

# VERCOATS

Did we hear you say that if you could buy an overcoat at a R. Miner and Dr. E. K. Hale presented BARGAIN you would buy now.

If you DID we will give you an opportunity.

## Anv Overcoat in Our Store at 1-3 OFF. places, and \$15 for residences. The We will make it still plainer

\$22.00 Overcoats \$14.67 15.00 10.00

\$18.00 Overcoats \$12.00

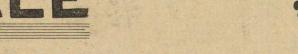
\$10.00 Overcoats \$6.67 big cut you will say.

Don't mention it, for we want to try and forget what they cost us-

Noble's Star Clothing House,

35 South Main Street.

# CLEARING



After taking our Annual Inventory we find that we have a great many small sizes and broken lots in Women's and Men's Shoes which we will offer at a very low price.

Remember that all our warm shoes and slippers are going at cost.

# WAHR & MILL

THE SHOE MEN.

48 S. Main St., Ann Arbor.

# . AT THE BUSY STORE OF ...

# FEBRUARY SALE.

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,

# 50 Pieces New Black Press Goods

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

75c per yard Pure Mohair Crepon, new patterns at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard.

# New Colored Dress Goods

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

per yard. Silk and Wool and Mohair novelties at 50c per yard. 25 pieces Serges and Novelty Suitings at 39c per yard All Wool Serges in new spring shades at 25c per yard.

# WASH GOODS.

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  $2\frac{1}{4}$  by  $2\frac{1}{2}$  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 50 to 50e per yard.

Leaders of

MAXIMUM RATE OF \$15 FOR RESIDENCES

And of \$24 for Business Places, Fixed on With Nine Free Telephones for the City-A Canvas Being Made.

An opportunity is offered the city to have a cheaper telephone rate. John an ordinance to council last Monday night, according to which the rate would be \$24 per annum for business ordinance makes the following provis-

Section 1 provides for the name, the Washtenaw Telephone Co., and for the putting in of wires, poles, etc.

Section 2 provides that the proposed work shall be done under the control of the board of works.

Section 3 provides that the company shall make known five days before work is commenced in any of the streets or alleys where the contemplated work is to be done, the board to decide upon

location of poles. Section 4 makes provision that the poles will be either wood or iron, and the wires 20 feet from the surface of the ground.

Section 5: city may have use of poles for fire alarm or police wires.

Section 6: The company is to furnish nine telephones for city offices and fire protection free of charge, and any more wanted by the city will be furnished at one-half the schedule price.

Section 7 is important, as it provides that the company must keep connections with other telephone companies without extra charge.

Section 8 provides for rates as stated

Section 9 makes provision for the furnishing of a \$5,000 bond, to insure the city against any suits or legal entanglements that might in any way grow out of the line's construction.

Section 10 provides for the ordinance start to work within a specified time after the ordinance is passed.

Section 11: The ordinance shall be

in duration 30 years.

Section 12: If line is ever constructed

in rate for connection there. Section 13: The company is to be- said when he told his good mother, in come a corporate body with \$25,000

a lively tilt over its passage.

The new telephone company is officered as follows: Dr. A. Kent Hale, never cared much to travel. They president; W.W. Watts, vice president; Dr.D. A. Wright secretary and John R. and cared little for others. He recited phones in the city.

afford to be placed in instant connection asked where he had been that Sunday. with all parts of the city. Greeers Had he visited the Louvre and the art would then find it easy to get orders galleries, had he looked at the paintwithout sending out rigs especially ings, had he gone to church services, in kept for the purpose and residents would all the churches beginning in the mornbe largely enabled to remain in-doors in ing and lasting until afternoon? Would

bad weather. Co. will take to meet its rival remains in Paris? Max O'Rell paid many to be seen.

# Our Oldest Citizen Gone.

est citizen, passed away suddenly at his women, and that they were the brighthome, 49 W. Liberty street, at 1:30 est and best educated women of any and promising to return from Buffalo o'clock Tuesday afternoon of heart nation. Men looked upon them more failure. He had been about in the as their equals than they did anywhere morning young Thompson was arrested morning in his usual good health and else. He said that America had its charged with the theft. The entire spirits, but at the hour designated he typical women, but no typical men. was found lifeless by his children in his The men, however, worked too hard, age last month. He was a native of Ger- and stick in the business world. Men of two large satchels and numerous presence of relatives. Rev. Fred. Vols many and drove through from New York | were feverish to be rich and when they | bundles. But the sheriff thinks he has state with a yoke of oxen. He took up had money were feverish for more. another charge against the prisoner. a claim from the government and An- The Frenchman always enjoyed him- About three weeks ago some one broke drew Jackson's signature was upon the self, the American didn't take time to. deed that was issued by Uncle Sam | The lecturer had characteristically is known as the Klingman church set- of the hand. His description of a womtlement. He married after settlement an's bonnet in deaf and dumb show there and he survived his wife by 25 was so true to the original that the years. Upon her death he returned to women were forced to acknowledge by the city and has made his home with long and hearty laughter that he knew his two daughters, Misses Dorothy and exactly what he was talking Helen Bissinger. The other children about. His hits were many and freare Mrs. A. D. Seyler and Jacob Bissin- quent, and he was thoroughly apprecia- which deals with school attendance. were Miss Amelia Huss, of Ann Arger, of this city. Aaron Feldkamp, of ed, even if some of his wit had the barb Bridgewater, Mrs. Mary Clements, of and he thrust it home with a keen satire lating to this county. In 1894 there brothers, Eugene, of Akron, O., Ernest, Scio, and Geo. and Wm. Bissinger, who and a delicate cruelty. reside in Los Angeles valley, California. Mr. Bissinger was very reminscent of the early days and hale and life long reader of the New York Sun and read the fine print without glasses, up to within a few years of his death. Apples, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 to school and read the fine print without glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 percent glasses, per bu 1.25 to 1.40 the state at large, in which 69 perc 

Washington, Lincoln and Bobbie Burns were all born in February. Bobbie Burns birthday was only one day be-A New Telephone Company in the Field in Ann hind Washington, and plans have been completed for its celebration tonight at Normal Hall, Ypsilanti, under the auspices of the Scottish society of Ann Arbor. Miss Bessie MacAlpine, of Chicago, formerly of Edinburg, will sing the Scottish songs in costume. Harold Jarvis, of Detroit, is also expected to furnish a portion of the vocal selections. Alexander Gray, formerly pipemajor in one of the crack British regiments, will play for the gathering of the clans. Judge Harriman will deliver his address on Robert Burns. Recitations will be given from Burns' poems. The bill for the evening will be 50 cents.

The following is the program:

PART I. Bag pire selections while clans are assem-Introductory Remarks, \_\_\_\_Robert Campbell

Address, Subject: Robert Burns, Judge Harriman.
Song, "Scots, Wha hae." Harold Jarvis

Song, "Jessie's Dream," Miss Louise George

Scotch Dance, "Shean Trews," \_\_\_\_\_ Miss Aggie Rankin (With bag-pipe accompaniment.) Song Selected, \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_Miss Grace Stevens

Song, "We'd better bide a wee" \_\_\_\_\_ Miss Elizabeth A. Campbell PART II.

Song, "MacGregor's Gathering," \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_present management.

Reading, "Tam O' Shanter,"

Scotch Dance, "Highland Fling,"

Miss Aggie Rankin

(With bag-pipe accompaniment.)

Song, "Land O' the Leal."

Miss Louise George

Duet, "Huntingtower,"

Miss E. A Campbell and Harold Jarvis Song, Selected \_\_\_\_\_Miss Grace Stevens

Scotch Dance, "Gillie Callum,"

Miss Aggie Rankin

(With bag-pipe accompaniment.) Song, "I'm ower young to marry yet." \_\_\_\_ Miss Bessie McAlpine

Song, "March of the Cameron Men,"\_\_\_\_Mr. Harold Jarvis

# Audience invited to join in singing one verse of "AULD LANG SYNE."

Max O'Rell's Lecture.

becoming void if the company does not has poked so much fun at the American rare ability as a lecturer. people the past ten years, and who is the author of "Jonathan and His Conti-nent," "John Bull and His Island" and other sitirical works of travel, was greeted by a large audience in the S. Frenchman was very interesting. He

the little provincial town where he was born and she had always lived, The ordinance comes up in two weeks, that he was going to America, she bade at which time it is stated there will be him good-bye with deep solicitude, conveying the impression that she never should see him again. Frenchmen were contented with their own country, described all the bad leatures that he four great meetings next Sunday. At \$15 a year most residences can found. Max O'Rell followed him and

this man please explain how he hap-Just what action the Bell Telephone pened to get where he did that Sunday compliments to the American women, homage by the sterner sex of any na-Conrad Bissinger, Ann Arbor's old- tion in the world, including the French

# Corrected up to Feb. 21, 1836.

Wells.

# ATTENDANCE ON WASHTENAW'S SCHOOLS.

Butterworth at University Hall Tomorrow -Satchels Stolen-New Circuit Court Cases-The Osborn Meetings, Etc.

The Ann Arbor Water company has purchased the Neuhoff property in the Jewitt addition between West Liberty F. Jutzel and some new wells will be sunk on this property The indications are that there is a large water supply on this property. If an abundant supply is secured, the water works company may erect a second pumping station at this point. It will be remem bered that the water from the springs on A. K. Hale has taken charge of them as receiver and the public will testify with good wishes their confidence in the crowd is hoped for.

## At the Inland League Tonight.

The next entertainment in the Inland League Course for this evening will All of these were appeals from judgbe the Cook Arctic Expedition, an in- ments of lower courts. teresting lecture by S. P. Orth, who endured more hardships, or passed through more thrilling scenes, wrecks; privations and adventures. Mr. Orth et al., vs. Charles S. Abbott, comes be-Max O'Rell, the French author, who s an energetic scientist and possesses fore Justice Pond's court, here on Feb.

## The Ostrom Meetings.

Amid all the excitement of the past for \$500. week, the revival meetings in the M. E. Church have held their own and fred J. Paul, comes from Juitice Gibto Ypsilanti there shall be no increase C. A. course Monday night. The gained in power constantly. Great son's court, where on Feb. 12, judgaudiences have gathered and all who ment was given in favor of the plainand language of the young evangelist, fendant who gives bonds for \$50 for Henry Ostrom.

Many have already yielded to the themselves ready to begin a Christian was tried by Justice Gibson. Defendlife. Every meeting shows an increase ants not appearing judgment was rendin favor and influence. Mr. Crowell ered in favor of plaintiff in sum of seems to sing better all the time; he \$29.51 and \$2.80 costs. Defendants Miner treasurer. Articles of incorpor. an amusing incident which occurred at has well been called "David" the sweet bring appeal. ation with \$25,000 capital stock have been filed and a canvas is being made where they were discussing the best ing for young men was held on Tuesto secure subscribers to the telephone manner in which to pass Sunday, a local day evening, and another for young Ypsilanti. James Edwards, a book service it being hoped by the promoters man said he had had the misfortune to women occurred Thursday evening. agent, sued the defendant for \$2.85 and of the company to place several hundred have spent one Sunday in Paris. He The series of meetings will close with

# Stole a Satchel.

Charles Thompson, colored, was arrested this morning and lies in the county jail awaiting trial for burglary.

Last night a couple drovers came to the city over the Ann Arbor road, taking several car loads of cattle to the east. While making the transfer to the Michigan Central they left their baggage on the platform at the depot. When their job was done and they turned to get said that they were paid the greatest their baggage it was missing. The the men had to remain with their cattle they went their way. Yesterday baggage was found but not in his possession and he emphatically denies all chamber. The deceased was 94 years of and there was too much of the rocket knowdege of it. The baggage consisted About three weeks ago some one broke into Kyer's mill and stole three 50 lb sacks of flour. The officers found about fully decorated and many rich and The land settled upon was situated French gestures, and O'Rell told much half of this hidden away in an old box even miles west of Ann Arbor in what in a shrug of the shoulders or a turn and of vered with hay in the house occupied by Thompson. When confronted with the evidence against him he confessed the latter theft.

Attendance of Our Public Schools.

were 11,734 native born children, between the ages of 5 and 20 in this county, of whom 8,701 attended school his cousin, Miss Amanda Luick. during the census year and 769 foreign "The bride is an accomplished young 

under five years of age; 17,484 between five and ten; 208,648 between ten and fifteen; 78,182 between fifteen and twenty; 6214 between twenty and The Ann Arbor Water Comrany Will Sink New twenty-nve; 711 between twenty-five and thirty and 212 over thirty years.

Butterworth Orates Tomorrow.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 occurs the annual celebration of Washington's birthday under the charge of the law cla-ses of the university. Owing to the lateness in securing the speaker, who is the Hon. Benjamn Butterworth, of Washington, D. C., the celebraton has been but poorly advertised and general interest is rather low. Since Presdent Cleveland was the orator of the occasion five years ago, comparatively little enand West Washington streets, of Titus thusiasm has been shown by either students or citizens, but Bengamin Butterworth, Jr., is considered an eloquent speaker, has been long in public life, as an office-holder and successful lawyer, and deserves to see a large audience before him tomorrow. It will be remembered by some that Mr. Butterworth is not in touch with his party, Herman Hutzel's property near this the G. O. P., on the tariff question and point has been pronounced superior to that for this reason he a few years age the celebrated Wankesha water. Let us voluntarily surrendered his place in hope that the water works company will congress and retired to private life. He meet with the succes, which they richly will hardly allow himself to be drawn deserve for their determined efforts to out on this interesting phase of his pubsecure an abundant supply of pure lie career. There will be several pleas-Townspeople as well as students are invited, admission free, and a large

## New Cases in the Circuit.

The crouit court docket had placed upon it during the past week six cases.

John T. Feldkamp vs. Henry Rothe, was the botanist of the Cook expedition. is the first case and is an appeal from He tells of Labrador, Greenland and the finding of circuit court commissioner the Arctic, and the lecture is profusely Butterfield The complainant prayed illustrated with views taken on the ex- that the defendant be ordered to surpedition. As the Cleveland News and render certain land in his possession to Herald says: No adventure is so thril- their owner. The land lies in Sharon. ling as that in the regions sealed to The commissioner tried the case and human conquest by ice and snow; and gave the complainant judgment. The in recent years no Arctic expedition has trial occurred Feb. 6, and costs as sessed on defendant amounted to \$20.75.

The second case, Calpurnia B. Phelps, 26 a judgment of \$261.58 damages and \$7.85 costs was given for the plaintiff. The defendant appeals and gives bonds

The third case, John Schmid vs. Alcame are willing to acknowledge the tiff for the sum of \$12.34 damage and charm and beauty of the sentiments \$3.05 costs. Appeal comes from de-

payment of costs. The case of John Groff and Abraham message he brings, and have declared Beck vs. Frederick and Lewis Hoffman

received judgment in that amount. The defendant claims the contract for the book was secured by fraud and appeals to the higher court. The last case is of John Goetz, Jr., vs. Daniel Seyler, et ai, and is on appeal of a garnishee case from Justice Gibson's court. The case was tried finally on Feb. 14, and the plaintiff was giuen judgment, the costs amounting to \$4.25. Appeal is made by Flora Muehlig, claimant de-

# Married in Saginaw.

The many friends in Ann Arbor of sheriff was promptly notified and at Theodore Huss will read with pleasure once began search for the thief. But the following extract from yesterday's Saginaw Evening News:

> "A happy wedding was solemnized this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Endert, 525 Lapeer st., in which their daughter. Miss Elizabeth Endert, was united in marriage with Theodore Huss, In the officiated, Ernest Huss acting as groomsman, and Miss Clara Endert as bridesmaid. The parlors were tastebeautiful presents were left as testimonials of esteem.

"After the ceremony the bridal party sat down to a wedding dinner and at 6 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Huss left on a western trip. On their return they The state department has just issued will take up their home at 316 Cherry Bulletin No. 12, of the state census, st. The guests from outside the city From it we glean the following facts re- bor, sister of the groom, his three of Dayton, O., Albert, of Monroe, and

# Nerves

Are like Fire.

# **Cood Servants** But make

# Poor Wasters

To keep your Nerves steady, Your Head clear, Build up your Strength, Sharpen your Appetite, You must have

# Pure Rich Blood

The Best Medicine to Vitalize and Enrich the Blood, is

# Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier Prominently in the Public Eye.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, bilious-

WASHTENAWISMS.

Milan has a new blacksmith.

filled last week. Easter & Lon are shipping 2,500

pounds of milk daily from Milan and 3,000 pounds from Azalia.

Miss Hulda Koch, of Manchester,

will be united in marriage to Albert Hess, of Detroit, Feb. 26. Little Fred Braun, of Manchester, found out the other day how much it

hurts a small boy to get a rusty nail in his foot.

biology in the university, formerly any festivities. lived at Manchester.

a rheumatic winter.

showed was 6 1-3 x 8 1-3 inches in size. A buttonwood tree was felled by

Thos. Dumphrey, of Dundee, and all the buttons removed, together with the wood. There was enough of the latter to make nine cords of 20 inch stove wood and three 12-foot logs.

The Dundee miller said"be dammed' the other day when the high water carried away the dam by the mill site, and Feb. 19. put his words into execution by again backing up the water with a new dam.

Irving Clark, of Mooreville, took a sedlitz powder, allowing it to do the foaming act after it got down. It took a doctor five hours to make Clark so that he could tell people how it hap-

with Dexter, but it was only twins and when he began quit the fleeting stage of Dexter's triplets still take precedence life with the exception of four, has witwhen it comes to numbers.

other day than a Sunday school pionic tions, helped purchase the local fire encould get away with. They were ice gine and seen the village incorporated. cakes in the river.

of logs, had a wheel run over him, and only had a rib cracked. He thinks he could go through a threshing machine and come through with nothing but hay was not taken for subscriptions since his Waterbury wound up.

feel the effects of the new regime, for burn it all. a lot of new furniture for it has arrived and been put in place.

chicks yesterday - Ypsilantian. We ters, and I can cheerfully recommend have heard of the man so lazy that he have heard of the man so lazy that he hatched chicks under his arm pits, but don't believe anything of the kind about Mr. Gaudy. It must be Mr. Claudy. It must be Mr. Claudy at the the the transfer of the series food, about Mr. Claudy at the transfer of the series food, about Mr. Claudy at the transfer of the transfer of the series food, about Mr. Claudy at the transfer of the series food, about Mr. Claudy at the transfer of the series food, and as a general system tonic it has no solar system. Such folks are best described by comparing them to objects seen through a telescope with the object glass towards the organ of vision.

Such folks are best described by comparing them to objects seen through a telescope with the object glass towards the organ of vision. Gaudy's setting hen that the Ypsilan- had a backache which never left her tian has reference to.

Many farmers about Battle Creek are considerably worried over a new disease which has attacked the horses. It is similar to the scratches. It is not fatal. The legs swell and are stiff Geo. J. Haeussler, of Manchester. and disable the horse from work or even walking. Some of the veterinarians attribute the disease to the use of corn fodder. Hay being scarce this Ypsilanti preacher, has been offered an winter many farmers are feeding straw inducement to remove to Benton Harand corn stalks.

Two Freedom men fell to discussing the relative strength of England and not to go. The joint efforts of all the the United States in case the lion present clergy are required to pull should roar. They talked so loud and abused each other so long that one man became conscience pricked and went secretary of state, who now becomes over next day and apologized. Then ambassador to Germany, was formerly they exchanged Hiawatha for cut plug an Ypsilanti boy. And now the town, and talked about the weather.

dren came to the postoffice and got up its stomach and with its hat at a three letters; in going home they lost slant of 47 degrees, declares that "that open and tore them all up in small contemptuously purses its lips and pieces and scattered them along the sticks out its tongue at Ann Arbor. road for a mile or more. One of the ker correspondence of Milan Leader.

Harvey Porter, of Canton, Wayne week, and while here opened correspon-Dexter Leader.

Something very unusual for this part of the country took place on the farm of Mr. Quigg near Scio last Thursday. It was the killing of a 250 pound bear. Bruin, however, had been a pet and hence no great excitement resulted from the intelligence of his death -Dexter Leader.

Capt. Allen delivered his address on line that ever happened. Four wandering Willies told Marshal

Pierce at Cheisea the other day, that they wouldn't stay in his old jail unless so particular. \$\$\$ local-

A daughter was born last Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Donegan, of Ann Arbor. It is said that Jim is wondering if it will ever be Donegan.-Chelsea Standard.

the most unfortunate man in these University faculty, Gov. Rich, Gen. parts. He took a chance on a Detroit Alger, (who paid \$500 for a ticket,) that the reason the Detroiter raffled it a net \$3,500 concert, and away up in off was because the taxes were eating high G. The power of the grand orit up. Mandt would like to take the gan had been developed; the rush and lot out some dark night and bury it or roar and crash and jolt and pedal thun drop it in the river.

a whiskers club. That is one thing the delicate tromolo which, scarcely audi-The Cavanaugh lake ice houses were

A seedsman advertises a climbing watermelon. We advise our readers to purchase some of the seeds. What a relief it would be to know that your A. R. Beal, of Dexter, has traded his melons had climbed beyond the reach Dexter property for Detroit real estate of the small boy. - Manchester Enterand will remove to the City of the prise. When the seductive watermelon is able to climb beyond the reach of the average small boy the old veranda trellis to the upper chamber window will have ceased to clamber.

Eight Manchester Maccabees "hived" over to Napoleon the other night thinking the king bee was going to do something. On their arrival they found they Albert W. Dorr, the new assistant in home agian without being present at grand diapason.

When it comes to blows Ypsilanti is The Saline Observer man says he not in it with Ann Arbor, as the folknows by experience that this has been lowing from the Ypsilantian will testify: A few days ago our enterprising Josh. Hanson, of Milan, has a biddy grocery man, M.J. Lewis, went to Ann that laid an egg which a yard stick Arbor to collect payment of a bill from Henry Robbins, a colored barber. In the conversation between the two, Mr. Lewis used some language which was not agreeable to the barber's sense of propriety, and he responded by giving Mr. Lewis a sound blowing up, -part of the blow striking him in the face. Robbins was arrested and brought before Justice Childs for a hearing, and Tuesday the case was adjourned till

Editor A. B. Smith has just finished his 15th year as editor and proprietor of the Milan Leader. He was there at the bornin', and says he has seen changes of proprietors in all the papers and seen many others surrender their paste pots to Adversity and their shears to Inefficient Support. Editor Smith Dundee is trying its best to keep up has also seen the Milan firms in business nessed the incoming of electricity, wel-There were more cakes at Dundee the comed the arrival of telephone connec-He has also probably seen every circus Horace Case, of Milan, fell off a load for nothing that has come to town in that time, has shown his editor's card selves. But, favorite as he was, it beto the church contribution collector every Sunday, told the subscribers that the old gray was sold and that the back yard was so full of wood now that the Ypsilanti's postoffice is already to neighbors were having a hard time to to be seen.

# A Valuable Prescription.

it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her three years, I decided to try Burdock is at present at Albion. She expects health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a bot-

Monroe Democrat Items.

Rev. Sebastian Smits, the eloquent bor and may heed the Macedonian cry, "Come over and help as." He ought Ypsilanti through.

Hon. Edwin F. Uhl, the assistant Last Saturday R. H. Francis' two childeep in its pantaloons pockets, bulges it clear? them and some one found and tore them is the sort of kids we raise!" and then

A trick donkey with a show, at Ann letters contained a check which was Arbor last week, was so ill or starved also torn up. Strong suspicion points that it was "a trick" to push him off to two parties who were on the road at the stage after the act. The manager that time. They, perhaps, thought gave him to Jimmie Blythman, the there might be money in them, and not juvenile grand larcenist. This was not finding any tore up the letters. Rather an act of generosity as the manager risky business to engage in. -Whitta- knew that Blythman would probably steal the donkey before morning.

Farmer Platt, of Ypsilanti, has gone county, was in town last Thursday. He out of the sheep business because it is the elder brother of Clarence Porter, deesn't pay and states that since the rewhose untimely death we recorded last peal of the McKinley tariff only two of twelve flocks of sheep along the motor dence with his brother, George, of Flush- line remain. Platt would have it un-He states that their sister died in derstood that the Wilson free wool Ann Arbor about sixteen years ago. - clause of the present tariff has brought this about. Platt is wool-brained or a

Chelsea is still agitating the ringing demagogue. If he has the sense of a sheep he knew that wool was as cheap and unprofitable under the McKinley tariff as it has been since, and that mutton has never been more profitable than during the past eighteen months. If he has the sense so much the worse for his honesty.

A Milan minister preached lately from the query "Where is Heaven?" He had a small congregation, as most Lincoln at Chelsea, and the Standard Milanese realize there is no object for says it was the finest thing in the lecture them to know where it is, since they are not willing to comply with the conditions requisite to get there.

Prof. A. A. Stauley's musical soul is much elated at the treat he has in there was a fire in it. Some people are store for the loving music portion of

our citizens. - Washtenaw Times. There was a time and occasion when the professor's "musical soul" was not her grand parents in Ypsilanti. 'elated". It was in December, 1894, during the dedication of the Columbian prize organ, now in the University hall. The building was crowded with the elite of Ann Arbor and Detroit, in Wm. Mandt, of Belleville, thinks he's full dress. On the platform sat the lot the other day, drew the lot and finds and other distinguished people. It was der had ceased; the rage of the musical Belleville is the latest town to have storm had died away in the arms of a new woman's clubs have not yet tackled. ble, was winding its sinuous coarse among the keys under the professor's magic fingers, and every ear was strained and every neck craned, and all was hushed, that not a note of the delicious reverie might escare, when suddenly, from a grip victim in the middle of the hall, rang out a sneeze like a crack of doom. The spell vanished like house last Friday evening was a suca fairy dream under a noctural bite; the victim of grip looked refreshed and guests were present from Detroit, Ypsilhappy, and a wave of justling silks and anti, Ann Arbor and Jackson. half audible smiles spread over the audience. The professor finished, but his 'musical soul" was not elated. There was no more power in that single 'gall-buster'' to move an audience than had made a mistake and had to ride in the whole Columbian organ, in

The Time For Building

Up the system is at this season. The cold weather has made unusual drains upon the vital forces. The blood has become impoverished and impure, and consequence. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great builder, because it is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve tonic.

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Webster.

Three years ago, Tom Quigg, while roaming in the wilds of Minnesota, captured a young bear, and brought it to his home in Webster. It was then about the size of an ordinary cat. It cannot be said that Tom and the cub grew up together for Tom was already big, (six feet one inch in height). But the young thing grew, in three years, to what it had taken Tom twenty years to achieve. They became great friends interesting than a fight of two bullies from having them I would not be withlike Corbett and Sullivan. But, ath- out it at any cost. lete as Tom is, he had to be on his guard, for it was possible that some of bruin's wild freaks might assert themcame evident that the fellow was more valuable dead than living, and he was therefore slaughtered. But Tom's affection was too strong for him to do the deed. Willie shot him. Whether a sack for Matie will grow out of it remains

There are many people in the world who believe they were created on the George M. Gaudy is about the first among the poultry fanciers to get his 197 prize winners out. He hatched 4 valuable prescription in Electric Bitthe social system, as Ptolemy promulgated the earth to be the center of the solar system. Such folks are best de- they will hoist to the breeze the glozi-

> Blood Bitters. Two bottles cured me to leave Albion soon for Cripple Creek, entirely. Mrs. G. C. White, Taberg, Colo., where the family expect to reside. Oneia County, New York.

There is... no virtue in the nasty taste of cod-liver oil.

Then why take

breaks the oil into drops so small that you can hardly taste it.

Thomas Birkett and H. W. Newkirk and daugh ter, Nellie, were in Ann Arbor on Saturday to attend the Mid-Win-

Byron McCauley was a Hudson vis-

D. S. Quish and family and lady friend, were Ann Arbor visitors the last of the week.

Mr. Sloan was out of town on business last Friday. J. T. Honey was at the county seat

on business Saturday. Mrs. C. S. Gregory is on the sick list.

James Gregory is home from his Jackson visit. Miss Jessie Robbins has returned to

her home after several weeks stay with

Mr. Harris and wife, of Pinckney, were Dexter visitors Wednesday.

Miss Keller has returned to Detroit after a month's stay with her cousins. Mr. Reid entertained a brother the past few days.

Willis Benton and family entertained friends from Stockbridge several days

Omar Nordman, wife and baby of Ann Arbor, were guests of her parents near Silver Lake over Sunday.

Mr. Sleator visited Ann Arbor friends he first of the week.

Mrs. Hoey and daughter were in Ann Arbor Saturday last.

Some improvements are being made n the Lutheran church. The Hudson pulp mills are running

full blast and farmers are hauling poplar wood there in large quantities.

The Leap year party at the opera cess. Good music was furnished and

Miss Dora Wall has been entertaining friends from abroad.

Tom James opens his hardware store in this village about the 25th of this month. Success to Tom.

H. S Cope drew a large audience at the Baptist church last Monday night. That was the last entertainment in the lecture course.

Mrs. Stanton died at her home in this village Sunday afternoon, aged 83 years. She leaves three sons and two daugh ers to mourn her loss. The funeral was all the functions of the body suffer in held on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock from the Congregational church.

Some of our village people will take up their residence in Detroit in the spring. The dance at Mr. Smith's Monday

night was well attended E. Reeves, of Ann Arbor, spent Satur-

day and Sunday with his aunt. Mr. Monks and daughters, of Pinck-

ney, passed here Saturday on their way to Ann Arbor. Miss Savory made her Ann Arbor

friends a visit Saturday last. James Carpenter entertained his cousin over Sunday.

Dickey, the Shipper, of Marshall, writes: Spohns Distemper Cure is the only remedy that cures distemper, epiand played and souffled like man and zootic pinkeye, and other throat disboy, and their exploits were much more eases, and keeps others in same barn

Willis.

Charles Gressman is among the influenza victims.

Little Mary Peppiatt died Feb. 10th of typhoid fever. She will be missed by her Sabbath school teacher and class. She was 13 years old. She had been unconscious ever since taken.

Charles Cox, son of Stephen Cox, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 12, of

The Ladies' Aid Society, of Willis, observed Lincoln's birthday with patriotic songs and readings.

On Friday afternoon of this week

Chas. Thompson, has been here visiting "After suffering from dyspepsia for her relatives and friends. Her home

Fred Smith is home from Monroe, Indiana, for a few days. He seems very earnest in his Christian work.

Bert Lord and wife were called to Carleton to attend the marriage of Mrs. Lord's brother, Ernest Smith. They expect to visit relatives in Detroit be fore their return home.

The Willis Ladies' Aid Society will give a tea at the church presided over by Mrs. Geo. Russell, at Willis, the 2d Wednesday in March.

Rev. Mr. Gibson, from Stony Creek, will assist at the revival meetings at Willis this week.

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 along her complexion. clear her complexion. A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Ar-

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Sharon.

Cyrus Raymond, one of the oldest and most respected inhabitants of Sharen, died at the residence of his son, M. Raymond, on Feb. 9. Deceased was in his 88th year, and although he had been totally blind for some years, his mind remained clear almost to the end. Four children survive him.

Chas. A. Bullard has returned from a business trip to Alabama and Mississippi. Geo. Allen, of Bridgewater, accompanied him.

visited over Sunday at the home of E

The pupils of Dist. No. 9 hold a leap year and necktie social at the home o-Chas. A. Bullard this evening. Prof coeds to be used in purchasing appara-

The Epworth League social which was advertised for this evening, has been postponed for one week. It will be held at the home of Geo. B. Raymond.

The M E. church society held a social at the residence of R. W. Comstock this afternoon.

meeting of Washtenaw Co. Teachers' Association at Saline next week. Shar- ful city of which Jimmy never tired of en will be ably represented on the pro- hearing Charlie's descriptions. gramme by Miss Nettie Gillett, one of our veterans in school work.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Pardee have two weeks.

Misses Lydia Lindberts and Mary Meyer spent some days in Freedom last

last Saturday evening. Jesse Green, of Jackson, has been

viisiting relatives in this vicinity. Frank Merithew will remove to Man-

chester soon. Fred Houk has purchased an interest

in the firm of Wuster Bros. Cora Uphans visited at Anton Uphans' last week.

Friday with recitations, dialogues, etc. thing when they see it, and accordingly Mr. Lamb will complete the year

Neighbors and friends of Wm. Trolz made a bee and drew his wood home from the woods on Friday last.

Herman Myer has been on the road selling patent medicine lately. Fred Steinigeweg will work for L. S.

Hulbert this season. Mrs. Ed. Lockwood has been con-

aned to the house for the last three weeks with la grippe.

E. W. Crafts has been seriously ill with la grippe.

A representative of the Union Central Life Insurance Co. of Cincinnati, was in town on Tuesday.

with quite a serious accident last Wedmesday. While attempting to climb he was caught between the bolster and the boards and the bones of the leg severely bruised.

# An Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other prepara-

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Trythis Ideal Cough New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial Bottles Free at the Drug Store of Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co., of Ann Arbor, and Geo. J. Haeussler, of Manchester.

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## WANTING.

The new year has brought back the same old The daisies for the leas, he bluebells sweet, and the cowslips' plumes,

And the pale anemones, And again with the golden fires of spring The woods and groves are bright, And the same old songs the blackbirds sing In the apple orchards white.

And the dawns are bright and the eves are fair As e'er in the days of old, And the fragrant hawthorn scents the air, And the gorse is of burnished gold, And the wind has come o'er the southern seas From shores where the nereids play, And as of old do the brigand bees On their clover blossoms stray.

There's an amber sea in the faroff west, Where the hills and the sunset meet, And the hymn of the throstle by its nest Is tender and clear and sweet, And I wait and watch, as in days of yore,

By the ivied trysting tree, But, ah, never, never, never more Can my sweetheart come to me! -Chambers' Journal.

# THE RED LANTERN.

"Oh, pshaw, pop! What made you get a red one?'

"Why, my son, I thought a red lantern would tickle you to death."

"Naw," returned Jimmy, contemptuously. "I wanted one with a green light.

They're twice as nice."
"Well, now, that's strange," said John Saunders, looking at his boy's maybe they've killed him." disappointed face. "When I was a "Hold on, mother," cri youngster, I liked anything if 'twas red twas stylish and first class."

"Red is so common," said Jimmy, with great airs.

"Go 'long," said the father. "Aren't Red common. Well, so am I common; that, so are you, too, I reckon. Don't track, I'll bet." forget that, Jimmy. You're the son of a laboring man. Don't try to ape folks who are better off in this world."

Jimmy Saunders picked up the despised lantern and went out to the barn | them. with it. His father had just returned from the town with a few purchases for the family and among them this lantern, which was not up to Jimmy's ideas of green light and nickel trimmings like the one used at Mr. Somers' stables. Charlie Somers said they were much Miss Bertha and Minnie Uphams nicer than red lanterns, which were knees now, the boy crawled slowly along common looking and only used by railroad men. And what Charlie Somers said was law to Jimmy Saunders. winter and only spent his vacations out

in Indiana on his father's handsome country place. So, of course, being the son of a rich man and a dweller in the 40 feet away from both. cities, his word had a great weight with the boy who had never been farther away from the farm than to the neighboring town of Dexter.

Mr. Saunders' farm lay next to the railroad, which wound like a great shining serpent through the woods, the deep Many of our teachers will attend the cut beyond the creek and across the swamp and on to Chicago, that wonder-

But just now there was trouble in the great city—mobs and strikes and confusion and chaos almost. Every day the been visiting in Cambridge for the past boys could hear Mr. Somers speak of the state of affairs to the gentlemen who were visiting him, and all agreed the there were to be terrible times unless the city was declared under martial law. | had sneered at that very day.

And as the days went on and rumors Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shepard enter- of fires and killing and destruction float-Charlie and Jimmy both became greatly interested in the news and plied their fathers with questions about the great strike.

"What did you hear in town today, father?" asked Jimmy, having recovered from his vexation over the red lantern. as his father was unharnessing Zebedee, the old gray horse.

"There's all sorts of news—the worst Joseph Lamb will close the winter goings on in Chicago ever you heard of," is full of a crowd that's threatening to The people of that district know a good burn the depot. They've overturned a lot of freight cars and upset things generally around the station. I heard folks saying that soldiers are coming from New York some time tonight to re-enforce the troops in Chicago, and they were making threats that they shouldn't get farther than Dexter. I dunno,' gloomily shaking his head, "I dunno what's going to happen, but I tell you one thing-I'm glad we don't live in

Chicago, my son.' Jimmy secretly wished they did, so that he might see some of these exciting scenes, but as they didn't he tried to content himself by going to the Somers country place, half a mile up the road, to play tag with Charlie in pursuance of an engagement made early that morn-

When he went into the house to ask Louis Trolz, son of Henry Trolz, met for his playmate, who was not outside as usual, he found an excited little group standing about the telephone in wpon a sleigh driven by Fred Wolpert, the hall and Mr. Somers listening intently to the unseen messenger.

"Perfect panic there tonight," he said as he dropped the repeater. "Troops fired into the mob this afternoon; killed half a dozen people; fires everywhere; wrecking going on and re-enforcements coming from New York tonight."

"Hello, Jim," said Charlie, coming forward. "Come on. Let's play strike. You be a freight car, and I'll be a striker and overturn you.'

This new game was followed awhile, and then Charlie's fertile brain suggested another scheme. "You be a train full of soldiers coming from New York, and I'll be the mob and stop you.'

So Jimmy, with many a toot and snort and "chug chug," rushed here and there among the shrubbery, playing he was a train, while Charlie piled sticks on the track and flagged the train and stopped it with a smart green lantern from the stable until both boys were tired out. The sun had long since set, and the darkness was coming on

Jimmy. "Gracious! I didn't know it was so late. Mother will be awfully worried '

"Well, he sure and come over tomorrow," cried Charlie after him, "and

we'll play strike again." "All right," answered Jimmy as he went whistling down the road.

As he came near the road Jimmy heard a strange sound. It was like the distant snarl and roar of the animals he remembered in the one circus he had attended in his li?? He stopped for a moment to listen. I'he noise rose and died on the evening air, and mingled with it rose another sound like the clink of instruments against steel.

"That sounds as if somebody was hammering on the track," he said as he listened. But he was late and so hurried on toward home.

As he neared the gate his mother came running down the walk, her apron over her head. "Jimmy," she cried hys-

terically, "where is your father?"
"I don't know," answered the boy. staring in dismay at his mother, who

was pale and trembling. "Oh, my child," she screamed, there's something wrong. Your father went over an hour ago down into the woods to find the stray lambs, and he never stays so late, and 10 or 15 minutes ago a crowd of yelling, cursing men swept by here like a cyclone and down into the woods, and father's there, and

"Hold on, mother," cried Jimmy. "Don't take on so. I'll run down to the -a red wagon, sled, top. As long as edge of the woods and see what's up. there was some red about it I thought | Father's all right. What would they hurt him for, I'd like to know?"

Though he spoke so stoutly, the boy was frightened, but he ran as fast as he could toward the woods. He rememberyou ashamed, sir? That's the sort of airs ed the noise he had heard at the track you learn from playing with boys that and suddenly it rushed over him what have money—at least their fathers have. | it meant. "They're sympathizers of the strikers," he whispered as he tore across so's your ma, and, for the matter of the field, "and they're tearing up the

> When he reached the woods, he stole along as cautiously as possible toward the din and uproar, which every moment grew louder. Suddenly he saw

There were 50 at least, bareheaded, ragged, prying up the track with crowbars-a frightful sight to a lonely little boy creeping among the trees. The stray lanterns. He wanted one with a bright lambs, huddled together under a tree, were bleating in a frightened, helpless way. Jimmy felt sure his father must and suddenly saw his father tied to a tree, watching the rioters completing their work of destruction. As Jimmy Charlie lived in Chicago during the saw his father Mr. Saunders, turning his head, saw his son.

Jimmy was not 10 feet away from his father, while the mob was at least

"Jimmy," murmured his father, 'run, my boy, run! The New York special with soldiers! Run up the road and signal it! Never mind me, but save the train.

With a half sob the boy crept back through the tall grass to the edge of the forest and then darted across the field toward the farmhouse like an arrow.

His mother met him. "Don't stop me, mother," he gasped. "Father's alive, but the strikers have got him. You run to Mr. Somers' for help. I'm going to signal the special." Signal the special! Suddenly he stopped. What with? How could he, a little boy, stop a train before

Two minutes later this towheaded, freckled faced young hero was flying up the track, his red lantern lighted, his bare feet spurning the earth, panting, himself engraved on his checks so that stumbling, sobbing, falling, up again

and on, on. A low rumble broke on his ear. rails began singing under his feet. "It's checks go to different towns and pass coming!" he shrieked, and putting all through various banks and clearing his remaining strength into this last

effort he dashed on a few rods farther. There came a great white light glowing at him like an angry eye, nearer and nearer, larger, brighter. Would term of school at Rowe Corners next answered his father. "And Dexter, too, they ever see him as he stood there, desperately gripping his red lantern and swinging it with both his tired little

arms At last! The engine gave a scream. "I see you, Jimmy!" it seemed to cry to the poor child. Then a shiver ran through the long train. It groaned and stopped, the engine panting and sighing, at the feet of James Saunders, hero.

100 years old, he will ever forget that nose to a retrousse. moment-the shouts, the questions, the excitement, the soldiers crowding around him, the glistening bayonets, the praise, the thanks, all the pride of the instant as he knew that he, a little prairie lad, had saved the special laden with Uncle Sam's troops?—Advance.

The First Log Cabin In Kentucky.

The flourishing little city of Harrodsburg, the county seat of Mercer county, Ky., was the scene in the latter part of the last century of some very exciting episodes in the history of the early settlers in the young state. On June 16, 1774, Captain James Harrod of Virginia, who had brought a party of settlers to the new country, laid off a town site at Big Spring Camp, where they had erected the first cabin ever built in Kentucky. They allotted to each man a half acre lot and a ten acre out lot. The town's first name was Harrodstown, but later this was changed to Harrodsburg. A clearing was made in the east end of the town boundary, and here it was that John Harman planted and raised the first corn that was known to have been grown in the state. Only a few weeks after this auspicious beginning of the town's promoters four of Harrod's men were ambushed by Indians. Jared Cowan was killed. The other men escaped, only one of them being injured. - Louisville Post.

Absentminded.

Waiter-What shall I get for you? Professor (absentminded, reading the bill of fare)-I am busy now; ask my fast. "I must go home," suddenly cried after dinner. - Fliegende Blatter.

A Dancer In Kurdistan.

The performers had already draws themselves up in line when I arrived, and a minute later the shrill notes of the pipe gave the signal for the dancing to commence. Some score of young men and women stood shoulder to shoulder, clasping hands, the line forming a crescent. At the given signal, the clapping of his hands by a youth who stood in front of the semicircle of performers, the dance commenced, the entire line of men and women stepping slowly forward and then back again, each pace being taken a little to the right, so that a rotating movement was given to the string of dancers. As the music quickened so did the pace, and at each step the body from the waist upward was bent forward and drawn back. Nor were the steps themselves the same, for the youth who gave them time ran up and down the line clapping his hands and singing and shouting directions and changes.

The principal feature of the dance seemed to be the bringing down of the right foot smartly upon the ground at intervals, when, hand in hand, the whole company remained with their bodies bent for a second or two, to spring back into position again at a fresh blow of the pipes. Meanwhile the slow rotating movement was maintained, so that the entire body was circling round the musicians. What laughter and fun there were! Men and girls giving themselves up to the enjoyment of their national dance, which, graceful and exhilarating, bore no trace of the sensual movements which usually mark the art of dancing in the east. - Blackwood's Magazine.

Inception of Fish Hatching.

During the middle ages, and throughout the period of the European predomi. nance of the church of Rome, the necessity of providing a proper supply of fish for use on Fridays and during Lent did much to create a species of fish culture. That this did not extend to fish hatching, but stopped short at inclosing and regulating the supply of fresh water fishes, seems to us probable. At the same time, the Romans were at least acquainted with the securing of oyster spat, and from this to the artificial hatching of fish ova does not seem a very long step or one that may not really have been taken. The probability is, however, that the cost of such artificially produced fish would have been far bebe near them, so, creeping on hands and | yound the purses of the multitude, and the wealthy had viviers and ponds in which they kept their own fish for their own use.

The extent to which they have gone may be judged by the system in use among the monks of the monasteries and the great seigneurs of the continent. which was also introduced into this country, probably by the Normans originally. The absence of proper conveyances for the supply of sea fish to the inland parts of the country made it imperative for the various proprietors to meet their own necessities. In doing so they did not fail to discover that certain fishes required a particular kind of "cultch" upon which to fix their spawn. As the supply of this material was an acknowledged necessity this may be considered the first step toward fish hatching. -Scottish Review.

Consumption in its advanced stages is beyond the power of man to cure. It oan be prevented though by the timely it reached the cut yonder? Ah, the red use of Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup, lantern, the despised, common thing he nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

Fun For Bank Clerks.

when he pays a bill his creditor has the satisfaction of gazing upon the counterfeit presentment of the payer. These When the gentleman who thus adver-

tises himself has his deposit book settled at the end of the month and gets back his canceled checks, it is a question whether he is pleased or vexed.

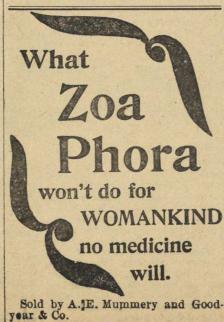
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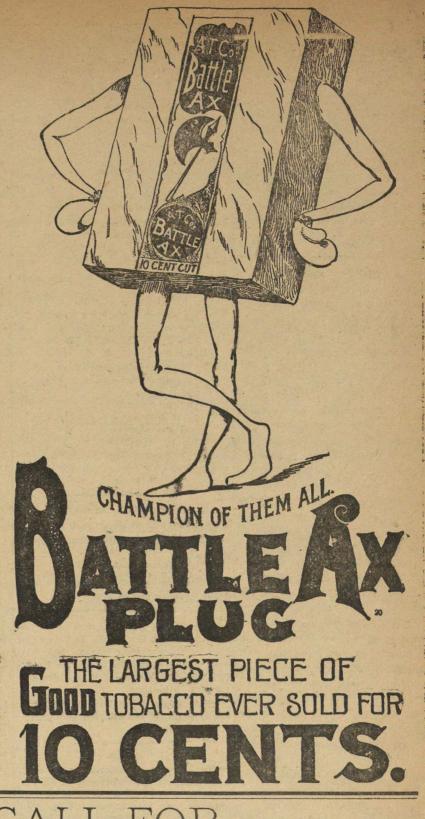
the change. The first clerk through whose hands the paper passes will adorn the picture with a fierce mustache, the next will add a beard, the next a pair of goggles, Do you suppose, if Jimmy lives to be and the next may change the aquiline

> All the changes capable of being made are rung, and by the time the check gets back the self advertiser doesn't recognize his own photograph.-London Tit-

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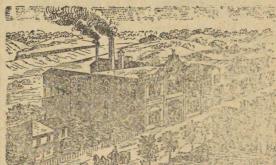
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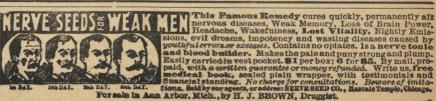
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1896.

From the amount of space devoted in the papers to the junior hops and the amount of time and money and brain expended by the contending factions on the matter one, who does not have the means of judging, would think that the functions. There is already too much and do nothing. prejudice in this state, especially in agricultural circles, to permit the preso much in the past year or two as presidency. has this petty quarrel over the junior hop. It has seemed to be the principal part of university life and has created the impression that the students spend their time in endeavoring to shine in society rather than in the acquirement of the useful knowelage which is the sole excuse that the university has for state support. For it is manifestly uncourse here in Ann Arbor we know that such is not the case; that in fact, although there were two rival hops given this year each of which made every effort to secure a large attendance, not one in in twelve students attended either hop. We know that most of the students are after the attainments of an education, that they are earnest students render to their various communities value received for the education attained partly at public expense. We tee well chosen. know too that the greater majority of only as recreation and are good students, but the world at large only sees the column after column in the daily press F. Shier and family. regarding the war in the fraternities over social functions and naturally deeides that the university is degenerating be out again, into a factory of society butterfiles. It is becoming harder each year to get from a grudging legislature the money which the university needs to carry on the legitimate work of education. The agriculturists are in the great majority | ill. in the legislature, they care nothing for what has been termed, in this tempest in a teapot, which has agitated the only appeal to them must be the solid days. acquirements which education gives, farms, who have not had the social experience of the rich man's son is his equal in the university and that invidmade. We here on the spot know that home in Ypsialnti. there is nothing in this whole matter. It is well that the world should know the same and that the society boys should refrain from airing in the public prints the differences which tend to give a false idea of the work of the un- tainment.

In the great free-for-all race for the republican presidential nomination Mooreville the first of the week. Michigan republicans have an even chance for carrying off the plum for a her friends in Saline. Michigan man, if they would only get together and go to work. But it can. Lodi from Friday until Monday. not be done for Alger. Unfortunately for him he is not this year in a position to draw the strength necessary for the nomination. Ex-Senator Tom Palmer, of Detroit, could succeed to most of the Harrison strength and in a long contest from Ann Arbor the last of the week. could draw from the other candidates as their chances wane. With intelligent the tin roof on the Odd Fellow's tempolitical management, Palmer would ple. have as good a chance for the republican nomination as McKinley, Allison, Reed, Morton, Davis or Quay. Palmer is a Michigan man, so let the Michigan her visiting tour. republicans grab the plum for Palmer, if they can.

Wouldn't there be a rattling of dry bones, were Pingree governor. The only trouble is that economy might be lost sight of. There is too much republicanism about Pingree to permit him to economize properly. His admnistration would be picturesque and the old barnacles would howl, but what the people now want is a rigidly economical state administration. It behooves the democrats to make their state nominations with extreme care, with a view to giving the state such an adminis-

Boss Quay. of Pennsylvania, wants the republican nomination for president. By all means let him have it. The boss who does the work, greases the machine and dictates the policies of the party might just as well stand as the nominal as well as the actual head of the party.

Ex-Gov Luce pronounces Rich's explanation of the \$3,000,000 state tax as unsatisfactory. And Luce is right about it. There would be no earthly need of a \$3,000,000 state tax, were the state government economically administered.

The republican state machine is down on Pingree for govenor. The Detroit republican machine will have no one but Pingree. Wait till the two machines clash and what a fight we

What is the policy of the republican university was designed to give the party, which always claimed to have a young gentlemen and ladies social life definite policy? We are unable to tell and to enable them to attend social from its congress, unless it be, lay low

Speaker Reed undoubtedly wishes he judice to be increased with impunity. wasn't speaker. The do-nothing con-In fact nothing has hurt the university gress is injuring his chances for the

> After Harrison gets married, his wife may induce him to change his mind about accepting that presidential nomi-

The "do-nothing" congress is still doing nothing but talking.

Miss Helen Duncan, teacher at the fair for the people to tax themselves to Geer school, in Superior, has been on make merely society butterflies. Of the sick list for some time, but will soon be able to attend to school duties again. Miss Edna DePue is filling the

> There was a flag-raising at the school house in the Wiard district, east of Ypsilanti, yesterday.

> > Milan.

The Masonic entertainment was fine event and the chairman, C. M. Debenham, has occasion to congratulate and will go well out equipped to himself over the success of it from become good citizens of the state and to first to last. 425 tickets were sold for banquet and dance. The program was interesting; the valentines were laughable, the music good and the commit-

The next thing in the way of enterthose who took part in the hops did so tainments is to be under the auspicies of the M. E. society at their church the 22d of February, a Washington enter-tainment and a donation for Rev. H.

> Mrs. G. R. Williams, who was quite ill last week with la grippe, is able to

Mrs. J. C. Rouse returned Tuesday from a four day's soj ourn with friends in and near Saline.

C. M. Debenham and family are entertaining guests from Ohio.

Mrs. Chas. Farmington is seriously

Mrs. Wm. Taylor is quite ill.

Wm. Smith and family will move into the house lately vacated by S. will be damaging evidence. If what she Brown and family, on the corner of letter will be recovered. fraternities, "social functions." The Wilcox and E. Main streets in a few

The Presbyterian sewing society met the knowledge that the boys from the at Miss M. A. Palmer's Tuesday after-

were the guests of their mother on County street Tuesday and Saturday, ious social distinctions are not there but returned Saturday evening to their

Mr and Mrs. Will Barnes returned peared horrified. Tuesday to their home in Tecumseh. J. Lockwood has returned from his

Toledo visit.

Prof. Geo. A.. Dennison and wife, of Dundee, attended the Masonic enter-

Prof. and Mrs. C. M. Fuller, of Mooreville, took in the Masonic enter-

Mrs. Chase entertained guests from

Miss Reinprank spent Sunday with

Miss Forsythe visited her people in

Prof. and Mrs. W. Babcock, of Ann Arbor, have been visiting Milan rela- Bryan by Walling." tives for a few days.

Miss Sarah Reeves, of Milwaukee, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sill. Mrs. W. E. Ward entertained guests

The heavy wind last week loosened

A few of the Chequamegons, of Ann Arbor, furnished music for the Masonic

Mrs. Alex. Smith has returned from

Mr. Brooks is home for a few days before engaging in business with a new firm near Jackson.

The school cantata will be given in a few weeks. Rev J. Ward Stone is on the sick list.

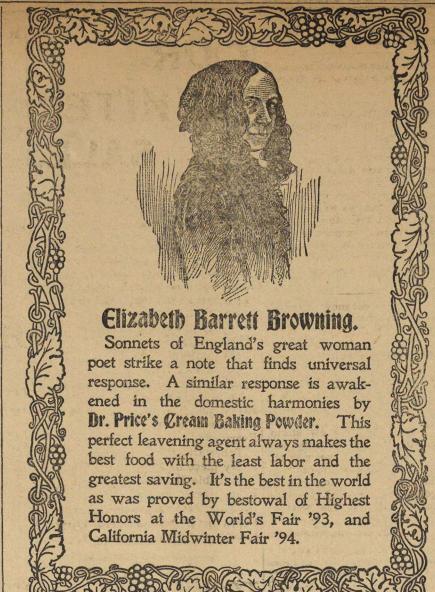
Mrs. A. Hanson, who fell on the ice, is slowly recovering. The new school house is still being

of the week.

the 18th of Feb. Surprise parties are in order at the

present date.

from Ypsilanti.



Tell - Tale Letter Written by Scott Jackson.

THE STORY OF MISS MAY SMITH.

Jackson Told Her on Jan. 14 That He Intended to Put a Girl Out of the Way, and Later She Received a Letter from Him Saying the Deed Had Been Accomplished -Corresponded with Both Jackson and Walling and Was Engaged to the Latter.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 20.—Two morning papers publish a startling statement made to them by Miss May Smith of Louisville, who is acquainted with the accused murderers, Walling and Jackson. She says she was in Cincinnati Jan. 14 and took supper with Jackson at Heider's restaurant. Jackson told her that his friend Will Wood at Greencastle, Ind., had got a girl into a bad condition; that Wood was going to send the girl here and he would put her out of the way. Miss Smith says she cautioned Jackson of the danger of discovery in such an enterprise. He said he was too smart to be discovered. She said after the murder of Feb 1 Jackson wrote saying he had disposed of the girlmeaning Pearl Bryan-by "-

Left the Letter in Louisville.

The long dash in the letter was left for Miss Smith to fill in from her memory of the conversation at Heider's on Jan. 14. She says that she left the letter in Louisville securely hidden. If that letter in Jackson's handwriting can be obtained it

A dispatch from Louisville says: Investigation in this city into the life of May Smith, who is connected with Jackson and Walling in the Pearl Bryan affair, develops the fact she came here early The Misses Hattie and Eva Woolcott Lister and wife in the dress-cutting business. She remained there until Saturday night a week ago, when her brother from Covington, Ky., called for her to take her home. Mr. Lister said that on reading the first account of the affair the girl ap-

Corresponded with the Two Men. She had been in correspondence with both Jackson and Walling and had told Mrs. Lister she was engaged to Walling. Miss May Smith is between 18 and 20 years of age and has dark eyes and black

hair and is quite pretty.

Mr. Lister says that a man named Swan, who is connected with the Palace hotel in Cincinnati, was a correspondent of May Smith and that she was continually getting letters from Swan, Walling and Jackson. When the locket was found in Cincinnati he heard May exclaim; "Why, I know that locket. It was Jackson's and contained a lock of Pearl Bryan's

Knew of the Operation. "I am positive," he said, "that she knew of the operation performed on Pearl

Concerning the letters and papers of the Smith girl, the lady who keep the boarding house at 621 Fourth street, said that there had been a lot of ters and telegrams found under the mattress of the bed which May Smith occupied, but that they had been burned by a little girl in the house.

Mrs. Lister said: "I did not read the letters but the lady of the house did. One was from a girl in Cincinnati which said Lon was sick. Lon is Walling, you know. The letter was dated after the day of the murder. The letters were of no importance and had no bearing on the case and THE MAUD STRAWN MURDER.

Morrow Discharged, but Bull's Examination Is Progressing.

SIBLEY, Ia., Feb. 23 -In the prolimi nary examination of A. A. Bull and William Morrow, charged with the murder of Maud Strawn of Sheldon, Morrow has been discharged and Bull's examination is progressing. Two bottles of poison were found at Bull's house. The postmortem examination last week was not Mrs. F. Andrews and family enter- exhaustive. It was confined to the stomtailed guests from out of town the first ach, and ended when the physicians discovered poison and the perforation of the stomach. All reports last week were to Mr. Thomas Wilson was 90 years old the effect that Maud excused herself from the high school Wednesday forenoon, but Miss Jones, her teacher, testified that Maud excused herself Monday forenoon and the record shows her absent after Mrs. J. Bray is entertaining guests Tuesday. She was seen in Sheldon on Tuesday. She was seen in Sheldon on Wednesday and found dead on Saturday. Pills to stop Headache. "One cent a dosa."

The general opinion is that Bull will be held to the grand jury. He protests his

For Government Ownership of Railways. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.-A strong argument for government ownership of railways is contained in a report to the state department by United States Consul Moore at Weimar upon the Prussian railroad system. He shows that last year the gross receipts from these railways was \$244,467,174, or more than half the entire revenue of the state. The net earnings, deducting \$53,240,620 interest on borrowed capital and sinking fund, were \$51,051,000 which will be turned into the treasury for than the income derived from taxes of all

## The Girl Did the Shooting.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.—Deputy Coroner Lloyd has held an inquest on the bodies of John Rohlfing and Barbara Eastl, the two victims of Sunday night's tragedy. From the evidence given by Rohlfing's brother and the post mortem examination made of the bodies, Deputy Coroner Lloyd said he was satisfied that the bullets were fired by the girl. He accordingingly returned a verdict to that effect.

PAINTSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20. - While the Rev. Mr. Hamet, pastor of the Presby terian church and principal of the Col legiate institute, was at dinner his 16-year-old son William came in and demanded \$1 for some work done that morning. Mr. Hamet failed to respond, whereupon the boy stabbed his father three times in the face, seriously but not fatally wounding him.

# Fell Upon a Buzz Saw.

NORMAN, O. T., Feb. 20.-Martin Relle, 25 years old, was killed at Linden, a few miles from here, in a shocking manner. He was employed at a sawmill and was carrying a piece of timber. When near the large saw, he tripped and fell forward, his body failing across the saw. Both AT \$2.50. arms were cut off and his head was separated from his body.

F. Kraus, the auctioneer; terms reasonable. Address or call at residence on Broadway.

"Charlie's Aunt"

The attraction at the Grand Opera House tonight is the popular "Charlie's Aunt," which has made such a hit for the past four years wherever it has been produced. The play was here last season and was the best farce of the season. The comedy has been translated into German, French, Italian and Swedish.

Collie Dog Lost.

A very handsome Scotch collie dog, yellow color, white breast, white tip on tail, black ring under eyes, face like a fox, very pointed nose. Reward for return to J. C Knowlton, 127 Hill street.

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nership formerly existing between F. C. Euler and H. G. Pipp, under the firm name of Euler & Pipp, is dissolved. Euler & Pipp.

I shall continue the business of said firm and will pay all accounts against and receive payment for all bills due it. H. G. Pipp, Ferguson Block.

Employment for Ladies.

Any lady who wishes to work from four to eight hours per day at pleasant employment for fair wages and who can give good references, may apply for such employment to H. G. Coleman, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Terrible Treatment at a Florida Convict Farm.

ELEVEN YOUNG MEN THE VICTIMS.

While Traveling Through the State for Pleasure They Are Arrested as Tramps, Sent to the Convict Farm, Given Impossible Tasks to Perform and Then Beaten in a Horrible Manner-Five of Them May Not Recover from Their Injuries. St. Louis, Feb. 20.-A special from

Ocala, Fla, says: After ten days of torture at a convict camp, whither they had been sent as tramps, eleven young men were released Wednesday on writs of habeas corpus issued by Circuit Judge Hocker. The young men gave their names as follows: George Saunders and Charles Smith, Kentucky; Jack Ingram, Ohio; Oscar Wagner, Missouri; Thomas Cummings, John Davis, New York; Thomas Forbes, Pennsylvania; Jack Ryan, Louisiana; Don Clint, Illinois; John Sopria, Texas; Joseph Stone, Massa husetts. Two weeks ago the party reached Ocala. They were well dressed, and said they were walking to see the country better, and to hunt and fish at will. They had a lot of novelties for sale. They did not ask any aid, but the day after their arrival they were arrested.

Justice Glary sent them to the convict farm as tramps.

Barbarously Treated. At the ranch they were barbarously

treated. They were chained to negroes and given impossible tasks. Every night upon reporting the tasks unperformed, they were stripped, tied across logs and whipped with rawhides till the blood gushed. Tuesday night, the coldest of the winter, the guards drove them into a pond, shouting: "You have been wanting a bath, now get it." Twice, a day they were give bread, but no meat. At Judge Hocker's request, they bared their backs, which were found raw and quivering. Five of them may not recover In discharging the young men Judge Hocker said their arrest, sentence and treatment disgraced civilization, and everyone concerned in it should be severely punished. The habeas corpus proceedings were brought by Ocala citizens. The victims of the outrage will bring heavy suits

Surprised Their Friends.

JOLIET, Ills., Feb. 20.—Harrison Burdick, aged 70 years, and Miss Hannah Nintz, aged 18 years, were married in this city Tuesday. The groom is a wealthy farmer living in Plainfield and the bride also hails from that viltage. The wedding was a great surprise to their friends.

Maber's Eyes Are Better.

EL PASO, Feb. 20.—The condition of Maher's eyes is reported to be improved. He will be compelled to wear goggles for a day or two, but it is said at his training quarters that he will be in condition to enter the ring Friday.

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 $\mathbf{F}^{\mathrm{OR}}$  SALE.—Fine guitar for sale, apply at Argus office. FOUND—A diamond ring, in front of Ald. Prettyman's residence. Owner may have same by application at No. 30 S. State street, on description of property and payment for this notice.

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

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

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three farms, one close to Ann Arbor, 85 acres, first class buildings, another in Lima, 100 acres well timbered and good buildings, and the third in Lodi, 40 acres, good ample buildings. Call on or address Wm. Osius, Box 1551 Ann Arbor, Mich.

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 local on another page, F. D. Hatch, Ann Arbor, 76-79

LOST—A garnet breast pin of square design. Finder please return to 25½ Lawrence street, 76tf FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Three farms, one close to Ann Arbor, 85 acres, first class buildings, another in Lima, 100 acres well timbered and good buildings, and the third in Lodi, 40 acres, good ample buildings. Call on or address Wm. Osius, Box 155 Ann Arbor, Mich. 76-6t.

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PIANO TUNING.—A. D. Brown, the well known piano tuner with C. J. Whitney, will be in the city soon. Orders left at the Argus office will receive his attention.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Raymond R, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. Smith, died Sunday after-

A couple of firemen put out a chimney fire at 40 S. Main street Wednesday morning.

Dexter's leap year party last Friday night was attended by a large delegation from this city.

Sadie LaVear has been bound over to the circuit court by Justice Pond on a charge of being a tippler.

About 25 young people had a leap year sleigh ride to the residence of Chas. Fritz in Scio, Monday night.

Girls wishing employment please apply at the Young Woman's Christian

Association rooms over postoffice.

Wm. Sayler's residence, J. M. Wagner's meat market and Schneider Bros. plumbers, have been connected with the telephone exchange.

Mrs. Mary Sykes, aged 73. died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alsa Kinsley, 73 N. Fourth avenue, Tues-The funeral services were held post office. Thursday afternoon.

L. Schannel for carrying on a clothing drawing in the city. Schannel had organized two clubs, 70 members each, and was coining money, and of course injuring legitimate trade.

Richard Bell, brother of Tom Bell, the complaining witness in the Laubengayer case at Dexter, was arrested on Friday last on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. He was arraigned and fined \$25 and costs. Bell was formerly marshal of the village.

The rear part of Mrs. A. L. Haven's residence, 27 E. Jefferson street, had fire communicated to it Monday afternoon by plumbers who were thawing out a eistern. A sill was burned through, but E. Beal will be presented by the Washvery little damage was done.

Rev. Lee S. McCollister, of Detroit, will lecture before the Unity Club next illustrated by Lantern views. Those who heard the lecture in Detroit a few weeks ago were greatly pleased.

Wm. S. Whipple, having rented his farm, two miles north of Emory station, will sell the personal chattels at windows was decorated with spring auction on Thursday, Feb. 27. There are goods. Needless to say trade was not 11 head of horses, including an imported French stallion, 14 head of cattle, 60 head of sheep and several farm tools.

Mrs. Augusta Schauer, wife of Michservices were held from the Bethlehem ment was made at Forest Hill cemetery.

Homer P. Finley has brought a damage suit in circuit court against the Ann Arbor Railroad for \$20,000 dam-Finley claims that on Jan. 8, last, he received injuries by being He claims that the gate was not closed in time and that the bell did

ceiver of the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Street R. R. Co. The petition asking for his appointment was filed by R. W. Hemphill, trustee for the bondholders the rolling stock has greatly depreciated hunting cases for which Monroe is in value and he as trustee has filed a famous, since an eastern company bill of foreclosure on the mortgage.

Council Monday night decided to have the recent report of the board of vict poachers even for assault and batworks officially printed in the form of 1000 pamphlets, at a cost of \$50. The get at them through chancery proceedaldermen did not like the idea of printing it, inasmuch as it went out of its way to cast slurs on the council, but the city fathers decided to smother their own feelings in the matter and limits on Menday last passed through have the report printed on account of southern Ilinois and Ohio and through the statistical facts contained therein. central Pennsylvania except that there

At the parlors of the English Lutheran church on this, Friday evening, a Washington birthday service will be given-General and Lady Washington will be present and some incidents from their Marie, and only one inch at St. Paul, lives will be narrated. Supper will be served in colonial style from 6 to 10 o'clock for 15 cents, children 10 cents. Everybody will be heartily welcomed and can have a good supper and be assured of an enjoyable time.

The Midwinter Circus ended Saturday night with a large attendance. Capt. Ross Granger was presented with a sword, gold mounted, of the best steel, with a handle of pearl. On the blade was stamped, "Presented to Capt. Ross Granger by A. A. L. I." and on the handle is engraved, "Co. A., 1st Inft. Mich., Feb. 14, '96". The presentation speech was made by Capt. John P. Kirk, of Co. G., Ypsilanti, in a neat manner. Capt. Granger was taken so much by surprise that he could make no speech and confined his remarks to saying that he was very much pleased.

students desired to change their room- percious anemia, aggravated by an attheir belongings.

Converse G. Cook has been granted a pension of \$8 a month.

We have this week been having our coldest weather of the winter.

The Ann Arbor road between here and Dundee is being steel railed. The L. O. T. M. gave a Washiungton

tea party in their hall last evening There are twenty-one criminal cases on the docket for the March term of

The Ann Arbor Agricultural Co. to England Tuesday.

A chimney fire on south Main street was extinguished by the chemical apparatus Monday evening.

Rev. Anna Shaw will speak before the Political Equality club next Saturday evening Feb. 29th.

Hon. Reuben Kempf, in an inter view with a Detroit paper, expresses a choice for McKinley for president.

Girls desiring employment should apply at the rooms of the Young Womens' Christian Association over the

By request the second term in phys-Marshal Peterson has arrested Frank | cology and English in the Y. W.C. A. course will not begin until the first week in March.

> There have been a number of transcounty, but the consideration has been probably hunting for his reputation. uniformally low.

Harry Coleman, editor of the Pontiac Post and ex-managing editor of the U. of M. Daily, was in the city Monday to attend the gymnasium hop.

Casper Rinsey had a car load of potatoes on the tracks last Saturday and was obliged to keep a red hot stove in the car to keep them from freezing.

The Detroit Journal says that Junius the fire was discovered in time so that tenaw republicans as their candidate for the delegate to the republican national convention.

Mrs. Will Dieterle gave a five o'clock Monday evening upon "Superstitions tea Tuesday afternoon at her home on Old New England." The lecture will be S. Fourth avenue, in honor of her 38th birthday. The house was prettily decorated in honor of the occasion, and the ladies had a very pleasant afternoon.

> Just as the present cold snap was at its height, one of our clothing store's and the papers of our city. brisk in this line and the merchant whose window was noticed is not advertising heavily.

The following are the names of the eal Schauer, died Friday afternoon at jury to meet a week from Monday, to the family residence, 35 S. First street. sit in the condemnatory proceedings The family consists of the father, one of the Ann Arbor road vs. John Hagan, daughter and three sons. The funeral et al: Michael Staebler, Fred Braun, Otice Lushing, Joe Staebler, Gottlieb church, Sunday afternoon, and inter- Hutzel, Henry Twamley, Orin Burkhardt, Martin Merkell. John J. Wood, Godfrey Linck, Chas. Braun, Leander

An auction sale will be held by F. Dunlany, agent on the James Osborne farm near Osborn's mills, next Thursstruck by a train at the Huron street day afternoon at one o'clock, when one light driving team, one trottng mare, a work team, sleighs, buggies, wagons. binders, cultivators, harrows and harnesses will be among the many things W. F. Parker has been appointed re- sold by Fred Krause, the well known auctioneer.

Judge Kinne has been holding court in Monroe this week. He has been try of the road. The petition averred that ing one of those interminable duck bought 4,000 acres of marsh and their game keepers attempted to keep poachers off. A Monroe jury refuses to contery and the company is now trying to 2000

> The U.S. Weather bureaus'snow maps show that the southern line of snow was a trace of snow in North and South Carolina and three inches at Raleigh. There was 22 inches of snow at Rochester. N.Y., 10 inches at Buffalo, 6 inches at Detroit, 21 inches at Sault St.

Late last Thursday night the power on the electric street railway went down with one of the cars at the Division street crossing on Williams street. When the power came on again that car shot ahead with lightning speed and the motorman whose experience had not lasted over a long series of years found himelf unable to control the car with the brake. Instead of making the turn on Main street the car left the track and started for the Ann Arbor depot. A big telephone pole essayed to stop it but was smashed into smithereens and a big tree finally stopped the car. No one was hurt. There was but one pasenger on the car and no one knows what became of him.

Florence G., daughter of Mrs. J. Ward Lydecker, died Wednesday morn-An amusing incident occurred on ing at her home, 94 S. State street, Thayer street Monday morning. Two aged 21 years. The cause of death was ing place and the landlady insisted on tack of the grip. The deceased had collecting the rent for the Christmas been ill a long time. She was once a holidays. The boys kicked and came very sprightly member of the city's down town to secure the services of an younger society circle, among whom officer to get their things out of the she was a great favorite and to whom house. When the officer went back with she brought a sunny disposition and them the landlady and her son locked a bright and vivacious manner. Her him and one of the students in the death and the accompaning long illness room. The other student came down leading to it, have been a sore trial to HENRY C. MINER and interviewed Marshal Peterson as the mother, and the community extends to the situation. Acting upo the ad- to her its most heart-felt sympathy in vise of that officer the students paid the her hour of trial. The funeral will \$3 board bill and secured possession of occur today and the remains will be intered at Forest Hill cemetry.

Louis Kurtz has sold his saloon to Christian Seyfreid.

The postoffice has received a new letter scales, of "Jones, he pays the freight"

The receipts of the midwinter circus were over \$1,600 and the expenses a little over \$1,200.

Three tramps were shivering on the post office corner last night wondering how they would get shelter from the cold when a deputy sherriff sauntered One of the tramps walked up to shipped a large number of hay tedders him and knocked him down and the other two tramps commenced a hot fight between themselves, then all three walked down with the officer to the jail thanking their ingenuity for a night's shelter.

The day of the recent snow storm one of the weather prophets who has been making a study of the United States Weather maps, found considerable fault with the weather bulletin posted it the postoffice, which predicted a heavy snow storm and colder weather. He went into a long explanation of how 'highs'' followed "lows" and staked his reputation as a prophet on the fact that there would be no snow storm, as that was an utter imposibility and the U.S. Weather bureau was way off. Hardly had the weather prophet concluded and left his hearers to digest the knowledge he had imparted, when the snow began to fall and the weather fers of real estate recently in this prophet has not shown up since. He is

> If the Baby is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for children teething It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhæa. I wenty-five cents a bottle

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, it has pleased an all wise providence to remove from our midst our beloved sister, Mrs. J. C. Watts. Whereas, she has for so many years been a faithful and interested member of the Woman's Christina Temperance Union, although by illness unable to attend the meetings.

Whereas, that in the death of Mrs. Watts, this Union laments the loss of one who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed. A friend \$1.50 Napkins at \$1.23. and sister whose Christian character \$2.50 Napkins at \$1.98. is worthy of imitation.

That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and a copy sent the family

Mrs. F. L. Parker, Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, Committee on Resolutions.

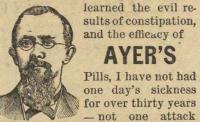
Best of All.

We want this week to be the best of all our Plum Sale. Let us urge the people to come in forenoons as much as possible to trade. We still have five dozen of the Men's Calf \$1.39 shoes

JACOBS & ALLMAN, Wshington Block, Washington street.

# Over Thirty Years Without Sickness.

Mr. H. WETTSTEIN, a well-known, enterprising citizen of Byron, Ill., writes: "Before I paid much attention to regulating the bowels, I hardly knew a well day; but since I learned the evil re-



and the efficacy of AYER'S Pills, I have not had one day's sickness

- not one attack that did not readily yield to this remedy. My wife had been, previous to our marriage, an invalid for years. She had a prejudice against cathartics, but as soon as she began to use Ayer's Pills her health was



To Restore Strength, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Thursday, February 27

'Cannot Fail to Conquer."-Chicago Tribune.

JAMES A. HEARNE'S

BEAUTIFUL PLAY

Presented with entire New Scenery and Novel Mechanidal Effects and Proprieties.

Under direction of

Prices, 35c, 50c, 75c, and \$1,

# It is not iness, which will allow me to make a reduction of from 10 to 20 per cent. in the retail price of Implements, Buggies, Wagons, etc.

# LINENS!

Our "White" Sale will offer housekeepers an excellent opportunity to replentish their stocks of Linens at a very large saving. During the ten (10) days of this sale we shall offer:-

Every piece of 25 cent Brown Table Damask at 19 cents.

Every piece of 35 cent Brown Table Damask at 29 cents.

Every piece of 50 cent Bleached Table Damask at 39 cents. Every piece of 75 cent Bleached Table Damask at 59 cent.

Every piece of \$1.00 Fine bleached Table Damask at 83 cents. Every piece of \$1.15 fine Irish Lin-

en Table Damask at 92 cents. Every piece of \$2.00 finest Irish Linen Table Damask at \$1.59.

Nothing Reserved. The Opportunity of the Year to buy Linens

# TOWELS!

Twenty-five Dozen 25 cent Towels "White" Sale Price 19 cents. ALL TOWELS REDUCED.

# NAPKINS.

Every Napkin in the House Reduced. Note a few special prices

75 cent Napkins at 59 cts. \$1.25 Napkins at 99 cts. \$3.00 Napkins at \$2.49. \$5.00 Napkins at 4.00.

CARPETS, 20 S. Main Street

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We are almost giving away

AND FANCY GOODS.

Call and see the line of trim-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.

Ann Arbor,

P. S.—Too busy to quote prices

Mich.

# Violet Perfume

Is very popular at present. We have several varieties of violet which are very pleasing.

Our HISPANIA is a very strong and lasting odor. We have a great variety of all the

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17 E. Washington St.,

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J. Fred Moelzle, Ho, Ho! FOR

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# Meats, Sausages, Oysters and

This excursion is designed for homes ho are seeking to take advantage heap lands of the South to secure a ho

well settled region without paying cash? Particulars and publi-516 Chamber of Commerce, Detroit, Mich. OUR California excursion leaves in March to our colony near Sacramento.

Market Goods.

Porter House and Sirloin Steaks a Specialty

WASHINGTON MARKET.

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

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

.75, " .50, " .25, " 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

37 South Main Street.

And spring that came an age ago and fled, On summer's glory long since drawn to red, And now the fall and all the slow, soft ruin, And soon, some day, sweeps by the pillaging

The winter's wild outrider, with harsh roar, And leaves the meadows sacked and waste and

And strips the forest of its golden store Bill the grim tyrant comes, and then they sow The silent wreckage, not with salt, but snow. —Archibald Lampman in Scribner's.

# TRANSPLANTED.

The cab was piled with luggage, and within sat a young matron, her cheeks fresh as the meadows she had quitted but a few hours ago. Long Bill, lurking on the limits of the railway station, eaught a significant nod from the cabdrive, and at once started in pursuit.

Long Bill was not very tall, but had Hmbs so excessively slender and so meager a trunk that his acquaintances naturally thought of him in terms of length. When unoccupied, which was generally the case, he let his arms hang straight and close to his sides, as though trying to occupy as little room in the world as possible. He walked on his toes, rather quickly, and almost with- bled. out a bend of the knee; his back was straight and the collar of his filthy coat always turned up to shield the scraggy. collarless neck. Observe him in motion at a distance, and you were reminded him. Then he went apart into a quiet of a red Indian on the trail. Catch sight of him suddenly close at hand, and his sidling, furtive carriage made you anxious about your pockets or watch guard. By his own account Bill was 19 years old, but he had the wizened face of senility; his hairless cheeks hollow over tooth gaps, his nose mere cartilage, his small eyes a-blink, yet as eager as those of a hungry animal.

For more than a mile he ran along by the laden cab, and seemingly, without much effort; when it drew up in front of a comfortable house, Bill sprang to the door of the vehicle.

"You'll let a pore young feller help bly detained. with the luggage, lydy? I've ran all the w'y from Victoria."

He panted his mendicant humility, a scarce visible forehead. The fair young matron regarded him with pained, compassionate look.

"You have run all the way from Victoria? Certainly you may help, of course

She alighted, entered the house, and stood there in the hall watching Long Bill as, with feverish energy, he assisted a servant to transfer trunks and parcels. Relatives pressed about the lady, but she could not give them due atten-

"Look at that poor creature! He has followed my cab all the way from Victoria, just to earn a few pence. Oh, these things are too dreadful!"

The simple heart of this lady was a law unto itself. She had possessions, and spoke with authority. In happy moment, Long Bill had pursued the wheels of her cab. Holding money in readiness, she talked with him. Could he not get work? What was his story? Where did he live? To every question squeezing the rag which served him for headgear. Work! Only give him the chawnce! See what it was to be rigidly honest; not since yesterday at this time asked of him. -Sketch. had a morsel of bread passed his lips. Work! He threw up his eyes in appeal to powers supernal.

"Come and see me tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

His immediate wants provided for, Bill passed the evening in contemplation. He felt no prompting to impart to any one the wonder that had befallen.

Very punctually next day did he present himself at the area door of the comfortable house, and silently he was led to a room where the lady waited for him. To various searching questions he again answered with a tremulous candor which had its full effect. Then, bidding him listen and perpend, the lady offered her suggestion. Far away from London, in a very beautiful country, she had a there, if so it pleased him, William could support himself honorably by the labor of his hands-could learn the rural life, could gain health and strength, could forget the horrors of his early years. Was William disposed to consider this? The head gardener, an estimable man, would direct and encourage him. He would receive wages, and eat the bread of independence. What said he?

William once more threw up his eyes, and, in very truth, knew not how to respond, but his face answered for him. Very well; he should have this chance of proving his sincerity. In a day or two the arrangements would be complete. Let him come again, at a time appointed, and be in readiness to quit London. Meanwhile he must purchase the decent clothes of a laboring man; herewith, money for that purpose. Let him be faithful, and the sun of happiness would henceforth shine upon him.

In less than a week behold Long Bill, answering now to the name of William Higgs, transplanted to quite a new sphere of existence. His lodging was in the cottage of a farm laborer. His duties led him to the kitchen gardens of the old manor house, where Mr. Brown, grave and suspicious, set him primitive tasks with the fewest possible words. William looked as though he had fallen in the gallery said, "Add my name and from the moon. He was vastly uncomfortable in his clean, new clothing. He Jewell adopted the word in speeches stared at everything and everybody. He and writings. Some four years later an stood on guard against possible attacks and kept wondering whether if he ployed the word, and its origin has been elimbed to the top of a hill not far away he would be able to see London. The fact that he had traveled for three hours by an express train did not affect this speculation. Never in his life had Wil-

ham felt so hopeless, so purposeless. By the directions of his benefactress | until he was 40.—New York Tribune.

he was abundantly fed, and such advantage did he take of this novel experience that on the second day he began to suffer from an alarming disorder. A severe pain oppressed his breathing, and his heart throbbed violently. At length, utterly overcome, he lay gasping as if for life. A doctor had to be summoned. Soon there followed a second and no tess violent attack. William had secretly eaten two large cucumbers and a pound of cheese. He paid the penalty. Work, from the first not only distasteful, but difficult, was for some days impossi-

Presently it appeared that he had caught a very bad cold. He was threatened with congestion of the lungs. Writing to the lady of the manor, the doctor explained to her that William's constitution had suddenly broken down in consequence of the great and sudden change. There would have to be care. Figuratively and literally this poor fellow had as good as no legs to stand upon. He seemed ripe for all manner of diseases. If his diet and habits were not strictly regulated, the result might be lamentable.

A month went by. William had pretended to work, but always gave up on the plea of weakness. He looked very miserable and did not talk much. His cough was bad. One day, after spitting on the gravel walk, he showed the gardened a red stain. Mr. Brown, though he did not like William, looked trou-

"Ever seen that afore now?"

Ruefully and resentfully the other declared that he had never known what it was to have anything the matter with spot and lay on the grass and was beset with terrors. Moreover, a great wrath awoke in him. He cursed the place and the people and above all the well meaning lady who had sent him into exile. Faroff London called to him with irresistible lure. He longed for the streets, the noises, the smells, for his old companions, for the lurking places of his homeless nights. Money he had none. As yet his weekly wages only paid for board and lodging. But, with or without money, he would get back to London. His purpose must be secret. If the enemy got wind of it, he would be forci-

That evening he contrived to make a stealthy entry into the grapehouse and to cut the roots of all the vines. Early and with a grimy paw shook drops from the next morning he did the like damage to a number of rose trees. A poor revenge, but it soothed him. Suspecting that his malfeasance among the vines must soon be discovered, he held himself in readiness for flight at any moment, and while listening eagerly for every word spoken by the people about him he sought new forms of mischief. His troublesome cough kept him in mind of the wrong he had suffered. It urged him to malicious activity. But before he could do anything worse than pinch blossoms off certain valuable

plants the alarm struck upon his ear. "Hoy, London Bill! Mr. Brown wants you, and look sharp."

It was one of the undergardeners shouting from a distance. In sudden terror, in a mad desire for liberty and home, he slunk rapidly out of sight, then took to his heels.

In the night, at a village some 20 miles away, the constable came upon a tramp who lay helpless by the roadside. 'Severe hemorrhage from the lungs," Bill made fluent reply, panting oft, and said the doctor. And, but a few days later, William Higgs was again transplanted, this time to a yet more quiet locality where no work would ever be

# Animals In the Rain.

Horses and cattle never look so miserable as when standing exposed to cold and driving rain. Every field in which cattle are turned loose should have some rude shelter provided, however rough and hardy the stock. If left to themselves in a state of nature, they would travel miles to some well known bank or thicket, which would at least give cover against the wind. Shut up between four hedges, they are denied alike the aid of human forethought and of their own instincts.

Bewick's vignettes of old horses or unhappy donkeys, huddled together in driving showers on some bleak common, express a vast amount of animal misery house, with gardens and fields, and in an inch of woodcut. It seems strange that no animal, unless it be the squirrel, seems to build itself a shelter with the express object of keeping off the rain, which they all so much dislike.

Monkeys are miserable in wet and could easily build shelters if they had the sense to do so. "As the creatures hop disconsolately along in the rain," writes Mr. Kipling in his "Beast and Man In India," "or crouch on branches, with dripping backs set against the tree trunk as shelter from a driving storm, they have the air of being very sorry for themselves.'

But even the orang outang, which builds a small platform in the trees on which to sleep at night, never seems to think of a roof, though the Dyaks say that when there is much rain it covers itself with the leaves of the pandanus, a large fern. - Exchange.

# Teetotal.

It is said that the late Rev. Joel Jewell originated the word "teetotal." The story goes that at a public temperance meeting in Hector, N. Y., in 1828, he introduced into the pledge the letters "O. P." for "old pledge," which pledged against distilled liquors, and for "total," including both distilled and fermented liquors. When names were being taken, a young man for I am a 'T-totaler.'" Mr. Englishman named Dick Turner emascribed to him. Mr. Jewell was born in Dunham, Greene county, N. Y., Feb. 11, 1803, and became a revivalist and temperance worker at an early age. For over 50 years he was an active Presbyterian clergyman, although not ordained

JACK RABBITS FOR COURSING.

Said to Be Greatly Superior to the English Hare For That Purpose.

The sport of rabbit coursing is receiving a new impetus since the Kansas black tailed jack rabbit has entered the arena. Not until quite recently has the coursing fraternity been aware of the great superiority of the jack over the cotton tail rabbit or the English hare for country and in England, and live ones catching them alive is very great, and only one man in Kansas, so far as known, has given his undivided attention to the work.

Charles Payne, familiarly known throughout the west as a hunter and plainsman, has been a jack rabbit enthusiast for years, and it is largely through his efforts that the merits of the animal for coursing purposes have become so generally recognized. The capture of live jacks involves the purchase of a great deal of expensive paraphernalia. Mr. Payne has two nets made of seine twine, 5 feet in height, which, when both are extended, reach almost across a section, and made expressly for catching live jacks. His method of entrapping the live jacks is unique. It is his usual custom, when preparing for body. The first stream of blood sent off the raid upon the rabbits, to advertise which the jack rabbit drive is to take

At the appointed time hundreds of to the rendezvous, armed with fog horns, drums, bells and anything else that will make discordant music. They are deployed in a semicircular line two miles in front of the net, and at a given sigall the noise possible. If the hunting grounds have been well selected, the horsemen will have no trouble in 'bouncing' rabbits innumerable, and as they scamper away toward the net, followed pellmell by the eager farmer boys, the scene is one of great anima-

confused by the noise and excitement, without it in your household? bound away toward the net at almost lightning speed, and many of them bor. strike the net so hard that they break their necks. Those that survive the shock scamper into the pockets which are ingeniously arranged for their reception, and for them the jig is up. Rabbits sometimes die of fright, not having sufficient strength to make the race for life.

These rabbit drives are among the most popular sports in which the prairie bounteous spread for his gratuitous helpers. - Philadelphia Times.

A Doctor's Discomfort In a High Place.

Some of the patients of one of the prominent physicians in Dorchester are getting well pretty rapidly these days under the influence of a joke which they have recently heard regarding their Æsculapius. It seems that this doctor has a horror of high places and is always dizzy when on lofty buildings. Not long ago some relatives from England visited him and suggested a trip to Bunker Hill, and, in common with about one-half of the population of Boston, the doctor was not only forced to acknowledge that he had never been to the top of the monument, but was obliged to accompany his guests to the summit of the granite shaft. It cannot be ascertained whether the persons whom hey found there had ever heard of the doctor before, but he had not been there many minutes when one of the strangers was heard to remark that the sun had such an influence on the monument that on warm days it warped it. This was enough for the doctor, and, with a parting remark that he would see his friends at the base, he beat a hasty retreat, going down, it is said, four steps at a time and not feeling safe until he had run out on the lawn about the monument far enough to get out of the way in case it fell. The joke of it all is that the doctor, in a state of absentmindedness told the story himself, and now, much to his chagrin, his patients are laughing themselves into good health. -Boston Traveller.

# Not a Soldier.

A certain solicitor general of England visited Berlin on a vacation, and being mistaken for bearing a military title was invited to a review and mounted on a charger. Being accustomed to following the hounds, he made an excellent equestrian, but when asked opinions as to some of the maneuvers was obliged to parry the cross examination. A similar incident befell the late Marshall Bidwell, an eminent New York lawyer, in the fifties, who visited Paris in long vacation. Presenting his card at the gate of the Tuileries, he was politely informed that the emperor was at a review, and if he desired a dragoon should be detailed to accompany him on horseback to the Champs de Mars. 'But I am not a soldier,' said the old lawyer. "Not a soldier, and a marshal?" [Examining the card.] "What a droll country is America!"--Green

# Revengte.

A spirit of revenge is the very spirit of the devil, than which nothing makes a man more like him. If your revenge be not satisfied, it will give you torment now; if it be, it will give you greater hereafter. None is a greater self tormentor than a malicious and revengeful man who turns the poison of his own temper in upon himself.-J. M. Mason.

In several towns in Holland a birth is announced by exposing at the door a silk pincushion, covered and edged by plaited lace, the sex of the infant being shown by the color-for a boy, red;

The real satisfaction which praise can afford is when what is repeated aloud agrees with the whispers of conscience. -Johnson.

NO STRENGTH IN WHISKY.

For a Time It Stimulates, but the Reaction Is Sure to Come.

Because alcohol is a stimulant and will make a tired or a weak man feel stronger for a short time it is thought that the alcohol imparts strength. The truth is, it simply acts like the prick of a spur to a fagged horse. The human machine, thus "spurred" to new activthis purpose. Kansas jack rabbits are ity, runs on for a time longer, but at now greatly in demand, both in this what cost! Each heart beat is more forcible, and at the same time the number command a good price. The difficulty in of pulsations per minute is increased. Thus, instead of being allowed to rest and repair the waste which has already been too great, the whole organism is 'whipped" on to continued action by the stimulant and greater waste is compelled from the overworked tissues. As a rule, the process of degeneration is so gradually brought about that it is attributed to other causes and not infrequently more stimulants are ordered as a rem-

But a more disastrous effect of moderate drinking is that produced on the nervous system and upon that great nerve center, the brain. The functions of this organ are blunted by the continuous use of alcohol. The constant, moderate drinker receives most injury to this, as to all the other organs of the from the heart, after it comes to that among the farmer boys the day upon great force pump from its purification in FARMERS, the lungs, is sent to nourish the brain. If this stream is vitiated by the continuous presence of a poison like alcohol, the MINERS, country boys, mounted on ponies, flock effects on the brain are pronounced. The brain cells are stimulated to excessive activity, and soon a point is reached MERCHANTS, when the stimulant is necessary to prompt them to normal action. By and by a point is reached when even this exnal from the marshal of the day the line citer to activity can no longer stir up moves toward the net, each man making the impaired cells enough to enable them to perform their duty.-C. B. Bushong, M. D.

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 The rabbits, if they do not become them in time. Can you afford to be confused by the poise and excitement

A. E. Mummery, druggist, Ann Ar

## Calling a Dog by Telephone.

An intelligent hunting dog who had strayed away was found in New Hartford, Conn., recently, and the finder notified the dog's owner in Winsted. The New Hartford man called up the owner by telephone to arrange for returning the dog, and while talking asked the farmers indulge, and it is customary for owner the dog's name. "Hold him up the organizer of the drive to provide a to the telephone," was the reply. The part of the instrument was put against the dog's ear, and the owner called, "Dash." The dog recognized the voice, and set up a barking which showed his joy. -Boston Herald.

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A little while, a year agone, I knew her for a romping child, A dimple and a glance that shone
With idle mischief when she smiled.

And, turning with a quick surprise,

I wondered at her stateliness,

I wondered at her altered eyes.

To me the street was just the same, The people and the city's stir, But life had kindled into flame, And all the world was changed for her.

I watched her in the crowded ways, A noble form, a queenly head, With all the woman in her gaze, The conscious woman in her tread.

—A. Lampman in Youth's Companion.

DOG AND STUFFED TIGER.

A Little Incident From New York City's Varied Street Life.

"In a Broadway show window," said a stroller, "there is a particularly big and handsome tiger, stuffed, that I have often looked at in passing. I saw in front of this store the other day a man who had with him a tremendously big, shaggy dog. The man looked at the tiger, and stopped and tried to draw the look that way, and, in fact, he didn't stop. He slowed down, just as one man mother he loved. might have done for another who had stopped for a moment to look in a winsmile, again invited the big dog to look was his mother's wisdom. at the tiger, but instead of doing that the big dog looked up into his master's Chatterton wept a little that she was walking along beside him.

The perfect self possession and the deep affairs of no mother-in-law. and unbroken good humor of the dog were unmistakable; apparently he simply didn't care for tigers and didn't want to look at this one, but it did seem walk the loftiest scrap that Broadway staid later. ever saw, with the chances-well, the chances were in favor of the dog. "-New

# Unique Pianos.

wood have been used in the manufac- that after awhile, when he came to reture of pianos," says one of the great- alize how very lonely she was, he would est English piano makers. "Perhaps the not stay away from her so long. most successful of these is paper, of which many pianos of exquisite tone and appearance have been made. The Mrs. Chatterton came in and sat with Duke of Devonshire has one of the finest her. They talked together and busied specimens of the paper piano, this being themselves with some needlework, and of French make, and decorated most or- the hours did not seem so long. And nately with pictures by French artists. When Ned came that night they walked The duke gave 500 guineas for this, home with his mother and all were mainly, no doubt, on account of the light hearted and happy.

namentation. I suppose you know the light hearted and happy.

But other evenings passed when no-body came in, or when her mother or mates-all instruments for export, in Nell dropped in to find her alone, and fact-have to be specially made, and in hinted that Ned was neglecting her. this direction all manner of experiments | They would look at her strangely, as if have been tried. Among others, a sort they pitted her, and wondered if she of cellulose, one factor in which is ac- were happy. Somehow this pained her. tually common molasses, from which Ned was good. She loved him and knew sugar is made, is employed, and a com- that he loved her; he was only thoughtposition made from the chemical treat-less. She said this over and over to herment of gutta percha and leather pulp self, and she could not bear to see in has been tried. Ivory pianos are by no the eyes of her relatives the look that means uncommon, and the downger accused him. Countess of Dudley has a magnificent One sight when he had been later carved specimen. Pianos of ivery are, I than the and when her heart was might say, made every year in numbers, overful she tried to tell him how he but chiefly for Indian princes and rich was paining her, but broke down and Spanish Americans. Many pianos of hurst into tears. solid silver have been made; indeed, His face was flushed and he answered one was only recently completed by a her impatiently: London firm for the nizam of Haidara- "Nonsense, Addy; don't act like a bad, and piano cases have at various baby; you must remember that you are times been made of bronze, a species of a woman. You oughtn't to expect a bination mother of pearl."—Exchange.

UNDER THE DAISIES.

Free just been learning the lesson of life, The sad, sad lesson of loving,
And all of its powers for pleasure or pain
Been slowly and sadly proving,
And all that's left of the bright, bright dream, With its thousand brilliant phases
Is a handful of dust in a coffin hid, ffin under the daisies

The beautiful, beautiful daisies. And thus forever throughout this wide world Is love a sorrow proving;
There are still many sorrowful things in life,
But the saddest of all is loving.
The life of some is worse than death,
For fate a high wall oft raises,
And far better than life with two hearts es-

tranged

Is a low grave starr'd with daisies, beautiful, beautiful daisies -Harrison Millard in Philadelphia Times.

# HER MOTHER-IN-LAW

Ned Chatterton was a good deal of a mother's boy-that is to say, such a warm affection existed between mother and son that it was remarkable in this day of filial laxity.

So when it became known that Adslaide Westcott was engaged to him, her many friends grew solicitous in warning her as to the course she should pursue in regard to her future motherin-law.

"When a mother has always had such complete ascendency over a son, it is always a hard matter to make her recognize a wife's right, and if this is to be done, positive measures must be employed from the first." So her friends said, and her own mother gave her some good advice in the same line, while her sister Nell deplored the necessity of having mothers-in-law and reviewed all the traditions in regard to those very undesirable personages.

With so much instruction Adelaide became also imbued with very positive notions on the subject. Of course, he was an only son and his mother a widow, but she could never consent to live in the same house with the elder woman. If all was to go well, she was to begin right. Of course, Ned loved his mother, but matrimony would put him under new obligations. At her first opportunity she explained it all to him and insisted that they should keep a separate establishment.

Ned looked pained, but he said: "I shall do as you say in the matter, Adelaide, though I had looked forward to a very happy companionship between you and my little mother. She is not hard to get along with, I know, and she could have helped you so much with

affairs.' But Adelaide showed him how a mother-in-law, by her very love and preference for her son, might cause dissension between husband and wife.

her advice and counsel in the household

Perhaps he was not convinced, but he yielded the point and they were married. All of Adelaide's friends congratulated her upon her good sense, and behind his back praised Ned for his consideration in sparing his wife the presence of a mother-in-law. But he gave dog's attention to it. But the dog didn't himself the satisfaction of setting up housekeeping within a block of the

Sometimes at night, when he and Adelaide sat lonely by the fire, he dow or to speak to a friend, and when thought of his mother and wished that he had moved ahead a few steps in that she might be with them, but on the way, not finding himself overtaken, he whole they were happy and no morbid did just as a man might have done again. thoughts entered his brain, for he be-He swung round with the same meas- lieved that in time Adelaide's own good ured tread and came back to the win- sense would triumph over the prejudices dow. Then the master, with a faint aroused by officious friends. But this

face and wagged his tail, and the mas- denied the daily vision of her son's joy, ter looked down and smiled at his dog; but she said nothing and kept her tears then the man started on down Broad- to herself. Ned was very faithful and way, with the big dog wagging his tail, dutiful, but she did not go often to the house, because her presence always "But while the big dog had shown no seemed to put Adelaide in a mood of desire to look at the tiger, had, in fact, defense almost bordering on aggression. shown rather an aversion to looking at The young woman meant to be underit, it did not appear that this aversion stood, and plainly understood, that she came in any degree whatever from fear. would tolerate the interference in her

And so the months passed.

In the first glow of connubial joy Ned had neglected his club, but as time went on and the household began to that if it had been possible for the tiger move in the accustomed routine he beto come to life and step down from the gan occasionally to drop in and spend a window and around and out through the social hour with his man friends. At door on to the sidewalk then the big dog first it was but once in two or three would not have walked away; that there weeks and only an hour or two then. would then have been there on the side- Then he went more frequently and

Some evenings Adelaide was very lonesome, and after awhile, when he staid late, would cry to herself, but she always tried to welcome his return with an unclouded face. She believed "All manner of articles in place of that it was only thoughtlessness, and

But he did not seem to realize. Once, when she was very lonesome,

aluminiam, glass, porcelain and in com- man to stick in the house all the time."

the tone in which he said it, that hurt her and made her sob silently until she 1 all asleep.

There was something restrained and shamefaced in his manner as he kissed her goodby the next morning and went down town, but in the evening he returned early, and after dinner he did not go out. He was restless and nervous and didn't seem to be reading the paper which he held up before him. Between husband and wife there was an embarrassing silence. There seemed to be no common theme for them to talk about. They retired early, and again Adelaide's pillow was wet with tears.

It is a very easy matter to tell when a man stays in the house out of a sense of duty. That is what Ned did for several nights, but it brought Adelaide no happiness and him no comfort.

Her heart was overfull and she wanted sympathy and counsel. To whom should she turn? Would not her father tell her that she was foolish? Would not her mother be angry and blame Ned? Would not Nell pity her? No; she could not go to none of these. Then suddenly she thought of Mrs. Chatterton. She understood Ned. She loved him. Would she not also understand the situation and be able to advise her? When she had gained courage enough, she went down to her mother-in-law's and sobbed out the whole story to her. The old lady took her in her arms as she would have a tired child.

"You poor, little girl," she said. "Ned has been very bad to you, and You didn't know how to manage him. How should you? But be patient; we shall bring the young man around all right." Mrs. Chatterton bent down and kissed the girl, who lay sobbing in her arms, and hope sprang up in the young

It was a matter of some doubt whether Ned was more pleased or surprised when, on the following night, Adelaide said to him:

"Would you mind going to the club tonight, Ned? Mother and I are going out for a little while, and I am afraid you will be lonesome."

"Certainly not," he replied, "but I thought your mother was out of the

"I mean Mother Chatterton—your mother," she said, faltering and blush-

"Oh," he said tenderly, and he was slow in getting his hat, and he kissed her twice before going out. He came home early that evening,

and his mother was just about to leave as he entered. She paused only long enough to say: "I'll be over tomorrow evening. Mr. and Mrs. Delaney are coming with the hope of beating you and Addy a few games of cards. I'll have to come and make a welsh rabbit for you, I suppose." "That will be just the thing," said

Ned. "I'll show Tom Delaney whether he can beat us at cards or not. Do come, mother. Wait a minute, and Addy and I will walk home with you. Won't we, dear?" But his wife was already throwing on her cape.

Next night Mr. and Mrs. Delaney came and Ned and Adelaide were beaten, but Mrs. Chatterton made the Welsh rabbit-she had never made a better one-and there were jokes and stories and bright conversation all through the short evening.

Delaney proposed that the three Chattertons come over to his house on the next evening and get their revenge, and they went. There were more jokes and bright talk, and, best of all, this time Ned won.

"How pleasant these evenings are," he said to Adelaide, as with her on one arm and his mother on the other he wended his homeward way, "and how foolish I have been to have been wasting them at the club. We must keep them up, eh, little girl?" They were just at Mrs. Chatterton's gate, but Adelaide put her hand on the old lady's "You are going home with us to spend the night," she said.

"And there is to be no demur, little mother," added Ned, sweeping her on past the gate. She could not but con-

Far into the night, after Mrs. Chatterton had gone to bed, Ned and Adelaide talked. They made plans for future pleasure, and their youthful joy seemed the revival of the honeymoon enthusiasm.

"We shall have such glorious times," said Ned. "Mother is right here near

"She must be nearer, Ned," said Adelaide. "I want her to live right here with us." "But, Adelaide"-

"Ned, I desire it. Don't say no. I've got over some foolish notions of mine and I just begin to find how much I need a mother-in-law."

Her friends say: "It is strange that after starting out so well she would let him bring that mother-in-law in on her, but I suppose he compelled her; that's the way with men."-St. Louis Repub-

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# Well Enough Informed.

"You," said the disgusted gambler, 'don't know enough to come in when it rains.

"Perhaps not," said the man who had been there with a wan smile, "but I do know enough to stay out on a pat It wasn't so much what he said, but flush."-Indianapolis Journal.

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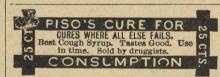
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Dated, Ann Arbor, February 3, A. D. 1896.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

Judge of Probate.

Notice to Creditors.

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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 months 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 allowence, on or before the 30th day of July next, and that such claims will be heard on the 30th day of April and on the 30th day of April and on the 30th day of July mext, at ten o'cleek wathe forenoon of each of said days.

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Clark of Clinton, Lenawee County, Michigan,
which said mortgage was recorded in the office
of Register of De ds of the County of Washtenaw,
in Liber 53, of mortgages, on page 713,
on the 4th day of April, in the year A. D. 181,
at 7:15 p m. And, whereas, the said mortgage
has been duly assigned by the said Alonzo
Clark to James Hogan, by assignment bear
ing date the 27th day of April, in the year 1892 at 10
o'clock a. m. on Liber 11 of assignments of
mortgages on page 178 and said mortgage has
being and recorded in the office of the register
of deeds of the said County of Washtenaw, on
the 28th day of April, in the year
day of Pril, in the year of the death of said
day the 24th day of March. A. D. 1896, at 10
o'clock in the forenoon of the death of said
deet sed) the following described Real Estate,
to-wit:
The east one-duarter (2) of the north-east oneduarter (20): and also the north-west one-quarter (20): and also the north-west one-q

regge 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 foreucon: Which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, towit: All that piece 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 twonship number four south, of range four east, twenty-two (22) chains and twenty-two (22) links south from the quarter section line is said section number (20) twenty, thence south along said quarter section line is sween rods and six links to a stake, thence north easterly twenty-three rods and four and one-half links to a stake thence north center of mill road sixteen rods and six links, hence south-westerly along the center of mill road to the place of beginning containing three (2) acres of land, be the same more or less,

ADBERT BRUNKI

G. R. GILLESPIE, Attorney for Assignee. Assigned.

## Estate of James Clements.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY

CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY
Of Washtenaw, as. At a session of the Probate
Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the
Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, an
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.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified of
William L. Clements praying that a certain instrument now on tile in this court, purporting to be a
copy of the last will and testamen 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 2sth
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 ot 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 of the pendency of said petition
and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this
order to be published in the Ann Arbor, dead petition
and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of the
sorder to be published in the Ann Arbor said county,
three successive weeks previous to said day of
hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

[A true copy.] Judge of Probabe.

WM. G. DOTY. Probate Register

Estate of Farwell A. Wilson.

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CTATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY

Of Washtenaw ss. At assession 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.

On reading and fling 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 humself 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 foremon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisces, legates, and heirs at law of said deceased and aff other persone interested in said estate, arcrequired to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Anna 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, and Arbor, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor and it is said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[A true copy]

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

[A true copy]

Judge of Probate

William G. Doty, Probate Register.

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 Ana 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.

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

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 forencon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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 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 hearing.

J. WILLARD BARBITT,

J. WILLARD BABBITT,

WM. G. Dory, Probate Register.

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## PERSONAL.

Maj. W. T. Johnson, of Chicago, was a guest over Sunday of Capt. Chas. H.

C. J. Durheim, of Muskegon, was in the city the first of the week visiting old acquaintances, Ann Arbor being his

Joe. T. Jacobs left Monday on a trip August Birk, of Owosso, was in the

city this week on business. Mrs. Howard, of Lansing, was a guest this week of Mrs. V. C. Vaughan.

Geo. Grant, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Staebler.

Judge Babbitt has returned from a trip west.

Miss Lizzie Green, of Whitmore Lake, spent the week with John Mathews

Attorney General Maynard, of Grand Rapids, was here a few days this week. The announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Harriet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tremper, to R. H. Welsh, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Wm. Dieterle gave a luncheon last Tuesday to twenty of her lady friends.

Lizzie Kemper has been visiting friends in Manchester the first of the

Miss Louisa Zwergle, of Niles, is Oswald Herz attended a leap year dance in Manchester the first of the

Mason Whipple, supervisor of Lima, and Otto D. Luick, clerk of the same township, were in the city Monday on

townships this week.

that city.

School Commisioner W. W. Wedemeyer is in Detroit today.

Bruno St. James was in Cleveland, O., Wednesday.

Dr. Leander Fnapp has returned

from Colo.

A. F. Freeman, Esq., of Manchester, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. C. L. Kemp, of Detroit, is visit-

ing her sister, Mrs. W. A. Clark.

been visiting his parents here this week. Mrs. James Bycraft, of Ypsilanti, visited Mrs. Henry Schulz, yesterday.

# UNIVERSITY.

Prof. Rolfe was granted a leave of gie Kelley 29 Sylvan. absence for next year to visit Europe, provided he furnish a substitute during Wardee, 19, York. his absence.

sett Mass., has been chosen captain of the University base ball team for the The more we work there grows behind u coming season. He is a sophomore homeopathic student and was catcher On our pants once new and glossy on the last year's nine.

The board of regents at last Friday's session decided to grant the request of the University girls for the use of the gym Feb. 29th, for the giving of their leap year party. It was decided that henceforth student organizations could have the use of the gymnasium on payment of \$100 rental, Pres. Angell, to decide any difference that might arise between those who desire to rent it. jam and John McCunn, the two boys ar-Bids were opened for the construction of the woman's gymnasium.

The truthful, statiling time of a book about No-to bac, the only harmi ss. quaranteed to-bacco habit cure. If you want to quit and can't, use 'No-to bac.' Braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminate-nicotine poisons, makes weak men gain strength, weight and vigor. Positive cure or money refunded. Sold by H. J. Brown, druggist.

Book at druggist, or mailed free. Address The Sterli g Remedy Co., Chicago office 45 Randolph St.; New ork 10 Spruce St.

Disappearance of a Law Student. On Saturday evening, Feb. 1, at 5 o'cleck, William R. Schmidt, law '96,

with a party of friends on the special theater train bound for Toledo to see "She Stoops to Conquer" played at the Valentine theater. In company with to the Pacific coast, going first to Los greatly. When it came time to go with you and all others in any effort that movements after this are unknown to Democratic principles and policies, as de anyone and nothing more was heard of clared by the constituted authorities of

> one of his young friends was in To- ate of the United States a Democrat who ledo on a still hunt for Schmidt and have the honor to be, very respectfully, invoked the aid of the police of that yours, J. G. CARLISLE." city to locate the missing man. 'The only clue that is at all feasible as to his whereabouts is the following telegram which appeared in the Dayton, Ohio, Evening News of Feb. 18:

> "St. Louis, Feb. 18.-Wm. Smith, aged 24 years, a law student at Ann a member of the platform committee and Arber, Mich., jumped into the river fought for that platform. I am a sound at the foot of Elmwood st., but was money advocate and always have been. I rescued and locked up. Smith's home refer to my course in congress and to my public utterances. I have not yet seen

> Although the surname Smith is not ELECTION IN PENNSYLVANIA. spelled S-c-h-m-i-d-t, yet all the other data correspond to the missing man. His christian name is William, he is 24 years of age, a law student, and his of 80,903 given Tuesday for John L. Kinhome is in Lockport, Ill.

the man who attempted to drown him- coeded once. In 1894 Governer Hastings School Commisioner Wedemeyer vis. self would give no reasons for his ac- got a tidal wave plurality of 85,132. In ited schools in Salem and Superior tion. Schmidt's friends here can give three out of thirty-seven members, a loss no reason why he should have done of four. Rev. Henry Tatlock and Rev. L. such a thing, but it was probably the Cole attended a reception in Ypsilanti result of a fit of despondency. When Republicans carried Democratic strong-Tuesday evening to welcome Rev. and he left here Feb. 1, Schmidt was great-Mrs. Gardam to St. Lukes church in ly behind with his studies, although sway. This was due in every instance to naturally a young man of very bright local conditions. The greater number of parts. It is surmised that with the victories are, however, to be credited to the Republicans. Probably the most inlost time and a certain chance of being teresting fight in the state, outside of plucked in his examinations staring him in the face, out of money and with Mayor Connell and Congressman Scranno friends to cheer him up he deter- had a bitter fight. mined to rid himself of the cares of

MarriageLicenses.

Henry F. Stohl, 29, Scio; Libbie Les-Rev. C. G. Stanger, of Detroit, has lie, 29, Scio.

George L. Gross, 34, Detroit; Kittie

Laurie Wilkie, 33, Detroit. Jacob Howland, 32, Ypsilanti; Hattie Jackson, 22, Jackson. Godfrey G. Cook, 28, Lake Ridge;

Lena Klaeger, 27, Saline. James Shanahan, 40 Lyndon; Mag-Ernest McCarbey, 21 York; Mable 28 majority.

William F. Holmes, of East Somer- Lives of poor men oft remind us, Honest toil don't stand a chance,

> Now are stripes of different hue, All because subscribers linger

Bigger patches on our pants.

And won't pay us what is due. Then let us all be up and doing,

Send your mite, however small Or when the snows of winter leave us We shall have no pants at all -Ex.

Boy Train Wreckers Sentenced. STEVENS POINT, Wis., Feb. 20.-Willrested two weeks ago for attempting to wreck a Wisconsin Central train between Amherst and Sheridan, were Tuesday sentenced by Judge Webb at Grand Rapids. William will serve the state at Waupun for four years and John goes to the same institution for two years. The boys confessed their guilt, but after receiving sentence they made a further statement in which they claim to be innocent. They will be taken to Waupun immediately.

Carlisle on the Senatorial Fight in Kentucky.

Democrats Are Competent to Act Without His Advice and Refuses to Interfere -Many Surprising Results of the Election in Pennsylvania-Big Republican Plurality in Philadelphia.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 20.—In reply to the Democratic members of the legislature who are supporting the caucus nominee for United States senator, and who appealed to Secretary Carlisle to urge the five Democrats who oppose Blackburn to join them in his support, the following letter was received from Secretary Car-

"GENTLEMEN: - Your telegram, in which you appeal to me 'to request and urge the five Democratic members of the general assembly who are not supporting the nominee to join with us [you] in voting for him,' was duly received and has been given the careful consideration which its object and the number and character of its signers demanded.

Know What Their Duty Is. "Inasmuch as the five gentlemen re-ferred to are acting in a representative capacity and are familiar with the whole situation and all the circumstances, I am bound to assume that they are more competent than I am to determine what their duty to their party and to their constituents is, and how that duty shall be discharged, and an attempt by me to influence their action might very properly be regarded by them as a presumptuous interference in a matter of the greatest importance which has been committed solely to their own judgments; but even if this were not so, I have no right to assume the honest convictions of the five gentlemen alluded to in your communication could be changed by my interference; or that they could be induced to act contrary to such convictions by advice which they have not solicited. Having heretofore tendered no advice or made any suggestion, directly or indirectly, to any memleft the Ann Arbor depot in company ber of the general assembly on either side of the unfortunate controversy now existing, I must respectfully decline to do so now or hereafter.

Always Willing to Co-Operate. "It may not be considered inappropria couple of gentlemen he attended the ate in this brief response to your appeal to theater and enjoyed the performance assure you that I will at all times cheerfully co-operate in any proper manner home he announced his intention of remaining in Toledo over Sunday. His supporting the Democratic organization in Kentucky and in maintaining sound him by his young college friends in the party, state and national, and to repeat what has been said to all who have cared to ascertain my views upon the subject-that I sincerely desire to see the Sunday and Monday G. M. Stephens, present general assembly elect to the senis in full sympathy with these objects. I

> Interview with Hunter. In an interview with Hon. W. Godfrey Hunter, Republican candidate for United States senator, he refuted the charges that he leans towards free silver. He said:

"In the state convention which declared unconditionally for a gold standard I was is in Lockport, Ill. He would give any cause to change the views I have heretofore held."

Big Republican Plurality in Philadelphia at the time. -Many Surprises.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—The plurality sev. the Republican candidate for city When taken in charge at St. Louis solicitor in this city has only been ex-

In the state there were many surprises. lost, but he must show when and how he holds and Democrats were successful where Republicans had formerly held Pittsburg, was in Scranton, where ex ton, leaders of rival Republican factions,

of Democratic votes, electing James G. Baily, Democrat, mayor, and the balance of the Democratic ticket by about 500 plurality. Mr. Scranton bolted the Republican convention and nominated a rival ticket, but afterwards withdrew his candidates and supported the Democrats. At Reading in a total vote of over 11,000 Jacob Weidel, Democrat, was elected mayor by 164 majority. They also elected Henry O. Young city treasurer, but Adam H. Leader, Republican, was chosen comptroller by a big majority. At York, after a hot fight, Charles W. Brant, Democrat, was elected mayor by

Altoona elected H. C. Barr, Rep., mayor and George Harpham, Rep., controller by about 200 majority. Tuesday night the election of their Democratic opponents were conceded. The rest of the Republican ticket got 800 majority. The Democrats gained three common councilmen. The unexpected happened at Williamsport, where, in a hot three-cornered fight, the Prohibitionists elected James Mansel mayor by about 300 plurality. Campaign To Be Opened in Milwaukee.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The executive committee of the National Republican league met at the Auditorium headquarters Wednesday and decided to hold the annual convention at Milwaukee Aug. 25, 26 and 27. At that time the Republican presidential campaign will be officially opened. Plans are being made to have this convention the greatest demonstration known in the history of the league, and no pains

Debs for Governor of Indiana.

will be spared to start the St. Louis nom-

inees off with a mighty hurrah.

LA PORTE, Ind., Feb. 20.-Information which is considered authentic was received here Wednesday that Eugene V. Debs, president of the American Railway

union, will accept the Populist nomination for governor. The movement to make Mr. Debs a figure in state politics took form during the labor leader's confinement in jail at Woodstock, Ills. The Populists believe that with Debs at the head of the ticket on a platform favoring free coinage of silver the party will be a strong factor in the campaign. A num-LETTER TO THE LEGISLATORS. ber of Debs clubs have already been organized in different sections of the state.

NATIONAL LEGISLATURE.

The Day's Proceedings in the Senate and House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON Feb. 20.-The house Wednesday passed the bill to extend for five years the time within which suits may be brought to annul patents issued under railroad, Mexican or other special agents. Amendments were adopted limiting the application of the act to "Railroad and wagon road grants," and the following proviso was made:

"That no suits shall be brought nor shall recovery be had for lands that were patented in lieu of other lands covered by grant that was lost or relinquished by the grantee in consequence of the failure of the government to withdraw the same for sale or entry.'

The substitute offered by McRae to repeal the act of 1391 was defeated-72

Carter offered a resolution in the senate to recommit the tariff bill and gave notice of a speech on the subject next Monday. It is presumed he will explain the position of the silver men who voted against taking up the bill last week. The senate has passed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Chicago Saloon Keeper to Hang for Murdering a Butcher,

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The jury in the Nic Marzen case, after being out one hour Wednesday, brought in a verdict of murder, and assessed the punishment at death. Marzen was indicted for the murder of Fritz Holzheutter. Holzheutter appeared Jan. 30, 1895, and was last seen at Nic Marzen's saloon, 3517 Halsted street. He had arranged with Marzen to go on a cattle buying expedition

Feb. 25, 1895, the body of Holzheutter was found in a partly cremated condition at Ninety-fourth street and Western avenue in Evergreen Park. The dead man's head was cut in several places, and his dead body had been gnawed by dogs and cats. The theory of the prosecution was that Marzen murdered Holzheutter in his (Marzen's) barn on Halsted street, and kept the body there for three weeks. Then after this lapse of time that he took the body to Evergreen Park and attempted to cremate it. The evidence against the man was all circumstantial, but it was The evidence against the considered very strong.

More Bonds for Morgan & Co.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The following announcement was made at the treasury department Wednesday: "Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co. and associates, under their bid for \$100,000,000 of United States 4 per cent. bonds of 1925, made in accordance with the recent circulars of the secretary of the treasury, are entitled to receive bonds of the face value of about \$4,700,000 in addition to those which they have already been notified. Exact figures cannot be stated until returns from various subtreasuries are fully

Students Want Damages.

DES MOINES, Feb. 20 - Notices were served Tuesday upon Richard Clarkson, editor of The Register, by seven students of the Des Moines Medical college, that suits had been begun in the district court for \$70,000 damages for libel. The suits are an outgrowth of the recent sonsational grave robberies committed in this city. A large number of students were arrested, charged with being implicated. Seven of these want damages for articles which appeared in The Register

Ordered to Make an Accounting. PITTSBURG, Feb. 20.-In the county courts Wednesday Judge Ewing ordered George M. Irwin, the famous blind pool operator, to make an accounting. The judge says that when the business was abandoned there was evidence which it might fairly be found that Irwin had in his hands \$1,000,000 belonging to the depositors This, it is claimed, was

invested and lost.

Will Ignore the Cut Rates. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—At a meeting of the Illinois railway lines held here it was decided to ignore the cuts in rates recently made by the Wabash and Illinois Central railways to points in southern Illinois. The sense of the meeting was that the rates ordered into effect about a year ago by the Illinois railroad and warehouse commissioners were too low, and that to The latter was successful with the aid voluntarily reduce them would be sui-

> Failure of a Kansas Farmer. LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 20.-Ira Steele,

one of the oldest and best known farmers and stockraisers in Douglass county, failed Wednesday for \$60,000. This is the fourth big farm failure in the county within six months, and was caused by Mr. Steele's being a very heavy indorser of paper of other men who went under.

Killed by a Steam Log Hauler. SENEY, Mich., Feb. 30 -Four men were killed and seven seriously injured Wednesday by a steam log hauler at Mc-Kay's lumber camp. The engine became uncontrollable and ran down the road at full speed, catching the men before escape was possible and completely wrecking it-

Frightful Holocaust at Lisbon. LISBON, Feb. 20.-Great loss of life attended the breaking out of a fire in a

building in San Taren while at artists' club masked ball was in progress. Thirtyfour bodies have thus far been recovered. Many were injured by jumping from the Was Disappointed in Love.

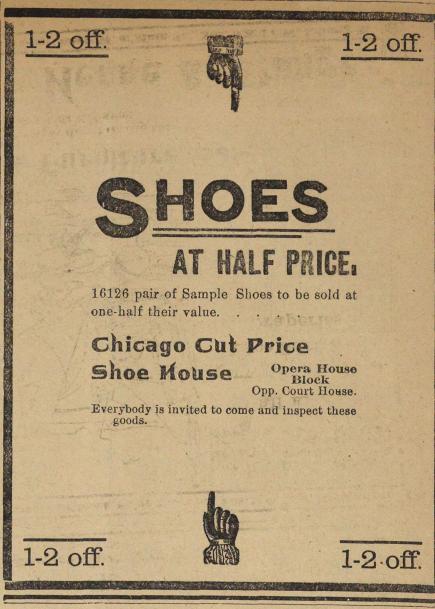
SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Feb. 20.-Wallace

E. Penny, an employe of the Springfield Electric Light and Power company, commit ed suicide in the presence of his mother and sisters by swallowing an ounce of carbolic acid. Disappointment in love was the cause.

THE DEATH RECORD.

AMBROSE PLAMONDON, wealthy manufacturer, at Chicago. Rev. J. D. McDonnal, prominent Pres-

byterian divine, at Toronto, Ont.
REUBEN COOK, pioneer contractor of Rockford, Ills.



28TH ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF DETROIT, MICH.

For the Year ending December 31st, 1895.

REVENUE ACCOUNT,

Disbursements for Death Claims, Dividends, Matured Insurance, Surrender Values, and all Expenses.... 

Cash in Bank

First Mortgage Liens on Real Estate

Real Estate, including Home Office Building

Loans to Policy Holders secured by Reserves

Agents' Balances

Bills Receivable Rents due and accrued.

Net Outstanding Premiums, secured by Reserve Fund.

Net Deferred Premiums, secured by Reserve 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.

POLICY ACCOUNT. Policies Issued during the year..... Amount Insured thereby Policies in force December 31st, 1895 Amount insured thereby, including additions. Total amount paid Policy-Holders since organization....

Total Liabilities....

O. R. LOOKER, President.

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