet Pierce and Myrta Young were Ann Arbor visitors Sat-

Dr. S. G. Bush was called to Durand

Wednesday by the illness of his Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conway, of Jackson, were Chelsea visitors Wed-

nesday. Miss Tressa Merkel was the guest of her sister in Detroit Saturday and

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller, of Jackson, were guests of Chelsea relatives

Miss Hazel Nordman, of Detroit, is the guest of her parents for a couple

Misses Josephine and Florence Heselschwerdt were guests of Jackson friends Sunday.

Miss Emilie Hepfer, of Cadillac, was the guest of her parents here the first of the week.

Mrs. Louis Burg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bliss, of Niles, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Freeman Co.

Mrs. Mary A. Glenn, who has been spending the winter in Cincinnati, returned here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kirkland, of Iosco, were the guests of Mrs. John Taylor the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Taylor and son, of Albion, were guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller Sunday.

Misses Edith Shaw and Louise Nims, of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. Ralph Freeman Saturday and Sun-

Mrs. M. E. Becker and daughter Have Made Many Chelsea Residents Blanche, of Leslie, were guests of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert several days of this

Charles left on Wednesday for to make anyone happy to find relief Romulus, where they will make their after years of suffering. Public

Mrs. Joseph Wilson returned to her home last Thursday after spending several weeks with relatives and work done in Chelsea by Doan's Kidfrlends in Hudson

cemetery company of the township of Sylvan for the election of officers and the transaction of other such business as may come before it will be held at the Sylvan Center M. E. church Monday, March 20, 1911, at 2

SAMUEL F. GUTHRIE, Secretary. Not a Word of Scandal

Marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spangh, of Manville, Wyo., who said: "she told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c. L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

John Steinbach was in Ann Arbon

Mrs. Etta Stocking moved her ousehold goods to Detroit Monday. Rev. E. E. Caster, of Plymouth, was Lima visitor Friday and Saturday. W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, called on his sister, Mrs. Nellie Klein,

Mrs. Fannie Freer has been spending a few days in Detroit with her son Nelson and wife.

Mrs. Myra Lea, of Grass Lake, has been spending a few days with her Judge Kinne's Appeal In the Present sister-in-law, Mrs. B. Keyes.

To the voters: Kindly remember that I wish the vote of every man in

the county who is willing to give it to

are now no longer jurors. They are taxpayers of this county. True I did not treat them as galley slaves. They

came to court as gentlemen, as a constituent branch of the court, and

often at a personal sacrifice. They were entitled to courteous considera-

tion at my hands, and I am certain

they received it. I am sorry for any one who begrudges them their little compensation, which is all too meagre

in consideration of their sacrifices

and expenses in attending the jury-man's work. They have been eye witnesses to the conduct and admin-istration of this court. It has been

lax or slovenly or extravagant, if the

time of litigants or the moneys of the

public have been wasted, they know it full well. Hence it is to their in-

telligent and conscientious judgment that I gladly submit all such contro-

The bar of this county, I am sure, will cheerfully vouch for the rapidity with which the work of this court has

been despatched; and I think I can

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WATERLOO DOINGS.

The Gleaners are repairing their hall, making it larger and giving it a

If I am re-elected, it must be on my own merits and record, and not by assailing any one. I do not think that a candidate for judge should versonally beg for votes, or seek to secure an election by the use of money, either to purchase influence, or to purchase votes. Lam ready and Rev. and Mrs. Seymour returned Thursday from Freemont, where they have been visiting their son. Harry Slater was a Detroit visitor An oratorical contest to compete or to purchase votes. I am ready and eager to respond to the call of the people, if they wish me to remain, but I will not dishonor the office. No for silver medal will be given by the young people of Munith at the Waterloo U. B. church Friday even-

Miss Helen Kern was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Miss Helen Kern was a Jackson the old Marsh property from Mrs. Jane Cooper and will build a house in the near future. He has been at work tearing down the oldest house in this part of the township, known as the Marsh hotel During the twenty-three years that I have occupied the bench, I have never lost one hour, or adjourned the court one moment, on account of my own illness or indisposition.

During this peroid more than two thousand jurors have attended the regular terms of this court. They the Marsh hotel.

Church Circles.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at the usual hour next Sunday morning.

> CONGREGATION AL. Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

Morning service at 10 o'olock. Subect, "How Become a Christian." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Pastor's class at 3 p m. C. E. meeting at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Gallio the Indifferent Man."

BAPTIST. Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor. Preaching service at 10 a. m. Bubject, "At Ease In Zion."

Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "The Dangers and Uses of Money." Leader, R. D. Gates. speak with some degree of assurance as to the standing of this court hefore the bar of this state. I am willing to abide by my record,

E: D. KINNE, Preaching service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Four Men Reasoning on Salva-

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.

Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m. Bible study at 11 a. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League devotional service

Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer service on Thursday at 7 p.

Twenty three persons were received into the church last Sunday and the door of the church will be opened again next Sunday morning.

Spelling Contest.

in a quiet, easy way. They do not cause any inconvenience, griping or nausea. They are so pleasant to take The spelling contest held in the erusalem school Lima last Friday and work so easily that they may be esulted as follows: taken by any one at any time. They thoroughly tone up the whole system

McLaren district-Miss eacher. Ruth McLaren 100. Easton district-Miss Walsh, teacher. Bertha Gross 100, Bertha Grayer

Jerusalem school-Miss Barton, teacher, Clarence Koengeter 100, Louisa Haarer 99.

Lima Center school-Miss Mildred Daniels, teacher. Elmer Pierce 100, Wayne Grau 100, Gladys Whittingcommunity only at our store—The Rexall Store. L. T. Freeman Co. ton 100, Ella Kaercher 100, Julius Kaercher 100, Roland Wenk 99, Leigh Luick 98

A Dreadful Sight

To H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. , was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: Miss Helen Burg, of Jackson, spent it has entirely healed with scarcely, Sunday with her parents, Mr. and a scar left." Heals burns, boils, eczema, cuts, bruises, swellings, corns and piles like magic. Only 25c at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T

Democratic Caucus,

The Democrats of Lima will meet in caucus in the town hall at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 25, 1911 for the purpose of nominating candidates for township officers and to transact such other business as may be necessary

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

HAPPY RESULTS

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FOR SALE—Pair mares; 6 years old; weight 2500; broke double or single. Jas. Killam. misrepresentation or political cunning

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Standard office. 31tf FOR SALE-One Duroc Jersey stock hog. Bred by Carey Edmunds. N. W. Laird. 32

FOR SALE—26 Black Top Ewes with lambs by their side, good work horse, also will sell plank and outfit complete for stove silo cheap if taken at once. A. D. Baldwin, R. F. D. 5, Chelsea.

FOR SALE—Rubber tired top buggy, single harness, robe and blanket. Inquire of Chauncey Freeman. 31

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50c, 60c and 75c per pound. Coffees, Sugars, Canned Goods, Laundry Necessities, and

Owing to the tremendous success of our last weeks sale we were compelled to go to market for a new supply of Staple Groceries, etc. In the hurry of unpacking some of the Pepper and Ginger got away, but we have enough left to put into this week's

FURNITURE.—This week we received a large consignment of Rocking Chairs in Oak—Leather Upholstered, etc. Prices from \$1.00 to \$35.00 each, and Children's High Chairs, Rockers, etc.

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TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$5 or under, cash; all sums over that amount one year's time will be given on good endorsed, bankable notes, at 6 per cent interest.

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Present many style innovations. You'll find them all presented here. New soft and stiff shapes.

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The new spring showing is ready for your inspection and the new styles are the correct shapes for this season.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Born, on March 7, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Liebeck, a daughter.

the Cytmore Club Wednesday even-

John Liebeck is having a barn 18x 24 erected on his Taylor street property.

A telephone has been placed in the Chelsea passenger station of the Michigan Central by the Western Union Telegraph Co. for the public.

Born, Wednesday, March 8, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stapish of Lyn-

don, a daughter.

Born, Wednesday, March 8, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Stapish of Detroit, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. John Faber have

moved into the rooms over the store of John Farrell & Co. Otto Wagner of Scio is making ar-

rangements to move his saw mill to

the woods on the Ward farm in Lima. The Miller Sisters announce a showing of spring millinery at their store on Thursday and Friday of next

Miss Norma TurnBull entertained the Eta Beta Phi at the home of her parents, on Garfield street Monday

J. E. McKune, township treasurer of Sylvan, was in Ann Arbor Wednesday where he settled with the county treasurer. Invitations have been issued for the

Machinists' ball which will be given in the Sylvan theatre Friday evening

Frank A. Leach has sold his Cava-naugh Lake cottage to Dr. A. Gulde. He has also sold his gasoline launch to H. S. Holmes.

Rev. Fr. Marker of Dearborn blessed the adoring angels in the sanctu-ary of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart last Sunday.

The Misses Ella Ruth and Beatrice Hunter entertained a number of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank Saturday evening. dainty lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Currier, who have been residing in Sharon for the

O. G. of Sylvan Center will be held at their Arbor Thursday evening, March 23, 1911. A large attendance

Ben Huehl has purchased the farm of his father in Freedom. Mr. Huehl has resigned his position as stock keeper for the Flanders Mfg. Co., and will move to the farm.

The Orient Circle met at the home of Mrs. N. F. Prudden on Harrison street Tuesday, March 7. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Palmer on Tuesday, April

moved to the farm in Lima recently

Mrs. H. M. Hubbard, who has occupied the Chas. Currier residence on Grant street for the past year, has

A Russian employed at the Michigan Portland Cement Plant at Four Mile Lake, known as No./18, broke his left leg just above the ankle Tuesday afternoon. He was working about a mixer at the time of the accident.

Adam Eppler has sold an interest in his business to Floyd VanRiper and the firm will be known as Eppler & VanRiper. Both are well and favorably known to the citizens of this vicinity and have been in the meat business here for many years.

Mrs. W. S. Livermore died at her home in Gregory Tuesday. The deceased was a pioneer resident of Unadilla and her late husband conducted a general store in that will be a conducted a general store in that will be a conducted a general store in that will be a conducted a general store in that will be a conducted a general store in that will be a conducted a general store in that will be a conducted as general store in that will be a conducted as general store in that will be a conducted as general store in that will be a conducted as general store in the conducted as general sto ducted a general store in that village for many years. The funeral will be held Friday.

On next Monday evening the first night of the Hunt Stock Co.'s engagement at the Sylvan ladies will be admitted free when accompanied by one paid 30 cent ticket. Don't miss the opening play, It will be one of the strongest plays ever presented to a Chelsea audience. All of the old favorites are in the cast, including Al. Hunt and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor in the comedy roles. Seats are now selling at the H. H. Fenn Co. store.

The free seat offering at the M. E. church Wednesday evening added \$100 to the church treasury.

W. F. Brown & Co., who have been conducting an upholstering business here for some time, have moved to

Mrs. Emil Kantlehner entertained he Cytmore Club Wednesday even-

Dr. Geo. W. Palmer is having a showing of spring millinery at her parlors Wednesday and Thursday, March 22 and 23.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week.

N. W. Laird filled a large of the Rhode Island Reds eggs for parties in Walla Walla, Washington, and also to a party in Ridgeway, Mo., on Tues-

The Ladies' Research Club will entertain the Bay View Club, at the home of Mrs. J. Nelson Dancer at a St. Patrick's party Friday evening of this week

Mrs. C. S. Winans and daughter will leave Jackson on Thursday for Seville, Spain, where she will join her husband who is the American Consul at that place.

B. H. Glenn has sold an interest in is dray business to Theo. Bahnmiller. Mr. Glenn has ordered a second dray which will be added to the baggage and dray line.

The Excelsior Degree of the L. O. T. M. M. will give a progressive pedro party at their hall Thursday evening, March 16. Admission 10 cents. Everybody invited.

Earl V. Moore of Ann Arbor and a quartette of musical artists from the University School of Music will give a concert at the Congregational church Friday, March 24, Mr. Moore who was formerly organist of the Chelsea Congregational church, is well known here as a musician of exceptional talent and this musical en-tertainment promises to be one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

Surprised Their Pastor,

The Young Peoples' Society of St. Paul's church, met at the home of their pastor, Rev. A. A. Schoen last Thursday evening and gave him a surprise. The occasion being in honor of the tenth anniversary of his pastorate. The affair proved to be a very enjoyable event.

The members of the society gave their pastor a large mirror, the pre-sentation being made by Miss Elizabeth Wagner, and Rev. Schoen in

have been residing in Sharon for the past year are making arrangements to move into their residence on Grant street.

The village election Monday was a very quiet affair. There was but one ticket, the People's Party, in the field and but 150 votes were cast out of a total of nearly 500 registered votes. The result was as follows.

President—Geo, P. Staffan. Clerk—Hector E. Cooper. Treasurer—Geo. W. Millspaugh. Trustees-J. Edward McKune, Mark A. Lowry, Frank Brooks.
Assessor—J. W. VanRiper.

Sylvan Theatre.

M. A. Hunt was in Chelsea Tuesday in the interest of his stock company which opens a week's engagement at the Sylvan theatre, starting next Monday evening. On the opening night ladies will be admitted free when accompanied by one paid 30 cent ticket. Mr. Hunt will present a first-class company in high class plays Mr. and Mrs. Albert Widmayer, who have resided on the G. T. English farm for the past two years, have and his associate players have been playing in Chelsea for so many years vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth will assure them of a hearty reception.

Auction.

Eugene Grieb having rented his farm will sell his personal property at moved into the Fahrner residence on public auction on the premises, six south street just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schweinfurth. There will be a benefit supper for the pastor at the Baptist church on Tuesday evening, March 21, beginning at five o'clock. This is not to be applied on the spilary but is a gift to the pastor. Supper 25 cents.

The Princess Theatre offers a four picture show for Saturday night. The feature of the bill will be the great western drama by the Bison company "The Cattle Baron's Daughter" this picture contains beautiful scenery, splendid riding and has action throughout the entire film. "The Conquering Hero" a Nestor comedy full of many laughs is second on the bill. A Power's picture play "Thou Shalt Not Kill" and a comedy picture "Absent Minded Arthur" compicture "Absent Minded Arthur" complete the picture part of the program,
Miss Mary Spirnagle, the little girl with the big voice, whose singling has made such a hit on Saturday nights will sing two late illustrated ballads and there will be other special effects.

Forced To Leave Home.

Every year a largenumber of poor sufferers, whose lungs are sore and rack ed with coughs, are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly The 25th anniversary of the order of the L. O. T. M. M. will be celebrated by Columbian Hive at their hall Friday evening, March 24, also the 70th birthday of Mrs. James Smith. All K. O. T. M. M. and ladies and L. O. T. M. M. and escorts are invited.

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EALTHY American widows have come in recent years to to play a most important part in several important divisions of the world's affairs. It is not, either, merely here in the United States that these moneyed women are making their influence felt. On the contrary, their influence has proven fully as potent in many circles abroad-so much so, indeed, that the good people of Europe have been compelled to sit up and

take notice of the American widows as a class well worthy to rank with any subdivision of society abroad (not even excepting the nobility), if the comparison be made on the basis of gowns or millinery or jewelry or any of the other standards by which the feminine world sets such store.

Here in the United States it would be difficult to name a sphere in which the wealthy widows have not been exerting tremendous influence of late years. Even in politics they have not waited upon the victory of the suffrage cause to enable them to take a hand. For the present, to be sure, their influence is indirect, but it is none the less tangible, as witness the power of the salon maintained by that brilliant woman, Mrs. Hitt, widow of the late chairman of the foreign relations committee of the house of representatives and the backing which Senator Beveridge of Indiana has had through the fact that his wife is the kinswoman of Mrs. Marshall Field, widow of the Chicago merchant.

Socially there is no question as to the tremer ins power of the American widow. To realize it one has only to stop to reflect how the polite world is dominated by the hospitalities of such well-to-do widows as Mrs. L. Z. Leiter, widow of the Chicago

multi-millionaire and mother

of the late Lady Curzon,

late vicereine of India; Mrs.



Mrs. M. A. Hanna, widow of the late United States senator from Ohio.

husband, we may here digress to explain, has Illustrated how great is the latitude of life open to the modern wealthy widow in contrast to the circumscribed existence of the average widow of a prominent official of a century ago, who, upon the death of her husband. was wont to retire to his plantation or country meat and live in the utmost quietude if not in actual seclusion. After the death of her husband Mrs. Hanna lived for a time in a fashlocable hotel in Washington. Then she built a large house and occupied it for a time, later disposing of it to a prominent army officer. Next she had a special apartment arranged to her order in one of the largest of the new hotels in New York, even providing a special kitchen for "Maggie," her "jewel" of a cook. Then desiring a change, she hit upon the idea of her present program of life, which calls for an extended sojourn in Europe each spring and summer and a winter residence in Washington, where she has two apartments of 14 rooms each in a fashionable apartment house.

Mrs. Hanna's 28-room apartment might seem a pretty pretentious residential establishment for a lone woman to maintain, but it is scarcely a circumstance to the enormous fourstory mansion erected at the national capital

built a splendid home since the death of her husband and the wealthy Mrs. Wyeth of Philadelphia had her nephew-architect carry out er ideas of a distinctive home.

CHERIDAN

In point of achievement, however, unquestionably the greatest of all the house builders in the coterie of wealthy widows is Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney, who inherited one fortune from her father, a Cincinnati pioneer, and married another. Mrs. Barney is of a most artistic temperament and is indeed an artist of no mean ability in both oils and water colors. She spends much time in Paris, where she and two of her daughters, who devote themselves respectively to painting and sculpture, are much in their element. When she is in this country Mrs. Barney divides her time and her boundless energy between the staging of Greek plays and other amateur theatricals of a most ambitious character and the designing and building of houses for love of it. These unique habitations that she creates Mrs. Barney sells or rents, and be it said to her credit that she is a clever enough business woman to make her art profitable in dollars and cents as well as in personal satisfaction.

In the field of philanthropy American widows have of late years accomplished so much good as to make these bereaved ones as a class the most respected and most admired contingent of American multimillionairedom. The generosity of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst in good works has insured her a place for all time in our real hall of fame and Mrs. Harriman's gift of a splendid park to the state of New York bids fair to be but the first of a series of notable benefactions. Mrs. Russell Sage is another woman who in a comparatively brief widowhood has helped the needy in many ways, and the late Mrs. Gardner Hubbard, widow of the man who reaped the greatest financial rewards from the invention of the telephone, was lavish during her lifetime in

There is one group of widows in the United States in the members of which-for all that they are most of them living very quietly-the public is bound to take a keen interest. This group is made up of the widows of

former high officials of the nation, including the widows of our military and naval heroes. Conspicuous among the number are the two surviving widows of presidents, Mrs. Mary Lord Harrison and Mrs. Grover Cleveland. Mrs. Cleveland spends most of her time in the family home at Princeton or at her farm in New Hampshire, though she has of late devoted no little time to residence in Switzerland, where her children are being educated. Mrs. Harrison, likewise, spends much time abroad, though she maintains a home in Indianapolis and indulges in occasional lengthy vacations in a log house in the Adirondacks.

MES. L.T. LETTER TALKING TO JOHN BARRETT

Of the widows of the nation's warriors probably the public hears most frequently of Mrs. Phil Sheridan, widow of the famous cavalry leader, although Mrs. Legan and Mrs. Pickett, the latter the widow of the Confederate chieftain who led the desperate charge at Gettysburg, have been more or less in the public eye owing to their literary work and their careers on the lecture platform. Mrs. Sheridan, alike to both these other widows, resides at the national capital and an anecdote is told of Mrs. Sheridan to the effect that she silenced some gossip which speculated as to her remarriage by the remark, "I would rather be the widow of Phil Sheridan than the wife of any man alive." And speaking of the remarriage of widows,

it may be added that one of the circumstances that renders these widowed women of wealth interesting to many people is the possibility of remargage—an ever-present incentive to speculation, even though the object of such public curiosity may have not the slightest intention of again entering the bonds of mat-And that this solicitude is by no means restricted to disinterested observers or confined to the United States is eloquently at tested by the attentions which eligible members of the nobility of Europe have showered upon Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. "Jack" Gardiner, Mrs. Marshall Field and-most courted of all-Mrs. Nonnie Worthington Stewart Leeds, the dazzlingly wealthy as well as dazzlingly beautiful young widow of a multimillionaire who garnered the golden harvest of the tinplate industry and sundry railroads

Almost all the wealthy American widows seem to have a penchant for spending more or less of their time in Europe and there are others who live there continuously, returning but seldom to their native land, and then only for visits. In this class are the widows of foreign diplomats who receive pensions from the governments served by their late husbands. A conspicuous example is afforded by Baroness Sternburg-the former Miss Langham, a Kentucky beauty, who as the result of a genuine romance that began as a case of love at first sight on a transatlantic liner, married Baron Speck von Sternburg, a very capable German diplomat, who lost his life as the result of disease contracted while serving his government.

In the field of art many American widows, such as Mrs. St. Gaudens, are factors, if not by virtue of their own talents at least as custodians of the masterpieces left by their deceased husbands, and the same is true in the spheres of literature and public life, where the collection of the papers of an eminent man or the publication of his memoirs has frequently devolved upon the widow. In the financial world wealthy widows, by sheer force of their monetary possessions, wield an influence recognized by all men of affairs. The most notable example, of course, is that afforded by Mrs. Hetty Green, who controls one of the wealthiest and most powerful of the New York

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Twenty-Seven Big Timbers Are Cut Through in One Day by Aid of Electricity.

One of the most ingenious uses to which electricity was ever put was in the wrecking of a bridge over the Wabash in Indiana.

This bridge had been purchased by the county authorities, who intended to replace it by a steel structure erected on the old piers and abutments. The owner agreed to remove the bridge in 30 days.

The chief difficulty lay in the short time agreed upon for the removal of the bridge. Several wreckers to whom the matter was submitted declared that it would be impossible within 30 days to pull down the old bridge without injury to the piers.

The structure might be blown up with dynamite, but the explosion would also destroy the piers. Were it the masonry of the bridge. The 30 board perforated in the center. days expired, and an extension of one

posal was gladly accepted.

by Mrs. Slater, another wealthy widow, who is

the sole occupant of this palace save for the

18 servants who minister to her needs.

Wealthy widows, it may be added, have not

shirked the responsibilities of house building.

Indeed, on the contrary, it seems to be one of

their fads. Mrs. Leiter, in addition to her

town houses, has lately been building a sum-

mer "cottage" costing hundreds of thousands

of dollars on the North Shore of Massachu-

setts near the summer home of President Taft.

Mrs. Hay, widow of the late secretary of

state, has built a magnificent mansion in Cleve-

land; Mrs. Pullman and Mrs. Marshall Field

have ordered new homes from plans which

they had a hand in making; Mrs. Hitt has

posed of nine chords of three timbers 40 minutes elapsed. Then the mass each. The 27 sills were to be cut of timbers fell into the water well insimultaneously, so that the span would side the piers, so that they were unindrop between the piers into the river. jured. The cutting was to be accomplished loops of iron resistance made red-hot not charred more than an inch from by the passage of the electric current. | the place of fracture.

Fifty-four resistance loops were heated to wreck each span, and the about five o'clock in the morning, and Sufficient current was used to heat the crashed down to the river bed .iron wires cherry red. The result was Scientific American.

CURRENT WRECKS A BRIDGE bridge, but to burn it apart. His pro- exactly the same with every span. Be- RENEWS ANTIQUE WASHSTAND Each span of the bridge was com- and the fall of the span an hour and

The cut made by the hot wire was by burning through the wood with sharp and clean, and the wood was

The current was first turned on at spans were wrecked one at a time. at two in the afternoon the last span

A BALL FOR BABY

it goes into the one that celebrates baby's first birthday. One of the prettiest presents, which will give the little one great joy, is a large edition of those balls which the happy mothers of today delighted to fashion fired, the heat would crack and injure as children with two circles of card-

Instead of making the circles an owner was at his wits' end, full six inches in size, and use pink gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marble top adding the fininch or two in diameter, many gold or silver bells, which will jingle ture, the marb

If ever love is stitched into a gift | through the perforation in the cardboard and then proceed to fill up the hole by drawing the wool through and through over the cardboard until no the Long Islander's and accidentally more will pass. Cut it and tie it between the two circles and remove these by tearing them away.

The ball should be sewn on to nar- chased it for 50 cents. The clerk took row satin ribbon, blue or pink, as the his purchase to the store, gave it a case may be, and to this ribbon thorough renovating and it became a should be attached a quantity of little handsome plece of hardwood furni-

Long Islander Sells Piece of Furniture

for Fifty Cents and Buys It Back for \$20.

An elderly Long Islander once attended an auction of old furniture. Among the articles for which bids were asked was a heavy marbletopped washstand. The Long Islander bid ten cents for it, and as he was the only one who spoke the washstand was knocked down to himrather to his dismay, as he had to have it conveyed to his distant home. For several years this ten-cent antique was an occupant of the barn, its marble top being removed and the interior of the stand serving as a receptacle for cans of paint.

One day a clerk from a furniture store in the neighborhood called at caught sight of the unappreciated washstand. He made some inquiries concerning it, and eventually purtransformation the elderly Long Transcript.

Islander and his wife visited the furniture store, and when the wife saw that beautifully polished antique washstand she fell in love with it, for it just filled her ideal. Her husband seemed to have a suspicion of the truth, and endeavored to distract her attention. But the affair ended by the woman purchasing the stand for \$20, and it is now one of her most highly prized possessions.

Bell Must Be Tuned.

The general impression is that the tone of a bell is largely a matter of accident, but this is not so. A bell must be tuned the same as a piano or any other musical instrument. Every bell has five sounds, which must blend together in perfect harmony, and this is accommplished by shaving down certain parts until the desired harmony is secured. In the event of shaving too deep the bell is not injured, but the tuning operation is prolonged, as other parts must be operated on and cut away to a corresponding degree.

Just the Thing. Figg-What are you having carved on the photographer's tombstone? Fogg-Taken from life. - Boston

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MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

Author of The Circular Staircase, The Man in Lower Ten, Etc.

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James Wilson or Jimmy as he is called by his friends. Jimmy was rotund and looked shorter than he really was. His ambition in life was to be taken seriously, but people steadily refused to do so, his art is considered a huge joke, except to himself, if he asked people to dinner everone expected a frolic. Jimmy marries Bella Knowles; they live together a year and are divorced. Jimmy's friends arrange to celebrate the first anniversary of his divorce. The party is in full swing when Jimmy receives a telegram from his Aunt Selina, who will arrive in four hours to visit him and his wife. Jimmy gets his funds from Aunt Selina and after he marries she doubles his allowance. He neglects to tell her of his divorce. Jimmy takes Kit into his confidence, he tries to devise some way so that his aunt will not learn that he has no longer a wife. He suggests that Kit play the hostess for one night, be Mrs. Wilson pro tem. Aunt Selina arrives and the deception works out as planned. Jim's Jap servant is taken fill. Bella, Jimmy's divorced wife, enters the house and asks Kit who is being taken away in the ambulance? Bella insists it is Jim. Kit tells her Jim is well and is in the house. Bella tells Kit it wasn't Jim she wanted to see, but Takahira, the Jap servant. Harbison steps out on the porch and discovers a man tacking a card on the door. He demands an explanation. The man points to the placard and Harbison sees the word "Smallpox" printed on it. The guests suddenly realize their predicament, the women shed tears, the men consider it a good joke, Harbison pleads with Kit to tell him the real situation of things. She finally tells him of Bella's incarceration in the basement. The all important question arises as to situation of things. She finally tells him of Bella's incarceration in the basement. The all important question arises as to who is to prepare the meals and perform the other household duties. Harbison finally solves the matter. He writes out slips containing the various departments of his or her duties. Kit attempts to make an omelet for Aunt Selina, but fails in the attempt and is in a very nervous state when Harbison comes to her rescue and tells her how to make it.

CHAPTER VII. (Continued.)

"Just fold them in." I said desperately. "It-it isn't difficult." And beause I was so transparent a fraud and knew he must find me out then, I said something about butter, and went into the pantry. That's the trouble with a lie: somebody asks you to tell one as a favor to somebody else, and the first thing you know, you are heving to tell a thousand, and trying to remember the ones you have told so you won't contradict yourself, and the very person you have tried to help turns on you and reproaches you for being untruthful! I leaned my eltows despondently on the shelf of the altchen pantry, with the feet of a guard visible through the high window over my head, and waited for Mr. Harbison to come in and demand hat I fold a raw egg, and discover that I didn't know anything about

He came. He held the bowl out to ne and waved a fork in triumph.

"I have solved it." he said. "Or. ther, Flannigan and I have solved The mixture awaits the magic touch of the cook."

I honestly thought I could do the rest. It was only to be put in a pan and browned, and then in the oven but for two things: I should have, greased the pan (but this was the book's fault; it didn't say) and I should have lighted the oven. The latter, however, was Mr. Harbison's fault as much as mine, and I had wit mough to lay it to absent-mindedness on the part of both of us.

After that, Aunt Selina or no Aunt selina, we decided to have boiled ggs, and Mr. Harbison knew how to cook them. He put them in the teakettle and then went to look at the opinion of the board of health in no stinted terms. As for me, I burned my fingers and the toast, and felt myelf growing hot and cold, for was oing to be found out as soon as Flanigan grasped the situation.

Then, of course, I did the thing that sed me so much trouble later. I rbison man said it was a toaster the policeman.

other it was a joke or deadly earnle's pearls, that wretched police. Nair before she married this would-be winked at me solemnly over artist. Wilson, and that she is a daughter of the McNair who financed the lad, to add to add the lad. and, to add to my discomfort, the Callao branch! maelves. What was Mr. Harbisco mately. There are two sisters named He's on the first floor of the house Mercer, inclined to be noisy—they are Times.

But there had been plenty of water in now. One is small and dark, almost was the furnace. .

Mr. Harbison came back in a half hour, and I remembered the eggs. We they were perfectly hard, but we ate

The doctor from the board of health. came that morning and vaccinated us. son. Then there is a maiden aunt, There was a great deal of excitement. and Aunt Selina was done on the arm. As she did not affect evening clothes this was entirely natural, but later on in the week, when the wretched things antine (see papers), and, after hiding began to take, nobody dared to limp, all night in the basement, is sulking and Leila made a terrible break by wearing a bandage on her left arm, after telling Aunt Selina she had been vaccinated on the right.

CHAPTER VIII.

Correspondents' Department. The following letters were found in the house post box after the lifting of the quarantine, and later were pre-

in white kid (the letters, not the au-

thors, of course). From Thomas Harbison, late engineer of bridges, Peruvian trunk lines, South America, to Henry Llewellyn, care of Union Nitrate company, Iquique, Chilli.

Dear Old Man: I think I was fully a week trying to drive out of my mind my last glimpse of you with your sickly grin, pretending to be tickled to pieces that the only white man within 200 miles of your shack was going on a holiday. You old bluffer! I used to hang over the rail of the steamer, on the way up, and see you standing as I left you beside the car with its mule and the Indian driver, and behind you a million miles of soul-destroying pampa. Never mind, Jack; I sent yesterday by mail steamer the cigarettes, pipes and tobacco, canned goods and poker chips. Put in some magazines, too, and the collars. Don't know about the ties—guess it won't matter down and gone. Ye gods, how we cough!

there Nothing happened on the trip. One of the engines broke down three days out, and I spent all my time below decks for 48 hours. Chief engineer plore the Mercator property. raving with D. T's. Got the engine fixed in record time, and haven't got my hands clean yet. It was bully.

With this I send the papers, which will tell you how I happen to be here,



She is a Thoroughbred.

and why I have leisure to write you three days after landing. If the sit- ton Bagley, University club, New uation were not so ridiculous, it would | York. be maddening. Here ! am, off for a Dear Dick: working, and was just as useless as all holiday, and congratulating myself yes, my friend, heart free-here I am, shugen the house of a man I never bet in the manner you chose, but saw until last night, and wouldn't while I do not wish to be offensive, care if I never saw again, with a lot your reporters are damnably so. of people who never heard of me, who are almost equally vague about South America, who play as hard at bridge as I ever worked at building one (forgive this, won't you? the novelty has gone to my head), and who belong three minutes. And I did it properly, to the very class of extravagant, lux- in France, says F. Berkeley Smith, ury-loving, non-producing parasites (isn't that what we called them?) that thing in favor of so sacred a cereyou and I used to revile from our lofty

Andean pinnacle. To come down to earth: Here we are, six women and five men, includ- of endless papers, the certificates of ing a policeman, not a servant in the birth and the consent of parents, unhouse, and no one who knows how to do anything. They are really immensely interesting, these people: They all know each other very well, and it is "Jimmy" here, and "Dal" there-Dallas Brown, who went to San ground the coffee and gave his speaking of him and they are goodnatured, too, except at meal times. The little hostess, Mrs. Wilson, took over the cooking, and although luncheon was better than breakfast, the food still leaves much to the imagina-

I wish you could see this Mrs. Wilson, Hal. You would change a whole but down the toaster—at least the lot of your ideas. She is a thoroughbred, sure enough, and of course some and went over and stood in front of of her beauty is the result of the exquisite care about which you and I-"I don't suppose you will under still from our Andean pinnacle—used ad—exactly," I said, "but—but if to rant. But the fact is, she is more hing occurs to—to make you think than that. She has fire, and pluck, no am not—that things are not what end. If you could have seen her this seem to be-I mean, what I say morning, standing in front of a cold vare-you will understand that it kitchen range, determined to conquer a joke, won't you? A joke, you it, and had seen the tilt of her chin when I offered to take over the cook-Yes, that was what I said. I know ing-you needn't grin; I can cook, and sounds like a raving delirium, but you know it—you would understand sportsman, improperly so called. Max came down and squizzled what I mean. It was so clear that she bacon, as he said, and told was paralyzed with fright at the idea igan about the robbery, and how, of getting breakfast, and equally clear that she meant to do it. By the way, somebody in the house had taken I have learned that her name was Mc-

that night? Ice water, he had said. | playing roulette in the next room the studio! And he had told me it Hebraic in type, named Leila and called Lollie. The other, larger, very blonde and languishing, and with a decided preference for masculine sofished them out of the tea kettle and ciety, even saving the mark, mine! Dallas Brown's wife, good looking, smokes cigarettes when I am not around-they all do, except Mrs. Wilwho is ill today with grippe and excitement, and a Miss Knowles, who came for a moment last night to see all day in her room. Her presence created an excitement out of all proportion to the apparent cause.

From the fact that I have reason to know that my artist host and his beautiful wife are on bad terms, and from the significant glances with which the announcement of Miss Knowles' presence was met, the state of affairs seems rather clear. Wilson impresses me as a spineless sort, anyhow, and sented to me by their writers, bound when the lady of the basement shut herself away from the rest today and I happened on "Jimmy," as they call him, pleading with her through the door, I very nearly kicked him down the stairs. Oh, yes, I'll keep out, right enough; it isn't my affair.

By the way, after quarantine and with the policeman locked in the furnace room, a pearl necklace and a diamond bracelet were stolen! Just ten of us to divide the suspicion! Upon my word, Hal, it's the queerest situation I ever heard of. Which of us did it? I make a guess that not a few of us are foots, but which is the knave? The worst of it is, I am the only unaccredited member of the household! This is more scandal than I ever wrote in my life. Lay it to circumscribed environment, and the lack of 20 miles over the pampa before

breakfast. We have all been vaccinated, and the officious gentlemen from the board of health have taken their grins and their formaldehyde ear. The Carlton order will go through all right, I think. 'Phoned him this gar. morning. If it does, old man, we will

take, a month in September and ex-Do you know, Hal, I have been thinking lately that you and I stick too close to the grind. Business is right enough, but what's the use of spending one's best years succeeding in everything except the things that are worth while? I'll be thirty sooner than I care to say, and-oh, well, you won't understand. You'll sit down there, with the Southern Cross and the rest of the infernal astronomical galaxy looking down on you, and the nights. Indians chanting in the village, and you will think I have grown senti-

is God's part of it. Burn this letter after you read it: suspect it is covered with germs. Well, happy days, old man.

mental. I have not. You and I down

there have been looking at the world

through the reverse end of the glass.

It's a bully old world, Hal, and this

Yours, P. S .- By the way, can't you spare some of the Indian pottery you picked up at Callao? I told Mrs. Wilson about it, and she was immensely interested. Send it to this address. Can you get it to the next steamer?

From Maxwell Reed to Richard Bur-

Inclosed find my check for five hunthat I am foot free and heart free- dred, as per wager. Possibly you were within your right in protecting your

Yours, MAXWELL REED. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

They Do Things Better in France.

It is no easy matter to be married in Success Magazine. One great mony is that it cannot be hastily performed. It is an event requiring months of preparation, of the signing til at last the wedding day, which has been arranged for to the entire satisfaction of every one concerned, including the legal authorities, arrives. If marriage is difficult, divorce is even more so. There are no such romantie and youthful adventures as eloping on a \$12 capital—handing ten to the accommodating parson and wiring for forgiveness with the chang

The Migration of Storks.

Reference has been made to the departure of the storks from Alsace. The ornithological bureau of Budapest has recently published the pesults of an interesting experiment. fill the hollows of celery stalks. To the leg of a number of young birds a light disk was attached, stating the place of origin and in the event of capture asking that the label might be detached and forwarded to

Budapest. The rings returned show that the pirds have reached Basutoland, the Transvaal and Cape Colony. Unfortunately only two of the ten capture1 birds escaped death. Eight of those graceful creatures had fallen to the unpitying and unerring aim of the

Gone Before.

Penn-Do you see anything of our old friend Growel? Last time I saw him he said he didn't like New York. Gothmite-That's so, but I guess he'd rather be in New York than where he is now.

Penn-Where is he now? Gothmite-I wouldn't care to say. He's dead .- Catholic Standard and

E MUST express ourselves in order to grow, and in order to reach our destined goal; and we express ourselves only when we try to make things better both in ourselves and in our

Helpful Hints. When the chimney is burning out,

throw a handful of salt into the stove or furnace. A piece of zinc burned in the stove or furnace occasionally will keep the chimney clean of soot. When troubled with ants use a sprinkling of tartar emetic around where they come in and it will finish their migrations. This is a poison and should never be used where any

pet can get it. When cutting butter from the brick, a nice clean cut can be made by wrapping the blade of the knife with waxed paper.

Matting will look better and wear much longer if it is varnished as soon as it is tacked down. Use a clear varnish and it can then be wiped and kept clean as easily as any varnished

Add a teaspoonful of vinegar to rice while cooking or a teaspoonful of lemon juice and the rice will be white and the grains well separated when

Potatoes are better when baked if they are greased with a little lard before baking. They will bake quicker and the skin will peel off as thin as

When cream will not whip, add the white of an egg and beat together. When suffering with earache, roast raisin until hot and insert into the

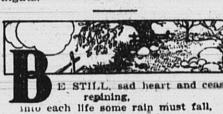
A simple remedy for hiccough is a lump of sugar saturated with vine-A half of a wooden clothespin will

stop the jarring of a window. Chocolate or cocoa stains will be easily removed if first soaked in cold

water, before washing. When boiling rice or beans, add a little butter to the water and they

will not boil over This is the time to clean up the back yards and prepare for the spring

Cover the hotbed with muslin and the rain and air can thus do its good work on the plants. Cover on chilly



Some days be dark and dreary.
—Longfellow. Supper Dishes.

The following are some dishes suitable to serve for an evening supper, or they may be used for luncheon dishes:

Savory Oysters.-Clean a pint of oysters, parboil and drain. Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter, add the same amount of flour and stir until well browned. Pour on gradually the oyster liquor and a half a cup of soup stock. Add a few drops of onion juice. Salt, pepper and a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce and the oysters. Serve on toast or in patty shells or timbale cases.

Russian Patties,-Parboil, drain and reserve the liquor from a pint of oysters. There should be a half cup of liquor. Make a sauce of three tablespoonfuls of butter, four and a half tablespoonfuls of flour, one-half cup of chicken stock, half a cup of cream and the oyster liquor. When the butter is bubbling hot, add the flour and when well mixed add the other ingredients; add two yolks well beaten, a tablespoonful of horse radish, two tablespoonfuls of capers, salt and pepper. Add the oysters and as soon as not fill the patty shells.

Stuffed Eggs. Cut four hard-cooked eggs in halves crosswise, remove the yolks, mash and add two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, one teaspoon of vinegar, one-fourth of a teaspoon of mustard and salt and cayenne to taste. Add enough melted butter to make the mixture of the right consistency to shape. Make in balls the size of the yolks and refill the whites. Arrange on a serving dish, pour around one cup of white sauce; cover and re-

Eggs poached and served on toast with tomato sauce are very good for a change. Tint cream cheese with green and

Nellie Maxwella

England's Greatest Mine Fire. The most serious colliery fire ever known in Britain was undoubtedly that which broke out at the Tawd Valley mine, near Preston, in 1872. Thousands of pounds were spent in trying to get the flames under control, but they overcame everything and consumed some millions of tons of coal. A wall ten feet in thickness was built around the affected parts, but the heat cracked the masonry and brought it down as fast as it was rebuilt. However, in 1897 the River Tawd overflowed its banks and went pouring down into the mine. No fire could withstand such an immense volume of water hurled upon it, and, although the flames extended for 500 yards, they were puenched after having raged for a quarter of a century -J.ondon Tit-Rits.

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"Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris
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whisky and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of
this mixture before each meal and at
bed time. Shake the bottle before using." This is not new in this city as
many of the worse cases of rheumatism
and back-ache have been cured by it.
Good results come the first day. Any
druggist has these ingredients on hand
or will quickly get them from his
wholesale house. Any one can mix
them.

PROOF POSITIVE.



He-Oh, yes; I write verse occasionally-but I tear it all up as soon as I write it.

She-Ah! I knew you were clever.

Her Wedding March. A young girl who had never heard of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," but was familiar with the more popular parody on it, was witness to a wedding ceremony in an uptown church recently. As the betrothed pair walked with dignified tread toward the altar to be wed and the organ pealed forth Mendelssohn's inspiring march, the young girl was plainly shocked. When she arrived at her home she told her mother of the ceremony and innocently exclaimed: What do you think, mother, they played 'Gee Whiz! I'm glad I'm

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Dare to Be Happy.

Let us never be afraid of innocent joy; God is good and what he does is well done; resign yourself to everything, even to happiness; ask for the spirit of sacrifice, of detachment, of renunciation, and above all, for the spirit of joy and gratitude, that genuine and religious optimism which sees in God a Father, and asks no pardon for his benefits. We must dare to be happy and dare to confess it, regarding ourselves always as the depositories, not as the authors of our own joy .-

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The Tragedy That Wasn't. He raised the shining knife; his face was dark. The woman before him shrank back a step. The knife fell, plunged into the flesh, again, and once again.

Then the woman spoke thickly: "There's plenty; they're such big chops."-Judge.

All Depends. "Want a good anecdote about a statesman?" "Was he re-elected?"

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by adversity probably would have it brought to him by prosperity.

ing Joaquin Miller, the poet, one

night. Upon hearing a particularly

funny story by the host the poet fell

Irish thought the poet had a seizure

of some kind and he rushed to the

sideboard, took a bottle of whisky and

stuck the top of it into Miller's mouth,

Presently Miller waved his hands

feebly and Irish removed the bottle.

"What is it?" asked Irish so-

"Remove the cork!" whispered the

poet, hoarsely. "Remove the cork!"-

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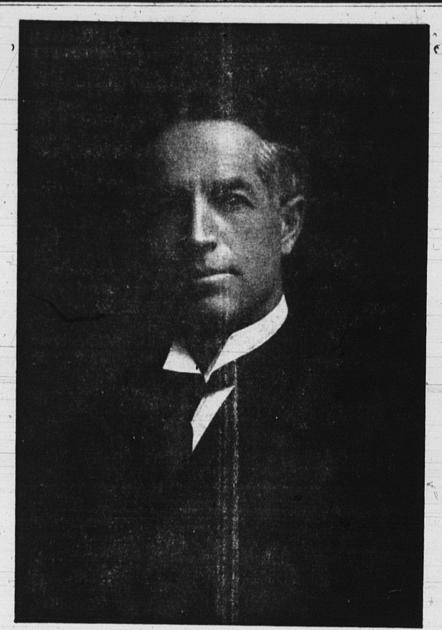
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The Democratic County Committee its officers and laborers had not been

seven years ago. A poor boy, by his own exertions, he secured an education in the common schools and Law Department of the University of Michigan. He was County Clerk from 1891 to 1895, during which time he graduated from the Law Department of the University and was adapted and not only made groud but at the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the graduated from the Law Department of the University and was adapted from the problem was to the deficit.

Mr. Brown said "No, elect me to the office of Mayor and I will pay the city's indebtedness in two years." He was to leading from the cells to the main corridor by friends of the men from Toledo. A plot to blow out the end wall of the corridor is suspected. Logan is conducting his own defense and is handling his case in a clever manner.

JACKSON—W. D. Page, who shot ment of the University and was admitted to practice in this county.

and not only made good but at the expiration of his term of office left

He has been a successful lawyer, a successful business man and possesses in an eminent degree those qualifications of knowledge, independence of two years than it had raised the and integrity necessary to make a previous two years or for any like

successful judge.

Mr. Brown is a firm believer in the old fashioned virtue of economy. In almost every campaign of recent years he has arraigned the State administration for its extravagance in State affairs in much, the same man. State affairs, in much the same man- We respectfully ask the voters and ner that the present Governor is now doing. Not only has he preached economy in the administration of public affairs but he has practiced it. In 1903 he was nominated by his party for Mayor of the city of Ann Arbor. The city was heavily in debt,

BREVITIES

MUNITH-Wm. Suylandt has sold is hardware stock to Stowell &

GRASS LAKE—The house renter is facing a hard proposition in Grass Lake this spring. With the influx of new families there is not a vacant house in the town and several families who have got to vacate their present homes within a few weeks, are certainly up against it There has been over a dozen inquiries for houses at this office the past week.

News.

TECUMSEH—It is stated that farm land in Lenawee county is showing unusual activity on the market this unusual activity on the market this year. Twentyone farms in the vicinity of Tecumseh have been sold within the past few months by a real estate broker. One farm sold for \$170 per acre and all sold at heretofore unheard of prices. The buyers are hearly all Ohioans who are buying Michigan lands on account of the superiority of the soil.—News.

ANN ARBOR—Basil Hutchinson of Ypsilanti was out of jail for about Ypsilanti was out of jail for about two hours Saturday morning. Basil finished serving his 60-day sentence at the Detroit House of Correction for larceny, and was met at the door by Deputy Sheriff Hipp of this county who took him into custody on another larceny charge on which he had been bound over to the circuit court last fall. He was brought to this city and will be arraigned before Judge Kinne.

JACKSON—South farmers living

JACKSON—Some farmers living adjacent to the Grand Trunk road report their regret that the Michigan Condensed Milk company of this city have discontinued buying their milk. The company states the reason for doing so is that they are getting a large supply on the wagon routes and are buying the milk which is the least expensive to be delivered. The least expensive to be delivered. The buying of milk of farmers along the Michigan Central east of Jackson has ilso been discontinued.

CLINTON-Ira VanGleson is up against it. He bargained for a farm near Stockbridge as stated in this paper a few weeks ago, even buying the man's stock. A few@days ago his man asked him to meet him in Jackson and when he arrived there the son and when he arrived there the man backed out and paid Ira \$500 forfeit money. George Wilson went.up there too after selling his farm but they all had a case of cold feet up in that country and he was unable to do anything with them.—Local.

MANCHESTER—Rev. H. L. Smith who has been pastor of the Evangelical church the past several months, having decided to accept a call to a Methodist Protestant church in Pittsburg, Pa., was given a sur-prise at the home of Mrs. Albert Dresselhouse, last Friday evening by members of the congregation who also presented him with some sub-

ANN ARBOR-Mrs. Margaret Nowlin, of Detroit, owner of the Cook house, has let the contract for remodeling the building for hotel purposes to Koch Bros., of this city. Extensive alterations will be made in the interior, including the moving of the dining room from the center of the dining room from the center of the building to the Fourth avenue side. The building has stood idle since it was burned the night of December 25. The letting of the contract is taken to mean the end of negotiations with the Butterfield theatrical people, who have had an eye on the building as a suitable downtown substitute for the Majestic town substitute for the Majestic

ADRIAN-In the trial of Frank Logan, one of the men charged with blowing the safe in the Britton bank. it developed Tuesday morning that Sheriff Knowles last week discovered The Democratic County Committee makes the following strong argument in support of its candidate for Circuit Judge:

Mr. Arthur Brown, Democratic candidate for Circuit Judge, was born in York township, this county, forty and solve to the county forty only solution of the problem was to the county forty fort

and killed Fred Myers, a ticket agent for the northwestern railroad at Chicago, Wednesday of last week, is a son of H. R. Page, president of the Central State bank of this city. According to witnesses of the shooting, Page picked up a bag of peanuts from a stand near the ticket cage in which Myers was working. The clerk not being present, Myers came out of the cage and asked Page to pay for the peanuts. It appears an altercation ensued, during which Page drew a revolver and shot Myers in the forehead. Myers was taken to a hospital where he died Thursday morning. Page was arrested, but at that time gave no explanation for the shooting. He is a bookkeeper, for the Home Stove works at Chicago and has a brother George, living in that city.

ANN ARBOR—Little four-year-old

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stantial gifts. He left for Detroit Saturday to visit his parents before leaving for his new charge.—Enter-Drug Store RAILWAY GUIDE

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, March 7, 1911, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department: Loans and discounts, viz:-

Total.....\$598,371 65

I. Geo. A. BeGole, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement strue to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several natters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of March, 1911.

J. L. Fletcher, Notary Public.

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I. P.G. Schaible, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above states is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the semantters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

P. G. SCHAIBLE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1911.

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