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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

At Ann Arbor, Michigan., at the close of business Dec. 19th, 1890.

RESOURCES.	L
Loans and Discounts, \$375,536 Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc., 259,718 Overdrafts, 2,511 Due from banks in reserve cities 75,257 Due from ther banks and bankers 7,017 Due from Treasurer School District No. 1. A. 12,151 Furniture and Fixtures 1,936 Current expenses and taxes paid, 2,932 Checks and cash items, 692 Nickels and pennies, 693 Gold, 15,000 Silver, 2,066 U. S. and National Bank Notes, 23,003	Capital stock paid Surplus fund, Dividends unpaid, Commercial depos Savings deposits, Due to banks and
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I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above tement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Charles E. Hiscock, Cashier. Correct—Attest: Christian Mack, Daniel Hiscock, David Rinsey, Directors. Correct—Attest: Christian Mack, Daulet 11.050 of December, 1890.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of December, 1890.
MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public,

Capital stock paid in, \$ 50,000 | Total assets, Capital security, - 100,000 | Surplus, -\$761,291.31 100,000.00

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SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE PUBLIC:

We would respectfully call the attention of our friends and democratic. The total vote was patrons, to the fact that we are prepared to show them a larger 252, of which C. Frank O'Hearn, and better selected stock of spring and summer goods, in the way of fine ready made clothing, hats, caps and gents' furnishings Kempf, rep., received 103 votes, a than at any time during the past five years.

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There has never been a season that we have marked goods at a closer price than this. We realize full well that the state of the times demands low prices, and we have marked our goods accordingly. The farmer especially is obliged to take a low price for his products and we propose to meet him half way. Our prices are lower than any house in the state of Michigan. Call and convince yourselves of the truth of our statements. Respectfully,

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CHILDREN'S KIRMESS.

A Most Pleasing Entertainment Given by the Little People of Ann Arbor.

THE COUNCIL SEVEN TO SIX DEMOCRATIC.

Last Night's Council Meeting .- Alderman O'Hearn Sworn In .- Pioneer Deaths .- Oratorical Contest .- A Cool Burglar,-Etc.

Sons and Daughters.

A son, Peter Oesterle, Chelsea, April 10.

A son, Harvey Barton, Lyndon, April 20.

A son, Jacob Stierle, Chelsea, A son, Frank Lehman, Chelsea,

April 21.

A daughter, Ed. Dancer, Lima.

A Cool Burglar.

A cool till tapping was successfully carried out in this city Friday noon. Banfield, who was in the Hardinghaus, Reynolds, Golz, office of the Ferdon Lumber Yard, Every one will be delighted. The Game can be seen at the Argus had just stepped out, leaving Henry batch, Ardner, Schneider, Goetz jr., Feldkamp, a farmer, in the office. Herz, Reimold, Gauss, Schlanderer, Mr. Feldkamp's horses were tied in Dupper, Schettle, Binder, Roth, front of the office. A light mulatto Werner, Oesterlin, Welch & Clancy, came to the door and inquired of Martin & Fisher, Stadel & Rausch-Mr. Feldkamp if these horses were his. "I would like to have you move those horses a little farther down." This was done, but while Mr. Feldkamp was moving his horses, the colored man had taken a chisel, broke open the till and de-385 00 camped with a small amount of

Him Out.

Some interesting reading may always be looked for in the reports of year his complaint is as follows:

"During the past year a shed was built for the use of the Fire Department for storage of its property, and when completed, was paid for out of the Fire Dept. fund; but twelve feet square was allowed to the Fire Co., while the rest was filled with old wagons, and the city game fowl, and bull-dogs, leaving the property of the Fire Dept. out doors to rot, while the shed, built for its protection, and paid for out of its funds, was occupied as above stated."

Ald. O'Hearn Carries the Fourth.

The fourth ward election to fill he aldermanic election held yesterday, resulted in a democratic victory and ensured the council remaining dem., received 149 votes and Reuben majority of 46 for O'Hearn. The vote was about 100 short of the registration and 42 short of the vote last spring. Just as the polls closed five democratic voters appeared but were unable to cast their votes.

Although but one name was on the ticket, four slipped for O'Hearn on the republican ticket and five slipped for Kempf on the democratic ticket. The workers around the polls were about as numerous as at the regular spring elections, but the election was an exceedingly O'Hearn was sworn in.

The Contest Friday Night.

The contest of the Northern Oratorical League, which takes place in University Hall, next Friday evening, is a new feature of college life in Ann Arbor. The league was or-No. 19 the St. | people will have of witnessing the and returned to their former home of the league, as it goes to a couple of years ago and both mar
The Gaity Schotische was danced grow plentifully in New England

Some of the herbs in Hall's Hair Renewer, that wonderful preparation for restoring the color and thickening the growth of the hair, grow plentifully in New England

the different colleges in turn. The ried and settled in life, with hopes by a dozen couples who kept perfect prizes offered have been such as to of a long career. He leaves a wife step. bring out a large number of com- and aged parents, brothers and sispetitors, as the winner is to receive ters and many friends to mourn his citizens should have a special inter- was largely attended last Sunday." est in the outcome, inasmuch as the representative of the U. of M. is a has struggled so long and courage- by the young girls. The various reserved seats can be secured at cubmed to the inevitable on Friday costumes, over which were black Moore & Taber's, to-day.

Last Night's Council.

All the aldermen were present at clerk and the constables were ap-Calkins, Brown, Mann Bros., Moore.

accepted as sufficient: Gwinner, Mc-Intyre, Frank, Clarken, Frank, Damm, Brahm, Goetz, Koch, Mulenberger, Besimer, Brown, Wagner, Schneider, jr. The printing of the council proceedings and the procedings of the board of public works was awarded to the Argus and Courier at twenty cents per thousand ems for each paper by a vote of 12 to 1. The petition of the street railway company for a change of Game Fowls and Bull-Dogs Crowded route was taken from the table and the proposed ordinance was referred to the ordinance committee. The sum of \$50 was appropriated to buy Dr. Edward Batwell, chief of the a desk for the city papers in the city Ypsilanti fire department. This clerk's office. J. R. Miner was employed to examine the books of the city treasurer and clerk. The salaries were fixed the same as last year. The petition of Messrs. Gruner and Treadwell to be allowed to erect two frame dwellings on the corner of Williams and Main streets was granted.

Finance-Mann, Hall, Herz. Ordinance-Martin, Wines, Tay-

Street-Hall, Martin, Fillmore, Ferguson, Taylor, Mann.

Sidewalks-Wines, Herz, Allmendinger, O'Hearn, Rehberg, Kitson. Fire Department-Ferguson, Rehberg, Fillmore.

Police-Taylor, Wines, Martin. Lighting-Herz, Allmendinger,

License-Kitson, Taylor, Fer-

Parks-Fillmore, O'Hearn, Hall. Poor-Rehberg, Allmendinger,

The council then adjourned.

Death of Several Washtenaw Pioneers.

Selah B. Collins, one of the three brothers who first settled the town of Lyndon, died at the home of his son, Addison C. Collins, April 16, aged seventy-eight years. The three brothers arrived in the township in Kinna, Ross Spence, Clara Bayquiet one. The council canvassed August, 1833, and at once set about right, Tom Kinna, Bessie Stafford, either night missed the best enterthe returns last night and Alderman building a log hut. Into this he and his newly wedded wife moved, and his son was the first white child born in the township. He was the township's second supervisor.

Hiram Barton died in Lyndon, April 17, from the effect of an accident which occurred several weeks by the merry dancers. It was a ago, a limb of a tree falling upon pretty conceit and was greeted with ganized last May and is composed of his skull and crushing it, as already four of the leading colleges in the noted in our columns. The Stockcountry. This being the first annual bridge Sunsays: "Deceased was one dress with brilliant ornaments, gave contest it is hoped that the citizens of a pair of twins, and was well a tambourine dance, with much selfa number of years that Ann Arbor of a miners's life for several years which would have done credit to a

pected for two or three days. Mr. followed by the May Queen Quadthe council meeting, last evening. Brown was an old resident of Clin- rille, accurately executed. The vote for alderman of the fourth ton and vicinity. He was born in ward was canvassed and C. Frank Monroe county, N.Y., July 22, house. It was named the comic O'Hearn declared elected. He was 1824, being the oldest son of K. N. Dutch dance, in which Luella and sworn in, took his seat and partici- Brown. He came to Bridgewater Bradley Granger appeared in regupated in the further deliberations of with his parents more than fifty lar Dutch costume with large wooden the council. The bonds of the city years ago, since which time he has shoes. Although very small, the proved. The following druggists' ship but for more than twenty years brought down their heavy wooden bonds were approved: Goodyear, past, of Clinton. He operated the clogs and shook their hands at each Bridgewater mill for six years and was other in a manner which kept the The following liquor bonds were engaged in the hardware busines in house in an uproar of laughter. Clinton for six years. For several years past he has represented a num- Miss Gregg sang "How Grandma ber of the leading insurance com- Danced the Minuet" with a very panies. He has held the office of sweet, attractive and correct voice. justice of the peace for a long time Then came the stately and graceful and the fact that nearly all the busi- minuet, well danced by Misses ness appertaining to that office has Martha Clark, Mary Peckham, Jabeen done in his court testifies to nett Kinna, Jessie Mack and Nellie the cofidence which the community has in his good judgment, fairness Hall, John Parker, Frank Condon and equity. He also did most of and Charles Jacobs. the conveyancing and notarial business which was done in this vicitity. These with various other official and brought down the house, and had private business duties made his life to respond to two encores, each a busy one and a useful one and he will be greatly missed from his well known office on Chicago street. He has held the village presidency for several terms. Mr. Brown leaves five children, Calista, Frank E., Lou A., and Carrie, the last being the wife of J. L. Kishpaugh. His first wife died in 1879; his second wife survives him .- Tecumseh

The Children's Kirmess.

entertainment has been given in the ing was the poetry of motion. President Cooley appointed the Opera House this year, and a great of Friday evening was repeated Sat-Water-O'Hearn, Mann, Allmen- urday evening, so that a description of the latter evening may well an- two pretty figures of the German swer for both.

> the grand march, followed by a the comical Irish tilt by Flossie waltz gavotte, all the children par- Spence and Hardy Woodruff in ticipating. Each couple carried costume. The lively Irish jig was decorated hoops and the march was well danced. The couple were all led by Roger Morris, dressed as a court jester. This was followed, af- spirit of the thing and were recalled ter a very pleasing song by Miss by a particularly loud encore. Gregg, by a pretty May-pole dance, in which Sarah Hardy was the queen Lanciers and La Russian and was of May. The dance was prettily well given. executed. Roger Morris represented the court jester, and the peasants were Hardy Woodruff, Dottie Jones, Harry de Pont, Bessie Clarence Vaughan, Martha Hurd, Phil Hall, Louise Hennequin, Travers McGilvary, Clara Jacobs, Walter Vaughan, Pauline Hayes, Willie Jackson, Luella Moore. The Maypole had various colored ribbons which were wound and unwound applause.

Sarah Hardy, in a beautiful gauze and students will give it a good known to the people of Lyndon. He possession, and brought down the start by their generous support. This and his twin brother, Harvey, went house, receiving a boquet, for which will also be the only opportunity for west and underwent the hardships she bowed her thanks in a manner

Then came the Cachucha, or Spanish dance, by Florence Green, \$100 and the second man \$50. Our untimely departure. His funeral Gertrude Chute, Flossie Spence, Grace Moore, and Carlotte Medaris. Solomon Brown, of Clinton, who This celebrated dance was well done resident of this city. Tickets and ously against a mortal disease, suc-colored calcium lights on the tinted evening last. He has been failing lace, added a pleasing effect to the constantly for the past fortnight and pretty dancing. The dancers were his death had been constantly ex- recalled by an encore. This was

The next dance brought down the been a resident, first of that town little dancers kept perfect time and

Le Bon Ton was well danced, and Bucknell, and Fred A. Leas, Omar

J. E. Harkins sang "My Little Irish Home," and, of course, time with German dialect songs. The audience evidently wanted him for the fourth song. Mr. Harkins' songs equal Scanlan's and invariably

The Kate Greenaway dance by Bessie Kinna and Lillian Keating deservedly brought a recall. They were dressed in light blue and light yellow tints, were very graceful and

Then came a decidedly animated Berlin polka. After which Ethel The Children's Kirmess last Fri- Morris danced very prettily the day and Saturday evenings was a number called Dancing Shadow. Of great success. No more enjoyable course she was recalled. Her danc-

Th Sailor's Hornpipe is always deal of credit is due Prof. Ross popular. Never was it more de Granger for the successful enter- servedly so than Saturday night tainments, which proved him a mas- when it was given by Frank Condon, ter of the art of instruction in danc- Omar Hall, Willie Jackson, Fred A. ing. The little people who took Leas, Roger Morris, Harry de Pont, part in the entertainment were very Travers McGilvray, Tom Kinna, graceful and winning. They must Walter Vaughan, Clarence Vaughan, have been apt pupils, for they were Ross Spence and Phil Hall. Of proficient dancers. The programme course, the handsome sailor laddies were recalled.

The U. of M. Waltz introduced and was prettily danced. Then the The entertainment opened with house was again brought down by motion. They entered into the

The closing number was the

The young people who took part in the programme all did exceedingly well. They gave the audience more than their money,s worth and those who were not present on tainment of the season.

Catarrh.

Last year: Her eyes were rheumy, and weak and red Her breath-you could smell

She had ringing and dizziness oft in her head, And the cause of it all was catarrh.

This year: Her breath is as sweet as the new meadow hay, Her eyes are as bright as a

star, And the cause of the change she is ready to say, Was the Dr. Sage Cure for

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FRENCH M'KINLEYISM.

FRANCE IS REVISING HER TARIFF UPWARD.

Corrupted by McKinley's Example-High Tariff Agitation - French Industries Alarmed-Something for the American

A year ago we were in the midst of the

tariff excitement growing out of the Mc-

Kinley bill. Committees of manufacturers were rushing back and forth in Washington, some pleading for duties to protect them from ruin, others pleading against proposed duties, likewise to avoid France is now going through precisely the same experience, a commission having been appointed last year to revise the tariff. The French had caught the tariff grippe from us, and with them also to revise means to revise upward.

This commission has been at work for in its reports. Discussion has begun in the chamber of deputies and will continue till next fall. The tariff is to be ready to go into operation next Febru-The chairman of the tariff commission is M. Meline, who may be called the French McKinley. He honors the ideas of our McKinley and parades them be-

fore the chamber of deputies in the garb of patriotism, much after the manner of our lord high tariff maker. He appeals to the example set by the United States as a sufficient reason why France should revise her tariff upward.

When our exports to France, therefore, are cut down by the new French duties, our farmers must thank William McKinley, of Ohio, for having narrowed their foreign market. This M. Meline is thoroughly saturated with McKinley Here is a sentence from his report: "The best system for a country is that which secures for it the greatest amount of labor." Most people of ordinary common sense think that the best system is that which secures the greatest amount of commodities, are quitecontent to save their labor, and will even invent curious and cunning machinery to save labor. But McKinley and Meline think that it is labor that we need, -more and more labor!

But McKinleyism is stirring up a storm of opposition in France. Last year, when we were about to pass the McKinley bill with very heavy duties on French products, the French made haste to put a duty of fifteen cents a bushel on our corn. The result of this, along with the of patience and perseverance. The rise in the price of corn, has been to close up a number of large distilleries in Bordeaux, Marseilles and other places, which were running mainly on corn imported from the United States. The great distillery at Marseilles has been closed up, and the stockholders decided to put it into liquidation. It used about 3,000 bushels of corn per day.

It is pointed out by a French journal that the distilleries of that country using corn had a capital of \$8,000,000, that they were in a most flourishing condition a year ago, but that after eight months of duties on foreign corn the distilleries are ruined. In view of these facts what a piece of grim humor for M. Meline to say in his report, "The producer does not ask for any privilege, he asks for only one thing, and that is

But the distillers are not the only peoby the tariff builders. In Calais inst. across the Strait of Dover from England. the principal industry is the making of cotton laces and nettings, the annual publish: production of which amounts to \$14,-000,000. The industry gives employment to 27,000 persons. Now, these laces are made of a kind of thread produced only in Nottingham, England. The spinners of France do not produce the thread at all, but M. Meline wants to make them spin that grade in order to make "more labor." Accordingly he puts a duty of from thirty-seven to forty-six cents a pound on it.

But this is not all; the lace industry must bear a still greater burden. Its lace looms are not made in France at all, but M. Meline wants to create "more house and formed a school district. labor" for the French people. He does The officer hired alternately their not want the French lace makers to use English looms, and so he performs a great feat of McKinleyism and raises the the wife to teach the school at duty on lace looms, now \$160 each, to

Of course the lace makers protest vigorously against these burdens upon their industry. They point out that the existing duties on cotton thread have crippled the industry, 2,000 of the weavers having emigrated to foreign countries to carry with them the secrets of their

Besides these cases the silk industries of Lyons, Saint Etienne and other places have protested against the proposed duty on raw silk, and the commission abandoned the proposal. But when the com- although a widower, was king-bee mission wanted to vote a duty upon silk goods, and when the great silk manufacturers of Lyons objected, the commis- people remember him as a shoesion went ahead and voted the dutythus protecting the manufacturers in

spite of themselves. A meeting of the paper, book and printing trade of Paris, too, was held to protest against the duties which would prove burdensome to their industry. The manufacturers of linen underwear, with an annual production of \$40,000,000, protested against the anormous duties on their material

five to seven times more than in Germany and Austria:

Thus goes the tariff war in France. It is but a repetition of what has been seen over and over again in our own country. So called statesmen, fancying that they know better than the people themselves their nostrum of protection in order to give the people more work to do to meet their wants. It is the same old story vidual to buy and sell where he choses is ruthlessly infringed, the many are taxed for the few, the powerful, the rich, get the lion's share, and the many weak are fleeced. Such is protection.

Bristol's Horses.

Our amusement goers will be pleased to learn the fact, which is made known in our advertising columns, that Prof. D. M. Bristol and his world-famed school of thirty educated horses, mules and ponies, will appear in the Draper opera house on Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Thursday afternoon. The professor and his ponies, gave an interesting and wonderful entertainment in Ypsilanti last year, and as he has added several new features since then, our amusement lovers may expect something still better from him. Prof. Bristol, aside from showing to what a high degree months, and only recently it has brought the horse can be educated, has done much, very much, to cultivate a spirit of kindness among those who have the care of the horse, for that noble animal, by demonstrating how unnecessary it is to use the whip to make him obey. He was recently asked if it is necessary to use the whip much in training, and the following was his reply: "Years ago I used to think so, but experience has taught me better. Horses that are whipped will never do anything cheerfully, and always show more or less fear." Recently Prof. Bristol played a very successful engagement in Cleveland, during which the World of that city said: "Prof. Bristol and his horses entertained a large number of people at the opera house, Monday evening. There were many ladies and children in the audience, and they were especially delighted with the performances of the horses, ponies and mules. Every animal in the herd is a beauty, and the acts done show that the trainer has a pretty thorough knowledge of horses, and a vast amount performance is not slow nor tiresome; on the contrary, it is interesting and amusing." Everybody should see these wonderful horses.

How they Built Homes.

The state system of collecting delinquent taxes in the past was pro lific of school districts in the northern part of the state. Every settler wanted to be in a separate school district, his own house being the school house, his wife the teacher and his children the scholars, the expense of building the house and the salary of the teacher being paid ple in France who have been stirred up by the state. These things are told again in a very readable !letter to the Grass Lake News, which we re-

> "EDITOR NEWS: Hay is pretty scarce. Farmers have turned out young cattle and colts to graze or hunger. How fast a new country improves. Twenty years ago five men left Waterloo and Grass Lake and went up in the Grand Traverse region, 40 miles from any inhabitant and homesteaded 160 acres of land each, and each built a log chamber as a school room and \$600 a year. They taxed speculators' land to pay the same until each of the five families had a grab at the \$3,000 so raised. Speculators began to sell their land on account of high taxes and now they have a \$6,000 school house in the neighborhood with 60 scholars. Gilead Atkinson, of Grass Lake, lived in the same vicinity, and in the woods. Many Grass Lake maker. His wife was crazy and died in the poorhouse or Kalamzoo asylum. For the first five years six voters were all there were in a radius house, across to the South Ypsilanti of 20 miles and I see the census road, and back on Packard street.

which would thus be made to cost from kinson used to tell of his bashful- ANN ARBOR MARKET REPORT ness and embarrassment at his wedding. He said his wife was robed in white and looked the minister square in the eye without losing her poise in the least at all the dominie's what is best for them to do, step in with questions, but when it got to him he almost fainted and pulled up his coat and trousers' legs, shivered and everywhere. The liberty of the indi- turned pale and was so rattled that when the elder asked him to take this woman as his lawful wedded wife, Atkinson said, 'Oh, oh, did you speak to me?' That was the last he remembered until he introduced his wife by her maiden name and she scowled at him, but he got bravely over it before he died.

"FELIX."

After suffering horribly for years from scrofula in its worst form, a young son of Mr. R. L. King, 766 Franklin street, Richmond, Va., was recently cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparlila. No other medicine can approach this preparation as a cleanser of the blood.

Every-Day Philanthrophy.

Through the efforts of the Woman's League, Miss Adam's, of Chicago, spoke in chapel, Saturday evening and Sunday morning upon Toynbee Hall and Its Outgrowths.'

In the heart of East London, the colleges of Oxford and Cambridge have erected a commodious club 214102V house, named Toynbee Hall in honor of Oxford's ardent young philanthropists. Here the college men come to live for months or years. The aim is to make the hall a centre of civilization for the neigh borhood; there are various clubs cultivating fellowship, there are entertainments, study classes, fine-art exhibits, and lectures on the university extension system.

The same plan of work is being followed in Scotland, in several parts of England, in New York and Chicago. In New York there is the Neighborhood Guild and the College Settlement, the latter being conducted by women of various colleges. Miss Adams and Miss Starr have founded Hall House in one of the most unsavory portions of Chicago, and about 75 of the city's best cultured people lend a little of their time each week to aid in carrying on the many lines of work undertaken. Help is needed; the work is fruitful; only one qualification is required in workers-the desire to lend a hand.

"Twelve Temptations."



Lovers of the spectacular will ave an opportunity next Saturday, of seeing one of the most magnificent spectacles on the road. "The Twelve Temptations" will be presented at the Grand Opera House in its new dress.

The revival of "The Twelve Temp tations," after a lapse of eighteen years, and upon such a stupendous scale, is the most striking illustratration possible of the advance in the methods of spectacular production. Eighteen years ago such a production was only possible in New York and some of the larger cities.

With the facilities now enjoyed, special scenery cars to transport the embellishments, and, with the large number of elegant theaters which are being constructed annually throughout this country, it is an easy task to give a metropolitan produc-

For nearly half a century Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been the most popular cough remedy in the world. The constantly increas-ing demand for this remedy proves it to be the very best specific for colds, coughs, and all dis-eases of the throat and lungs.

The cross country run was taken Saturday from the law building, out Washtenaw avenue to the poor gives the same territory 10,000 now. The distance was about six and a Grass Lake then had double of its half miles; and time, one hour. present number of inhabitants. At- The next run will be next Saturday.

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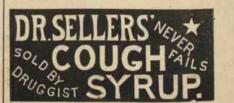
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Oscar Binns has just presented the Manchester Enterprise with a pars-

The new M. E. church in Willis will be dedicated next Sunday, ser-

There will be a meeting of the Pomological society on Saturday evening, May 2, in their room in the court house.

about ten o'clock.

two beer glasses and a stone in his pockets when arrested.

gest snake story of the season.

Michael O'Hara shipped sixteen head of cattle, which he had purchased of John Schleh, from Saline last Thursday. The cattle weighed 21,600 pounds.

Rev. Dr. Breed, of Chicago, gave a very eloquent discourse in University hall Sunday evening on the ministry for students. A very large audience was present.

Ada, the five-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Waenger, of the third ward, died Saturday evening, of brain fever. Funeral this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. S. L. Champlain, of Ypsilanti, died at two o'clock Sunday, husband and son survive her.

Mrs. Harrison Fairchilds, of Ypsilanti, died Sunday evening of la grippe, aged fifty-two years. She was born in this county. She leaves a husband and one daughter.

The carpenters' union are holding a meeting every evening this week, and the renowned Brotherhood leader, Mr. Abrams, of Detroit, will be with them the entire ver, Colorado.

Staats Green died last Friday at his residence on Fourth avenue, of paralysis, aged fifty-nine years. He Sunday in the city. was a brother of the late M. M. Green. The funeral services were ing at J. W. Knight's. held Sunday afternoon.

Robert Martin, the well-known Superior farmer, has just marketed seven head of two-year-old fat cattle weighing over 1,000 each, for which he received 4 cents a pound. M. P. Vogel purchased them.

The University base-ball team defeated the Agricultural College team on the fair grounds here Saturday, by a score of 26 to 4. Six hundred ton. spectators enjoyed the game and the home runs of Booth and Wilkinson.

Our subscribers at Waterloo will over by Mayor Doty. The meeting rejoice over the fact that that place will be addressed by W. F. Abrams, F. Hutzel, J. Mayer, Jr.; John Walz, of Detroit, and others.

At a meeting of the Grand State war, died in Ypsilanti last Thursday Council of the American Order of Steam * Engineers in Jackson last F. Allmendinger, George Dengler, week, the Ann Arbor council was Henry Apfel, John Mayer, Sr., Geo. Burglars broke into the postoffice one of the subordinate councils at Waterloo, lest week, and got \$10 represented and P. Hunter, of Ann William Dieterle, Christian Bonine, Arbor, was elected chaplain of the Egidius Schmidt, August Schneider grand body.

The health officer of Ypsilanti nip, four feet and nine inches long. reports during the last year in that Luick and Eugene K. Frueauff. city, 9 cases of diphtheria, 11 of scarlet fever, 37 of measles and 5 of and Emanuel Spring. typhoid fever with but one death. vices commencing at half-past ten One hundred and seventy separate Mayer, Jr., and Andrew Reule. and distinct complaints of nuisances have been made.

Jos. Wilson and family have re- Wm. Henne. moved to Pittsfield Junction about six miles south from Ann Arbor, Mayer, Jr., William Herz, David F. Five dollars were stolen from the near the parents of Mrs. W. Joe till of McElcheran & McAndrew, in will be greatly missed in Grass Lake, Schumacher and Titus F. Hutzel. Ypsilanti, last Friday morning at as he is one of the best odd job But there is no doubt but that he Fred Bull is serving thirty days will be back before many months ner. in jail for drunkenness. He had have flitted by .- Grass Lake News.

Typographical Union, No. 154, elected the following officers for the It is claimed that two Stockbridge ensuing year, Monday evening: boys killed seventy-five snakes in President, Edgar L. Munyon; viceone day recently. That's the big- president, Guy W. Stevenson; recording and corresponding secretary, Hi Sweet; financial secretary and treasurer, George E. Parker; sergeant-at-arms, Geo. P. Stauch. The newly elected officers will be installed next Monday evening.

Sunday was the seventy-second anniversary of the founding of the order of Odd Fellows in this country. The canton, encampment, and subordinate lodges attended divine service in the morning in a body, at the Baptist church, and listened to a very eloquent sermon from Rev. Mr. Carman. The Odd Fellows were in uniform and every member two, who are out of the city.

The remains of Henry Gardner were brought to this place last Monaged sixty-five. She had resided in day from the Pontiac asylum. The Ypsflanti for twenty-five years. A deceased lived just over the county line in Sharon, where he settled 30 years or so ago. He was at different times insane, and upon his apparent may be made the great event of the recovery his wife would go to the asylum and take him back home, but his sanity was usually of short ing can hope to rival it. The doors duration and he would have to be will be closed promptly at eight returned for treatment and safe keep- o'clock.

The Peake Sisters will be given ing. He was a large man and when by the King's Daughters at the his mind wandered was ugly and Congregational Church next Thurs- dangerous. At one time he was a day evening, April 30, at 8 o'clock. a wife but no children. His burial Admission, 15 cts.; children, 10 cts. took place in the west cemetery.-Grass Lake News.

PERSONAL.

Major W. C. Stevens is in Den-

Mrs. E. A. Rathbone is in Virginia and Georgia.

Chas. Johnson, of Detroit, spent

Miss Kelly, of Cleveland, is visit-

William Condon has been home

from Houghton several days. A. F. Freeman, the Manchester

attorney, is taking a Florida trip. Chas. Sauer was in Detroit on business the fore part of the week.

James Robison, of the Detroit Free Press, was home over Sunday.

E. W. Pratt, of Canton, Ohio, has been visiting Prof. J. C. Knowl-

F. G. Converse, principal of the Pontiac schools, was visiting in the

Arrangement-Wm. Herz, Titus Eugene Oesterlin, Gottlob Luick, George Miller, August Hinz and Albert Schumacher.

Reception-Frederick Schmid, D. Gruner, Thomas Rauschenberger, and Paul Schlanderer.

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The Congregational church in Chelsea will have a new organ to cost about \$500.

Our subscribers at Waterloo will rejoice over the fact that that place will be a didressed by W. F. Abrams, the find the place will be a mass made Friday and the first ward. An attempt was made Friday and the standing the pont of pack the form of pack the contribution of the Chelsea, the fifth ward. A window was broken in, and while standing the pont of the County of Washtenaw and State of Medican charge, and at the form of the County of Washtenaw and State of Medican charge in the county of Washtenaw and State of Medican charge in the county of Washtenaw and State of the county of the coun



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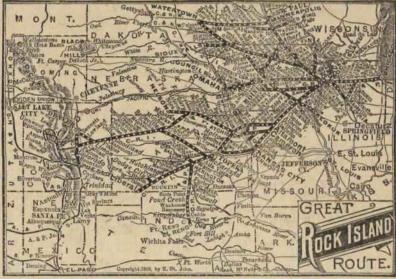
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Questions Asked and Answered at the Annual Roundup of the Wisconsin Farmers' Institutes in Relation to Clover and Hay Making.

The questions asked were answered by Mr. C. H. Everett, who had previously made a talk on clover and hay making before the meeting. We are indebted to The Farmers' Review for the report here

Question—How deep do you sow to get a good catch in a dry season? Answer—We run the harrow over the clover

seed; but that might not be enough on sandy soll. It might be necessary on such soil to sow about two inches deep. Q.—How expensive caps would you buy?

They should cost about six cents apiece

Q .- Do you advise pasturing your clover the first year?

A.-I would not, except where you sow for

fall pasturage.
Q.—How many caps will it take to cover the

hay from an acre of ground?

hay from an acre of ground?

A.—About seventy-five.

Q.—Do you use the tedder after the mower?

A.—No: I have never used one and would not give a dollar bill for one.

Q.—Do you consider alsike clover as good as mammoth clover for sowing and other uses?

A.—No: because it has a surface root, and you cannot get more than one crop from a sowing. It makes a good soiling plant, but is not good. It makes a good soiling plant, but is not good for a permanent clover catch.

Can you get good hay from mammoth A .- Yes; it is good first class hay with full feeding value.
Q.—Do you have any trouble raking this

green hay?

A.—None at all; but I have to make the wind-Q.—Do you have any trouble with the hay molding?

A .- No; and the only time it will mold is when you have many days of bad weather. Q.—What makes clover hay musty?

A.—Fermenting and heating in the mow. Q.—Do you not think that sowing land plas-ter before sowing your clover seed would give you a better catch?

A.-I don't know.
Q.-About how large do you make the hay

A.—They weigh about seventy-five pounds. Q.—Do you think that you get as much feeding value out of clover hay by this process as you would by the silo?

A.—I think that I get more.

Q.—Do you think that it makes any difference if the hay wilts more than in the process that you have described?

Q .- Does it make any difference if the hay

stays under cover more than three days?

A.—No. It will be all right for six or seven days. Q.-Would you recommend saiting clover

A.—No.

Q.—Do you think that salt injures hay? A .- Yes. I think that it starts it to fer

Q.-Is clover worth more for hay than for manure?

A.—I had rather have it for hay than for ma-

nure, for after I have used up the hay for feed I will still have it for manure.

Q.—Does clover do any good by acting as a subsoil plow; that is, do the roots let the air and water down into the subsoil?

A.—I think that they do.
Q.—Do you sow all clover for pasture?
A.—No. I would not depend on clover for pasture, but for that purpose I would sow a mixture of grasses.
Q.—What do you do with the second growth

A .- I pasture it if it is light and cut it if it is heavy. Q.-At what time would you plow clover

A.-When it is in full blossom.

Pastening Asparagus Bunches.

The following points are given in a bulletin from the Ohio experiment station: The practice of fastening asparagus bunches with rubber bands has, after two seasons' trial, been found to have decided advantages over that of tying with a string. The work can be done more rapidly and better. The saving in time is fully one-third, which will pay for the increased cost of rubber over string. In any case, the work can be done in a manner that is much more satisfactory to dealers with rubber than with string. It is stated that rubber bands can be bought for two dollars per pound, and the size best adapted to the purpose runs about two thousand bands per pound, or sufficient for 1,000 bunches. and that this would make the cost about two cents per dozen bunches more than

The method employed in bunching with rubber bands is to slip a band over an ordinary teacup—one with straight suppose that, notwithstanding the cansides and without a handle-fill the cup with asparagus shoots, the heads downward, and then slip the band from the cup to the bunch. This makes a bunch of about the right size and gives the upper end a nicely rounded appearance. All New York Cor. Charleston News and that remains to be done is to slip on another band and to square the butts with a sharp knife. While a metalic cup might answer better, being thinner, a teacup is not objectionable in this particular. If bunches smaller than the cup are desired the cup need not be filled.

to fall apart and become unsightly.

Work Among the Bees.

The time is near at hand when bees need considerable attention. A successful honey crop depends to a great extent on the proper care of bees from now until the main harvest begins. During the first warm days of spring, when the bees are flying freely, every colony should be alone. The young lady was the daugh-carefully examined. Brush out all dead ter of Representative Cox, of Pickens bees and dirt that have accumulated during the winter. Tuck them up warmly and snugly. It will pay to pack all unprotected hives, even in an old store box, well protected from rain. If any colonies are queenless unite them with other weak ones, giving two or three frames or more to each. It will not pay to buy a queen for such a colony unless it is exceedingly strong, and you hospital school attended divine service have no weak ones to unite it with. Look at a church in Lombard street, in the well to the amount of honey each one midst of great banks, and afterward rehas. Ten pounds may be enough to last them until the harvest begins, and it may not. Much depends on the fertility of the queen and the time of the harvest. Never allow bees to get short of stores in the spring. Some people think if they can't gather enough honey after the first flowers bloom they can die. This is a great mistake. They can consume little or much honey. The more honey consumed the more bees. Get the bees, and you will get the surplus if the flowers yield it.—Ohio Farmer.

One Dollar's Worth of Gratitude.

In one of the city's large dry goods shops last week a little cash girl brought to one of the heads of departments in the course of the early afternoon hours of Tuesday a woman's purse. She had just picked it up, she said, on the floor, near the counter, and she remarked as she passed it over that she guessed it was 'stuffed full." The floorwalker opened it and saw at a glance that her opinion was justified. Carrying it to the superintendent's office, he, with that personage, counted the money. The purse contained \$5,066. There were ten five hundred dollar bills, a check for forty dol-

lars and some small bills and change. Within half an hour a pale faced woman appeared at the office, asking breathlessly if a purse had been recently found in the shop. The well stocked pocketbook was hers. She had not left the shop before missing it, discovering her loss at an up stairs department to which she had gone from the one where the purse escaped her. Her identification of the money, including drawer and drawee of the check, was complete, and it was promptly delivered to her.

She thanked the superintendent warmly, and was about to leave the office when that gentleman suggested that she owed the recovery of her money to the honesty of the little cash girl. "Do you think, madam," he said pointedly, "such honesty ought to go unrewarded?" The woman stopped. "No, of course not," she said hastily, and opening the just recovered purse she produced a silver dollar, which she gave to the girl. Then she departed with the fortune of whose keeping she was so careless, and of whose finding she was so unappreciative.—Her Point of View in New York Times.

Journalism in the Rockies.

Journalism in the broad bosom of the Rockies in midwinter is arduous. At this time, when the boulevards are wrapped in the plastic embrace of the snowslide, and the march of communication with the outer world is imaginary and irrepressive, the constituency unite in wishing that winter was gonegone with her laughter and love. The country scribe seeks the snowy wreaths of truth in silence and with uncertain step, as a search warrant parades the realms of somnambulistic slumbers in quest of a hundred typos to cope with the rush of business at the office, which is left in charge of his satanic majesty. Now, what seems death is a change,

when we look deeper down in the world's beautiful, and the blazoned optic sees not fruition but an altar in coercion of the tribute of nature. However, no one can deprive hibernated vitality of this sphere of the felicity that across the vista of winter, with its fathoms of snows and frosts, April smiles, and the atmosphere ripens with fragrance and crocus blooms, just as over the gulf of death Faith sees the glow of the jeweled walls of heaven. N. B.-Only lie in this issue.—Rico News.

Novelty of Window Dressing.

A window was recently shown in a neighboring city, which, from its novel and pretty arrangement, attracted a good amount of attention. A framework making a drawbridge partly open was built. The floor of the bridge was made of striped dress goods, which made a good plank effect. The sides and the girders were made of fancy hosiery, the legs only showing, the foot being carried under and hidden by the floor of the bridge. A wagon heavily laden with boxes of hosiery, marked - & Co., was on the open draw waiting to get across. Lamp posts with red material for glass made a pretty effect at night when lighted. A wax policeman preserved order among the half dozen pedestrians. Finger posts directed the public to the great hosiery sale at --- & Co.'s.-Retailer and Jobber.

Booth's Fortune.

I am glad to say that so far as money is concerned Edwin Booth has enough to keep him in comfort the rest of his life. He was able to give \$130,000 to the Players' club, and if current reports are true string, if the saving in labor is not taken into consideration. Rubber holds the surance companies a sum of money surance companies a sum of money bunches intact while string allows them which insures to him an annuity of \$15, 000 a year for life. He did this when some of his friends rather protested against his lavish gift to the club. I celing of the Booth engagement here, the great actor's name will remain for some years to come a potent attraction to audiences, for Booth, even in his decadence, is still a man worth seeing .-

> Chose to Die with His Sweetheart. Andrew Moore, aged twenty-one, and Miss Ollie Cox, aged sixteen, were drowned in the Luxapalia river, at Kennedy, Ala., recently. This couple, together with Joe Kennedy and Miss Floy Cook, all pupils of the Kennedy high school, were out boating. The boat capsized, and Mr. Kennedy barely succeeded in bringing Miss Cook to the shore, but Mr. Moore was unable to swim through the strong current with Miss Cox, and gave up his life rather than swim out alone. The young lady was the daughcounty. Mr. Moore and Miss Cox were to have been married shortly.-Cor. Memphis Appeal-Avalanche.

London's Easter Customs.

Good Friday and Easter customs in this old country are numerous and curious. For instance, in London, Friday, sixty of the youngest boys of Christ's hospital school attended divine service ceived each a bag of raisins, one new penny and one bun at the old priory church in West Smithfield. Twentyone widows each picked up a new sixpence from a tomb in the churchyard, just as the same number of widows have done for 500 years.-London Letter.

Ex-Premier Crispi, of Italy, finds the law a profitable profession, an Italian steamship company having engaged him as counsel at an annual salary of \$10,-

ABOVE RUBIES.

Shall I tell you a tale that was told to me When the roses blew crimson red, And the white laden boughs of the hawthorn

Iree
Sifted blossoms upon my head?
In the dusk and the bush of the Iwilight gray
We wandered, my lover and I,
Till we came to the tree, with its breath of

And lingered its cool shade by.

"If a love that has lived since the years were

Were to come to you now," said he, 'And lead you away from your childhood's Would you fear to trust it with me?

For I count you a woman above those gems That circle your neck with their glow; And because your true worth their light over-

whelms,
I must ever be telling you so.

When I catch a warm gleam from your soft brown eye, It holds me more closely than they: For I know that your price above them is high, As the words of the Good Book say. Then flash through the darkness and sunlight

E'en more than those jewels to me, So name is more valued than that of 'a wife,' And I whispered "yes," under the tree.

-Nina Picton in Detroit Free Press.

ALI.

In the last years of the Eighth century there reigned in Bagdad the Caliph Abulfeda. Into the coffers of his predecessors the wealth of the east had been poured with a most unsparing hand, and the magnificent "City of the Enchantress" was not only the "Abode of Peace," but a splendid jewel in the Empire of

Of all the caliphs of this wonderful city since Almansor, its founder, no two had blessed or cursed the world with the same idea of what it was necessary that man should do to enjoy life in this world, and at death to be worthy of a place among the dark eyed damsels and beautiful youths of the gardens of

The magnificent Almamoun scattered his inestimable wealth in the greatest contrast with the abstemiousness and frugality of the mighty Omar; and the Haroun-el Raschid of Bagdad is vastly different from the Akbah, whose fanatic advance only the heaving waves of the Atlantic were able to hinder.

The Caliph Abulfeda had succeeded his father, whose desire to gather the gold of the then known world into Bagdad, without expending it for any purpose, had put the youthful prince to many disadvantages, and fostered in him the desire to do otherwise when he would succeed to the mantle of the prophet. Therefore when his own sons were choosing their ends or pleasures the Caliph Abulfeda was always ready to forward or indulge them.

Among the youngest of his many children was Ali. For years he had brooded over and planned on the idea of a wonderful edifice that he hoped in time to construct. Of all the magnificent structures it had been his privilege as a son of the Commander of the Faithful to see, none was in all things the perfection of which the young prince dreamed. Therefore, on the death of his father, the prince began the building of the long deferred happiness.

In time there arose on the banks of the river the most wonderful architectural dream that even that magic age and that wonderful city had produced. Yet to the prince it was unfinished; something was yet lacking to make it the abode of perfect pleasure.

One evening the prince was sauntering along one of the most magnificent of the curiously carved arcades of the palace when a voice called his name:

"Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda! Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda!"

The young prince glanced quickly around on all sides, but beheld no one except the silent sentinels on guard around the palace and the picturesque horsemen that, at a little distance, rode slowly back and forth as safeguards against approaching danger.

Again came the voice: "Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda! Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda!"

Quick as a flash the prince drew the splendidly ornamented and equally splendidly tempered blade at his side and stood ready to face any opponent.

But it was unnecessary. Before him stood an old man, bowed and whitened by the sorrows and trials of many years. His dress and manner also distinguished him as belonging to some other period. "Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda!" he

began. "I am," assented Prince Ali, scarcely knowing whether to tower up to his full beight and answer with the pride he felt in his noble name, or acknowledge his inferiority before a higher power.

"I know you, I know you," answered the aged man. "I knew your honored father and your father's fathers, and"a supernatural expression spreading over his visage-"and I stood side by side with the prophet himself in many a dearly won fight with the enemies of the only true belief. But I wronged him. I did him an injustice, and therefore is my slumber in the tomb disturbed. When the Commander of the Faithful, or one of his children, has an earnest longing or desire, I, or some other who has wronged the prophet, is called from the tomb, in answer to their

"Prince Ali! son of Abulfeda! What is thy desire?"

The prince thereupon began at the birth of his hope for the possession of an architectural wonder, and related all until its completion.

"I understand! I understand!" cried the old man, slowly beckoning the prince to silence. "You have exhausted your worldly knowledge in attempting to succeed to happiness, in gratifying your de-

sire, and have failed? Is it not as I say?" "It is," answered the prince, "and I now yearn for something beyond the power of man to accomplish or understand.

"Be it then as you desire," answered the aged father. "Behold this staff. Ask not from whence it came, nor discover the mystery to any living man, until I return for its possession." The prince took the staff and looked it

curiously over, but nothing extraordinary occurred. Seeing his expectancy the aged man continued:

"The followers of the good man Jesus, whom the Christians believe, and the worshipers of the stars and moon, and the elements, and other works and doings of the one and only God-for there is but one God, and Mohammed is his prophet-have images beautiful to behold, yet far from the handiwork of the creator. To us is forbidden such images. Would you fill the structure you have built with more wonderful images, beyond the construction or understanding of mankind?"

"I would! I would!" exclaimed the prince, delighted with the expectation. "The power is in your hand," answered the strange visitor, and vanished

For several minutes the prince stood as if awakened from a dream. But not long, for just at that moment a young girl, a favorite with the prince, came on tiptoe behind him. Noiselessly, as the soft breeze that scarce moved the dark hair that fell uncontrolled over her white shoulders, she crept up, and was about to

clasp her small hands over his eyes, when the prince, seeing the shadow, and excited by the strange visitor who had just left him, wheeled suddenly around, and in doing so touched the laughing girl with his staff.

As a statue of the whitest marble, she stood before him.

As the prince stood wondering at the magic power of the apparently commonplace staff, a courier approached in all haste with a message from a distant province governed by a very dear friend of Prince Ali.

The breathless messenger fell on his face before the prince, and after salaming after the manner of the day and recovering breath enough to speak, he begged the pardon of the prince for first exacting a promise of secrecy in regard to the matter upon which he had been sent, it being his master's special order.

In his anxiety the prince raised the hand that held the staff and placed it on the shoulder of the exhausted messenger, and he, too, was marble.

As the days went by the palace filled with strange images, and the possessor, of the wonderful staff began to long for the supernatural donor. The possession of his gift began to be a weight, and each image added to the palace was a weight added to the burden of its ruler. Still the longed for visitor came not. At last, when the prince was almost

driven to madness, his strange visitor again appeared. Before he could ask a question of the descendant of the great Mahmoud the staff was thrust into his hands and he was prayed by the memory of the great leader to restore to life the silent images that, instead of adorning, cast a gloom over the palace.

"Is that not beautiful?" asked the strange visitor, pointing to the figure of the mischievous girl favorite. at the grace, the smile almost bursting into laughter."

"It is beautiful, most beautiful," answered the prince, "but her laugh would be to me more beautiful than all."

"And that!" exclaimed the aged man. Look how natural that courier is about to relate his message."

"Most natural, most natural," sighed the prince, "but the unspoken message is locked in that marble breast."

To several others the strange visitor drew the shrinking prince, and commented on the peculiar beauty of each. But the prince could not be diverted from the melancholy that possessed him.

"Take them away! Take them away!" exclaimed the prince. "Leave my palace as it was and I will be happy, perfectly happy!" "Be it as you say," answered the aged

man, "and profit by the lesson." There was a slight rustle in the courts

of the palace, and when it passed all was as it had been; even the strange visitor himself was gone. The palace of Prince Ali of Bagdad stood for ages as it was erected, except

this inscription over the main entrance: ALI, SON OF ABULFEDA, TO THE PRINCES OF THE WORLD. There is no pleasure where the happiness of a fellow creature is endangered; nor is there loveliness in anything where there is either adding to or taking from the handiwork of the

Most High God. -Donald R. MacGregor in New York News.

An Old Fashioned Luncheon. A unique luncheon was given recently

in Brooklyn-nothing less, indeed, than an old fashioned one. "You are to come at 12, bring your work, and stay until 5," dictated the hostess, and at noon sharply the twenty women bidden duly appeared all but two, with their sewing. Bonnets were doffed and a real visit was entered unon. The luncheon was a delicious

one, and was served without a too arbitrary following of the course style-an agreeable medium, indeed, between no courses and "all plates," as the countryman explained his first French restaurant dinner.

When the guests returned to the parlor, instead of the brief standing round before leave taking, which characterizes the modern fashionable luncheon, chairs were cozily drawn into groups, needles and thimbles came out, and though, as one who was there confessed, no serious amount of work was accomplished, the pleasure and sociability of the afternoon were pronounced, as the company included some of Brooklyn's representative women, and the hostess is prominent in more than one circle. Her Point of View in New York Times.

Two Pretty English Words.

"There are some queer things about words when you come to know them intimately," said Dr. Coues, stroking his long, light beard reflectively. one would naturally conclude that words of fifteen or twenty syliables, such as basickeratochondroglossus, the name of a muscle at the root of the tongue, and dacryocystosyringotomy, the name of a surgical operation on the tear duct of the eye, would be most difficult for the lexicographer to manage. Nothing could be further from the fact. The most difficult words we have to define are those of two and three letters. The truth is. like some people, they are so simple that there is nothing by which you can possibly describe them."—Chicago Post.

Unhappy Silk Workers.

The silk industry of this country is protected from 50 to 60 per cent, "for the benefit of American labor." But labor in the silk industry is not happy. Master Workman Kaminski, of the United Silk Workers of North America, claims that in the past twelve months wages have been cut down in some cases as much as 50 per cent.

No wonder then that at the recent meeting of the silk workers they passed the following resolutions:

Whereas, The silk industry of the United States, despite the high protective tariff, is at present in a most deplorable condition, wages being so low that skilled operators are seeking other occupations, and in view of the fact that since 1889 the wages of ribbon weavers have been reduced 58 per cent., be it

Resolved, That the representatives of the United States Silk Workers of North America, now in session, appeal to the friends of American labor not to purchase silk fabrics of foreign manufacture, which are actually inferior to

those made here; and be it

Resolved, That in our opinion neither protection nor free trade benefits the workman, and we therefore call upon all silk workers who are unorganized to band themselves together into the national body, and it is our further opinion that the only protection workingmen will ever receive will be that they give themselves,

But protection is given upon the plea that it will guarantee "good wages and steady employment."

A Young Sailor. The whaling schooner William A.

Grozier, of Provincetown, carries one of the youngest sailors afloat-the captain's son, aged thirteen years, who is now making his seventh voyage whaling. He goes as assistant mate and navigator. He is regarded as a mascot both by owners and crew, as, good luck has followed every trip.—Boston Tran-

Enoch Is Out.

Wisconsin is to have a law which provides that when a husband disappears and is not heard of for three years by his wife she is divorced without further notice. The Enoch Arden business in that state will thus receive a bad black eye, and the man who goes out to feed the hogs will be quite apt to return.-Detroit Free Press.

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