

SUMMED UP.

Horr and Harvey Put the Finishing Touches on Their Debate.

LAST INSTALLMENT IS PRESENTED.

Each Points Out the Defects in the Other's Ideas, and Lays Claim to Possession of the Best of the Arguments.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—In accordance with the agreement entered into by the silver and gold debaters, Messrs. Harvey and Horr, governing their recent contest in this city, each was to prepare a recapitulation of the points made in their respective arguments, not exceeding 2,500 words each, and to complete the same within a week from the close of the contest. This has been done, and in substance the summary of Rowell G. Horr is as follows:

Mr. Harvey admits that the book is pure fiction. He repudiates its motto by declaring that it does not mean what it says. His statement that primary money only is the measure of value he has not even attempted to sustain, though his proof has been called for repeatedly. His statement that the people of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries were in the most degraded condition of servitude and slavery is completely demolished. Mr. Harvey next based his case upon the assumption that the law of 1873 was a crime, and stated that it had its origin in fraud and its birth through bribery and corruption. He introduced no evidence in support of either proposition and he stands convicted of making every one of those charges without any proof that would be received in any ordinary court of justice. If congress was bribed to pass a bad bill, then the bill must have first passed in bad shape. Now if that be true, then there would be no need of a clerk to do the dirty work. If it was done by the enrolling clerk, then it follows that congress passed the bill as it ought to have been, and consequently they could not have done what he says they were bribed to do. If congress passed the bill all right and the enrolling clerk enrolled it correctly, then the bribery was complete and the members of the conference committee. All these villanies are then abandoned when he claims that the whole thing was accomplished by means of a "substitute bill." He stands convicted by his own statements of an effort to deceive the people. Mr. Harvey's statement that the change created an unlimited demand is not true, because there can be an unlimited demand for no human production. Mr. Harvey fails entirely to prove that the use of one metal as the measure of value is an experiment. He utterly failed to show a fall in the price of a single article which is not fully accounted for by cheaper cost of production, improved transportation or increased supply. He inadvertently admitted the great value of banking facilities, which was an entire "give away" of his whole rant and rustian ranting. He misled people by partial statements which led to his conclusions, when the whole statement would have been perfectly clear to any one. The civilized world is clearly on my side of this issue.

Mr. Harvey's Summary.

Mr. Harvey, in summarizing the debate, says: "It settled the proposition that gold and silver are the money of the constitution. Mr. Horr did not controvert this. The silver dollar was the unit of value in our coinage system fixed by the act of 1792. Mr. Horr admits this. Silver and gold were the measure of value of all other property until 1873 and the debtor had a right to pay in either metal. The act of 1873 was surreptitiously passed. For all time which we have knowledge gold and silver were treated equally as money until 1874, when England closed her mints to silver, and 1873-4, when the United States, Germany, France and the Latin nations followed suit. The prices of all property are now measured in gold alone, and are substantially one-half what they would be under the bimetallic system. Mr. Horr frequently in debate substantially makes this admission. I have made good all the propositions set forth in my opening statement. Mr. Horr found no errors in my book except the statement that the silver coined prior to 1873 was \$100,000,000. Instead of \$100,000,000, it was \$1,000,000,000. Mr. Horr shows that he does not yet know what bimetalism is."

Says Harvey is a Deceiver.

Mr. Horr, in his rejoinder, said his opponent took two days to discuss a crime which never existed, and had no time to defend many errors in his book repeatedly pointed out, and which he promised to explain later. He said he would like to know how he had done had not been driven from his essays, which he calls his "regular order." In his summary he goes out of his way to vilify the supreme court, the only honorable body in the United States which he had not slandered in his part of the debate. Nowhere has he shown the admitted bill of this nation freely coined silver at 16 to 1, nor can he do it. His summary, like his debate, attempts to disparage honest industry, thrift and sobriety. His whole system clearly aims at the destruction of law, individual development and social order, if need be through revolution. I have shown that Mr. Harvey is devoting his life to deceiving the people.

Mr. Harvey in reply, declared he made no statement as to the condition of the people of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries reading only a statement from the report of the monetary commission of 1875 to show what the price in the "School" was quoted from. Mr. Horr is exceedingly mixed as to the order in which I presented the crime of 1873. I did not claim that any one was bribed.

DENVER BANK FAILS.

Rocky Mountain Savings Institution Closes Its Doors—Liabilities \$50,000.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 7.—The Rocky Mountain savings bank closed its doors Tuesday morning and assigned for the benefit of its creditors. The bank has about \$55,000 in deposits, and it is believed that the assets will enable the bank to make a satisfactory adjustment. Frank S. Woodbury, son of President Woodbury of the Union national, which suspended last week, is president of the bank, and the withdrawal of deposits following the Union bank failure was the cause of the action Tuesday.

One Year for Stealing a Wheel. OSHKOSH, Wis., Aug. 7.—Elmer M. has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment for stealing a bicycle. The theft was committed on the main street of this city. Mead was captured in New London.

Registration Law Constitutional. RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 7.—Judge in the South Carolina registration dismissed the complainants' bill for injunction. This decision upholds present registration laws.

GRAND LODGE ENJOINED.

Decision of Much Import to German Pythians.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Judge Brentano, in the superior court Monday morning, gave Waldeck lodge Knights of Pythias authority to use the German language in its ritual. The ruling of the court, which gives in detail the history of the differences between the Waldeck lodge and the grand lodge of the state, orders the issuance of a writ of mandamus compelling the latter body to restore the charter it took from Waldeck lodge, to give back to its members something like \$1,000 worth of property that was held pending the litigation and to furnish them with the password of the order, which is changed twice a year.

An injunction restraining the grand lodge from further interfering with Waldeck lodge because its members persisted in using the German language during services in the lodge-room was made permanent. Attorney Charles Anthony, of counsel for the grand lodge, declared the matter would be appealed to the supreme court. The case has been pending since last March.

TRAGEDY IN IOWA.

A Farm Hand Kills His Employer's Wife and Himself.

SHELBY, Ia., Aug. 13.—One of the most shocking and unprovoked murders, followed by suicide, ever known in this section of the country took place Sunday night. Mrs. Wilhelm Kruger, wife of a prosperous farmer, whose place is 2 miles southwest of here, just across the Pottawattamie county line, was shot and beaten to death by her nephew, Herman Kohaupt, a young man, 18 years of age, who has been working as a hired hand for the Krugers. After committing the bloody deed, the crazed young fiend betook himself to a neighboring cornfield, where he cut his throat with a razor, inflicting a wound which must have resulted in almost immediate death. Mr. Kruger cannot account for the bloody deed, unless it was a fierce hatred for his aunt, for no valid reason, however, than an unaccountable dislike on the part of Kohaupt.

THE FIRE FIEND.

He Wipes Out a Large Part of the Town of Lockport, Ill.

LOCKPORT, Ill., Aug. 12.—This town of 8,000 people had a narrow escape from destruction by flames on Saturday. The loss is probably \$250,000. With the exception of one store, a whole block of the best business places on Ninth, Tenth, State and Hamilton streets was burned to the ground, twenty-two buildings in all. The insurance is about two-thirds.

The fire started at 10:30 o'clock in the Phoenix newspaper and printing building, owned by Mayor Lem McDonald, who is the editor of the paper. A tinner on the roof dropped a fire box.

MOTHER AND CHILD KILLED.

Struck by a Passenger Train at Toledo, O.—Two Escape.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 12.—While Mrs. Minnie Pouli was walking along the Wheeling & Lake Erie tracks Saturday, carrying a 2-year-old babe in her arms, she was struck by an incoming passenger train and instantly killed, being thrown against a loaded freight car. The babe, which remained in her arms, had both legs broken and was injured internally by the force of the shock. The babe was picked up alive, but died before medical assistance could be summoned. A nurse with another child accompanied Mrs. Pouli, but was uninjured.

THEY GO BACK.

Colored Miners Return to Their Homes in Spring Valley, Ill.

PRINCETON, Ill., Aug. 10.—The city of Spring Valley Friday morning was under the protection of ten armed colored special policemen and forty-five additional white patrolmen. Under these conditions the coal shafts resumed operations, both white and colored going to work in the mines. Sheriff Clark, of Princeton, is prepared to afford them protection at once should trouble break out again.

Quinlan to Be Released.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Patrick Quinlan and his wife, who for over two weeks past have been in the custody of the police in connection with the Holmes case, are no longer behind the bars, and there is now every probability that they may soon be at liberty. No charge has been made against them, and it is said that Quinlan has hinted that some one might be called upon to pay dearly for their incarceration.

Heir to Over \$1,000,000.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 13.—William James Scott, electrician for the Ballingall hotel, was in the city Monday to inform Young Scott of a windfall left by his father's death in Peway, Germany. Young Scott's share of the estate is said to be over \$1,000,000. He leaves immediately for Germany. There are two other brothers living in Pennsylvania.

Converts Go Into a Trance.

RAMSEY, Ill., Aug. 13.—The holiness people began a meeting at Binham, a small village 8 miles west, a week ago. The attendance has grown to 1,500 nightly. Some of the converts go off in a trance and remain in that condition for twelve hours at a time.

Three Men Killed.

MONTICELLO, Fla., Aug. 12.—P. B. Bird's steam sawmill and cotton ginning plant, of this place, was completely wrecked by a boiler explosion shortly after noon Saturday. Allen Brooks, Prince Hall and Amos Cross were killed. Jim Reagan, Charles Harris, Cindy Johnson and Nancy Johnson were seriously injured.

HIS VOICE SILENT.

Death of George F. Root, America's Famous Song Writer.

The Author of Scores of the Most Familiar Sentimental and War Songs Dies Near Portland, Me., at the Age of 75 Years.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Telegrams received Wednesday by the members of the family of Dr. George F. Root, the well-known musician, announce his death, which occurred at Bailey's island, off Portland, Me. He expired Tuesday afternoon in the presence of his wife and one daughter.

Dr. Root was 75 years of age and lived at 5106 Cornell avenue, in this city. The family have cottages on Bailey's island and go there every year to spend the heated term. This year Dr. Root and wife went earlier than usual. They left Chicago the middle of June,



GEORGE F. ROOT.

and were to have been joined this week by their children, who had arranged for a family reunion August 30, Dr. Root's birthday.

(George Frederick Root was a native of Berkshire county, Mass., where he was born August 30, 1820. From childhood his love of music was intense. While working as a boy on his father's farm he learned to play several musical instruments, and in his 18th year he went to Boston and soon found employment there as a teacher of music. From that day to this he had never ceased to exercise a marked influence on the musical history of the United States. From 1828 till 1844 Mr. Root gave instruction in the public schools of Boston, and was also director of music in two churches of that city. He then went to New York and his reputation had grown so greatly that he was soon employed in teaching music at various educational institutions in his family name. From that date began Dr. Root's remarkable career as a successful writer of popular ballads and war songs. Many of the earliest musical recollections of the present generation are associated with songs which he wrote during this period—songs which in some cases profoundly influenced patriotic opinion and feeling throughout the north. Among the most popular of Dr. Root's compositions are the following: "Battle Cry of Freedom," "Rosalie, the Prairie Flower," "Just Before the Battle Mother," "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys Are Marching," "The Old Folks Are Gone," "A Hundred Years Ago," "Old Automa Shore" and the well-known quartette, "There's Music in the Air.")

NOTED BAPTISTS TO MEET.

Plans Under Way for Religious Congresses at La Porte Ind.

LA PORTE, Ind., Aug. 13.—Plans are now being outlined by Dr. W. H. Riley, of Chicago, for holding three great religious congresses at the Baptist state assembly grounds near this city in 1896. The first will be held in June, the second in July and the third in August, each to consist of some particular feature of religious work. The talent is now being engaged, and will include the ablest pulpits orators and scholars of the Baptist denomination in the United States.

Death of a Missionary.

LEWISBURG, Pa., Aug. 13.—On Saturday evening Mrs. David A. Day, of the Lutheran mission at Muhlenberg, Monrovia, Liberia, died at the residence here of Mrs. John Hubler. For more than twenty years she and her husband labored in Africa and the success of their work at Muhlenberg has caused them to be regarded as the most successful missionaries on the entire west coast. Fourteen months ago Mrs. Day came to this country as an invalid, suffering from the results of African fever. During last winter pulmonary trouble was developed.

Will Extend Its Line.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 13.—The Des Moines, Northern & Western railway, owned by F. M. Hubbell, of Des Moines, will be extended to Fonda from Spencer. The distance is less than 50 miles. The territory covered is at present without railroad facilities, and the closing of this gap will provide a direct air line from Des Moines to Spirit Lake and the northwest.

Will Give Up Their Lands.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—A majority of the southern Ute Indians have agreed to the request made by the last congress that they cede a portion of their lands in Colorado for a stated sum of money, and have lands in severalty allotted to them. There are 301 of these Indians, and 165 adult males have signed the agreement.

Woman Appointed Sheriff.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 10.—A Friday deadline was ended late afternoon in the county court appointment of Mrs. Helen C. to be sheriff of Greene county to succeed her husband, who died a few weeks ago.

BASEBALL.

Standing of the Various League Clubs at Close of Games Aug. 12.

Table showing standing of various league clubs at the close of games on August 12. Columns include Club, Won, Lost, and Per cent.

FRANK PIXLEY DEAD.

Famous Writer and Politician of San Francisco Passes Away.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Frank M. Pixley, the veteran editor and politician, died Sunday night after a lingering illness. He had resided on the coast since 1849. He was prominent as a lawyer in the early days, holding various political offices. In 1877 Pixley founded the Argonaut, to have outlet for his personal opinions. The paper paid handsomely. Previously Pixley had been an editorial writer on the Chronicle and in Michigan nearly fifty years ago edited the Log Cabin with George C. Bates. Four years ago Pixley was forced to retire from active journalism through nervous prostration and writers' paralysis. He was 70 years old at the time of his death. His fortune is estimated at \$1,000,000.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

Provisions of the New Commercial Treaty Between Them.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Word reaches the Japanese legation that the new Japanese minister at Peking has begun the negotiation of a treaty of commerce and navigation with China. The negotiations have proceeded far enough to show that Japan will have the favored nation clause as to commerce. This will be the first time China has granted this clause to Japan. It assures to Japan the lowest rate of duty on articles sent to China that the latter country exacts from any other country. Japan is thus placed on equal terms for the first time with Great Britain, the United States and other great powers. Another feature of the new treaty is the establishment of Japanese consular courts in China for the trial of Japanese.

PAID THE CLAIMS.

Beneficiaries of Dr. Fraker Receive Their Due from Insurance Companies.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 13.—The long fight between the insurance companies who carried policies on the life of Dr. W. C. Fraker and the beneficiaries of the Fraker policies, was terminated at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, when the last of Fraker's insurance was paid. The amounts were \$32,474.94. The history of the Fraker case is too well known to require repetition. It is as much a mystery now as it was two years ago, and though the officers of the insurance companies and very many other people do not believe that Fraker is dead, the United States courts have decided that he is, and, as they cannot find him alive, the companies can do nothing but obey the order of the court.

Driven from Texas.

PARIS, Tex., Aug. 13.—White caps have driven every negro out of Delta county. One, William Stephens, who refused to go, was shot dead.

THE MARKETS.

Table of market prices for various commodities including live stock, wheat, corn, oats, rye, pork, lard, butter, and eggs. Columns include item, price, and location (New York, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Louis).

GOOD PROMISES.

China Forced to Declare She Will Protect Americans.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The state department has received a reply from Minister Denby to the instructions cabled him on the 8th inst. relative to the reported looting of American missionary property at Yung-fuh, near Foo Chow. Mr. Denby says he urgently represented the facts to the Tsung Li Yamen or the board of foreign affairs on the 10th and obtained instant promise of protection and redress.

Agricultural College Commencement.

MANISTEE, Aug. 13.—The commencement exercises of the agricultural college began Sunday afternoon with the delivery of the baccalaureate sermon by President L. G. Gorton. The class numbers twenty-three graduates, one of them a Jap and another a Siberian.

Injured by Discharge of Cannon.

ISLAND LAKE CAMP GROUNDS, Aug. 13.—During the cannon discharge in the reception for Gov. Rich, F. Kelley, I. Lent, and J. C. McCulloch were badly lacerated about the right hands. Amputation may be necessary. All are from Company A, First regiment.

Rescued.

St. JOSEPH, Aug. 13.—The life-saving crew rescued five boys from an overturned boat just outside the harbor Monday. They had been rowing and accidentally collided with an anchored raft in the lake. They were nearly exhausted when rescued.

New Depot to Be Built.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 13.—It has been officially stated that the Big Four and Chicago & West Michigan railways have decided to build a new union depot in this city. The time when the work will be commenced has not yet been stated.

Capt. Tom Hanson Drowned.

MANISTEE, Aug. 12.—The body of Capt. Tom Hanson, of the schooner Goodman, plying between Chicago and Manistee, was picked out of Manistee lake Sunday. He left his boat Wednesday night, and was not seen again until Sunday.

Ate Strychnine Pills.

CONSTANTINE, Aug. 13.—Nelson van Modderworth, of Athens, the 2-year-old grandson of Rodney Beckwith, of this place, found a box of strychnine pills at his grandfather's and ate some with fatal results. The child was on a visit.

Death of a Pioneer.

St. JOSEPH, Aug. 8.—William Tryan died Wednesday morning, aged 87 years. He was a charter member of the first lodge of masons organized here, sixty-six years ago, and the only surviving charter member.

Undertaker's Great Record.

CLAYTON, Aug. 10.—N. Perkins, who has been in the undertaking business here for the past fifty-one years, sold his business to J. W. Minor, of Pittsford. Perkins has a record of 2,000 persons he has buried.

Drowned.

BENTON HARBOR, Aug. 13.—R. E. Wigent, a prominent merchant of Watervliet, was drowned while bathing in Paw Paw lake Sunday.

No need to suffer with rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, cramps or colic. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil cures all such troubles, and does it quickly.

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Advertisement for Lowell Marble Works, featuring the name 'JOS. H. HAMILTON, Prop.' and 'MARBLE AND GRANITE CEMETERY WORK'. It lists various products like watches, clocks, and silverware, and includes the name 'H. A. SHERMAN' at the bottom.

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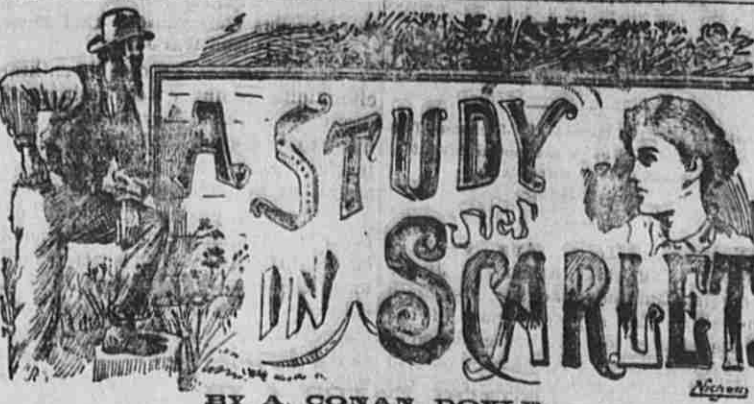
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BY A. COVAN DOYLE

On the farm this acquired John Ferrier built himself a substantial log house, which received no many additions in succeeding years that it grew into a roomy villa.

There was one way, and only one, in which he offended the susceptibilities of his cousin John. No argument or persuasion could ever induce him to part with a fence which he considered the manner of his companions. He never gave reasons for this persistent refusal, but contented himself by reasonably adhering to his determination.

Lucy Ferrier grew up within the log house, and assisted her adopted father in all his undertakings. The keen air of the mountains and the balsam odor of the pine trees took the place of nurse and mother to the young girl.

It was not the father, however, who first discovered that the child had developed into the woman. It seldom is in such cases. That mysterious change is too subtle and too gradual to be measured by the eyes of the father.

"You're not hurt, I hope, miss," said her preserver respectfully. She looked up at his dark, fierce face, and laughed sadly. "I'm awful frightened," she said, "but I don't know how I got here."

"You? Well, I don't see that it would make much matter to you, anyhow. You ain't ever a friend of mine."

Young Hunter's dark face grew so gloomy over this remark that Lucy Ferrier laughed aloud. "You ain't ever a friend of mine," she said.

all that he underwent. He swore in his heart he would not fall in this human effort and human perseverance.

He called on John Ferrier that night, and many times again until his face was a familiar one at the farmhouse.

It was a summer evening when the moon was shining brightly over the hills.

"Brother," he said, taking a seat, and eyeing the farmer keenly from under his light-colored eyelashes.

"I have his consent, provided we get the necessary working all right. I've no fear on that score."

"Thank God," he said, hoarsely, stooping and kissing her. "It is settled. The longer I stay, the more I love you."

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BIG OCEAN WAVES.

Careful Data Show Them to be Not Over Thirty-Two Feet High.

An article quoted in Current Literature gives this interesting information on ocean waves. Dr. G. Schott, as the result of studying the form and height of the waves in the Pacific, finds that under a moderate breeze their velocity was 24.6 feet per second, or 16.8 miles an hour.

Dr. Schott does not think that the maximum height of the waves is very great. Some of errors have estimated it at 30 or 40 feet in a wind of the force represented by 11 on the Beaufort scale.

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SEA WATER IS A Tonic.

When a bather at Atlantic City accidentally swallowed a big cup of sea water and then rubbed off to get a drink of whisky...

It is a wonderful tonic for the liver, stomach and kidneys. In many cases it will cure biliousness where all drug preparations have failed.

What is a Word? If any of our readers, in looking over articles on electric railways in the German language, should come across the word 'strassenbahnwagen'...

Calling Servants With a Pencil. A quaint practice exists at the bishop of London's palace at Fulham, and this consists in what appears to be a bit of honored custom of waking up the episcopal domestics by means of a long pole.

When the Hills the Key. It is a singular instance of the simplicity of the average mind to watch the antics of a faith in a country housekeeper, when she takes her walks abroad and looks up her house, hides the key for its discovery by any other member of the family.

Did Will He Chum. In the reminiscences of General Sir Evelyn Blyden, a touching instance of courage and self-sacrifice is given.

Running an Atlantic Cable to be an expensive business. From an article on the Commercial Cable company's station at Hazel Hill, N.S., in The Windsor Magazine we learn that the cables average \$1,200 per mile, and the expense of construction management amount to about \$50,000 per annum.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

East Ada.
Mr and Mrs A. B. Buck are visiting with S. Wunsch.
Ruben Elmondorph Sundayed at home.
Mrs Grant Frazier entertained Mesdames W. Krum, Phillip and Chas. Buttrick, Friday.
Mr and Mrs Bazley, of Lake Odessa, visited I. Elmondorph and family Saturday.
H. Aldrich has completed J. Wunsch's new house.
Friends from Grand Rapids Sundayed with F. Coons.
Mrs Oliver Simpson, who has been in Grand Rapids for some time, has returned home, much improved in health.
McCords.
Mr Abbey, P. M. at McCords, who has been very sick is not much better at present.
Wm. Patterson lost one of his horses Sunday night. It was sick only a few hours and died.
The ball game between the McCord and Alto "kids," resulted in a great victory for McCords.
The Ladies Aid Society met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs Streeter. Attendance was small.
A number from this place attended the lawn fete at Alto last Wednesday evening, which was reported a grand success by all in attendance.
The West Lowell Epworth League is in a very prosperous condition, enrolling nearly eighty members.
There will be a watermelon social at Mrs L. A. Houghton's, Friday evening, given by the Epworth League.
Mrs Sears, who has been quite sick for some time, is slowly improving.

Oscoda.
W. J. Watterson, W. S. Merrill, Fred Tilyer and Henry VanSickle were among those who took in the excursion to Island Lake Sunday.
Born, to Mr and Mrs Walter Quiggle, Aug. 7th, a son.
Mrs Dr Danforth and children spent last week at Silver Lake.
The much needed improvement of filling and covering with gravel the washouts near the bridge in our village is at last being done.
Mrs F. M. Thompson was in Kalamazoo Wednesday. Her daughter, Mary, accompanied her home.
Mrs Hugh Brown, of Grand Rapids, is visiting relatives and friends here.
Mrs John Hulbert attended the convention at Macatawa Park Thursday and spent the remainder of the week in Grand Rapids.
Silas Quiggle and wife visited friends in Dutton over Sunday. Mr Quiggle killed a rattlesnake by the roadside, which had five rattles.
Hugh McDonald and family, of Byron Center, visited Mrs M's sister, Mrs Horace Johnson, recently.
Clyde Watterson and Lon Lane are visiting J. Proctor this week and budding peach trees.
Mrs Wm. Fuller and daughter, Mary, are caring for Mrs Quiggle and little daughter, Edwina May.

South Boston.
All nation seems changed since the last rain.
Rev. Arnold preached his farewell sermon at the Cong. church last Sunday, and Rev. Hartley preached his last sermon in Saranac. This locality was represented at both places.
All Ex. soldiers and Ex. sailors and everybody else is invited to attend the picnic of the Ionia Co. Battalion of Soldiers and Sailors, to be held at Portland, Aug. 23d, 1895.
There will not be any preaching at the M. E. church next Sunday, on account of the campmeeting at Long Lake. The following regular attendants at the above named church hope to attend the campmeeting next Sunday: Mr and Mrs Wesley Cilley, Mr and Mrs E. F. Cilley, Mrs Vickory and daughter, Edna, Minnie Rickner, Myrtle Baker, Belle Freeman, Runa Cilley, Mark Sneathen, Mr and Mrs T. H. Parsons, Mr and Mrs Jacob Meyers, Mr and Mrs Walter Dillencock, Willard Aldrich, our S. S. superintendent, Fred Ondrozeck, and Mr and Mrs H. Tucker.
Supervisor Huhn and Justice of the Peace Potts visited the So. Boston cemetery on official business Monday and the last named made us a short and pleasant call.
We have heard that little word "if" defined recently and if all we heard was true we could lengthen out our cor. wonderfully.
Misses Carrie and Edith Mosher, from Woods Corners, visited Miss Myrtle Baker last week, also Miss Bovee, of Ionia.
It pays to advertise in the Journal.

Bowae.
Miss Belle Brown, of Alma, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.
Arthur Godfrey is entertaining his grandmother, Mrs Day, of Lake Odessa, also his cousin, Viola Day, of Saranac.
Bowae Centre nine crossed bats with the Clarksville nine Friday, score 28 to 5 in favor of Bowae Centre.
"Gus" Weekes and son, Harold, of Lowell, were seen on our streets, last Friday p. m.
Alice Huntington visited friends in Gd. Rapids, last week.
Patrick Lynch does not improve any.
Jay Morgan, of Lowell, is visiting his cousin, Harry Johnson.
Corwin Porritt Sundayed with Wilbur Smith.
A good many from this place attended the play at Dr. Hunter's, of Alto, last Wednesday evening.
Libbie Cole is on the sick list.
Henry Johnson went over to Elmdale Saturday to help the boys out with their ball games.
Dan Weaver took a trip to the Valley City Thursday.
Jess Boulard now sports a new wheel.
Miss Lynn Crawford, of Lowell, is visiting Miss Katie Johnson.
Miss Mary McGinnis visited Miss Teasie Burns, of Harris Creek, last week.
A beautiful monument was placed in the Bowae cemetery Saturday to mark the last resting place of Milton Streeter.
Elmer Adams is entertaining his sister, from Lowell, at the present writing.
Chas. Livingstone is entertaining company from Ypsilanti at present writing.
W. H. Watts, John Cuddihy and their wives are taking an outing at Wapey Lake this week.
Miss Katie Johnson is clerking for W. H. Watts during his absence.

The best coffee ever sold in Lowell for 25 cents at Barber & Craw's. Try it.
Alto Dashes.
Patterson and Magee, of Caledonia, shipped a car of stock from this station Thursday.
Fran Schwader shipped a car of stock Saturday.
Jacob Yeiter is laying the wall for a new residence on his farm just north of the church.
A number from this place went down to see the "Boys in Blue" at Island Lake Sunday.
A horse belonging to M. B. Remington was badly injured by running against a barb wire fence one day last week.
Mrs Lucy Curtis, who has been visiting friends in Chicago, returned home Monday.
Mrs Hodges, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting at Porter Perrin's.
Eugene Bryant will give a public dance at Scott's hall Friday eve., Aug. 16th. All are invited. Bill 25c.
Miss Minnie Fairchild is a member of Will Beemer's family now.
Miss Nina Streeter is a member of Will Warner's family at present.
Mrs Will Beemer is reported as being some better. Her mother, Mrs Curtis, of Lowell is taking care of her.
Miss Mattie Curtis, of Lowell, is visiting at Will Beemer's.
Miss Lotta Pallas is working at G. W. McKee's.
Messrs Force and Griswold, of Lowell, were in Alto Monday.
Miss Ruth Nelson and Mrs J. E. Hunter are visiting friends in Grand Rapids this week.
Mrs G. W. McKee, who has been sick with malarial fever, is no better.
Charles Bancroft has secured a position as brakeman on the D. G. H. & M. R. R. and commenced work Tuesday. Sorry to lose you, Charley.
A Lawn Fete was given last Wednesday evening at the residence of Dr. J. E. Hunter, under the management of Miss Ruth Nelson, for the benefit of the Rebecca Lodge of Alto. It was a decided success. Nearly four hundred people were present and listened to a fine program, after which ice cream and cake was served. Miss Nelson, of Cincinnati, and Eddie Cooper, of Grand Rapids, made a decided hit in their plantation songs and dances. The following were present from Grand Rapids: S. Renshaw, G. Zindle and B. May, of the Giant Clothing Co., John and Eddie Cooper and Miss Gringhus.
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Vergennes Visitor.
Mrs Emma Fisher of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting Mrs Wm. H. Parker.
Rev. Mr Hudson, of Segwum, visited his son, Q. M., one day last week.
Mrs Q. M. Hudson and sister, Miss Grace Blanding, accompanied by Miss Agnes Steel, of Gd. Rapids, visited friends at Steel's Corners, Wednesday.

Mrs Murray Belknap, of Jackson, visited Mrs Frank Fox and others last week. Mrs Fox also had an aunt and cousin from Spring Lake visiting her.
Miss Jessie McCormick is in Gd. Rapids attending the Teachers Institute.
Melville McPherson had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly, about two weeks ago. It is doing well, but he is not able to step on it yet.
Hazel Hoag a dear little Miss of four years, had the misfortune to fall out of a hammock and break her collar bone, Monday morning.
Mr and Mrs Adelbert Odejl visited her sister, Mrs E. L. Curtis and family, in So. Lowell, recently.
Miss Della James is in Muskegon visiting friends.
Mrs Gill Hatch, of Gd. Rapids, spent Sunday with Mrs Wm. H. Parker.
Master Elgin Dennis, of Lowell, visited with his uncle, Q. M. Hudson, last week.
Mr and Mrs Orlando Odell entertained Miss Cora Lee and friend Dan Bush, of Lowell, recently.
Eugene Lee, wife and son, Glenn, were recent visitors of Mr and Mrs R. Barnes, of Ada Township.
Mrs J. E. Lee and Mrs R. B. Boylan, of Lowell, were guests of Mrs Adelbert Odell, one day last week.
Mr and Mrs W. J. Botzen were in Gd. Rapids last Tuesday.
Miss Harriet Peglar, of Gd. Rapids, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Cora Lee.
Mr and Mrs T. B. James were in Gd. Rapids Saturday.
Adelbert Odell has sold five acres of timber to Enos & Bradfield for \$300.
The Lowell unknown nine came up and crossed bats with the Vergennes nine Saturday. The score was 12 to 26 in favor of the unknowns. The unknowns had picked a few of the high school nine but had they only brought their own club the score would have stood different. Batteries were Speaker and Cox; McDonald and Dutcher. The Vergennes nine is young in the business and practice makes perfect.
Misses Anna and Fannie Daniels visited their aunt, Mrs Mary Krum at D. Krum's, Sunday.
IDA MAY.
"Kaiser" will drop with his parachute at Reed's Lake, Grand Rapids, August 25th. Big Schwanbenfest and lots of fun. Excursion and low rates via D. L. & N. Ry. Ask agents.
Alton.
Miss Elgie Ford is not improving.
Thos. Moe died last week in Colorado, of consumption. His remains were brought home for burial in the Smyrna cemetery Sunday.
Mrs Alice Brown and children returned home, Saturday, from a three weeks visit with Mrs Pentler and other relatives in Stanton.
Orrin Ford and wife visited relatives at Westville last week.
Mrs Campbell and son, Bert and Miss Horning, of Lowell, visited Alton friends Sunday.
Visitors at Warren Ford's last week were Mrs Stephen Rennels, of Grattan, Mrs Kate Godfrey, Mrs Ina Kennells and Mrs Clare Ford.
Mrs Simmonds and Mrs Fred Condon visited Mrs Matie Reynolds and her mother last Tuesday.
Elder Mangle, of Lowell, preached at the church Sunday evening. He will preach at the Watter's school house next Sunday evening.
Chas. Church and wife and Dr O. C. McDannell and wife were in Alton Sunday afternoon.
S. D. Godfrey went to Stanton Saturday and returned Sunday.
Geo. Fletcher and daughters, of Lowell, called at Warren Ford's Sunday.
The Swiss Band Concert at Smyrna Saturday evening was quite well attended.
Herbert Godfrey is visiting his grand father, S. D. Godfrey.
Jeff Godfrey, of Belding, will move to Mancelona this week.
We will prepare for the sound of wedding bells, which will ring in the northern regions soon.
Mr Vandylke has gone to Grand Rapids for a few days.
Mrs Electra Mosher has gone to New York state to visit relatives.
E. J. Mosher will go to Pennsylvania for a five months visit.
Hilton Watkins is drying apples.
Elmer Richmond and wife, with friends, drove to Long Lake Sunday and attended campmeeting.
Miss Maud Pentler, of Stanton, is visiting her grandfather, S. D. Godfrey.
Mrs Spencer and son, Ambrose, visited with Perry Purdy and family Friday.
Some animal or owl has caught thirty-five of C. R. Porter's chickens.
Corn and potatoes are growing nicely. If all the potatoes had come up that were planted they would not have been more than 5c a bu. this fall.
Mr and Mrs John McGee and Mr and Mrs James Middleton, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday at (S. Norman's. Mr and Mrs Middleton remained over until Monday to fish and call on friends.
On Saturday evening the Alton Swiss

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Band gave a concert at Smyrna to a fair audience. The Band was assisted by Mr Clinton Kellogg of Lowell. The program consisted of music, athletics and farces and was very well received. They expect to give another entertainment there in about a month.

Obituary.

Ensign Rexford was born in Stuben Co., N. Y., in the year 1812, March 13th, was married to Elmira Slaght in November 1835, at the bride's father's in Canada west. At the time of the rebellion in 1837 they returned to Stuben Co., N. Y. and in the fall of 1845 they came to Michigan and settled in the township of Grattan, Kent Co., on the land now owned by Jason Watkins, since which time he has lived in this vicinity, there was born to them ten children, five boys and five girls viz., Mrs Austin Wright, of Grattan; Cornelius Rexford, of Gratiot; Mrs Henry Grove, of Hubbardston; Benjamin Rexford, of California; Wm. Rexford, of Fallsburgh; Mrs Jake Mastenbrook, of Vergennes and Mrs Ransom Abby, of Otisco. Deceased embraced the christian faith when he was a young man and united with the Free Will Baptist church and about the year 1840 was licensed to preach and for a number of years he was pastor of the first Christian church of Vergennes. He died in Hubbardston at the home of his daughter, Anna on Aug. 1st, 1895.

Obituary.

Cora Belle Converse was born in Keene, Ionia County, July 25, 1872. She was married Mar. 19th, 1890 to Clarence E. Peck, remaining in the same township until fall when they moved to Ontonagon Co., near the village of Bruce Crossing, where she died Aug. 8th, 1895. Her illness lasted but a week, her mother was sent for but arrived only to find her in the cold embrace of death. She leaves a husband, two children, a mother, three sisters and brothers, besides a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her departure from this world.

Although she made no profession of religion she was religiously inclined and in this vicinity, was largely her life work, endeavoring herself to all by her sweet unselfish ways. Naturally possessing a sunny disposition, her cheerfulness was like a sunny day that sheds its brightness all around and although she has gone out from us, we say: "she is dead," but lives like hers never die. Her kindly words and deeds cast upon the sea of life will live forever and the eyes though closed to us are opening wider in heaven. The home circle is broken, a devoted wife, mother and sister, has passed away, we cannot but mourn, "Though we know our loss is her gain" May God sanctify this affliction to the good of all and especially enable her devoted husband and mother to bow in humble submission.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Kinyor, at the Keene M. E. church. Interment at Saranac.

Very low rates will be made for the ten day excursion to Petoskey, Aug. 29, via D. L. & N. and C. & W. M. lines. Good chance to see Northern Resorts with little expense. Ask agents for particulars.

Returns After Ten Years.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Aug. 12.—George Sanford Price, a well-known ex-temperance lecturer, who fled from Goshen, near here, ten years ago to escape arrest for forgery, returned Friday night and delivered himself to Constable Lardy. In 1885 Price forged a note for \$300 and one for \$500.

New Party In Kansas.

PARSONS, Kan., Aug. 13.—The Independent American party, the latest political organization in Kansas, met in this city Monday and nominated a county ticket. The new party believes in the free and unlimited coinage of American silver and America for Americans.

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During the civil war he enlisted in one of the regiments of infantry raised in the valley and served as chaplain. One day in the very fiercest of the battle a major rode up in front of the regiment, and seeing Father Hunt at the head of the ranks inquired in great astonishment:

"Chaplain, what are you doing there?"

"What am I doing?" repeated the staunch old minister quickly. "I'm cheering the hearts of the brave and watching the heels of the cowards!"

He was evidently performing this double task so well and thoroughly that the major could find no fault with him and left him to his self appointed charge.

Cheap Excursions to Boston.

The D. G. H. & M., and T. S. & M. Rys. will during the month of August make cheap rates to Boston and return from all its stations, account of Knight Templars Meeting there. The routes offered by these companies are some fifteen different ones and are good going via Toronto, Kingston, Montreal, Portland, The St. Lawrence and the White Mountains. Good returning from Boston via New York.

This is an occasion that very seldom occurs and offers excursionists ample time to visit in the East, New England States and Canada, tickets being good to stop over at the various points of interest. Tickets on sale from Aug. 19th to 25th and will be good to return until Sept. 10th. Persons desiring to stay after that time can arrange to have their tickets deposited by joint agent at Boston and stay over until Sept. 30th. Send to any agent of this company for circular for rates, or apply to Ben Fletcher, Travelling Passenger Agent, Detroit.

Will be run this year on Thursday, August 29th, affording an opportunity for everybody to visit the resorts of Northern Michigan with little expense. The train will run as usual via Grand Rapids and the West Michigan "Scenic Line," the popular route to Charlevoix, Petoskey and Bay View.

The beautiful scenery along the line north of Traverse City is alone a sufficient attraction to make the trip a delightful one. Tickets will be good to return on all regular trains until Sept. 7th, inclusive. Train will leave Lowell at 11:30 a. m., stopping at Grand Rapids 30 minutes for dinner and arriving at Traverse City at 5:45 p. m. Charlevoix 8:15 p. m., Petoskey-Bay View 8:30 p. m. Round trip rate to either point \$4 00.

Stops will also be made at Manistee Crossing (for Manistee), Thompsonville (for Frankfort), and at all stations north of Traverse City, to let off passengers. Baggage will be checked accordingly. No stop-off allowed on tickets. There's great fishing along the line north of Traverse City. Take your fish line with you.

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Lumber, Lath, Shingles and wooden saw-troughs at W. J. Ecker & Son's.
Cedar Fence posts, peeled, from 7c. up at W. J. Ecker & Son's.
Wagons! The celebrated Belknap wagons Best made, at J. M. Zimmerman's.
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Phil Krum wire fence building and jobber. Agent for Gen. wire fence machines. It will pay all parties interested in fence business to look him up before building. He can save you, on all fence, from 50 to 60 per cent.
Money to Loan at the Lowell state Bank. No Bonus.