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Boots, Shoes and Rubbers

And all kinds of Footwear,

Must go regardless of cost.

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48 S. Main St., Ann Arbor.

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New Spring Silks, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Embroideries, Laces and Wash Goods

New Goods all over the store. Don't think of old styles or of old prices. New conditions come with the new things. What \$1 used to barely reach, 75c or even 50c is likely to command now,

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Black Figured Mohairs, very desirable at 35c, 50c and 60c 20 pieces All Wool Black Serge at 25c 39c and 50c 50 inch Heavy Storm Serge a bargain at 25c per yard 10 pieces Mohair Jacquards choice designs at 50c, 65c and

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15 pieces New Wool Checks worth 35c, for February at 25c

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New Goods purchased for February business-French Dimities, French Organdies, New Ginghams, Half-wool Challies, Silk Stripe Challies, Wide Percales. All new and choice patterns.

Ready Made Sheets and Pillow Cases

At the cost of the cloth.

- 200 Sheets 24 by 2 ½ yards hemmed and Dry Laundered at 49c each
- 150 Hem-stitched Sheets large size at 65c each
- 200 Hem-stitched Pillow Cases at 16c each
- 200 Bleached Atlantic Mills Cotton Pillow Cases at 12½c each

Embroidery Sale 500 Pieces on sale at 5c to 50c per yard.

Leaders of

It Has Awakened University City Mechanical

A REMARKABLE EXPERIMENT THIS WEEK

Shows That Michigan is Not Much Behind Harvard and the Rest-A Phctograph Made of a Penny and

Key Through Opaque Substances-News of the Week.

mechanical laboratory and experiments attend to mine. with it Tuesday and Wednesday evenings were very successful. According to enthusiasts the new photography is to be in vogue only a short time before the medical world will be able to secure imflesh, bones and tissues of the living mean much to the physician, would of course have a tendency to bring a robust man to a bed of sickness should he have the opportunity to touch the button and discover within himself "all the ills that flesh is heir to," find himself full of liver complaint, appendicitis, tuberculoses, tobacco heart and Bright's disease.

The experiment Tuesday night was made by Prof. John O. Reed, assisted by Prof C. J. Taylor and R. H. Miller. The result was the securing of a good picture of a key and a penny taken through an opaque plate, a piece of card board and two thicknesses of cloth.

The means of obtaining an image through opaque substances is a discovery of Prof. Roentgen, of Wurzburg. Prof. John Trowbridge, of Harvard university, and Prof. Arthur W. Wright, of Yale, have made several experiments and successfully. Prof. Trowbridge has photographed the bones of the hand and two thicknesses of leather, the lead in

ordinary language. It may be described ries, leaving two hours and forty minas a small disk, or plate of aluminum, utes still on hand after making the enclosed in a glass bulb from which the year 450 a leap year. The next four air has been previously exhausted. Opposite the cathode is the anode, the terminal of a wire connected with the batteries. When a powerful current is passed between the anode and the cathode, and a circuit created, a light results.

Tragedy Near Dexter.

employ of Henry Hays, residing two miles from Dexter, committed suicide in the morning Porter came into the of the Ohristian Era, evolver in his hand What passed is not exactly known but the pistol was discharged. Mrs. Hays the afternoon. Porter had disappeared and search revealed his remains in the Porter is 19 years of age, and was formerly in the Coldwater school, enened to end his life.

The inquest into the suicide of Porter was held at Dexter Wednesday. Mrs. Hays testified that Porter came to the house from the barn in the mornshortly. He never said a word and she paid no attenton to him. She heard extent and he was shot Monday. the report and felt the sting of the bul-He expressed regret and went out to the the discovery of the suicide was made in a verdict of suicide.

A Delusion and a Snare.

The Anneke Jans heirs, some of counties, held a meeting Feb. 4th, at Cleveland, to hit upon some method of securing the \$80,000,000 grounds that are believed to belong to them in New

fatuus:

cents, is a swindler and a thief. And while I make no pretentions of extraordinary virtue, I hope that many years of reputation for at least average good conduct will justify me in regarding, as highly offensive, the mere suggestion that I have anything to do with these abominable operations. I must ask future correspondents to accept this general statement as a reply to their letters. For even postage stamps are not sufficient compensation for the time occupied in replying to such foolish enquiries. And I strongly recommend all persons who are infatuated with the delusion that there are any large estates floating around, waiting for them to claim them, to drop A new photography is interesting the that delusion as soon as possible, attend mechanical minds in the university to their own business, and leave me to

Yours respectfully, THOMAS G. SHEARMAN. New York, Jan. 20.

How it Happened.

All the maidens who want to avail themselves of the leap year privileges there will not be another opportunity in the summer time "out on the lot." in eight years.. The last year of every century which cannot be divided by 1700, 1800, and 1900 etc., are not composed of fractional parts, viz: three hundred and sixty-five days, five hours, forty-eight minutes and forty-eight sec-If fractional part of a day was just six hours, the calendar and seasons year by adding one extra day to it, as we now do, calling said year, leap year; but the one day added is eleven minutes and twelve seconds too much; and the calendar is that amount ahead of the seasons, and this state of things renders it necessary that an account be kept between the calendar and the seasons, sometimes one being ahead, and then the other. At the end of the first graphic paper three coins taken through century the former was eighteen hours and forty minutes too much. By cal a pencil and three metal balls through a culation we find that in four centuries pasteboard box. The photograph is the amount would be three days, two taken by what is known as a cathode hours and forty minutes, in view of which the leap day is omitted from The cathode is difficult to describe in the last year of each of the three centuhundred years will be subject to the same experiences, with another two hours and forty minutes on hand in favor of the calendar. Now, two and two-thirds hours are contained in twenty-four, nine times and no remainder, and nine times four hundred years equal thirty-six hundred, from which Charles Porter, a farm hand in the year the leap day is omitted, and the calendar and the seasons start anew, subject to an exact repetition of the last Friday under peculiar conditions. previous thirty-six centuries. The Hays had driven to Dexter, leaving his above calculations are based on the prewife alone in the house. Her story is sumption that the system was regulated to the affect that while she was at work to have commenced at the beginning

An Abandoned Donkey.

stayed until her husband's return in dumb brute to the authorities or to some etc. person who would care for it, the manbarn. The revolver lay close by him. Jimmie could find no produce store boys will get in their work, but the tering Hays' employ last fall. It is donkey was found next day by Mar-procure said that the suicide had often threat- shal Peterson at the corner of Spring

The manager of the "Country Cirasked if the bullet struck her and she day he would have been brought back lots of money. If we get the patronage told him that it had grazed her neck. here to answer to a charge of cruelty to we are all sure everybody will be animals. Gibson made no friends here. | pleased " barn. She went to the neighbors and While acting as ringmaster in the cirthe discovery of the suicide was made as already stated The jury brought "Country Circus" he made some remarks casting reflections on the Midwinter Circus. He was forthwith promptly and effectually hissed and was hissed each time after that when whom reside in this and neighboring he attempted to announce his features.

Revival Meetings.

Anneke-Jans business is an ignis "His eyes are blue as the sky and his but spoke in high terms of the menu. "As I am the only person of that he preaches to the people. Mr. Ostrom master, and showed before the evening name residing in the city of New York, is a man who believes in the religion of that he has no superior as toastmaster or anywhere within 25 miles of it. I laughter—a religion that finds God in in this city. The Hon. A. J. Sawyer recannot blame your readers for writing the glories of the world. He believes sponded to the Bar of Washtenaw County to me. But will you be kind enough man is greater and more important than in a speech full of feeling in which he to inform them in the most explicit and he has yet thought himself to be, and spoke in high praise of the bar departed unmistakable terms, every one who says the soul of man is larger than the and praised the present bar for worthily pretends to be able to recover anything infinite simal spot somewhere between following the high standard set by the on account of the Anneke-Jans estate, his ribs that some try to make it—his early bar. or any from Trinity church or anything soul is as deep as his degradation and Judge Kinne spoke of the Bar as from the bank of Holland, or from the high as his loftiest aspirations. Mr. Viewed from the Bench in a very witty Her only son died a few years ago. bank of England, or from any of the Ostrom is the sort of man that will do and taking speech. Capt E. P. Allen, reported to be crying out for the lawful owners, and asks fee, even for 50 hear him."

The pool of Ypsilanti, was in his best vein when he spoke of the Lawyer in Politics and reasonable. Address or call at resitation part in politics and the necessity of his taking part in politics. many millioned estates. which are often men good. His wit is as keen as his of Ypsilanti, was in his best vein when

The Light Infantry Boys Ready for the Parade.

And the Best Circus Performance the City Ever Saw-Some of the Features-A Successful Bar Banquet-The New Directory.

Light Infantry boys' hard work is to The rink will be turned into a verita ble circus tent for the occasion, for the sides will be covered with canvass, while the floor will be sprinkled with sawdust and the ring will be laid upon a foundation of clay and sawdust which will give it the springy effect should be on the alert during 1896, as that is present when the circus is given

The managers of the circus desire it to be generally understood that the four hundred is not a leap year. Thus, show is to be put on by professional cirous people, the only local talent being leap years, and those of which four Harkins and Granger, who have always hundred is a factor are leap years, except been warm local favorites in comedy the year 3600. The explanation of roles. The circus clown is Lon Moore, the above philosophy is, that years are a professional who comes from Bridgeport, Conn., to put on the fool's cap. Not even the ringmaster will be local. a professional essaying the dress suited whip cracker. Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Miller, who do the two horse carrying could be brought to agree every fourth act, are the star performers. They get the higgest money and bring with them three horses of their own training. La Belle Iina, in an aerial act, and Ed. Myers, strong man, the three Waltons, high class acrobats, who have contracts with Ringling Bros. for next year, Leroy and Morris, the triple horizontal artists, are among the star features.



Besides the circus proper, there will The county she undressed at night. After the shooting Mrs. Hays went to a neighbor's and fed. Instead of turning over the little cassian queen, midget, tattooed man.

There will be a noonday parade Wedager gave it to little Jimmie Blithman. nesday, Feb. 12, and in it the local open from which he could steal a good real circus is all by professional people square meal for the brute and the poor and they the best that money could

The Detroit Wheelmen have expresand Felch Sts. He took it to Dr. Dell's sed their intention of coming en masse barn and the doctor was to keep and Saturday, the last day. They have just care for it and get it in shape so that closed a successful circus of their own, the marshal could ride his donkeyship and the pointers they have given the as one of the features of the parade of local militia have been many and valuing, went up stairs and came down the Midwinter Circus next week. But able. The Ann Arbor road will run a the donkey failed to rally to any great half fare excursion on Wednesday, the first day.

The manager of the "Country Circus" was A. V. Gibson, and but for the "and you will come again. We've got

Remember the dates, Feb. 12-15.

The Bar Banquet.

The second annual bar banquet held last Friday evening in the Cook house was a glittering success, one of those enjoyable banquets that come not too many times in a lifetime, marked by the utmost good feeling on the part of the warring members of the bar whose war-Revival meetings conducted by the fare is confined to the court room. Over York city. Thomas G. Shearman, of celebrated evangelist Henry Ostrom forty members of the bar sat down to the New York, noted for his connection as will begin in the M. E. Church next banquet which was served in elegant counsel in the Tilton-Beecher trial has Saturday evening. He has had great style by Mr. McClure, the host of the sent the following to the Detroit Tri- success in other cities and seems to be a Cook house. And although some were bune, a reading of which should con- whole souled man. The Evening kept awake after the banquet by those vince most persons that the whole Breeze, Menasha, Wis., says of him: delicious crabs, not one could be found

face glows with the sunshine of the joy John F. Lawrence acted as toast-

ities in the higher sense and of the influence of the lawyer and the training that caused society to look upon him as

Dignity of our Profession and made an

the natural leader. Hon. J. C. Knowlton spoke of the

eloquent appeal for true dignity which distinguishes the lawyer from the sharp THERE WILL BE LEMONADE AND PEANUTS practitioner. Col. B. M. Thompson spoke on the Amenities of the Legal Profession in a manner which drew forth the vehement approbation of the members present. A. F. Freeman, Esq., of Manchester, spoke from practical experience of The General Practitioner. This closed the first part of the programme, the second part mark-The time draweth nigh when the ing the turning of the banqueters into a gridiron club, the toastmaster being a law unto himself and calling on bear fruit in the Mid-Winter Circus. whom he pleased prefacing each call with witty saying hitting each man as best fitted the occasion. During this part of the programme two really fine speeches were made. Lawyer Whitney of Gratiot county, general attorney of the Ann Arbor road, depicted his forgetfulness of names in a witty tale and paid a high compliment to Mr. Sawyer. His speech brought down the house. Wirt H Newkirk opened by singing a song and in a hurricane speech awoke the echos with enthusiasm.

> There were other good speeches made, the list of spakers being a long one, including David Taylor, of Chelsea, Fred Freeman and A. J. Waters, of Manchester, Archie Wilkinson, of, Chelsea, John J. Kirk, of Ypsilanti, and the following from Ann Arbor: P. McKernan, W. W. Wedemeyer, Prof. Meacham, E. B. Norris, T. D. Kearney, C. H. Kline, J. Q. A. Sessions, A. E. Gibson, S. W. Beakes and P. J. Lehman. The toasts were interspersed with music and the banquet lasted until very early morning. During the speeches occasion was taken to pay high compliments to Judge Kinne. The second annual banuet was a

Annual Ball Goes to Toledo.

The scrap between the four fraternities who are the "outs" and the nine fraternities who are the "ins" still goes merrily on. After the decision last week by the regents that the four fraternities should be admitted to the Annual Ball the nine fraternities put their heads together and decided to take the ball to Toledo. A special train will leave here with them and their ladies at seven o'clock next Friday night. Street cars will meet them at the Toledo depot and they will thus be conveyed to Memorial hall, where the ball occurs. The ladies will have a good opportunity to try the cordurey road and come back home late in the morning in smoke and dirt in their party gowns. However, the boys think it will be a great lark. The D. K. E.'s have kicked over the traces and claim that their girls will not go to Toledo and refuse to go.

The New Directory.

Glen V. Mills' new directory was issued last Saturday. This is the county edition and is complete in all details. be a sideshow and concert. Harkins county postoffices, lakes and section When the "Country Circus" showed and Granger will be held responsible lines, cities, villages, township divisions found the bullet in her clothes when here last Friday night the company had for the concert, while the side show and railroads. The county portion shows every piece of farm property. The owners of farms who do not live upon their property appear in italic face, a very good scheme the utility of which is apparent. The book contains 600 pages and is twice as large as the county directory of 1890-91.

The directory shows that there are 2,948 families in Ann Arbor, which multiplied by five, gives a population of nearly 15,000. The 3,000 students do not figure in this list. Ypsilanti shows 1,648 families, or a population of 8,240.

Detroit Jealousy.

What will the rival universities of the effete east think of the social standing of the U. of M. when it becomes noised about that the swell society let on her neck. She jumped up and cus" was A. V. Gibson, and but for the said, "what are you doing?" Porter fact that he got out of the state next the features to please, and have spent event of the year is to be held in Toledo. Any kind of a society event, in the accepted signification of the term, must necessarily become a burlesque in Toledo. To hold a cock-fight in the city on the banks of the muddy Maumee would be rational and sensible. But a ball, a hop in which the men wear evening dress and the ladies evening gowns-the very idea is absurd. Aye, it is all but impossible. The junior hop should be held in Detroit, if the warring "frats' cannot agree at Ann Arbor. But if Detroit cannot be selected, Wyandotte or Trenton would be preferable to Toledo. - Evening News.

Death of Mrs. Mary H. Duncan.

Mrs. Mary H. Duncan died at the residence of her sister, Mrs. John Ross, 63 Jefferson street, Tuesday evening, of cancer of the stomach, aged 44 years. The funeral services will be held from the house this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. G. P. Coler officiating.

Mrs. Duncan's husband died in 1874, since which time the deceased had made her home with her brother-inlaw, Mr. Ross. For seven years she was employed at the girls' industrial school at Adrian, resigning her position as manager of the Gillespie cottage two years ago, on account of failing health.

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may that it is the best remedy for all diseases of the blood, whatever the cause. By its peculiar Combination, Propor- faith in the Christian religion. tion and Process, it possesses positive

medicinal merit Peculiar to Itself. of Scrofula and Salt Rheum, even when all other prescriptions and medicines

have failed to do any good.

Blood poisoning, from whatever origin, yields to its powerful cleansing, purifying, vitalizing effect upon the blood. If you desire further particulars, write to us Remember that as below.

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Is the One True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass., U.S. A. Bold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner Pills. They assist digestion

WASHTENAWISMS.

Milo Clark, residing south of Saline, died Thursday of last week very suddenly.

Milan wants two new teachers and modate its 300 pupils.

bean canning factory. Miss Emma Boynton, of Grass Lake,

has been awarded \$500 damages against an Illinois railway, upon which her husband was killed. Theo. Swarthout's residence at Chel-

during the absence of the family at church.

Rev. Bastian Smits, of Ypsilanti, informed his congregation Sunday that he to grow as they pleased. It was late in had received an unanimous call to occupy the Congregational church pulpit at the potatoes were supposed to be Benton Harbor. By an unanimous vote the congregation decided to exercise themselves to the fullest in getting him to remain if possible.

The Wabash road tells the Whittaker people that they must ante up \$100 for the new shed they call a depot or trains will not be stopped there in the future.

Ira Remington, who built the Baptist at Grand Rapids.

State Provident Association to put any are much meensed that the officer hand-

at Chelsea recently and was enjoying a go. dead slumber when his sagacious dog, who has been leading a strictly temperate life, barked until a passerby robbed the man's widow of a cause for a damage suit against the Central.

It is said that there is a married couple living not a thousand miles from up the system and prevents attacks of Chelsea who have not spoken a word to each other in over twelve years. All fever. communication between each other is carried on through the children of the It is also said that there are some men in town who wish that they could be served the same way. - Chelsea Standard.

J. W. Stoddard, of Milan, mourns the loss of a portion of his hand, which came in too close contact to the hammer of a well machine.

They have a sure sign of spring at Milan, for the first thaw has brought engaged in booming the beneficial forth eruptions on the backs of the school children and lengthy poems from their pens on the winds from the south and the girl with the sun kissed curls of blue.

cil of Stockbridge is like a tallow dip Arthur Brown, late Washtenaw county who recounted to him the remarkable lighted and hid under a bushel. They clerk and they looked so much alike never let the pulbic know what they have done when they have held a seance.

A company with \$20,000 capital stock has been organized at Stockbridge and is known as the Stockbridge Brick and Lumber Company. C. D. DePuy, formerly of Chelsea, is president of the concern.

Robins have been seen at Chelsea. Chelsea is an enterprising burg and the annual foot-shake, and who now the man does not live who can discover pass each other by with a stoney glare a robin earlier in the season than Jas. L. Gilbert of that place.

Several weeks ago David Wixom, while in the employ of Chas. Begole, at Ypsilanti, stole Begole's trousers, jacket, shoes and watch. Wixom was sentenced to five years at Jackson, but pow the law under which he was sentenced has been repealed and it looks as if Wixom would soon be in a position sum from an old farmer who came in to steal Begole's barn and house and

While Robert Kelley and Thomas Cooper were cutting a tree on the farm of Patrick Kelley, south of town, their saw, came in contact with something that completely knocked the points off, and upon investigation discovered a halfpint bottle which contained a piece of paper on which was written 1838. There was some writing but the saw must have caught the paper and destroyed the letter. Query-Who could have done it?. - Pinckney Dispatch.

James McDonald lost an eye at South Lyon about a year ago while at work as locomotive engineer. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers recently gave him \$3,000 for total disability for his line of work in consequence. Mo-Donald does not live in South Lyon now but in Iowa. This is wrong, for he should spend his money where he lost

E. A Rogers, of Dundee, secured all And All Other Blood Diseases-How dogs, exhibited at the Toledo bench

There was a leap year party at the Scrofula, Sait Rheum Lima town hall last Friday night.

Horace Hill, before he was arrested saparilla has done, not only once or twice, for stealing from a Petoskey clothing store, was teacher of a Sunday school

is not supposed to shake auybody's George W. Loughridge has secured another large boulder in Superior town-It has cured the most virulent cases ship. It weighs 24 tons and had to be broken to secure it. One piece weigh ing five tons was brought in Monday

> and another piece of seven tons yesterday. — Ypsilanti Sentinel. Dexter citizens have complained to of cit-zens was called, and while nobody present would make specific charges against him, a vote of those assembled

showed that they were dissatisfied.

A young man named Randall, from Ypsilanti, who has been visiting at the home of B. W. Waite, in Scio, came near ending his life here Sunday evening by accidentally taking an overdose of medicine to relieve neuralgia pains. He became helpless on the way home visiting her sister. from church and was driven to the home of F. S. Alley and a physician summoned. It was with the greatest difficulty that his life was saved. - Dexter Leader.

Dr. Vaughn has analyzed the water thinks it should have them to accom- furnished by the Ann Arbor Water Works Co. and has discovered a coli John Stapish, a Chelsea lad, broke germ in it. Now, if the Doctor will John Stapish, a Chelsea lad, broke germ in it. Now, if the Doctor will of cutting down township expenses one of the bones in his right hand and rise up and explain whether a coli germ and giving Sharon the benefit of an sprained several fingers while coasting. is a monster swimming about in the economical administration of her do-Aesthetic Grass Lake is to have a crystal liquid or a morsel such as would mestic affairs. cause waves of delight to chase each other over the face of an epicure he will relieve an overworked imagination been very beneficial to his health. on the part of the public.—Chelsea Standard.

We have before us a very fine, well sea was destroyed by fire Sunday night developed potato which was dug by P. A. Wilson in his garden last Saturday. This patch was planted the first of ast June, the family soon after moved to Ann Arbor and the potatoes were left November when they came back and frozen and nothing more thought of them until by accident they were last Saturday found to be in a fine state of made for the church pews. preservation. - Saline Observer.

F. P. Eddy, residence Jackson, a traveling photographer, was arrested at Stockbridge recently and taken to Dexter on a charge of taking a number of orders and when asked if he had a good chuch at Grass Lake, and other of its picture replying that he must answer pictures were not forthcoming. They Chelsea investors find cause for self- were taken at Dexter and taken from congratulation in the fact that they did Dexter. A deputy sheriff arrested Eddy not put enough faith in the Granite at Stockbridge and Stockbridge people cuffed Eddy. The photographer ex-A drunken man laid down on the track plained matters at Dexter and was let

Catarrh in the Head

is due to impure blood and cannot be cured with local applications. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured hundreds of cases of catarrh because it purifies the blood, and in this way removes the causes of the disease. It also builds pneumonia, diphtheria and typhoid

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with every one who tries them. 25c.

Monroe Democrat Items.

Grip has its arms around the necks of the Milanese. Many of the gentler sex claim to have experienced a fonder

A number of Ypsilanti citizens are effects of the local mineral water. Even a person with incurable catarrh can detect no bad smell about it.

Arthur Brown, new Utah Senator, graduated from the Michigan Uiversity. The Sun says that the common coun- In Ann Arbor recently, he met that the only way they had of telling which was the other, was by their politics, the Utah Brown being a republican while the Washtenaw Brown 'would see himself in ---, first."

> "After the ball is over," the "inside" and "outside" fraternites of the University, who have lately made themselves spectacles for gods and men, by their quarrel over the management of of non-recognition, will recover their senses and probably ask as a favor to be taken out to a back lot and chained in a recumbent posture in sight of an unfettered male sheep, gifted with the maintainance of the Monroe doctrine.

> Fifteen cents gets a hair cut in Dundee, but it was with some reluctance that the barber last fall accepted that after oorn cutting time to have his 'shock'' harvested. The shears grated on something and the barber investigated and pulled out a ten inch scythestone. "Gol darn my skin," cackled the old man, "if that thar aint the very whetstone I stuck over my ear and lost, last hayin' time." This is the report that reaches us, and which we believe to be true because we saw the man who

> > She Would be a Beauty if

her face wasn't covered with pimples and blotches. How often we hear this expression. 'Tis a pity this beauty with an "if" did not go to — 's drug store and get a trial (50c.) bottle of Foley's Sarsaparilla, which would soon clear her complexion.

A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Ar-

Pitcher's Castoria.

Children Cry for

Adrian Press Items. Hillsdale has a "Monday club," It | Mr. Alvery, of Birkett, is preparing

is composed of married ladies and is to move his family to Detroit, their the prizes in sight for his Scotch Collie strictly a literary affair. It also has a future home. "Sunday club" composed entirely of unmarried maidens, which is strictly a social affair, and is what the colleges would term a "co-ed."

The Ann Arbor Courier lately published a fish story, concerning some Ann Arbor chaps, and heads it "Here's three miles south of Dundee. This fact a Whopper." As we saw the same thing more than a year ago in a Kalamazoo paper, we fully agree with the Courier's

Chares Cook, an Ann Arbor crook, Hillsdale. pleaded guilty to stealing dishes from pleaded guilty to stealing dishes from John Pratt, sr., and wife, were at Ed. Duffy's store. He claimed he was the county seat Tuesday. a pitcher for a local ball club, and needed a home plate or two, and pro- nograph concerts at the Lavey school Dexter citizens have complained to Sheriff Judson that they do not like his deputy there, Thos. Bell. A meeting worst Cook I ever saucer," said Duffy worst Cook I ever saucer, said Duffy said product the control of the cook I ever saucer. to the Justice, who thereupon put 15 days in jail on the platter, and gave it to the officer for Cook's benefit.

Sharon.

Cyrus Raymond, father of M. L Raymond, and one of the oldest residents of Sharon, is dangerously ill. Miss Tina Uphaus has returned

from Ann Arbor where she has been

Henry Wacker has purchased forty acres of land in Mississippi. Miss Anna Uphaus visited at M. A

Pierce's on Saturday. Our worthy supervisor, Wm. F. Hall, had the misfortune to swallow a peach pit recently. Such minor matters as these, however, will not prevent his continuing the good work

Will Wecker is still in Alabama and the first of the week. writes that the change of climate has

The parents of Mrs. Bert D. Rose who has been visiting here for some time will depart for Seattle soon.

Mr. Thrasher has moved into Edmund Rowe's house.

The Epworth League will hold a social at the home of Wm. R. Mount this evening.

David DuBoise is working at the mill now.

The Ladies' Missionary Society held their regular meeting at the Center church on Wednesday. In addition to the usual business cushions were

The pupils of Dist. No. 6 held their first social at the residence of E. M. Pierce on Friday evening last. Notwithstanding the inclement weather a goodly number were in attendance An interesting program was rendered which did credit alike to pupils and teacher. The proceeds will be used to best buildings, is very low at his home in the negative. In other words the purchase window shades for the school

> Miss Flora Renan began teaching at Roger's corners on Monday last. Dist. No. 2 purchased a fine globe

> and reading chart recently. C. A. Bullard was in Jackson last

Mrs. Bernhard Ahrens hast just recovered from a severe attack of la

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Pain has no show with Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. All Craggists sell Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.

A New Application of Scripture. There was rejoicing in the village at the killing of a pig. Being dead, it was cut up. A neighbor's cat stole secretly into the larder, and annexed a piece of pork, which she brought in triumph to her mistress. Next day the clergyman of the parish visited the old woman, sagacity of the beast. "It was quite beautiful, sir," she said piously, "to see the way the sweet creature brought me the piece of pork; it brought to my mind what we read in the Bible about Elijah and the ravens."-Realm.

means the prevention of scores of cases of colds, coughs, bronchitis, pneumonia, and consumption. Wet feet do not directly make the germs of consumption appear in the lungs; but they do cause coughs and colds and inflammation of the throat and lungs; weaken the whole system. In this condition the germs of consumption find just the soil in which to work.

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Put up in 50 cent and \$1.00 sizes. The small size may be enough to cure your cough or help your baby. help your baby.

Mr. Crane and family are at home after a six weeks' stay with her parents in the southern part of the state.

Albert Carpenter and wife are spending the winter with Mr. Sly and family at North Lake.

James Quinn and wife, of Pettysville, spent the Sabbath with friends in this village.

Mrs. H. C. Gregory called on Ann Arbor fri nds one day last week. Mr. Benedict has returned from

Mr. Reason gave one of his fine pho-

Mrs. A. Taylor, who has been quite Ladies' Night Gowns from sich, is slowly recovering. It is hoped

she will soon be able to be out. Mr. Huskinson and lady friend, of Hartland, were guests of some of their friends over Sunday.

Frank Collins has returned to his home in Fowlerville after a years stay in this vicinity.

Miss Nellie Newkirk and friend were entertained by their friends in the country Saturday and Sunday. Cards are out announcing the Leap Year dance for Feb. 14 at the opera house given by the bachelor girls of this village. A good time is looked

John Gallagher and wife entertained a number of their society friends at pedro Monday evening.

Mr. Storey spent the Sabbath with Ann Arbor relatives. Miss Clara Schmidt commenced

teaching in the Gallagher district near Hudson, last Monday. Miss Lee was an Ann Arbor visitor

Mr. Hartsuff, of Unadilla, was a pleasant caller Monday.

B. Lynch and family, of Pinckney, were guests of her sister, Mrs. P. Lavey, Sunday last.

Mr. Jones made his many Ann Ar-bor friends a visit the latter part of the week returning home Monday.

Mr. Porter, of Flushing. and sister, of Ann Arbor, were here to attend the funeral of their brother Carence on Monday. Mr. Lathrop made a trip to the uni-

versity city recently. Miss Sweetman, of Hudson, has gone to Pinckney to visit her sister and friends.

Mrs. E. M. Fohey and daughter, of Livingston county, visited her sister

Mr. Clark, of Hamburg, was on our streets Saturday. Miss Walsh, of Dexter township, has

gone to visit her sister and friends in the west. Wheeler, of Putnam, was in

Mr. Wheeler, town Wednesday. Quite a number in and around this village are having a tussle with the

Messrs. Lennon and friends, of Lenox, passed through here on Tuesday on their way to Sylvan.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These Pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver trouble they have proved invaluable. They are guaran-teed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do dot weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25 cents per box Sold by Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, of Manchester.

Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bert Lord the past week, Also Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, from South Rockwood, a sister of Mrs. Lord.

Anniversary of 20 years at Geo. Russel's on Wednesday evening, Feb. 5. John Johnson is improving.

Edwin Niles is to be seen around the Willis again. He has been assisting Fred Smith in holding revival meetings at Monroe, Ind.

Eugene Wood, son of Rev. Edward Wood, formerly of this place, is here for a short time from Manchester lecturing. Mrs. Howard Moore from Manton,

is out visiting friends and relatives. Henry Walters has been numbered with the sick, but is on the gain.
Revival meetings commence at
Willis, Monday evening, Feb. 3d.

Henry Fullington has commenced carrying milk to the Ypsilanti creamery.
Mr. Canfield from Pittsfield, was at

Whittaker's corners one day last week. Frank Stevens was down to H. S. Day's on business last Thursday. Closing out sale at E. Bordin's store and meat market.

Baldness is often preceded or accompanied by grayness of the hair. To prevent both baldness and grayness, use Hall's Hair Renewer, an honest remedy.

Mooreville. Sam and Lee Draper are on the sick

Mr. A. McIntyre lost a valuable horse last Friday night.

Miss Josephine Case, teacher of music in the schools at Hudson, was at home over Sunday. Mr. A. R. Dexter, of Milan, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ful-

Mr. Mitchell, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. M. Miller and fam-

Mr. Milo Clark, one of York's Mr. Milo Clark, one of York's most respected citizens, passed away last Thursday morning. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday morning, Rev. Mr. Shepard officiating. Mr. Clark was highly honored by all who knew him. He was a man for the last respect to the control of the last respective to the control of the last respective to the control of the last respective to the last of such a strong and beautiful christian character, that he will be greatly missed from both the church and com-





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THOUSANDS of young men, middle aged men and old men can look back at their boyhood days or early manhood with a sigh of remorse. The ignorence of early youth, or later on a misspent life as "one of the boys" has sown the seeds for future suffering. SELF ABUSE is a terrible sin against nature and will bring a rich harves. Blood and Private Di esses sap the very life and vitality of the victim. Our NEW METHOD TREATMENT will positively cure all the following diseases:

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ADE VOU? NERVOUS and despondent; weak or debilitated; tired mornings; no ambition—lifeless; memory poor; easily fatigued; excitable and irritable; eyes sunken, red and blurred; pimples on face; dreams and night losses; restless; haggard looking; weak back, bone pains; hair loose; nlcers; sore throat; variocele; deposit in urine and drains at stool; distrustful; want of confidence; lack of energy and strength—WE CAN CURE YOU OR ASK NO PAY.

CURES GUARANTEED OR NO PAY—CONFIDENTIAL SNATCHED FROM THE GRAVE. A Warning from the Living. "At doctors and nerve tonics by the score without benefit; emissions and drains increased. I became a nervous wreck. A friend who had been cured by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan of a similar disease, advised me to try them. I did so and in two months was positively cured. This was eight years ago. I am now married and have two healthy children."—C. W. LEWIS, Saginaw,

VARICOCELE CURED. "Varicocele made life miserable. I was weak and nervous, eyes sunken, bashful in society, hair thin, no ambition. The 'Golden Monitor' opened my eyes. The New Method Treatment of Drs. Kennedy and Kergan cured me in a few weeks.—I. L. PETERSON, Ionia,

EMISSIONS CURED. J.P. EMERSON relates his experience. "I lived on weakened me physically, sexually and mentally. Family doctors said I was going into 'decline' (consumption.) Finally 'The Golden Monitor,' edited by Drs. Kennedy & Kergan, fell into my hands. I learned the TRUTH and the CAUSE. Self-abuse had sapped my vitality. I took the New Method Treatment and was cured. My friends think I was cured of consumption. I have sent them many patients, all of whom were cured. Their New Method Treatment supplies vigor, vitality and manhood." SYPHILS CURED. "This terrible blood disease was in my system for eight returned. Eyes red, pimples and blotches on the skin, ulcers in the mouth and on tongue, bone pains, falling out of hair, weakness, etc. My brother, who had been cured of Gleet and Stricture by Drs. Kennedy and Kergan, recommended them. They cured me in a few weeks, and I thank God I consulted them. No return of the d sease in six years."—W. P. M., Jackson.

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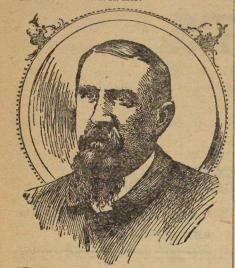
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Nervous Prostration

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Prolonged derangement of the nervous system not only affects the brain and mental powers, but develops disease in some of the vital organs. The most dangerous of these indirect results is when the heart is affected. This was the case of the Rev. N. F. Surface, Fawn River, Mich., who writes under date of Feb. 14, 1895:



"Fourteen years ago I had a slight stroke of paralysis. Overwork brought on nervous prostration. I was exceedingly nervous and the exertion of public speaking caused heart palpitation that threatened my life. I used two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Oure for my heart trouble, and two of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine for my nervousness and feel better than I ever expected to teel again. I can speak for hours without tiring or having my heart flutter as it for-merly did, and I have you to thank that I am alive today."

On sale by all druggists. Dr. Miles' Book on Heart and Nervous Disorders FREE by mail. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind. Dr. Miles' Remedies Restore Health.

The revival meetings at the M. E. church are still in operation with quite

G. R. Williams is quite ill with heart trouble and la grippe.

Mrs. Chapin was called to Weston the first of the week on account of the illness of her father, Ira Remmington. Rev. H. F. Shier is quite ill with la

Miss Clark, a Utah missionary, spoke to the ladies of the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sill left for Detroit Wednesday morning for a protracted visit.

Mrs. J. Pool is quite ill.

Mrs. L. Clark visited friends in the country Tuesday.

Chas. Schmit has the plate glass windows in his new store on River

Mr. Stoddard hurt his left hand quite seriously the first of the week by the hammer coming down and nearly erushing it. He was at work putting down a well for Mr. Lewis on Hurd

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rouse have returned from their Detroit visit.

Mrs. H. W. Hack and son James drove to Dandee Saturday and spent Sunday with Prof. and Mrs. Geo. A.

Mrs. C. Denton entertained guests at dinner Tuesday.

. Indian clubs are in order at present in progressive Milan.

banquet are the items of conversation at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dehenham are entertaining guests from out of town.

Manchester.

Jacob Zang and Eddie Nisle spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Ira Gwinner is visiting friends in Jackson.

Henry Landwehr, of Sharon, has moved to town, occupying the Kirchgessner house next to Dr. Kapp's.

Mrs. Anna Gieske-Bean, of Hespeler, Ont., is visiting relatives and friends in and about Manchester.

The young ladies are making great preparations for a leap year party the 17 inst, at Arbeiter hall.

Miss Mary Kirchhofer, preceptress of the high school, gave a very pretty reception to the senior class and high school teachers Wednesday evening. A good time was enjoyed by all.

The relatives and friends of Mr. Fred Schiable gave him a very pleasant surprise Tuesday, it being his 57th birthday.

Mrs. Ella Perkins Miller and Miss Raitz, of Toledo, O., will give an entertainment at the M. E. church next Wednesday evening.

Miss Nettie Logan, of the junior class of the high school, entertained the class at her home last Wednesday even-

Mr. Carr, who has been conducting a singing school for the past month, closed Tuesday evening with a recital, which was well attended. All who troduced again with various amendments participated did nicely.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters for Rheumatism. Or. Miles' Nerve Plasters 25c. at all druggists.

Your Boy Wont Live a Month. So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St. South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: "Your boy wont live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial bottles Free at at Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co.. Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haussler, of

No morphine or opium in Dr. Miles' PAIN PALS. OURE All Pain. "One cent a dose."

BOND BIDS ARE OPENED

Much Interest Manifested in the substitute Resolution To Be Reported to Ceremony.

The Opening and Scheduling of the Bids ban Resolution Agreed Upon—Pickler's

Pension Bill, Weshington Name

(Resolved, By the senate (the house of Pension Bill-Washington News,

States 4 per cent. thirty-year bonds, which er loans, and as early as 9:30 o'clock prominent capitalists from New York and other eastern cities began to put in an appearance at the treasury. Many of them called on Assistant Secretary Curtis, who explained to them what arrangements had been made for the opening. The opening and scheduling of the bids was conducted under the direction of Assistant Secretary Curtis by a committee consisting of Mr. Morgan, United States treasurer; Mr. Eckels, the comptroller of the currency; Mr. Huntington, chief of the division of loans and currency.

Bids Came Rapidly.

All the morning bond bids came in rapidly, swelling largely the already long strung out list of bidders, great and small. Every train and every mail brought a list of bond bids and at 11 o'clock the expectations of treasury officials were rising and predictions were made freely that the loan would be largely over subscribed and that bonds would bring a good price. At 11:30 o'clock the large crowd assembled about the secretary's door was allowed to enter and all the available space was soon oc-

At 12:15 p. m. Mr. Eckels of the committee announced that up to this time there had been received 3,707 bids, aggregating \$380,233,500, ranging in price from par to 119 and a fraction. Other bids not yet opened would probably raise the number to 4,500, aggregating \$75,000,000 more.

Carlisle Greatly Pleased. J. P. Morgan, Harvey Fisk & Son and the Deutsche bank of Berlin, as a syndicate, subscribed for \$100,000,000 at \$110.6878. Up to 1:40 o'clock 4,640 bids for \$685,269,850 had been opened.

The total (corrected) number of bids received for the new loan is 4,640, aggregatmg \$556,269,850. This number and amount do not include three bids of \$100,000,000, \$16,000,000, and \$6,000,000, which are at least of doubtful authenticity. Secretary Carlisle was greatly pleased at the brilliantly conspicuous success of the loan, and said that it showed what the people of this country would do when appealed to. He thought, too, that the effect abroad would be very marked in our favor.

What the Public Gets. The public gets \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000 Pierpont Morgan syndicate secures the remainder on a bid of 110.6878 for \$100,000,-000. Scattering bids were received from banks and investors above that figure for about the sum first mentioned. The Morgan bid shuts out the combination bidding engineered by John T. Stewart, Russell Sage, and a half dozen trust com-panies under their leadership. Not less than \$125,000,000 was bid for by these concerns and their customers at the uniform price of 110.075. The net price realized by the government for the whole issue will be very close to 3% per cent. The Morgan bid is fractionally above that figure about 3 7-16.

NATIONAL LAWMAKERS.

The Masonic valentine social and Proceedings of the Solons in Both House of Congress.

> WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.-In the senate Wednesday Morgan from the committee gun. The lowest estimate places this amount at \$100,000. The loss will fall belligerency resolution, saying it met with his full approval. Call gave notice that he would call up the resolution as soon as he could secure the attention of the senate. Quay's resolution to recommit the free coinage substitute for the tariff bill was laid before the senate when it was found that a prior resolution of Hansbrough directing the secretary of agriculture to execute the law as to seed distribution had precedence. After some discussion it was agreed that the seed resolution would not be considered until 2 o'clock, and if disposed of before then Quay's resolution would be taken up. If not the Quay reso-lution will come up Thursday.

In the house Wednesday Delegate Gatron of New Mexico introduced a bill to prevent the pugitistic festival from taking place near El Paso. The bill makes prizefighting a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not less than five years — referred. The bill was again taken up and passed. The District of Columbia appropriation bill on which a fight has been made over charitable appropriations was defeated by a vote of yeas, 135, to 143 nays.

At 3 o'clock the house went into committee of the whole for the consideration of the senate free coinage substitute for the bond bill.

PICKLER'S PENSION BILL.

Will Be Introduced Again with Important Amendments.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The house committee on invalid pensions has completed the consideration of Representative Pickler's general pension bill. It will be in-

and when printed will be at once reported favorably. The amendments of most importance provide that when fraud is alleged the allegations shall be reduced to writing and be under oath and that the person affected shall be furnished a certified copy of them. He shall also be provided the names of the persons bringing the charges and of the witnesses by whom such charges are to be proved at least thirty days before the investigation takes

place.

"Order 229" of the pension bureau is abolished by a provision which permits applicants to swear that they know the substance of papers filed by them to be true, the present law providing that such statements shall be written in the presence of the person making application and from his oral dictation, and not allowing him to be aided or prompted in any man-ner. The limit of income allowed a widow below which amount she is entitled to a pension is raised to \$300. The decision of the supreme court that the

war of the rebellion terminated Aug. 20, 1866, is made a provision of the bill.

RECOGNITION OF CUBANS,

the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The senate committee on foreign relations Wednesday Lough Swilly, the remartie "Lake of NOTED CAPITALISTS 'ON HAND, morning agreed upon a substitute for the Shadows," he noticed an immense gathresolution heretofore reported on the ques- ering of rooks on the sandy shore. tion of the recognition of the Cuban in-Conducted by a Committee Under the surgents, and authorized Morgan to re- tourist was attracted by this novel spec-Direction of Assistant Secretary of the port it to the senate. The substitute is in tacle, and began to wonder at the cause Treasury Curtis-Substitute for the Cu- the shape of a concurrent resolution. As

representatives concurring) that in the WASHINGTON Feb. 6.—The secretary of opinion of congress a condition of public the treasury Wednesday opened the bids for the purchase of \$100,000,000 of United States 4 per cent. thirty-year bonds, which time maintained by force of arms by had been received under his call, dated the people of Cuba; and that the United Jan. 6 last. The interest manifested far States of America should maintain a exceeded that attending either of the oth- strict neutrality between the contending powers and accord to each all the rights of belligerants in the ports and territory of the United States.'

The committee also voted to make an effort to take up the Cuban question in the senate as soon as the urgent deficiency bill and the resolution for the distribution of the appropriation bills can be dis-

Pictures with Cigarettes.

WASHINGTON, Feb 6.—A few weeks ago several manufacturers of cigarettes appeared before the commissioner of internal revenue and asked that he make a ruling on the practice of manufacturers packing inside of cigarettes foreign substances, such as pictures, pennies, etc. Representatives of the so-called independ ent manufacturers also appeared and urged that no ruling be made. After taking the matter under advisement the commissioner has decided that he would leave the matter where it now stands and make no ruling at all.

Dinner to President and Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. - Postmaster General and Mrs. Wilson gave their annual dinner to the president and cabinet Tuesday night. The guests and those invited to meet them were President and Mrs. Cleveland, Secretary and Mrs. Olney, Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle, Secretary and Mrs. Lamont, Secretary and Mrs. Smith, Attorney General and Mrs. Harmon, Secretary and Miss Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Isador Straus of New York, Mrs. Leigh Robinson and Dr. Huntington of Columbian university, father of Mrs. Wilson.

Supreme Court Adjourns.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The October term of the supreme court of the United States was concluded Tuesday and the court adjourned until March 2. During the term 217 cases have been disposed of, as against 165 last year.

THRASHED A REPORTER.

Shooting Scrape Narrowly Averted in the City Hall at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 6.—An exciting scene occurred in the city hall Tuesday afternoon when Walter Davis, brother of the mayor, thrashed P. E. Dwyer, a reof the \$100,000,000 popular loan, and the porter for The Times, because of an article writen by him and reflecting on Davis' father. Later Ordinance Clerk E. A. Norris struck City Editor Charles E. Sutton of the same paper in the mouth, drawing blood. Norris and Sutton had passed the lie, and after the blow was struck Sutton drew a revolver in self-defense and held a crowd of clerks who had surrounded him at bay. Mayor Davis entered upon the scene and quieted the belligerents before serious trouble resulted.

Cost of St. Paul Grounding.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.-Shipping men the largest ever collected from any one vessel since the building of ships was bever self-interest astimate places this vessel since the building of ships was beon the underwriters as the American line does not insure its own vessels. If mismangement could be proved against the officers of the company, however, suit may be brought and the total loss collected from the steamship company.

Youthful Train Wreckers Arrested. AMHERST, Wis., Feb., 6.-William and John McCunn, aged 17 and 18 respectivemiles south of here, by Detectives Wheelock and Carklek, on a charge of placing ridiculed his bungling manner. But the a rail across the Wisconsin Central railway track, about two miles southeast of Amherst on the night of Jan. 31. The prisoners made a written confession that they intended to wreck the train and rob the passengers. The spot chosen was a dangerous one and a terrible wreck would have occurred had not an extra freight killed him. train found the obstruction.

Four Prisoners Break Jail.

BUNKIE, La., Feb. 6.-- A jail delivery was effected here Tuesday night, in which four prisoners charged with mur-der, escaped. Two of them, John Joles and Henry Simmons, had been convicted, sentenced to be hanged, and the date of execution, February 14, fixed by the governor. Callihan and Mitchell, the other two who escaped, were indicted for murder.

Daring Robber Caught.

street here Tuesday in uroad daylight pawnshop and carried in the hands of C. P. Paully, cashier of the Standard Oil an incompetent, had thus made manicompany was robbed of \$545, which he fest its power.—Lyman Horace Weeks was taking to the bank. The highwayman was John Searcy, 22 years old, a local tough with a bad record. Searcy was captured after an exciting chase and the money recovered.

Governor Altgeld Returns to Springfield. SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 6.-Governor Altgeld arrived here Wednesday from a month's sojourn at Hot Springs, Ark., and other southern points, where he went to recuperate and strengthen himself. He is looking quite well, and says he feels stronger now than he has for many months past.

Died in a Workhouse.

LONDON, Feb. 6.-A dispatch from Leeds announces the death in the workhouse there of H. J. Sargeant, formerly a theatrical manager, who was at one time connected with dramatic ventures in the United States.

Indiana Bank Failure.

CONNERSVILLE, Feb. 6.—The Citizens' bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Huston, assigned Wednesday morning. The statement to the public says that all deposits will be paid in full in

Preparing For the Storm. A correspondent in the north of Ireland sends the following account of an interesting incident that came under his

Being on a walking tour through Inishowen, and passing along the edge of

In company with several others, the of it. An old man, who was working in a field near the place, offered an explanation. He said that the birds were picking up sand to ballast themselves in a storm, and that when they did so it was a sure sign of approaching bad weather. He added that on shooting rooks after a gathering of the sort he had found that they were loaded with sand.

As a matter of fact, the gentleman concludes, a violent gale set in early next morning. - Pearson's Weekly.

Glad Tidings to Asthma Sufferers. Foley's Honey and Tar gives quick and positive relief to all cases. A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Ar-

Obtained Expert Advice.

Talk about nerve! A Caribou dentist tells The Republican that a woman came to his rooms one day lately, and, showing him an aching tooth, asked if it would come out hard. The dentist, after an inspection, replied that it would be an easy tooth to pull; whereupon the sufferer remarked: "Wall, I'm glad. A blacksmith promised to pull the tooth with a pair of pinchers, and I guess I'll let him do the job, if the tooth is comin easy." And away she went, leaving an astonished and bewildered dentist to gaze at her in wonder as she started for the blacksmith's shop.—Lewiston Jour-

The soothing, lung-healing virtues of the newly cut pine are all embodied in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, the sovereign remedy for coughs and colds and lung troubles of all sorts.

Boston's "Uncle Noah."

There is a well meaning old gentleman in Boston who goes about in fair weather or foul with an open umbrella over his head. He is one of the notable characters of the town, highly respected as far as that goes, but pitied as the victim of the delusion that a downpour is always impending. The story is abroad in Boston that he once got a terrible drenching and contracted therefrom a cold that threw him into a fever, out of which he issued with his life, but an unbalanced mind. All he could remember of his experience was that he was caught out without an umbrella, and though capable of doing business and comprehending every other subject, he still lives in dread of a second deluge. He is known as "Uncle Noah."-Boston Herald.

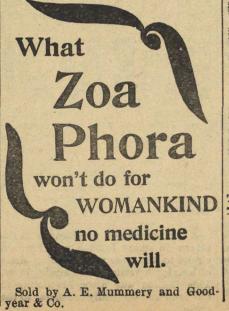
The Proper Time

When the most benefit is to be derived from a good medicine. is early in the year. This is the season when the tired body, weakened organs and nervous system yearn for a building-up medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Many wait for the open spring weather and, in fact, delay giving attention to to their physical condition so long, that a long siege of sickness is inevitable. To rid the system of the impurities accumulated during the winter season, are already at work fixing up a general to purify the blood and to invigorate average list of the losses sustained by the the whole system, there is nothing St. Paul. Opinions differ as to the equal to Hood's Sarsapariila. Don't

Self Acting Weapons.

A common story was to the effect that a Muramasa sword was once on a time pledged to a pawnbroker. The fellow thought this a fine opportunity to parade himself as a gentleman, and, accordingly, on a festival day he wore the sword. Quarreling with some idle fellows, he essayed to use the weapon, but his unly, were arrested at their home, about five familiarity with it excited the derision of the bystanders, who unmercifully merriment of these individuals was short lived. The sword itself took the matter in hand, as though the taunts impugned its own skill, and soon laid low all its traducers. Then it turned against the unfortunate pawnbroker and

Another story is the basis of a popular Japanese drama, and tells of the adventures of a samurai with a strange sword which he had borrowed from a pawnbroker. He lightly hit a man with the blade without apparently wounding him in the least. Some time after the man suddenly dropped dead, and it was found that the sword had inflicted a mortal wound even when it had scarcely drawn blood. Upon examination this was found to be a Muramasa, which, KANSAS CITY, Feb. 6.-On an outlying though coming from the dishonor of a in Lippincott's.





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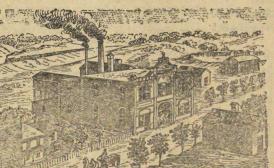
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1896.

President Cleveland has again honered Michigan by the appointment of Edwin F. Uhl, as ambassador to Germany. Mr. Uhl was born in Ypsilanti, is a graduate of the University of Michigan and was at one time prosecuting attorney of Washtenaw county. Of recent years he has been a prominent attorney of Grand Rapids. He has been assistant secretary of state since Cleveland's second term and his course has been marked by strong Americanism and by a thorough understanding of his duties. The German papers of this country speak in high terms of the appointment, which, as his old friends and neighbors well know, he is ably qualfied to fill.

Mayor Pingree, of Detroit, is conducting another wagon campaign for the republican gubernatorial nomination and is throwing dust in the eyes of O'Donnell, Wheeler, Bliss, Conant, and Ferry. It is Pingree against the field and Pingree has set out to howl louder than all the rest put together. It is a howling demagogical campaign. In the meantime the people are thinking about that three million state tax. And George L. Yaple may emerage from his retirement to surprise them.

Even the reputlican politicians have not been able to explain to the satisfaction of their followers the high state tax, which is a million dollars more than ever before.

General Harrison has withdrawn from the presidential race and the republican field is now left to McKinley, Reed, Allison, Morton, Davis and the

The Bell Ringers.

The Imperial Carillonneurs. What does that mean? It means an evening's entertainment by the Royal Hand-Bell Ringers, of London, Eng. This company is again playing in the United States after an absence of five years, and everywhere they apappear there is praise and praise and nothing but praise.

Robert J. Burdette, who recently appeared here in the Y. M. C. A. Lysoum course, writes to Mr. McAllaster in reference to this troupe:

De Soto, Mo., Jan. 14, '96.

My Dear McAllaster: "Yours of Jan. 7 met me here today, and this was the very place right in this little city, and under the management of this very Lyceum committee, the chairman of which, Mr. C. M. Gill, is a Michigan man, a Hillsdale graduate, and another member, Mr. Bean, a prominent attorney here, is an alumnus of Ann Arbor. Your Bell Ringers gave an entertainment which makes music in the memories of the people of De Soto unto this day. But the verdict is the same everywhere. I have followed the Bell Ringers in a number of lecture courses, and hear nothing but praise of them. Always there is a desire to have them come back again, which is the best endorsement any organization can receive from the people. They will give the patrons of your course a most delightful evening. This I know because I have heard them, and know that my warmest praise will fall short of doing them

Sincerely Yours, ROBERT J. BURDETTE."

The above endorsement is all that any company ought to need. They appear here in Ann Arbor on Thursday evening of next week, Feb. 13, at the Presbyterian church, and there will be a crowd to greet them. The small admission fee of 35 cents is all the Y. M. C. A. management

The Chicago Tribune: "As bell-ringers this company is superior to any ever seen here."

Chicago Inter Ocean: "Home, Sweet Home," and "The Sailor's Hornpipe," were given with such delicacy and fine tone coloring that it seemed as if an organ accompaniament were subduing the metallic effect in soft blown measures.

Brooklyn Eagle: They did their work as no bell-ringers ever before succeeded in doing in this country. All who heard them long to hear

Boston Transcript: Music of a high order was rendered in a way that

First Break in the Anti-Blackburn Column.

AN EXCITING DAY AT FRANKFORT.

Indication of the Feeling Noticed by the Absence of Ladies in the Lobbies-Senator Ogilvie's Appearance Greeted with Cheers-Result of the Last Ballot-Senator Butler Issues an Address to North Carolina Silverites-Political Items.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 6.-For thirty minutes before the clock in the house chamber indicated the noon hour Wednesday the lobbies and gallery of the house were crowded to their utmost capacity. Everybody was talking about the senatorial race and the feeling as to the outcome of the ballot was intense. The qualification of Beckham, and Ogilivie's appearance in the senate chamber had awakened both parties to a realization of the struggle ahead and the members, who for a week have been careless and taking but a passing interest, were thoroughly aroused.

Cheers for Ogilvie. As the clock indicated the hour Senator Ogilvie walked down the hall of the house leaning heavily on the arm of Senator Sims. His appearance was cheered by those in the lobby and galleries. A moment later the doorkeeper announced that the senate of Kentucky and the general assembly was ready for the thirteenth ballot. An indication of the intense feeling was noticed in the absence of ladies in the lobbies, not a single one being present. Roll call showed 134 present. The following pairs were announced: In the senate-Clark and Lay; in the house -Furnish and Henton.

First Break for Blackburn.

Senator Hayward caused the first break in the anti-Blackburn column by voting for Blackburn. Senator Holloway fol lowed up the break by voting for Black-burn. Both votes were wildly cheered. Stege caused great applause from the galleries by voting for Hunter and Weissin ger received an ovation from the Republicans when he voted for Carlisle. Carroll voted for Carlisle amid applause. Edrington, Pop., voted for Blackburn; Poor, Pop., voted for Bate; Speight for Mc-Creary and Violett for Carlisle. The ballot resulted: Hunter 66, Blackburn 62, Carlisle 3, McCreary 2, Bate 1.

BUTLER TESTS HIS POWER. Calls for Organization of the Silver Party

in North Carolina. RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 6.—Senator Marion Butler, chairman of the North Carolina Populist committee, has issued an address calling for the organization of the silver party in North Carolina. It was published Tuesday and caused a decided sensation. It is regarded as a supreme test of his power. Among other things it

ays:
"The Democratic wing and the Republican wing of the gold party will nominate candidates who belong to the British gold trust and stand for the same evils that now curse humanity. No congress will ever be able to give the people relief and good government until an American patriot is put into the White House.

"In the coming campaign the people

will have an opportunity to vote for an electoral ticket sound upon this great question, for a state ticket, and for congressmen, and for a whole ticket that is equally sound and reliable from top to bottom. The fight will be drawn square in the nation from ocean to ocean, and in North Carolina from mountains to the

Statement by Morrison.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.-William R. Morrison, interstate commerce commissioner, speaking of the report that he had sent like the rivers of her borders, flow on the the Illinois Democratic leaders word that the free coinage idea must be abandoned or he would refuse to be a candidate for it wanted to meet me. Because the Democratic presidential nomination, said: "I have sent no messages to the Democracy of Illinois by any one whom-soever. This answers all the assertions, and is as good as a whole column of de-

Elected on a "Pure Water" Warcry, DULUTH, Feb. 6. -Henry Truelsen was elected mayor of Duluth Tuesday by a majority of 776 over Seward D. Allen, the regular nominee of the Republican convention. Truelsen was a self-constituted candidate, and in his fight he was opposed by all the daily and weekly papers and the leading citizens. His warcry was "pure water" and new waterworks, owned

LEVEE IS BROKEN.

Brazos River Inundating the Country Near Hempstead, Tex., and Still Rising.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 6.-At last accounts the Brazos river was still rising and John L. Geher, all of whom made adan inch an hour. The levee at Stone dresses, after which resolutions were plantation, near Hempstead, is broken. The crevasse is forty feet wide and growing wider, and the water is rushing over the surrounding country. The entire valley will be inundated. At Richmond and Valasco the river is still rising and flood ing the valley. In Washington county the Yequa river is out of its banks and thousands of acres are flooded. Besides the loss of property farming operations will be delayed by the protracted rains.

No Law Against Prize Fights.

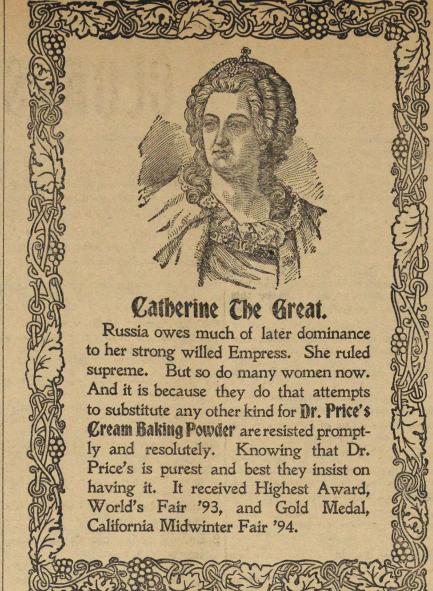
EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 6.-In reply to a letter sent him by clergymen of this city, asking him to prevent the Fitzsimmons-Maher prize fight from coming off in New Mexico, the governor of that territory writes that there is no law against prize fights in that territory, the only law that could be made to apply being the one against breaches of the peace. He, how- ping. There will then be a pause of a ever, promises to do what is possible to few seconds, when the dance begins prevent the fight coming off in that terriagain. These creatures waltz almost all

Babe Smothered to Death.

officers were notified that the child had been smothered and the inquest was postponed pending an investigation.

Will Mine Under the City.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 6.—It has long been known that the city of Butte is located over one of the greatest mineral deposits in the world. A company has just been organized for the purpose of mining under the city, and has complaced them at the head of bell ring- menced sinking a shaft near Main street, in the heart of the city.



IOWA SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

Inscriptions Which Are To Be Carved on Base and Shaft.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 6.-The soldiers' monument commission met Tuesday and adopted the following inscriptions that are to be carved in the granite base and shaft of the monument. On the base is to be the inscription by Harriet A. Ketcham,



IOWA SOLDIERS' MONUMENT, DES MOINES. under the bas-relief of the battle of Fort Donelson: "The bravest of the brave.-Under the bas-relief of the triumphal return will be the inscription: "Right is right; God is right, and right prevails." In the die back of the allegorical figure of Iowa: "Iowa-her affections, inseparable union.'

Under the allegorical figure of Victory: "A tribute from Iowa to courage, patriotism and distinguished services of all soldiers and sailors from Iowa who fought in the war of the rebellion.'

Members of the commission said that the report made two years ago on the matter of location will not be changed. As to the discussion in the legislature of changes in the medallions and other art works on the monument, they say they will not consider the matter unless action is taken by the legislature ordering it. They are satisfied with their work and will make no changes.

Will Resist a Reduction.

PEORIA, Ills., Feb. 6.-Miners from all portions of the Third Illinois district met in mass convention at Bartonville Tuesday to consider the strike which has been in progress in that section for several There were present State President O'Connor of Springfield; District President Richard Stanton of this city, dresses, after which resolutions were unanimously adopted to the effect that the proposition of the operators to reduce the wages in four of the principal mines 8 cents a ton be resisted.

Dancing Mice.

There have been found in Japan some mice that have been the subject of a good deal of zoological discussion. These creatures are white and black as a rule. but some have shadings of brown and pale yellow. When the bary mouse first begins to walk, it exhibits the tendency that characterizes this peculiar breed. After moving a short distance it begins to turn round and round, increasing in rapidity until it spins almost like a top. This waltzing, for it is nothing else, amounts to a mad dissipation, being kept up for some minutes without stopagain. These creatures waltz almost all night, sleeping in the daytime. Sometimes they dance in couples, whirling CHICAGO, Feb. 6.-A child 5 days old around and keeping the most perfect died at the Deaconess' home under sus- time. Three or four have been known to picious circumstances. The mother of the dance together, two forming an inner child was being cared for by the Deacon-esses. The Maxwell Street Police station outside. The smallness of the circle they circle and the others dancing around the take may be imagined from the fact that they will spin for hours under an ordinary tumbler with but brief intervals of rest. - New York Ledger.

A fashion note of significance is the return in smart London and Parisian circles to the wear with evening dress of long loose wristed black suede gloves. This fashion was always becoming to the hand and decidedly beneficial to the house and sits within in the dark.

The Frog-A Natural History. Born of a stone, he lives under a stone and will dig in it his grave.

I visit him frequently, and, whenever I lift the stone, I fear to find him and fear that he may not be there. He is there. Hidden in that dry refuge, clean, narrow, quite his own, he fills it, swollen like a miser's purse.

If the rain makes him come out, he comes toward me. A few heavy jumps, and he stops on his thighs and looks at me with his reddened eyes. Though the unjust world treats him as a leper, I do not fear to sit by him and to place near his face my human face.

Then I will overcome a remnant of disgust and caress you with my hand,

One swallows in life things that make one's heart sicker.

Still, yesterday, I lacked tact. "My poor friend," I said,"I do not wish to grieve you, but how ugly you

He opened his mouth, puerile and toothless, and replied, with a slight English accent

'And you?"-Paris Echo.

One of Her Majesty's Collies.

Among the colored collies the queen's favorite is Darnley II. In color he is black and sable, relieved by the snowiest of collars and ruffs, white legs and white tip to brush. He was presented to her majesty by the Rev. Hans Hamilton. Darnley II is quite of the latter day stamp and type of collie—a nice MUNSEY'S. long head with semierect ears-and one of the smartest of his breed at Windsor. | COSMOPOLITAN nels, Darnley is asked for and brought out to show himself, and, good dog, he at once "grins" with delight and wel- McCLURE'S come. - Westminster Gazette.

Cruel Tortures.

In ancient times prisoners were subjected to the most cruel tortures and terrible forms of death. The monuments and records of Nebuchadnezzar tell with great unction how many thousands of his enemies he beheaded, impaled and flayed alive.

Two Pairs of Eyes.

He (delighted with a new play)-Isn't it grand? She (looking at the heroine's dress)-

Perfectly lovely! It must have been made by Worth. - Spare Moments.

Agony Easy to Bear.

Husband-Now, my darling, be sure to write to me the moment you arrive at your sister's, telling me all about your journey and exactly how you felt after the wearying ride. I shall be in an agony of suspense until I hear that you have arrived safely and in good health.

Wife-Oh, I won't wait to write. I'll send you a nice, long telegram.

Husband-Um! That is very thoughtful, my angel, but-er-these telegraph companies are very unreliable. Put your telegram in an envelope and mail it to me, and then I'll be sure to get it. Here's a 2 cent stamp.—New York Weekly.

Snobbishness In Dogs. A dog fancier once took exception to Professor Huxley's assertion that "one of the most curious peculiarities of the dog mind was its inherent snobbishness, shown by the regard paid to external respectability. The dog who barks furiously at a beggar will let a well dressed man pass him without opposition." He said that, in fact, only dogs of well dressed persons act so. Dogs accustomed to men in rags bark, not at beggars, but at persons clothed in sleek broadcloth. -Chicago Chronicle.

Consider the Lilies.

In Louisiana the beautiful lilies of the bayous are gathered by the thousand and fed to swine. The lily is said to be as great a favorite with the hog as with the poet. - Memphis Commercial

A man who covers himself with costly apparel and neglects his mind is like one who illuminates the outside of his It is not

to have a new deal.

Commencing October 10th, '95, I will do a strictly cash business, which will allow me to make a reduction of from 10 to 20 per cent. in the retail price of Implements, Buggies, Wagons, etc.

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WANTED—Position in small family, for house work, or seamstress: wages from three to four dollars. Good references. Ad-dress Alice Sherman, Tecumseh,

HORSE WANTED-At 28 N. State street, Ann Arbor. Must be young, sound and cheap. Weight about 1,200 pounds. Call

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WANTED. A young man of energy and integrity, German preferred, to take a half interest in Wash. Co. with me for the purpose of building fence with the "Little Gem" wire fence machine. The best of references required, also given. See loca another page, F, D. Hatch, Ann Arbor,

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE. Detached store in Bay City, Mich., with rooms overhead, and barn connection. To sell or trade for property in Aun Arbor or lands adjoining. For further particulars address this office.

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The Minister's Furnace Fire. Plumbers tell some laughable stories

about people who don't know how to run furnaces and steam heating plants. 'We put in a furnace for a minister once," says an Auburn plumber, "and Farm, Field and Fireside and Western Rural, the next day he came down and kicked about it. He said that it wouldn't burn, and he either wanted it taken out or put in working order right away. I went up, and after examining the chimney carefully I looked into the furnace. What do you suppose the trouble was? Well, sir, the minister had been trying to heat the house by building a fire in the ash box."-Lewiston Journal.

is in the laboratory conducting some chemical experiments. The professor expects to go down to posterity-

the farmer was said to stigmatize his The Warner Catarrh Cure Co.,



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(From the laboratory) Br-r-r- bang!
The Visitor—I hope the professor asn't gone.—Harlem Life.

Fremedy that has worked some wondersule are sull cures in this terrible disease, and so far as is known no one has ever used it without being benefitted. This medicine does not attempt to cure everything, but IT WILL CURE CATARRH, as thousands of people can testify. It is taken internally and cures the disease by its action on the blood. If you are afflicted with the hasn't gone.—Harlem Life.

Stigmatize originally meant simply to brand, and in the days of Shakespeare the farmer was a fall of the fall of the farmer was a fall of the fall of the

Ann Arbor, Mich.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Th new Bethlehem church has deeided to have free pews.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Aprill are happy in the arrival of a baby girl.

James J. Quarry was married Wednesday morning at Toronto, Ont., to Miss Josephine Harrison.

J. J. Goodyear has purchased a lot from Mrs. M. Reeves, on Thompson street. Consideration. \$1,000.

Rev Henry Tatlock, of St. Andrew's, will exchange pulpits Sunday with Rev. R. R. Claiborne, of St. Luke's church, phi literary society. Kalamazoo.

Elsa Paulna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hochrein, of 61 W. Second street, died Tuesday evening of whooping cough.

appear in the Y. M. C. A. course at the Presbyterian church, on Thursday evening next.

O. M. Martin has this week been removing his undertaking rooms to his new store just completed at 19 S. Fourth avenue.

The U. of M. commencment address years. will be delivered in June by Pres. C. K. Adams, of Wisconsin, formerly professor of history here.

The city marshal's report for January shows 15 arrests, 4 for drunkenness, 2 erdinance violations, 6 larceny, 2 burglary, 1 cruelty to animals.

Supt. Sipley's poor report for the charges desertion. month of January showed that expenditures were \$109 less than for January last year and \$40 less than for Decem-

Prof. C. F. R. Bellows, formerly of Ypsilanti, now of Mt. Pleasant, has announced his candidacy for the Republiean nomination for superintendent of public instuction.

At a meeting of the board of public works Monday the resignation of Leonard Bassett was accepted and Inspector Chas. A. Ward was elected to succeed him as street commissioner.

The German societies are making pointed the necessary committees to insure the success of the undertaking.

A meeting of the Mutual Fire Insurance companies of this state will be held in the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 11 and 12, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Woman's Auxillary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular monthly business meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms Monday, February 10, at three p.

"Rob Roy" was greeted by probably the largest audience of the season, at the opera house Monday night. The epera was well received, and the audience laughed itself nearly into hysterics at the antics of Richard Carroll.

It would be much better if the street railway company would keep their the opening of the second semester. motorneers long enough to learn their

an church services will be held com-Lincoln. An address will be given by tian. ex-Congressman Allen and the music and other services will be appropriate to the occasion.

The quarrel which has been going on between the two contending fraternity factions over the Annual Ball has done more to hold the university to ridicule the state than any one thing that has occurred in years.

A travelling man fell down the elevator shaft at the Cook house early Wednesday morning, a distance of 15 feet. Remarkable enough he was uninjured, but was heard to remark that he preferred taking the elevator with him when he takes another journey down a shaft.

A postoffice inspector visited the post office one day last week and announced before his departure that he thought it would be a very good scheme to have a cage put about the money order department. Accordingly J. E. Beal has let a contract to a Toledo firm to build the cage required.

Sunday was "ground hog" day. The wood-chuck could see his shadow the Elks to Detroit that night and the here in the morning, while it is announced by the Times man at Ypsilanti having to be told of the intentions of that there was no shadow business for his friends. him to do down there. Either the Ypsi newspaper man did not get up in time to see the sunlight or Ann Arbor is to Robert E. Frazer as being "prosecuting have six months of stiff weather while attorney of Detroit." What's the mat-Ypsi will have the same period of fair.

The Song Journal for February contains a handsome cover picture of Prof. Alberto Jonas, of the school of music, together with a mazurka of the professor's composition. A write-up is also given the Ann Arbor Organ Co. The Song Journal is fast creeping up on its comeptitors in the musical field of journalism and it is becoming known far and wide as a complete compendium of the month's events in musical matters.

at the opera house on Monday evening, she runs the gauntlet of the emotions, and moves her audiences with a power seldom equalled.

The Agricultural Works will start up in about a week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Donegan, Wednesday evening, a daughter.

The former Hamilton block will be

known hereafter as the Henning block. Dr. Jennie Hughes has been elected physician of the local hive of Lady

masonic reception at Milan St. Valentine's night.

Trayen Cheo, a Chinese student, has been elected vice president of the Adel-

A new dynamo has been placed in the electric works. It has a capacity of 2400 incandescent lights.

Euler & Pipp have dissolved partner-The Royal Hand Bell Ringers will ship and Mr. Pipp has established a carpenter shop in the Ferguson block.

street railway. He decided not to buy

Mrs. Wildhelmina Birk died of general debility, at her home, 124 S. Main street, yesterday morning, aged 73

One city contractor says he knows of 23 houses for which figures are being made for their erection the coming

Jennie Harriott, of Saline township, has begun divorce proceedings against her husband George Harriott. She

Hon. Ben Butterworth, of Washing-

fore the senior law class at university hall Washington's birthday. Triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lavey, of Dexter, this week-

fine healthy seven and a half pound boys each of them, and three of them. The name of the new dean in the women's department of the university has been erroneously stated in all the

papers. The correct name is Eliza M.

Mosher, M. D. The Michigan Central will revise its preparations to have a big German Day celebration in August. They have apa mile schedule. Exact fare will be and in the future, the same methods,

> H. D. Pratt, of Pittsfield, state oil inspector under Gov. Luce, told the and that it was a great steal and not regular price. worth \$500 a year.

Some thief is having a picnic at Eberbach's drug store for every time a new thermometer is hung out in front at \$1.44, will now be closed out at of the establishment this light fingered gentleman takes it away. The third one was stolen Wednesday night.

The city schools are crowded and it is announced that more room must be had in order to accomodate scholars. As it is now no new scholars can be accomodated in the beginning grade at

"runs." Before they really know It has been rumored that Prof. Sill them they are given the "run" and is about to resign his post in Korea, some other fellow has got their "run." on account of poor health. We have Next Sunday evening at the Unitarn church services will be held comn church services will be held commemorative of the birth of Abraham so fortunate in this respect. —Ypsilan-

Lindenschmitt & Apfel are enterprising clothiers and they have just shown that the world is going well with them by making a number of improvements in their store. The walls have been given a fresh tint of kalsomine and the woodwork a new coat of paint. New in the minds of the people throughout shelving has been put in, and a children's department arranged.

> Our readers will notice by glancing at our legal column that there is now an excellent opportunity to purchase a inger Bros.' company, manufacturers of fine large farm at an administrator's elastic starch at Keokuk and New Haven sale. It is the large farm of the late (Conn.), has organized with a capital of James Sage, comprising 312 acres in Lodi and 40 acres in Freedom. The sale takes place March 24, and would be purchasers of farms will do well to

Charles Rose, who lives two and a half miles from the city on the S. Ypsi- der, an accomplished musician, 35 years lanti road, was surprised by about 50 old, and a member of the northern Illiof his friends from the city last Friday nois band, committed suicide in the night. They brought lots of provisions and had a merry time at cards and an orchestra furnished music, too, for dancing. Mr. Rose was going with surprise was a bit forestalled by his

ter with his being prosecuting attorney for the rest of Wayne county?-Milan Leader. There is nothing the matter except the law which will not permit one man to be both judge and prosecutor. He is judge of the circuit court, and his brother, Allen, is the prosecuting

attorney. By the way, they live in handsome new brick residences side by side, on Woodward avenue, out here on the North side. -Northside Gazette. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Stevens, 106

E. University ave., expected a visit soon Minnie Maddern Fiske, after several from their son, John A., who is junior years' retirement from the stage, has second engineer on the big ocean steamreturned to her old love. She made a ship, St. Louis. But when the ship great reputation in comedy roles and St. Paul ran aground the other day off now in her return she is essaying trag- the New Jersey coast the St. Louis edy with equal success. She wears which was being dismantelled in the very handsome gowns and in "The dry dock was hurrriedly made ready to Queen of Liars," which she will put on make the St. Paul's trip for the steamships are companion ocean flyers. The St. Louis will not now go into dry dock until the St. Paul is again ready to

A party of young people from Ypsil anti, Saline and Ann Arbor, were pleasantly entertained at the home of J. Nelson Lewis, 106 E. Huron street, last Friday night in honor of Mrs. Lewis' brother, Burt Hammond, it being his 20th birthday.

A joint meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Board of Managers and the finance committee will be held at 8 o'clock The Chequamegons will play for a Friday evening at Mrs. Parker's, No. 24 E. Ann St. to consider the possibility of employing the general secretary for another month. The past four weeks have proved beyond a doubt that there is great need of her work. Though it is true that the Y. W. C. A. "has money in the bank," it must be kept for the rent of the coming year, as their plan is to pay down for their rooms. Hence this sum is not available for any other purpose, and they dare not assume D. Thompson, of Utica, N. Y., was a responsibility unless they see a way in the city this week looking over the of meeting it. The entertainment committee are a grand help in the finances of the society but they have already assumed all the responsibility that it is wise for them to undertake. Hence the meeting of Friday evening is to be an important one. If any friend of the girls has a suggestion in regard to the matter, they will be glad to receive it. Either write to them or speak to Miss Hayley at E. F. Mills' store.

Plums.

Now come the plum! We have accumulated a few dozen odd sizes of ton, will deliver the annual address be- shoes during the great "Money Getting Sale," which we are going to move right off. Note the following: These goods are no samples that have been hawked about the country for six months; these goods are from no bankrupt stock, that have been on the shelves of some country store for years. We never, never buy such goods, even at ten cents on the dollar. Our trade will not have such goods, and neither would we insult them by asking them to look at such goods.

The goods we will offer you as 'plums' are from such stock as we have built up our phenomenal business charged and the odd pennies expected namely, one price to all and fair dealing. Generous and courteous treatment to our customers, always giving lowest prices. The goods we have laid out for the slaughter will simply be cut onefarmerss' institute at Lansing that he third of the price, that is, we will honreceived \$1,500 per year as insepctor estly sell them one-third less than the

This sale will last until March 1st, if the goods hold out. The \$2.00 Men's Calf Shoe, which we have been selling

JACOBS & ALLMAND, Washington Block, Washington street. No goods charged during this sale.

Test of Tuberculin.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 6.—A practical test of the efficacy of the tuberculin process of examining cattle which was made in Dupage county by the live stock com-mission is pronounced satisfactory in the written report filed by the state veterinarian, who will prepare a special bulle-tin for distribution, giving full particuupon post-mortem, badly infected by tu-

Strike on the Mexican Road Spreading. EAGLE PASS, Tex., Feb. 6.-The meet-

ing of striking machinists, boilermakers and blacksmiths of the Mexican International road resulted in no terms being made with the company and they have been joined by the carpenters and molders. This closes all departments and the strike extends all along the line. No effort has been made to replace strikers. Over 800 men are out at Eagle Pass.

Organized to Manufacture Starch.

KEOKUK, Ia., Feb. 6.—The J. C. Hub-\$6,000,000. John C. Hubinger, of Keokuk, is president; Nicholas W. Hubinger, of New Haven, vice president, and Joseph E. Hubinger, of New Haven, secretary and treasurer

Suicide of a Musician.

WAUKEGAN, Ills., Feb. 6.-J. L. Gunpondency caused by lack of work is the only reason which can be assigned for his five cents. Come and see them.

New Baseball League.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 6.—An interstate sixclub baseball league has been formed in this city, the following cities being represented: Youngstown and Toledo, O.; Fort Wayne, Ind.; New Castle and Wash-The Ann Arbor Democrat speaks of ington, Pa., and Wheeling, W. Va.

Half of the Million in Sight.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6. - The million dollar committee of the Presbyterian church met here and received reports from all parts of the country. Over one-fourth of the million dollars has been received and one half of the amount is in sight.

Object of Dr. Leyds' Visit,

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 6.—It is stated in well informed circles here that the visit of Dr. W. J. Leyds, the secretary of state of the Transvaal republic, to Berlin is connected with the German purchase of seven miles of land on the coast of Delagoa bay.

Retaliatory Insurance Bill.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 6.-The 'retaliatory insurance bill," passed by the house Tuesday, was Wednesday ordered to be reported favorably by the senate committee of the whole by an overwhelming vive voce vote.

Scotch Oil Combine Bursts.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The Press association announces that the Scotch oil combine has completely dissolved, with heavy losses to its investors, and that the Standard Oil company is again master of the situa-

Last Call on

\$35,000 WORCH OF SUITS. At the close of the most prosperous Cloak sale we have ever had, we find a few garments OVERGOATS, MEN'S still on hand and these must go.

Prices named on this bill are such as will interest every one wishing a good cloak cheap.

25 Jackets, this season's latest and best styles, at \$2.49 to \$12.50 Just one half original prices.

- 17 Children's Cloaks at just half
- 3 misses' \$15 Long Ulsters to close at \$5.00
- 2 Misses' \$9.00 Long Ulsters to close at \$3.98
- 2 Ladies' \$25 Plush Cloaks closing at \$25.00
- 2 Ladies' \$35 Plush Cloaks closing at \$7.50

The following garments are not this year's style but are perfect goods and great bargains.

- 6 \$25 and \$30 Cloaks at \$3.00
- 18 \$14, \$16 and \$16.75 Cloaks at \$2.00

6 \$8.50 and \$12 Cloaks at \$1.00

This week will see many of the above closed out and every buyer will get from two to four times her moneys' worth.

DRY GOODS, CARPETS, CLOAKS, 20 S. Main Street

We are almost giving away

AND FANCY GOODS.

Call and see the line of trimmed Hats we are selling for \$1.00. Untrimmed Hats 19c worth 75c to \$1.00. Walking Hats and Sailors 49c worth \$1.00 to \$1.75, Closing a lot of Yarn at half price, also a lot of stamped Linens onethird off regular price.

70 S. Main St.,

Ann Arbor,

P. S.—Too busy to quote prices this time.

Do You?

Went a Mair Brush ?

We would recommend you to buy one in which the hair is all true bristle. Then it would not go to pieces after a few week's use.

17 E. Washington St.,

Corner Fourth Ave.

Meats, Sausages, Oysters and

Market Goods. Porter House and Sirloin Steaks a Specialty

WASHINGTON MARKET.

J. Fred Moelzle,

Want Money? or a Home? Wan Work? or a Farm? Want to open a store in a growing town? Want to raise live stock? Want to know how to buy improved farms in a well settled region without pay-ing cash? Particulars and publications sent free by F. I. WHIT

37 South Main Street.

All garments, regular price \$2.50, at \$1.90 " 2.00, " 1.45 " 1.50, " 1.10 " 1.25, " .95 All garments, regular price \$1.00, at \$.75

A full case of extra heavy Balbriggan Underwear, purchased late this season, good value at \$1.00, during this sale at 58 cents. In connection with this we have inaugurated a special sale of

Winter Suits and Overcoats

With prices lower than you have ever known them to be. Not a garment old or damaged in any way but all new, of this season's make. We give the heaviest, genuine discount on new goods.

SALE BEGINS DECEMBER 13. WADHAMS, RYAN & REULE.

FURDISHINGS,

These are Money-Saving Times!

OUR LOSS, YOUR GAIN-Our Entire Stock Consisting of

FATS AND CAPS

Damaged by smoke and must be sold in the next 20 days. This is a

chance of a life-time and it will pay you to come miles to attend this sale.

Most of the goods are but slightly damaged, but all will be sold at a great

If in need of

FOOTWEAR

You can save money by taking advantage of W. C. REIN-HARDT'S genuine reduction sale of Boots, Shoes and Rubber Goods, now going on. Shoes that are paraded as rare bargains in many stores can be found here at less price.

WM. C. REINHARDT, 48 S. MAIN STREET

DO YOU SMOKE!

If So, Why Don't You Buy Your Cigars at

The Only Place in the City Where a Full Assortment of Domestic, Key West, Clear Havana and Imported Cigars Can be Found. Box Trade a Specialty.

Brown's Drug & Store.

AT THE NEW STORE

In these days of

Close Competition

The man who can give you the best goods, at the lowest prices, make quick sales and small profits, is the man you should patronize when you want FURNITURE.

Bedroom Suits, \$12.50, never were \$15.00 13.50, 11 16.00, 20.00,

All other goods at the honest prices. We do not give you this and that was or is \$5.00 more than the price really is, but we give you the rock bottom at once. We invite you to call and look at the large new stock we have to offer you at our new store.

Respectfully yours,

Nos. 2 and 4 E. Liberty St.

Helen's face is like a book-Charming all its pages. Helen's face is like a book. What's the story I forsook When on Helen's face I look? When her smile engages

There I read an old romance; Here I see one living.
There I read an old romance,
But in Helen's lightest glance
For a livelier tale enchants, Wild excitement giving!

What is printer's ink to me? Commas, dots and dashes?
What is printer's ink to me
If with Helen I may be,
Exclamation points to see
Underneath her lashes!

A DROP OF BLOOD.

In 1775 the brigantine Governor Clin-15th of December, and Captain Ira Drake, her commander, expected to eat his New Year's dinner on the island. He remarked long after that he felt unusually flurried by his parting with Mrs. wharf, but not being of an imaginative turn of mind the impressions passed, and he saw the tall poplars and red roofed farmhouses in the Neck fade away under the winter sunset with professional indifference.

The Governor Clinton was only 430 tens, and she left port in company with 26 others, foreign bound, most of them | boom and fired his pistol just as a mussquare rigged. At the present time there are only two ships owned in Philadelphia, and neither sails from here.

Mrs. Drake and Emma walked up Second street to their home, which was the ruffians sprang to their sweeps and in the house then a two story, afterward with the loss of half their crew made the tea store of the late eccentric John for land. Lamond, who died a few months ago. To be a captain's wife in those days was to hold social position next below the magnates of Society Hill, and Captain Drake was reported a prosperous

"Mother," said the daughter, "do with father this voyage?"

"No, my dear. Don't let such things

get into your mind." "Yes, but the Aggy Slade has been Jamaica too. Poor Mrs. Folsom is just father would give up the sea and stay

Shipmasters' wives had to have stout | what had occurred. hearts in those days; there were perils A West India voyage meant poor too late. The corvet ran her down and to darkness, "sleep," or night, from thats, dodging among the reefs and to darkness, "sleep," or night, from dark to daylight. He has no name for keys of the Bahama banks, northers, shower of grape that tore the boat and any day, nor has he any subdivision of from the desperate ruffians that infested the coast of Cuba and were secretly upheld by the Spanish authorities, who shared their plunder, and at this time brig. Her captain had a broken thigh the moon are neither numbered nor both Tardy and the La Fittes were known to be cruising in the gulf.

Christmas passed, and as New Year's came on a feeling of uneasiness and Emma had an additional source of anxfirst officer of the Governor Clinton and sailor, and before this voyage he and Emma had exchanged vows. And so poor Emma fretted and made her moth-

plustering and sleety, and after attend ance at early mass at St. Joseph's both women sat down to breakfast.

"For the Lord's sake, Emma, don't tell me anything about your dreams. the brig are all right, and when the Spanish Town. She sails from there to-

"But, mother, there is something in dreams, and I never had such dreadful ones before, and you know—good God, what is that?" And the girl's voice arose to a scream. "Oh, mother! On your hand, on your hand!"

The mother looked and grew pale as death. There on her plump, white hand was a drop of ruddy blood. She murmured, "Maybe I pricked myself with the fork." And with a shudder she wiped away the dread token. But there was no wound, the skin being unbroken. "There, there, it has come again. Oh, mother, let's pray! My dear father and Sam are in peril. I know it.

And they knelt and with heads bowed

The Governor Clinton was an old tub and did her best when she reeled off eight knots on a bowline, but this time, under a fair northeast wind, she was entting a feather through the waves of the Bahama banks on the 19th of De-there." And his hand pointed once more cember. Here her good luck ended. A norther set in, driving them 200 miles "You ought to be pleased," remarked off their course, and then head winds his interlocutor. "Victor Hugo is in the blew for a week, so that it was the last same regiment with you." "Victor day in the year before they came in Hugo is not in the regiment; he is in sight of the Cuban coast, and not over the band."-Contemporary Review. ten miles off Cape St. Antoine the wind failed, and there came one of those dead calms peculiar to those latitudes. The sails hung without a shiver, and the pennant was as straight down as a yard of pump water. But this was not the worst. Captain Drake knew that he was in the track of the pirates and was practically helpless to keep away from them, and at this moment he was doubtless signaled off shore to some of their vessels. Everything depended on keeping a stout heart.

loaded with grape and kentledge, the raised, while the unfortunate dean was arm chest was opened, cutlasses and pis- arguing away out in the cold, near the tols were served to the crew, muskets were loaded, and the cook filled his coppers with hot water ready to repel boarders. All hands kept watch that night, and in the morning Mate Spain went said the man who had paid half of his aloft with a glass. He at once hailed promissory note and arranged for an exthe deck. "There is a topsail schooner tension of the other half. - Detroit Free lying behind that point of land off the Press.

starboard quarter. I can't make out any sail on her.

"All right. Come down. We'll have breakfast. There's trouble ahead. But there are 23 of us, all good men, and we ought to make a tidy fight for our

A strict watch was kept at the masthead, and at 10 o'clock a hail came: "There's a boat full of men putting off shore. It is a yawl with a tug. She's coming fast under sweeps.

The ensign was seized union down to attract some passing vessel, and all waited and watched. There were not less than 40 men in the yawl.

When it was within about 20 yards of the boat, the captain cried, "Fire!" But as usual two of the carronades missed fire, the other scattered ten feet wide of the boat, and next it swept under the bow, the leader a white man, springing ton left Philadelphia loaded with flour into the chains, followed by a gang of for Spanish Town, Jamaica. It was the mulattoes, negroes and Spaniards, all big men. Their captain's head just came above the bow, when he was run through the neck by a pike and dropped overboard, but his men managed to get on Everything was auspicious, and with a the bowsprit and come aboard. Two of northwest wind he sailed down the river. the pirates mounted the channels and tumbled into the waist. The cook, a negro giant weighing 300 pounds, rushed Brake and his daughter Emma, on the at them with a cutlass, beat down their guard and hewed them down. A third had grasped the swifter to help him up, when his arm was cut clean off at the shoulder by the negro. A splash in the water told the rest.

In the bow the defenders had done good work, but Captain Drake was stretched on the bits covered with blood. The last pirate had run out on the jib ket ball took his life, but he had done his work, for poor Spain got his bullet in the head and never spoke after. They were beaten, and under a parting volley

Suddenly the mainsail gave a flop. No orders were needed. The topsail halyards were manned. "Up with the flying jib, trim sheets, round in starboard braces!" was the cry, and the little brig began to surge through the water.

'See, see! The schooner's making you feel any unusual anxiety in parting sail. Up go her gaff and foresail. The fight's not over, men! She'll cut us to pieces with her long Tom!" Just then came the sound of a heavy gun, and so intent were the crew watching the piout over 60 days, and she's bound for rate vessel that they had not seen, half a mile away, a British corvet piling wild about her husband. How I do wish on sail up to royals. She was a flier, too, and inside of five minutes swept down on the brig, hailed and was told

The pirate craft was intent only on on the sea then that are unknown now. saving her men in the yawl, but it was there to there." A day is from daylight shower of grape that tore the boat and hurricanes and more deadly assaults crew into splinters. The schooner made off, followed by the man-o'-war, and both disappeared in the southern board.

The second mate took command of the and a shot through his body, while the named. "From winter to winter" is mate and four of the crew lay dead. the nearest approach he has to our term. The breeze kept steady, and on the 4th of January they came to anchor in Spandread entered into the Drake household. ish Town harbor. Captain Drake lived to so many winters old, but having no get well and quit the sea. But before months or days he never has a birthday. iety. Sam Spain, although only 24, was the Christ Church chimes rang for another Christmas poor Emma Drake had a splendid specimen of the American followed her lover to a better land. -Philadelphia Times.

Victor Hugo and Politics.

New Year's day, 1796, was cold, that has been said to the contrary, was months. distinctly not a republican at the outset of his career, and it-is more than questionable whether he would have ever become the blatant one he did if Louis Philippe and Louis Napoleon had con-You make me nervous. Your father and sented to take him at his own valuation as a statesman. Beranger, who was a of food, or failing anything marvelous Quickstep comes in we'll hear from republican pure and simple, notwith- or striking by the name of the stream on standing his supposed share in the establishment of Louis Philippe on the French throne, summed up Victor Hugo's republicanism in one line. One day, shortly after the February revolution which overtopped that throne—as it would seem forever-an acquaintance | quirer. of Beranger met him coming out of the Palais Bourbon. "I shall feel obliged," the poet said, "if you will see me home, for I do not feel at all well. Those violent scenes inside there are not to my

This, pointing to the erstwhile residence of the illegitimate daughter of Louis XIV by Mme. de Montespan, better known as the widow of that mischievous dwarf Louis, third duke de Bourbon-Conde, the small minded and small bodied son of the great Conde. "I down prayed to him who rules the winds am not at all well," he repeated with a and tempests to spare their loved ones wistful smile. "I have been accused of having held the plank over which Louis Philippe went to the Tuileries. I wish I could be the bridge across the channel on which he would return now. Cersainly, I would have liked a republic, but not one such as we are having in to the home of the constituent assembly.

Churchill's Push.

at Oxford, he was constantly in conflict and inevitable. The elements have no with his dean at Merton on the subject forbearance. The fire burns, the water of compulsory chapels, and on one occasion he was sent for to listen to a grand remonstrance. It was a chilly day, and for our race if the punishment of crimes the dean was standing with his back to the fire when I rd Randolph entered. After about ten Linutes another delinquent was ushered in, and found Lord | ing in his judgments as nature. - Long-Randolph standing with his back to the fellow. His six 24 pound carronades were fire and his coattails comfortably up-

By Halves.

"I always meet trouble half way,"

GIRLS VALUE PURITY IN MEN.

The Exceptions, Who Wed Men of the World, Slways Repent of It.

A vonng man writes to Edward W. Bok inquiring why so many girls seem to prefer the company of young fellows of slightly blotted character-men who have seen the world-and in many cases marry them, in face of the fact that their past lives are known to them. In The Ladies' Home Journal Mr. Bok, its editor, makes this reply: "Girls-that is, the right kind of girls-do not prefer the company of young men of this sort. Doubtless, you have come across instances where this rule has been otherwise; so have I. But it is all in the seeming, and not in the reality. Depend upon one thing-girls have as high an estimate of purity in man as men have of purity in woman.

"There are, of course, cases to the contrary, but these are few. Where girls marry men who are known to have led what is called a 'worldly life,' it is more generally due to a misunderstanding of facts or to ignorance than people imagine. There is a type of girl who finds a peculiar satisfaction in the conquest of a man who has 'seen the world' and then comes to her as the one woman of all her sex who can make him happy. This sometimes pleases her vanity and love of conquest, but she is not many years older before she discovers that she has satisfied those feelings at a very high cost.

"There is another type of girl who rather fancies a man who is what is called 'fast.' But that sort of girl is painfully ignorant of what is meant by that word as applied to a man. If she were not, she would be very apt to change the adjective to 'vulgar.' And as she matures she finds this out. It is only young men of upright lives who can hope to win the favor and love of girls of high motives, the girls who make the best wives. If, at times, girls seem to favor young men of another kind, the glamour is simply transitory. It is rare, very rare, that a girl's better instincts do not lead her to the higher grade of young men. An upright life never fails of reward, and of the highest reward, from the hand of woman.'

HOW INDIANS MEASURE TIME. They Fix Their Dates by Sleeps and Moons

and Winters. Our Indians measure time solely by The Indian has no name for any When he desires to indicate a shorter long as it would take the sun to go from New York Sun. time corresponding to our week. A of the crescent in the west and lasts until the next one appears, but the days of without it in your household? The year commences with the first fall of snow. An Indian will tell you he is

The Indians who formerly inhabited the southern part of Texas, where there is no snowfall, are said to have fixed the commencement of the year at the first 'norther," a furious and chilling wind that sweeps from the north and is of fre-Victor Hugo, in spite of everything quent occurrence during the winter

> No year has any name or number fix ing a sequence or point of reference, but each band will designate a year by its most prominent occurrence, as a fight with hostiles, death of a chief, prevalence of disease, abundance or scarcity which was located the winter camp. But these are mere remembrances, and excellent as is the Indians memory they, after a few years, fade into a jumble of disconnected facts without sequence or usefulness. - Cincinnati En- gether.

Meaning of the Word "Omaha."

The name "Omaha" bears testimony to the long journey of the people, and reveals some of the causes which brought about this breaking up into distinct tribes. It is composed of two words, which signify "going against the current," or up the stream. The Omahas were the people who went up the stream, while the Quapaws, their near of kin, went, as their name reveals, "with the current," or down the stream. The traditions of both these peoples say that the parting occurred during a hunting expedition, each division finally settling in the lands whither they had wandered apart. This epochal hunt must have been centuries ago, for the Quapaws bore their descriptive name in 1540, being mentioned in the Portuguese narrative of De Soto's expedition as then living on the Arkansas river, where they dwelt until 1839, when they ceded their long occupied lands to the United States.—Alice C. Fletcher in

The Laws of Nature.

The laws of nature are just, but terrible. There is no weak mercy in them. When Lord Randolph Churchill was Cause and consequence are inseparable drowns, the air consumes, the earth buries. And perhaps it would be well BREAD, CRACKERS, CAKES, &c. against the laws of man were as inevitable as the punishment of crimes against the laws of nature-were man as unerr-

Stirred Up.

"Our whole neighborhood has been stirred up," said the regular reader. The editor of the country weekly seiz-

"Tell me all about it," he said. What we want is the news. What stirred it up?" "Plowing," said the farmer. - Pear-

son's Weekly.

Boyhood Home of Wesley.

Deeply interesting to all who admire the good and love the true must ever be the home where Susannah Wesley gave such careful training in early years to the "little Jackey" who in after time was destined to be so influential in the advancement of true piety. The view given above shows the window, just above the right hand gatepost and al-



EPWORTH RECTORY.

most hidden by ivy, from which the boy is said to have been rescued when the old rectory was burned. It probably corresponds to the window in the former house. That one, which was built "all of timber and plaister and covered all with straw thatche," was destroyed by fire Feb 9, 1709. The present edifice was erected in 1710 by Rev. Samuel Wesley, the father of John. None of the children was born in the present rectory. Charles was the last one born in the old one. Kezia, the nineteenth child, was born in the house of a neighbor a month after the fire. Probably some of the old oak beams not consumed in the fire were used in building some part of the new rectory, as some scorched by fire have been found during recent alterations. Many additions and changes have been made to the house since the time of the Wesleys. It is still the home of the rector of the parish church of Epworth.

Scrofula lurks in the blood of nearly every one, but Hood's Sarsaparilla drives it from the system and makes

A Tight Ring.

To remove a tight ring from the finger take a long thread of silk and put one end under the ring and draw it through several inches, holding it with the thumb in the palm of the hand. days, by sleeps, by moons and by win- Then wind the long end of the silk tightly round the finger down to the subdivision of time less than a day. nail. Take hold of the short end of the silk, and, holding it toward the finger period, he points to the heavens, and end, unwind it, and the silk pressing measuring off a space says, "It was as against the ring will withdraw it .-

Statistics show that thousands of infants and children yearly die of membranous croup. We do not exaggerate when we state that every one of these innocents could have been saved, had moon commences with the first streak Foley's Honey and Tar been given them in time. Can you afford to be

A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Ar-

Henrietta Turner.

Mrs. Henrietta Turner, who recently died at Mount Vernon, N. Y., was the last survivor of the "flower girls" who met Lafayette at Woodbridge, N. J., on his last visit to this country in 1824. Mrs. Turner was then Henrietta Pryor. She was less than 8 years old, and was the youngest of the 16 girls who, attired in costumes of flowers, formed the words. "Welcome, Lafayette." She represented the last E in Lafayette's name, and was clad in marigolds.

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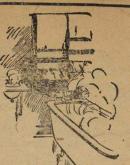
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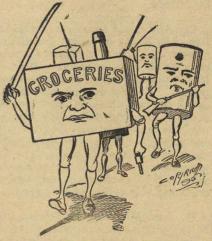
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Dated, Ann Arbor, February 3, A. D. 1895.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,
Judge of Probate.

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CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1896, six mouths from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Charles Walter Reade, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor. for examination and allowed to the county of t to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 30th day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 30th day of April and on the 30th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, January 30th, A. D. 1896.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

Judge of Probate.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of James Sage,

In the matter of the estate of James Sage, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of said deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the third day day of February, A. D. 1896, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of deceased in the Township of Lodi, in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Tuesday the 24th day of March A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased) the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

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MICHAEL SAGE,

THE SWEETEST THING.

La mode has ne er meant much to men. Not closely do I con its Vagaries, but I vow I've seen The sweetest thing in bonnets.

Describe it? Ah, that calls for what I haven t—genius! Dimming The roses round it, 'twas beyond My poor pen's power of limning.

Such form and color! Titian's brush At best could never show 'em.
Then why should I essay in words
A picture and a poem?

Yet, for the milliner, among My memories no place is! The sweetest thing in bonnets now? Why, Dolly's flowerlike face is! -M. N. B. in Boston Globe.

KIDNAPED.

We are a high caste and enlightened race, and infant marriage is very shocking and the consequences are sometimes peculiar, but, nevertheless, the Hindoo notion—which is the continental notion. which is the aboriginal notion-of arranging marriages irrespective of the personal inclinations of the married is sound. Think for a minute, and you will see that it must be so; unless, of which case you had better not read this tale. How can a man who has never required a great exertion. Walking was at times an impossibility, even at night I did not rest, being forced to get up during the night. I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and wondered if they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and wondered they could make an almost lame man well. I got some, and they are the taking them because feel their married; who cannot be trusted to pick think straight if he tries, and the same disadvantages exist in the case of a girl's fancies. But when mature, married and discreet people arrange a match between a boy and a girl, they do it sensibly, with a view to the future.

Properly speaking, government should establish a matrimonial department, efficiently officered, with a jury of matrons, a judge of the chief court, a senior chaplain and an awful warning in the shape of a love match that has gone wrong chained to the trees in the courtyard. All marriages should be made through the department, which might be subordinate to the educational department, under the same penalty as that attaching to the transfer of land without a stamped document. But government won't take suggestions. It pretends that it is too busy. However, I will put my notion on record, and explain the example that illustrates the theory.

Once upon a time there was a good young man-a first class officer in his own department-a man with a career before him and, possibly, a K. C. I. E. at the end of it. All his superiors spoke well of him, because he knew how to hold his tongue and his pen at the proper times. There are today only 11 men in India who possess this secret, and they have all, with one exception, attained great honor and enormous incomes.

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This good young man was quiet and self centained, too old for his years by far—which always carries its own punishment. Had a subaltern, or a tea planter's assistant, or anybody who enjoys life and has no care for tomorrow done what he tried to do not a soul would have cared. But when Peythroppe—the estimable, virtuous, economical, quiet, hard working, young Peythroppe—fell, there was a flutter through five departments.

The manner of his fall was in this way: He met a Miss Castries—D'Castries it was originally, but the family dropped the D' for administrative reasons—and he fell in love with here even more energetically than he worked. Understand clearly that there was not a breath of a word to be said against Miss castries it was originally, but the family dropped the D' for administrative reasons—and he fell in love with here even more energetically than he worked. Understand clearly that there was not a breath of a word to be said against Miss Castries—not a shadow of a breath. She are the word of the word of the will narry a sweet pink and white maiden, a breath of a word to be said against Miss Castries—not a shadow of a breath. She are the money secured by Michael Steffancia and that if the payment of the money secured by a mortage dated the 20th day of September. In the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of September, in the pay a mortage dated the 20th day of Mortage date and the 20th da

was good and very lovely-possessed what innocent people at home call a "Spanish" complexion, with thick blue black hair growing low down on the forehead into a "widow's peak" and big violet eyes under eyebrows as black and as straight as the borders of a "gazette extraordinary" when a big man dies. But-but-but- Well, she was a very sweet girl and very pious, but for many reasons she was "impossible." Quite so. All good mammas know what impossible" means. It was obviously absurd that Peythroppe should marry her. The little opal tinted onyx at the base of her finger nails said this as plainly as print. Further, marriage with Miss Castries meant marriage with several other Castries-Honorary Lieutenant Castries, her papa, Mrs. Eulalie Castries, her mamma, and all the ramifications of the Castries family, on incomes ranging from 175 to 470 rupees a month, and their wives and connections again.

It would have been cheaper for Peythroppe to have assaulted a commissioner with a dog whip, or to have burned the records of a deputy commissioner's office, than to have contracted an alliance with the Castries. It would have weighted his after career less-even under a government which never forgets and never forgives. Everybody saw this but Peythroppe. He was going to marry Miss Castries, he was-being of age and drawing a good income-and woe betide the house that would not afterward receive Mrs. Virginie Saulez Peythroppe with the deference due to her husband's rank. That was Peythroppe's ultimatum, and any remonstrance drove him frantic.

These sudden madnesses most affliet the sanest men. There was a case oncebut I will tell you of that later on. You cannot account for the mania except under a theory directly contradicting the one about the place wherein marriages are made. Peythroppe was burningly anxious to put a millstone round his neck at the outset of his career, and argument had not the least effect on him. He was going to marry Miss Castries, and the business was his own business. He would thank you to keep your advice to yourself. With a man in this condition, mere words only fix him in his purpose. Of course he cannot see that marriage out here does not concern the

individual, but the governmen the serves. Do you remember Mrs. Hanksbee, the most wonderful woman in India? She saved Pluffles from Mrs. Reiver, won Tarrion his appointment in the for-

eign office and was defeated in open field by Mrs. Cusack-Bremmil. She heard of the lamentable condition of Peythroppe, and her brain struck out the plan that saved him. She had the wisdom of the serpent, the logical coherence of the man, the fearlessness of the child and the triple intuition of the woman. Never-no, never-as long as a tonga buckets down the Solon dip or the couples go a-riding at the back of Summer Hill will there be such a genius as Mrs. Hauksbee. She attended the consultation of three men on Peythroppe's case, and she stood up with the lash of her riding whip between her lips and spake.

* * * * Three weeks later Peythroppe dined with the three men, and The Gazette of India came in. Peythroppe found to his surprise that he had been gazetted a month's leave. Den't ask me how this was managed. I believe firmly that, if Mrs. Hanksbee gave the order, the whole great Indian administration would stand on its head. The three men had also a month's leave each. Peythroppe put The Gazette down and said bad words. Then there came from the compound the soft "pad-pad" of camels-"thieves' camels," the Bikaneer breed that don't bulcourse, you believe in "affinities"—in ble and howl when they sit down and get up.

After that, I don't know what happened. This much is certain-Peythroppe disappeared-vanished like smoke-ard the long foot rest chair in the house of the three men was broken to splinters; also a bedstead departed from one of the bedrooms.

Mrs. Hauksbee said that Mr. Peythroppe was shooting in Rajputana with the three men; so we were compelled & believe her.

At the end of the month, Peythroppe was gazetted 20 days' extension of leave, but there was wrath and lamentation in the house of Castries. The marriage day had been fixed, but the bridegroom never came, and the D'Silvas, Pereiras and Ducketts lifted their voices and mocked Honorary Lieutenant Castries as one who had been basely imposed upon. Mrs. Hanksbee went to the wedding and was much astonished when Peythroppe did not appear. After seven weeks, Peythroppe and the three men returned from Rajputana. Peythroppe was in hard, tough condition, rather white and more self contained than ever.

One of the three men had a cut on his nose, caused by the kick of a gun. Twelve bores kick rather cariously.

Then came Honorary Lieutenant Castries, seeking for the blood of his perfidious son-in-law to be. He said things—vulgar and "impossible" things which showed the raw, rough "ranker" below the "honorary," and I fancy Peythroppe's eyes were opened. Anyhow, he held his peace till the end, when he spoke briefly. Honorary Lieutenant Castries asked for a "peg" before he went away to die or bring a suit for breach

happened during the seven weeks of his shooting tour in Rajputana.

But just think how much trouble and expense-for camel hire is not cheap, and those Bikaneer brutes had to be fed like humans-might have been saved by a properly conducted matrimonial department, under the control of the director general of education, but corresponding direct with the viceroy. -Rudvard Kipling.

The Man, the Cow and the Elk.

While a freight train was lying at a small mountain station in Montana the engineer borrowed a shotgun and started out for a hunt. He was about starting to return to his train when a cow made her appearance. Before he realized that there was any danger the animal made a rush at him, and he ran with all his speed. But the cow was a better racer, and in a few minutes caught him by the clothing, splitting his coat from waist to collar and tossing him into the air. Getting to his feet as quickly as

possible, he dodged behind a tree, and then, to his dismay, found that the gun barrel was bent so as to be useless.

The next ten minutes were very lively ones. The cow chased the engineer round and round the tree, and when he got a chance to hit her with the gun barrel it only seemed to enrage her the more. It was only a question of time when he would succumb to fatigue, when a diversion occurred which saved his life. An angry snort was heard, and his life. An angry snort was heard, and a big elk appeared upon the scene, head down and prepared for a fight. The cow was so mad by this time that she was ready for anything, and in another moment the two animals dashed at each other. The engineer watched the combat for a few minutes, until prudence suggested that he should make a retreat in safety. He never knew the outcome of the battle, but the presumption is that the elk was the victor. - Bozeman (Mon.) Avant Courier.

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and interest, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein decribed, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the court house in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw [that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held], on Friday, the 13th day of March 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day; Which said premisis are described in said Mortzage as follows, to wit: All that piece ro parcel of land being on section number [20] twenty in the Township of Bridgewater, in the County of Washtenaw and State "of Michigan, bounded as follows, to wit: On the north by the Bridgewater mill pond and on the east by lands owned by Stabler, and on the south and west by the highway, the same more or less.

Dated December 11th., 1895.

ALBERT BRUNSKI, Assignee of Mortgage.

Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee. Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the

Estate of Farwell A. Wilson. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 24th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Farwell A. Wilson deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Farwell A. Son, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Earl F. Wilson, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself the executor, in said will named or to some other italia parson.

the executor, in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to express at a session of said Court, then to be other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR ARGUS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy]

[MILLARD BABBITT,

[A true copy]

[Judge of Probate William G. Doty, Prebate Register.



Estate of George Wood.

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TATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the eighteeth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Present, J. Willlard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Geo. Wood deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Mary Wood Allen, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament and codicils thereto of said deceased may be admitted to probute, and that administration of said estate may be granted to heresil, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Mon'ay, the 17th day of February next. at 10 o'clock in the forenon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-atlaw of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Arbor, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

(A TRUE COPY)

WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register

Estate of Riohard Nowland.

Estate of Richard Nowland. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wash-tenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at on the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, Wedne-day, the 22nd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

on the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, Weden-day, the 22nd day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninetysix.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Richard Nowland, deceased.

Jesse Steffe, the administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the 18th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered that said Administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing there of, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

A true conv.

Real Estate for Sale.

TATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY

of Washtenaw—ss.

In the matter of the estate of Cecilia A. Underhill, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said estate by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw—st.

Staff of Washtenaw—ss.

In the matter of the estate of Cecilia A. Underhill, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said estate by the Hon. Judge of Probate of the Post of the County of Washtenaw—ss.

In the matter of the estate of Cecilia A. Underhill, deceased.

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Staff of Washtenaw—ss.

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The center of the estate of Cecilia A.

Mortgage Sale

Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE
Win the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 31st day of March, in the year A. D. 1881, executed by Michael Steffan owski, of the township of Bridgewater, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to Alongo Clark of Clinton, Lenawee County, Michigan, to the 4th day of April, in the year A. D. 1881, and recorded in the office of Register of De ds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 4th day of April, in the year A. D. 1881, at 7:15 p m. And, whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Alonzo Clark to James Hogan by assignment bearing date the 27th day of April, in the year 1892 at 10 clock a. m. on Liber 13 of assignments of mortgages on page 178 and said mortgage has been again duly assigned by the said James Hogan to Albert Brunski, by assignments of mortgages on page 278 and the same is now owned by him, the said Albert Brunski. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage opparative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pur-

gage or any part thereof whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the South front door of the Court house in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held) on Friday the 13th day of March, 1896, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon: Which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, towit: All that plece or parcel of land situate or being in the township of Bridgewater, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan known and described as follows towit: Commencing in the middle of the highway in the quarter section line in section number (20) twenty in township number four south, of 'range four east, twenty-two (22) chains and twenty-two (22) links south from the quarter section line sixteen rods and six links to a stake, thence north line of said section number containing three did accepted in the stake hence north to center of mill road sixteen rods and six links, hence south-westerly along the center of mill road on beginning containing three (3) acres of land, be the same more or less.

Dated December, 11th, 1895.

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ADBERT BRUNSKI G. R. GILLESPIE, Attorney for Assignee,

Estate of James Clements.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY
Of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate
Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the
Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on
Friday, the 24th day of January, in the
year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.
Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of James Clements,
deceased.

In the matter of the estate of James Clements, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of William L. Clements praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself and Henry Clements the executors in said lost will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the foremon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate are required to all states of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and irrelating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

[A true copy.] Judge of Probate,

WM. G. Doty, Probate Register

Real Estate for Sale. STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY

ceased) the following described real estate, to-wit:

That certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Ypsilanti county of Washtenaw and State of Miehigan, viz: Commencing in the center of the highway at the northeast corner of the south-west quarter of section number three, running thence south, one degree east along the north and south quarter line of said section ten chains and seventy links, to the north east corner of land owned by J. H. Marvin; thence south eighty-nine degrees and thirty-six minutes, west along the north line of said Marvin's land and the north line of land owned by J. Horner, ten chains; thence uorth one degree west ten chains and sixty-one links to the center of the highway on the east and west quarter line of said section; thence north eighty-eight degrees and thirty-six minutes east along the center of said highway ten chains to the place of beginning, containing ten acres of land, more or less.

Dated December 23, 1895.

and, more or less.

Dated December 23, 1895.

CHARLES E SAMSON,

Administrator.

Estate of Arefus Dunn.

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY
Of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, holden at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt. Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Aretus Dunn, deceased.

deceased.

Anna B. Bach, executrix of the last will and testament of Philip Bach, deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account of said Philip Bach, as one

day of February next, at ten o'clock in the foremond be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said aretus Dunn, deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 11th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the foreity of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said over the county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy]

[Matter of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said over the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of the said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Mortgage Sale

said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABISITT,

(A true copy.)

WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Estate of Edward Clark.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Proof Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 23rd day of January, in th year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate oate.
In the matter of the estate of Edward Clark

deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Elizabeth Stevens Clark, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Peter N. Cook, or some other suitable person. Peter N. Cook, or some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the
17th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition,
and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all
other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then
to be holden at the probate office, in the city of
ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why
the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.
And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give
notice to the persons interested in said estate, of notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendeuev of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three suc-

nied and circumsed in said day of hearing.
-ive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

Judge of Probate. (A true copy.)
WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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PERSONAL.

Ed. Niethammer, of the north side, has gone to Cincinnati, O.

Will Potter spent Sunday in Detroit. Wm. H. Shetterly and daughter, of

Kalamazoo, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shetterly of this city. Mrs. G W. Moore returned home from Lansing Monday after a three

Rev. R. R. Claiborne, rector of St. Luke's, Kalamazoo, will officiate at St Andrew's church on Sunday.

Martin Haller has a new piece of furniture at his home. It is a boy.

A. J. Sawyer, E. H. Scott, R. C. Scott and Dr. Armstrong, of Chelsea, left yesterday for a several weeks' trip to Florida and other southern points.

Theobald Seyler and Wm. Dol and Miss Carrie Seyler, of Lodi, and Miss Ceene Garvin, of Ann Arbor, spent several days of last week with friends at

Fowlerville. Wednesday in the city.

Mrs. J. S. McGuire and son Donald, of Durand, and Miss Cleo Carmody, of McGuire, sr.

UNIVERSITY.

The laws are howling for a fire escape in the law building.

Preparations have been made for summer school and the courses to be offered. A chess club and shooting club are late organizations in the university.

Caspar W. Whitney, in an interview with the Detroit Free Press, expresses come around to his ideas of western professionalism as stated in Harper's Weekly last fall. He says that the west- expense in making the dam and race- spirit from the neither World and the ern colleges are too desirous of being way perfect. For years the mill ground anguish of their victim. The tableau champions of the whole country and don't wait to grow to excellence, as the eastern colleges have done.

Caspar W. Whitney, the Harper's Weekly athletic critic, was in the city Monday. He expressed himself as surprised at the size of the university, and announced that it was not impossible that Harper's would establish a western department in the Weekly. A telegram was receive here shortly after Whitney's departure announcing that his father was dead at Hamilton, Ont.

President Angell has written Senator McMillan relative to a bill introduced by Senator Wathall, of Mississippi. This bill provides that the land grants voted by congress in aid of state universities shall be equalized. For instance Utah was given 16,000 acres for its universities; the Dakotas over 86,000, Alabama 92,000; while Michigan received but 46,080 acres. As Michigan contains little public lands now, it is probable that if the grants are ever equalized, the university will receive its additional share from western states. President Angell hopes that the bill may pass, as, is well known, the present resources of the university are lim-

Love on a Postal Card.

do perform. Here are the contents of \$22,000. a postal card held for direction at the

My own dear jennie:

had a full house, Kate and jim went said in our hearing that the mills were home together, they had a good time in "hoodooed," and never made a dollar the dark. O how my hart akes for for but one owner of them. They were you. It is nearly busting with love. once the property of N. Briggs, who Don't you think we had better marry rite away, time is money—let me no by flourishing milling days for \$12,000. return male.

From your loving

frank. Very like "jennie" "no"ed.

Feb. 1-Henry C. Perkins, Ann Arbor; Mabel Farr, Martinville.

" 1-E. E. Nash, Ann Arbor; Laura Lamarsh, Ann Arbor. 3-Wm. E. Stoeckle, Jackson; Hattie Mills, Ann Arbor.

" 3-Hurbert K, Burrell, Ypsilanti; Irvena M. Yeckley, Ypsilanti. 5-Lewis F. Roberts, Ypsilanti; Eva Smith, Ypsilanti.

5-Frank E. Camp, Ann Arbor; Elizabeth Cebulski, Manchester.

Retrospective.

The burning of the Scio mills last anti. Wednesday night removes another landmark that testified to the past greatness of the Huron river as a water power, says the Dexter Leader.

Looking backward a couple of generations we see the Huron one of the greatest milling streams, if not the greatest in Southern Michigan. But time and invention have augmented the process of natural decay, until today there is left but a shadow of its 1868, when it was purchased by Mr. rison's production of "Faust," is a tricould be found on the Huron twenty day and night and four teams drew was the nearest railroad point, from country. With the innovation of rollers, the opening up of the great western wheat fields and mills, and the building of the northern railroads, this mill lost its prestige and gradually lapsed into a custom mill. A few years ago ing Co., and subsequently was entirely consumed by fire. It was, we believe, insured for about five \$5,000. The property cost Mr. Birkett \$20,000. Coming down to Dexter the first

building we see as we enter by the river road, is a large, dismanteled four story frame structure, tenanted only by memories of the past. This ruin is all that remains of the Peninsula Mills, at one time one of the largest and most flourishing mills on the stream. With the passing of the mill-stone this mill, too, dropped out of line, and finally ceased to be operated, being sold at last for less than \$4,000 to Mr. Birkett, who has had most of the machinery removed. This mill was for years one of the greatest producers in Michigan. changed hands several times, perhaps its most successful owner being the late R. A. Beal, of Ann Arbor. The prop-Oh, little Cupid, what wonders you erty was sold once during the 60's for

The Scio Mills, the burning of which called up this retrospect, also had a checkered career. They passed through Why didn't you come last night. We several hands. A former owner once paid \$3,500 for them and sold them in

verses and the mills were so d for less than half this amount.

That this decadence was inevitable, we are not prepared to dispute. Altho' a young man the writer of this article recalls pleasant memories of days when not only these mills, but Dexter, (in common with many other villages,) was doing a business of thousands of dollars where it now does one of hundreds, and as we view the town in perspective, we sometimes wonder if there may not be in store for it a decay as complete and unalterable as in case of the once flourishing industries, the brief obituary of which we have just penned.

A Bit of Repartee.

Hugh Johnson, who owns a restaurant on N. Fourth ave., opposite the county house square, was on trial in Justice Pond's court Monday on a charge of disorderly conduct under the city ordinance. Johnson had trouble with some students and stirred up quite a commotion. Justice Pond found Johnson guilty and fined him \$5 and \$10.75 costs. Michael Lehman appeared for Johnson, and after the finding of the justice he and City Attorney Kline had a little pass at arms, a genial exchange of courtesies, that caused quite a ripple of excitement. The shower cleared away, however, before the repartee took a dangerous turn, much to the relief of the court. Johnson appealed the case to the circuit.

Farmers' Institute Officers.

The Farmers' Institute brought its ast week's session at Ypsilanti to a close by the election of the following

President-Wm. E. Stocking, of Ann Arbor.

Vice Presidents-Ann Arbor, I. N. S. Foster, Ann Ar-

Augusta, John K. Campbell, Ypsi-Bridgewater, George S. Rawson,

Clinton. Dexter, John E. Hall, Dexter. Freedom, Jacob Breining, Freedom. Lima, Thomas Fletcher, Chelsea. Lodi, G. L. Hoyt, Saline.

Lyndon, Thomas Young, Chelsea. Manchester, J. G. English, Manches-

Northfield, Emory E. Leland. Emory. Pittsfield, Noel C. Carpenter, Ypsil

Salem, Sylvester Sober, Salem. Saline, Chas. M. Fellows, Saline. Scio, J. W. Wing, Dexter. Sharon, Wm. B. Osborne, Manches-

Superior, John A. McDougal, Su-

Sylvan, Michael J. Noyes, Chelsea Webster, Robert McColl, Delhi Mills. Yspilanti, Albert R. Graves, Ypsil-

Secretary and treasurer-H. Stumpenhusen, Rawsonville.

Executive Committee-John A. Me-Dougal, H. Stumpenhusen, Noel C. Carpenter, John K. Campbell, Albert R. Graves.

Morrison's "Faust." Among the superior attractions to appear at the opera house, Feb. 7, the Morrison's "Faust" holds a foremost Mrs. Mary. Dogel, of Freedom, spent former greatness. While this may not place, and in the hands of Morrison's be so noticeable as we travel toward players, Goethe's masterpiece acquires the mouth of the river, from the source fresh lustre. The dramatization of a distance of twenty miles it is emphat- this production is a triumph of the Owosso, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. ically true. The first of the great stage, the interpretation of the lines of flour mills to succomb was the one Mephisto is a revelation-A vivid real- dents; and Mrs. White united in her ocated at Hudson which was removed istic conception of the Mephisto which to make place for the Birkett Manufac- the great German author designed. turing Co.'s pulp mill, which was after- Plays of the spectacular order are fast wards burned and rebuilt. This flour- finding favor, the Kiralfy's no longer ing mill was once a good property and are looked upon as the originators of sold as high as \$16,000. This was in everything admirable in this line. Mor-Birkett. No finer milling property umph of mechanical effects on the stage. The effects produced by the many colyears ago than Thomas Birkett's Dover ored lights are entrancing. In the revel Mills. Not only were the building and of the demons, on Walpurgis night on the view that the western athletes have machinery the best that money could the summit of the Brocken the entire purchase, but it was head water power stage seems afire and added to the clash on the river and Mr. Birkett spared no of the elements comes the revel of the of the last act is sublime, the wronged barrelled flour to this station, which Marguerite is represented as in the clouds apparently unsupported, with where it was shipped to all parts of the Faust clinging to her robes, hanging as the scenes does, from one most sorrow. ful death, to this transition in the skies, he effect is beyond description. Besides the scenic effects the drama of J. Brown, Drugglsts. 'Faust" is much on a par with the libretto of Gounod's opera. The same it was sold to the Birkett Manufactur- grand moral lies interwoven in the plot and each sentence is either a reproach to human baseness or an incentive that impels a man to shake off, so far as in himself lies, his frailty.

> NAPOLEON'S VALUE OF VICTORY.

It Finds a Striking Counterpart in Recent World Triumph. Napoleon knew well the value of a

victory. After Austerlitz the world seemed his. Fame invited, fortune favored, everything stimulated his aspiring ambition. With growing power he gathered the fruits of victory. And so has it ever been. Success succeeds. A notable illustration of this truth is furnished by the great victories won at the World's Fair in '93 and the California Mid-Minter Fair in '94 by Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Ever increasing in sales and popularity have been the result. The people have promptly ratified the official verdicts that declared Dr. Pierce's, for leavening power, keeping qualities, purity and general excellence, the "foremost baking powder in all the world." Quite as quickly as the great Emperor do they know the value of a victory that means world-wide supremacy.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth The Dexter firm of Costello & Evarts raid this figure for them and afterwards laid out \$14,000 in improvements, which made the mills cost them

In the February issue of Appleton's Popular Science Monthly Pro. Geo. L. Burr, has a very interesting sketch of Andrew Dickson White, accompan'ed by an excellent portrait. This gentleman was recently appointed on the Venezuela Commission by President Cleveland. The portion of the article relating to President White's li'e in Ann Arbor, will surely be read with interest. It is as follows:

"It was then, with his future profession all undecided, that he chanced to stray within the sound of the voice of President Francis Wayland, who was delivering at Yale one of the addresses of the commencement season; and the orator's plea for the new and growing west as a field for the young scholar sank deep into his mind. The next year he spent in graduate study at Yale, and before its end, declining all other offers, he had accepted the chair of History and English Literature at the University of Michi-

"He was but five and twenty, and looked a boy, but the vigor of his thought and the finish of his style soon dispelled all doubt as to his maturity. 'He came to Ann Arbor.' says one who listened to him, 'fresh from European studies, and he entered upon his labor with that peculiar enthusiasm which is instantly caught by students, and is perhaps the most successful element of all good teaching. His instruction in history was a genuine revelation to those who had been accustomed to perfunctory textbook work, and the hearing of dry colorless lectures. The exceptional excellence of his instruction consisted largely of the spirit which he infused into his students. He had in a remarkable degree the rare gift of seizing upon the most important principles and causes and presenting them in such a manner as to illuminate the whole course of events with which they were connected. He not only instructed, but, what was even more important, he inspired. While he remained in his chair perhaps no study in the University was pursued with so much enthusiasm by the mass of students as was that of history.'

"In the general development of the University he was like his old friend Frieze, whom, to his joy, he found a fellow-member of the Michigan faculty, a loyal supporter and adviser of President Tappan. And there was work to do outside the institution. The University, in order to keep its hold on the state, from which it drew its support, loved to send out its faculty as lecturers into the towns and villages of Michigan, and into this task, too, the young Professor of History went with zest and

"On the eve of his going to Michigan, he had married, at Syracuse, Mary Outwater, a neighbor's daughter, whom he had known and admired since her childhood. He was fond of entertaining his colleagues and stuwhich made her the most charming of hostesses. Their home soon became at Ann Arbor, as afterward at Cornell, the very heart of the University's social life. There, in his growing library, amid the influences of art and music so dear to him, Prof. White ministered a hospitality which could have meant hardly less to the culture of those who shared it than did the work of his class room."

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28TH ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF DETROIT, MICH.

For the Year ending December 31st, 1895.

REVENUE ACCOUNT,

Total Income ... Disbursements for Death Claims, Dividends, Matured Insurance, Surrender Values, and all Expenses..... Balance to Investment Account....

Cash in Bank.
First Mortgage Liens on Real Estate
Real Estate, including Home Office Building...
Loans to Policy Holders secured by Reserves... Bonds
Interest Due and Accrued
Rents due and accrued
Net Outstanding Premiums, secured by Reserve Fund
Net Deferred Premiums, secured by Keserve Fund

Amount of Reserve Fund, American Table (4 per cent)
Deposits of Policy Holders
Premiums Paid in Advance
Unpaid Dividends...
Death Claims not due Surplus on 4 per cent Table, New Standard, voluntarily adopted by the Company.

Total Liabilities: Surplus on 41/2 per cent Standard as per Michigan Law.

O. R. LOOKER, President. JAMES H. CUMMINS, Secretary.

B. J. CONRAD, Agent, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Estate of Flavius J. Comstock. SIGNOR NAPOLITANO'S ORCHESTRA. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 6th day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Flavius J Comstock, deceased.

Altha A. Comstock, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such executrix.

Thereupon it is ordered that Tuesday, the third day of March, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legavees and heirs-at-law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said 'estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said executrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hear ing.

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WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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