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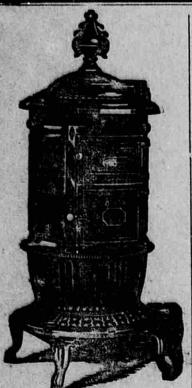
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Saranac Has a Little Excitement

BUT EVERYTHING IS LOVELY NOW. Some Fun with Newly Wed-

ded Couples.

A LETTER FR.M THE FAR, FAR WEST.

That Cancelled Stamp Gag Once More.

BOLD, BAD BOY.

Sunday's Democrat has the follow ing report from Saranac:

Frank Lord, a young man of this village who has no apparent vocation, is in love with Miss Courtney, a pretty and highly respectable young lady. She does not appreciate his affection and has told him that she did not wish to receive any of his attention. This evening as Miss Courtney and four other ladies were going to church Lord met them on the sidewalk. He asked Miss Courtney to go with him, without saying where, and when she refused seized her as if attempting to carry her away. the resisted and screamed and two of the ladies who tried to assist her were roughly thrown off the walk into a smwbank. The struggle attracted the attention of others on the street and Lord fled.

The affair created great excitement in the village, and could Lord have been found he would have been treated to something harsher than a snow bath. It is thought he intended to abduct the girl, but it has not been learned that he had made any arrangefound tomorrow he will be arrested on be preferred against him will depend June. what can be learned in regard to H. NASH, his intentions.

earn that the matter has been amicably settled, and th t a wedding is to follow in the near future.

MATRIMONIAL JOKES.

Previous to the departure of a Detroit couple on their bridal tour, one day this week, some of their young was to figure in the affair and took therefrom the night robes. They put these on the sewing machine and stitched across the sleeves and waists of the same with silk thread and replaced them gently in their nest. The interesting sequel to this tale will probably never be published, but we will bet dollars to doughnuts that Carl said "darn" several times that night.

Another couple who live not quite so far from Lowell were married sometime since last New Years, and they say that the young man's name was Cake no, Krum, that's it. Well. there was the usual display of presents, and among other things was an elegant silk thread upon which were strong a dozen tiny pieces of very fine bread-little crumbs, you know. Two of these were very small, very close together and very similar, andbut we won't say another word about

ARIZONA LETTER.

following extract:

This lovely day, the last of Janu- questing her to send Miss Brown text in the sun.

fruit of all kinds. We were up to will never cure the girl invalid for stanges All kinds of fruit trees, fig, will do their share in stopping it. olive, apricot, almord, peach, apple, plumb, nectarine, grapes, etc. look equally well, and they say they can raise strawberries the year round. There are lots of ripe tomatoes lying on the ground. I picked up and ate one which tasted so fresh and good. We get all kinds-of vegetables cheap from the Chinamen, who peddle them every morning The land is all cultivated by irrigation, to bring about the good results.

The Legislature is in session now and they are working to have Arizona admitted into the Union. There are nearly all classes of people here. Mexicans, Indians, Chinese, Italians, and Americans and half breeds of the

of the first two classes. Property is very high but seems to sell easily. Rent is also high and at good demand. If I were a young man I should have a farm here and no mistake. It is so warm here and the doors standing open all the time ments for a conveyance. If he can be that it seems odd to think that it is winter, that January has just passed a charge of assault and battery, and away and that so n spring will be whether any more serious charge will here, dressed in all the beauty of our

> I suppose the little boys would think it a queer way to sell wood, to bind a load on a little donkey or burro, as they call it here, and peddle it out for 50 ets a loud.

I expect you would have lots of fun if you had a burro. There is a little boy who has a white one and a , two seated cart and comes to the Catholic school across the street. I feel sorry lady friends opened the trunk that for the poor animal for it has to stand there all day.

MATRIMONIAL.

Married, Wednesday evening, Feb. 13, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francisco, Charles A. Krum and Miss Missoie Francisco. Pastor Shank officiated and Miss Odell acted as maid of honorr and Frank McMahon as best men. Their numerous relatives were safficient to fill the house and were the only invited guests. A most bounteous supper was served and the very happy event was most thoroughly enjoyed by those present. Many useful and beautiful gifts were presented.

Mr. and Mrs. Krum will be at home with Mr. and Mrs. Francisco

for a few months. THAT CANCELLED STAMP GAG.

We had supposed that everbody had learned of the desire of Kaneville, Illinois, people to stop the flood of mail that is uselessly and wastefully From a private letter written by being poured in upon them to the ad-Mrs. L. N. McCarty from Phoenix, dress of Edna R. Brown. Only yesand dated Jan. 31, 1895, we make the terday, however, we were shown a letter addressed to a Lowell lady, re-

ary, 1895, is almost at its close. The or more cancelled stamps and to resky is so clear and it is so warm that quest three of her friends to do the I do not need anything more than a same. The fact is that the people of hat on my head and can go out with- Kaneville in general and the Brown out any wrap and then am very warm family in particular are sick and tired! of the whole business. The stamps This is surely a great country for are no good on earth to any one, and the orange ranch this week, the only whom all this trouble has been taken. bearing orchard here, and it was a The Kaneville post office has been becutiful sight. The orchard is five deluged in mail for weeks, and ayears old and is owned by the Ari- month ago it was stated that the millzona Improvement company. 6,000 ion desired stamps had long since been trees, with dark rich green foliage, secured and enough letters remained! and a few were left for exhibition just | unopened to keep Miss Brown busy loaded with the golden fruit. They for a year in opening them, and they sell here for 75cm, per dozen or \$5, a have been pouring in ever since. Itcase. They took the premium at the is time this waste of time, money andmidwinter fair in California over their energy ceased. We hope our readers

ABNER KNAPP

Abner Knapp was born in Corbuskill, Schorie county, NY., Aug. 17th. 1799. In 1801 his parents moved to Hopewell, Ontario county, N.Y., near Clifton Springs, where he was reared. He was married Dec. 30, 1819 to Betsey Archer, who was a playmate from their early childhood, and shared the trials, hardships and joys of this life together until July 25, 1894, when she passed over the river just a little before.

He came to the territory of Michigan in the fall of 1823 and sheated in 160 acres of land in the same of Aaron, Oakland county, then with his wife and three children in April 1824 moved to the then far west and made his cabin and with strong and willing hands started in to make them a home, and by diligence they in a few years had succeeded. Although there were more Indians than Whites for neighbors, they were happy and the Indians were their friends. He helped to build, 21 miles east of Pontiac near Gallaway Lake, the M. E. church log chapel which became famous for many years through that section, and they both assisted in forming and maintaining the M. E. society there for many years. His home was always the home of the ministery of all denominations, and especially of the M. E. circuit preachers and in fact the latch string was always out to anyone thatasked for food or shelter.

In 1837 he sold his farm and bought another in Commerce, where he lived until 1854, when he moved to Keene, Ionia county, on the Daniels farm (as now known) where he lived until 30 years ago come April, he moved to-Lowell where he has since lived with his eldest son, Stephen, until the 7th day of February 1895, when he at last passed quietly away aged 95 yrs. 5 m. 20 days, after a severe struggle for over nine months and often wishing be might go where mother is, "Asleep in Jesus blessed sleep."

He has had constant care from his: two oldest children, Mrs. Harriet Day and S B. Knapp, who came with him into Michigan almost 69 years ago, and 1 who have been spared with strength: and a will to care for them in their last years and make their years of dependance as smooth as it was possible for them to do, and now they are old! people, Mrs. Day, their daughter, being almost 75 years and S. B. Knapp almost 73 years old.

"Blessed are the dead who die inthe Lord, for their works do follow

The names of the other surviving children are Ruben S, of St. Paul Minn , Austen, of Hastings, Minn.

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PRAIRIE CHILDREN.

That is the Duchess of Liliaby Land
Lying saleep on the verety sward:
That is an indigo flower in her hand,
Typical emblem of rank and command,
Symbol heraldic of ladyand lord

That is her brother saleep at her side—
He is a duke, and his little red hand
Grappies the ragged old rope that is tied
Into the collar of Rover, the guide—
Rover, the hero of Liliaby Land.
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proportion and process, active upon the blood. This is the secret of its great success in the cure of such diseases as scrofula, rheumatism, and all other ailments that have their origin in the blood. Hcod's Sarsaparilla

That is on.

Taking her far from her babyhood home

Trusting the future whose promises say,

"Coura:e and effort will work out a way—

Fortune and fame are not matters of place"

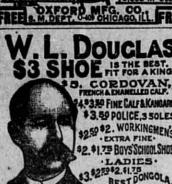
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"No blot, no stain upon your house or name? You dare say that! Have you lost all momory of the past? Does your conscience never speak?" she repeats, mockingly. "Is all a fabrication!" says Penruddock feebly, wiping his forehead.

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rallying by a mighty effort, he says, glaring savagely at Esther, "This woman, this fanatic lives, but to torment me! Leave the room, I command you. Your idle ravings have nothing whatever to do with the subject we are now discussing. Bestandard Novels to the public we will, beneal."

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"Yes; I believe, you," she, says, dampation in his looks. dare, this question—Where is the committed the demnation in his looks.

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Penruddock, who stood so fatally in your search in the bend in the river, your way to her house and acres? hidden by the drooping aiders, you "As my cousin? Yes, certain Last days of Pompeli . . Bulwer Lytton gloomily, answering her against his would have seen me running along will, as if in somewise compelled the bank in wild pursuit; and you and puts his hand to his forehead.

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up to their fullest height the two age at that time, as you, Penrud-she is the possessor of land and for-lamps that stand beneath Mrs. Pendock, may remember. But he shall tune; he is now the lonely outcast tuddock's victure, and Esther. hold, himself tell his own story."

[To BE CONTINUED.]

ing out her hand to Maud, says in She beckons with her hand, and a loud tone, Hida Penrudock, Saumarez, who has plainly been MORE ABOUT BACKS.

PRAIRIE CHURDEN.
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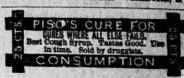
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MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MAN.

the history of persecution is the fact

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contended for high and noble princi

ples-became persecutors themselves

when opportunity afforded. B. O.

Flower says in the January Arena :

views. But the deepest stain on hi

reputation is the part he played in the

met his death at the stake. In

ance permeated the spirit of the Calvin, who when driven from F

opposed Calvin's view of prede

One of the most singular things in

"Parting with friends is temporary death, As all death is. We see no more their

But messages of love give us assurance
That we are not forgotten. Who shall say
That from the world of spirits comes no
greeting,
No message of remembrance? It may be

Advented to \$1. Sack coats, 50 to 70 cents. Vests, 14 to 28 cents. Trousers, 25 to 50 cents a pair. Boys' knee
pants of the best quality, \$1 a dozen.

'Alas that gold should be so dear and flesh and blood so cheap.'"

The thoughts that visit us, we know not

whence, Sudden as inspirations, are the whispers Of disembodied spirits, speaking to us, As friends who wait outside a prison wall Through the barred windows speak to

THE safe arrival of the long overdue ocean steamer, La Gascogne, is a matter for rejoining.

IT is to be hoped that the Legislature will raise the age of consent to at least 16 years. The present law is a disgrace to Michigan.

On a D., G. H. & M. train, the arrested, and who was vigorously prosecuted by Calvin. A sentence of death by burning was passed. It is claimed that Calvin exerted his influence to have Servetus slain by the man of strong convictions and a powerful will. We don't believe he this, however, he failed, and Ser would "scare worth a cent."

FROM the Garden City (Kansas) had written: "Every step toward Herald we clip the following, which illustrates the mistaken energy which some people term a charity: some people term a charity:

A box was received by the First is the hardest of all lessons for Presbyterian church a few days ago for the suffering poor of Garden City.
The shoes and clothing in the box was ten times worse than the poorest will man be truly civilized." person in Garden City ever was com- Speaking of Luther, who like pelled to wear but the donors did a vin had been a victim of persecu poble deed when they partly filled the Mr. Flower says: box with Gospel Hymns. If there is "Yet even he failed to entire any thing the poor of this city hunger cape the intolerance of the age, for it is Gospel Hymns, they can live on them for weeks at a time when

used in connection with fresh air and sand sauce. If eastern people want to use western Kansas for a garbage dump all right, but God help our poor if they are ever compelled to wear if they are ever compelled to wear

Mr. Watterson concluded as follows: "Born as lowely as the Son of God, in a hovel; of what ancestry we know not and care not; reared in pentury, squalor, with no gleam of light or fair surroundings; without external graces, actual or acquired; without mame or fame or official training; it was reserved for this strange being, late in life, to be snatched from obscurity, raised to supreme command at a supreme moment and entrusted with the destiny of a nation. Where

scurity, raised to supreme command at a supreme moment and entrusted with the destiny of a nation. Where did Shakapeareget his genius? Whose hand smete the lyre of the Scottish plowman and staid the life of the German priest? God, God, and God alone; and so surely as these were raised up by God, inspired by God was Abraham Lincoln: and a thousand at the life of the section of th years hence no story, no tragedy, no epic poem will be filled with greater wonder or be followed by mankind with deeper feeling than that which tells of his life and death."

And who is doing it? The riff-raff of society? The outcast and abandoned?

The liberal and the infidet? No! those who claim the name of the gentle When such words as these come Teacher who said, "Love one another?"

from the lips of southern leaders, one The endless line of human geese need not wonder that the bloody shirt continues to waddle down the pathhas ceased to do business at the eld way of time. It has been under motion for thousands of years; but the same pitfalls are in the beaten track. THE "sweat-shops" of Philadelphia and the geese of to-day continue to are exposed by a writer in the Janu- tumble in despite the miserable examary Arena, who describes a sample as ples of the millions who have preceded them.

"In a room ten feet by twelve will be huddled together seven or eight people and seven machines. I have often stood squarely on the floors and laid my hands flat on the ceiling.

The walls are as grimy as though they had never known the use of a place the had never known the use of a place

make the clothing we wear, work, est, sleep and perform all the operations of nature. Even the children are sacrificed and set to work as soon as they

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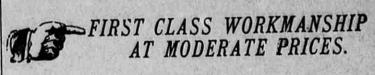
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Alloe was tremoing as a loaf shaken
by the wind, and tears coursed down her
cheeks. In a voice all broken with

deep emotion, she replied:
"Mr. Thornton, i—I—this is so unexpected. I don't know what to say to you. I believe in you. I believe you are sincere in all you say, and that you heart a feeling new to me, but 0, 1 confide as I would in a mount.

ould not listen to you now. Give me "will you give me this hope, alice?" Colby, a dear, good woman who loves me as if I were her own daughter. She me as if I were her own daughter. ime to think. My brain is whirling



for that assurance. It will be the guiding star to lead me from this bondage to the freedom of independence. I have long felt that you would some day some into my life and reign as queen over my heart and home. Your father mover my heart and home. Your father proud distinction he has won by lifelong service of his country, and will seek retirement that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that. I will be able to lay wealth at your feet, and in a lovely home somewhere, with that good old man as our lower my heart and bowl and as our lower my heart and home are long letter to his release from army service, and the province of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and quiet that he may pass the evening of his life in peace and cultill companion of his choice. He expressed his wishes that measures might be at once set on foot looking to his release from army service, and closed with expressions of warmest where, with that good old man as our look of the peace and quiet that the may pass the look of the peace and quiet that limit hat you lot do. Mrs. Colby? Yes, I did tell him so, told him that I madly loved him, child?

Why, what else could I do. Mrs. Colby? Yes, I did tell him so, told him that I madly loved him, child?

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Why what else could I do. Mrs. Colby? Yes, I did tell him to him that where, with that good old man as our especial care, we will live surrounded by a halo of love which no clouds can ever dim. Is not the picture a pleasant one to contemplate?"

"Beautiful! Beautiful!" she replied, ther face glowing with the new joy which filled her heart, "and I pray the dear Lord that no cruel blow may fall to crush our hopes. Will you not now are every endeavor to secure your dis-



discovered my love for you the day of must have time to think what is desty before falt toward you as I never before falt toward a man. You seem very near and—and—delar to me, and and—and—delar to me, and the belief seamot express my thoughts."

He gently took one of her hands and holding it between both of his own, said to her:

"Miss Sanford—Alice, I believe I hold a warm place in your purest of womany thearts, and the belief floods my soul with a joy almost boundless. Just a word from your lips, just one little word telling me I may hope some day in the future to win you, and my solice lift is will awaken into a heaven of which I will awaken into a heaven of the priceless treasure he so dearly loves."

"O, I fear I can never the to think what is desty before falt toward a man. You seem the to prove the form the past few weeks but is much better at present writing. Orders by mail your cycles when the name of each saw man tontoned to the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you unit was mentioned to the other, and she it was mentioned to the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you may not the same man to man delaim the dearest prove containents, and the belief of our voices when the name of each saw man thank into the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you unit was mentioned to the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you and will not be the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you and the belief of my was mentioned to the other, and she it was wno conselded me to avoid you and the belief our voices when the name of each sam Harris and wife and Fred Headley of Muskegon are the guests of Wm. Me, bother of the young people surprised Charles Nellist and wife and agoid time was enjoyed by all. Also the same evening a load the older people drove to Cascade and will be of the past few will be one will be one word to some ment of the other, and she it in your eyes, dear, in the toons of our voices when the name of each was mentation of the other and specific town within the reads.

I all mentation

she replied in tremulous voice. "When I see you my eyes will tall the story thon of the letter referring to Alice, she tist church next Friday evening. plainly as words, and when I address you in the presence of others my voice will proclaim that which prudence bids me conceal. I will be very happy. Edward, yet very impatient for the day of your deliverance to come. Will you not try to hasten it?"

"Yes, yes, Mrs. Co and I will then expl The good woman and, clasping the gire."

"Yes, Alice, I will. After a day or two when I have had time to fully formulate my plans I will write to my aunt, and the dear old soul will follow any suggestion I may make looking to my release. It will not be long ere I will write to my release. It will not be long ere I will write to my release. It will not be long ere I will not be long

Her breast was filled with a strange rapture, and a smile of radiant joy lit up her fresh young face. For more than an hour they sat there upon the solution of the new possible of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and a side and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and brilliant balles of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and a supplication of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and a supplication of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and a supplication of the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell, Mich, for the week and the postoffice at Lowell and the postof where us might melt away that I might not so fear my lorewas hopeless. Yes, my king among men, you may alope, and when you are restored to the broasts, but prudance forbade any demonstration of love in so public a place, and with the bells of joy ringing in the worls with the broasts of the real and to process the month of the real and to process the month of the real and to long a pour love for me as I am now proud to process the month of the real and to process the more nonstration of love in so public a place, and with the bells of joy ringing in the very with the world outside of a military post, take he post of the real and of the real and of the real and to lost in a bilistiful dream of love in so public a place, and with the bells of joy ringing in the very love of his manly voice, he said:

"May Heaven bless you, my dear girl, for that assurance. It will be the guilding star to lead me from this bondage to the freedom of independence."

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BAPTIST NOTES.

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In words of warmest love she sent a

which her beauty, education and rare

safely to the fruition of our fondest able reports soon.

dreams. My beloved, I am motherless.

ttainments so eminently fit her."

concluded with these lines:

of waiting, each succeeding day dawning with the hope in her heart that ere it had run its course it would bring her tidings of the dear boy whom she so idolized. She had never doubted that he would some day come back to her, and that her declining years would be cheered and gladdened by his loving presence. She would at once consult her attorneys and take the propersteps to secure his restoration to society. In words of warmest love she sent a motherly greeting to the dear girl ing the cold, and some are how whom she had never seen, and bade coals to keep from getting cold.

her nephew say to his chosen one that from his description of her beauty, grace of manner and lovely traits of character she was already enthroned in a motherly heart which longed to welcome her as a daughter. The letter fire was extinguished with so little dif- Doing Business at the "All I possess will be yours, my destrest Ned. When the Master calls me C. Hendershott's two cousins are visiting

from earth you will be a very wealthy him from the southern part of the state. Mr. Everhart is away visiting his daugh-

ELMDALE ETCHINGS. Lott Bros. have purchased a fine New foundland dog for night watch.

At their next meeting the young sol-dier pinced the letter in Alice's hands, Thos. Leece, Jr., and wife of Cascade, and asked her to read it. As her eager visited Thomas Leece and family Sunday. eyes ran quickly over the written lines, The dance at the hotel Friday night was a look of perfect peace and satisfaction not very well attended. settled upon her lovely face. To her it seemed that the last barrier to their Miss Carlie McCormick of Clarksville

visited with Miss Laura Herber Monday. happiness was swept away by the pen visited with Miss Laura Herber Monday.

of the distant relative, and when her The latest curiosity in this vicinity is a of the distant relative, and which are some calf with artificial ears. One night recent to herself, the floodgate of her soul was ly when the mercury was 22 degrees below opened and tears of joy fell upon the zero, one of R. S. Canfield's caives was unopen sheets before her.

"Ned, my darling—your dear aunt calls you Ned, and may not I?—I almost feel that the blessed Lord above ca then drew cloth ears over the frozen ones has taken us in hand, and will lead us and tied them on. We hepe to send favor

Hon, E. B. Clements is on a business "Why, Alice, has this man declared trip to Lansing.

"Yes, yes, Mrs. Colby; but read it all, of the friends of Mrs. John Foster met au and I will then explain."

The good woman finished the letter, and, clasping the girl to her heart in a day. All reported a good time.

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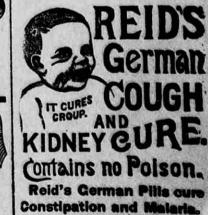
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met death with grim humor, and the loss of an eye did not discourage him." A man who is not discouraged by the loss of an eye when he has met death must have been indeed a philosopher f remarkable nerve

THE mayors of New York and Brookyn have approved Governor Morton's leven members be appointed by the governor and mayors to frame a charfor "Greater New York," to be submitted to the next legislature. The indications are that the consolidation will be effected within three

THE Kansas murder case, in which the murderer was acquitted by the jury and his hypnotizer was convicted. account of which was telegraphed ever the country some weeks ago, s one of the most peculiar cases on record. One peculiar thing about it is there was not a word of truth in the story, as has since been fully es-tablished.

Cyclones, blizzards and unusually neavy snow storms in our own country, disastrous gales in Europe and earth quakes in Asia have all marked the beginning of the year. When to these are added so many sharp and quick changes of temperature it looks as if there was an upheaval of maerial things as serious as it is unac-

THE bill which provides for the turning over of the Gettysburg battlefield to the national authorities for a national military park also apopriately provides for erecting on the grounds a bronze tablet, having on it a medallion likeness of Abraham Lincoln, and the address in full which he delivered at the dedication of the national cemetery at that place on November 19 1863

According to a new ruling of the post-office department, guessing at the number of seeds in a pumpkin or grains of corn in a jar is lottery, and the transmission of such guesses through the mail is, therefore, unlawful. And yet the postal regulations permit the transmission of Prophet Hicks' guesses at the weather as though they were all first-class matter. This may not be straining at a pumpkin seed and swallowing a pumpkin, John Sheehan, down on Lexow's list Ollie Teall; Slim Peffer, populistic man chance go by to show he's in the field; but it looks suspiciously like it.

A PROMINENT English journal, having a weekly circulation of something like seven hundred thousand, has been giving a weekly prize of twenty-one shillings (about \$5) for the most curishillings (about \$6) for the most curish and then win the larger sum thereby. Wiman in the Tombs and out again on Brockway, the ball; and Farmer Dunn, who still pre- whom only death could tame; Great Root, who simply dotes on Lemuel Ely

Thus is killed a laudable object.

Wiman in the Tombs and out again on bail; and Farmer Dunn, who still presumes to foretell rain or hail; bold tapt. Whom only death could tame; Great the National Divorce Reform league, which is working to secure better laws concerning marriage and divorce and especially to obtain uniformity in such laws. It is understood that twenty-three states have appointed commissions on uniform legislation in relation to such matters, and an effort is making to induce other states to de likewise. There ought to be uniform ity in regard to mairiage and divorce.

Wiman in the Tombs and out again on bail; and Farmer Dunn, who still pre-whom only death could tame; Great whom only death could tame; Great the could tame; ity in regard to mairiage and divorce in a martyr's grave; Pingree, Detroit's laws, and the better way to secure it is through agreement among the sevieral states rather than as some persons have proposed by the enactment of a national law.

who took the tiger's hide; Carnot lain papal delegate, who comes to heal each schism, impartial to adjudicate on all schism.

The London Missionary society is making large preparations for the lieury schism, impartial to adjudicate on all schism.

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U. S. Protectorate Over Hawaii. The San Francisco examiner prints a story from its correspondent at Hono-lulu to the effect that Admiral Beardslee has taken possession of Pearl Har-bor and declared a protectorate over the Hawaiian Islands. The news came to Victoria ty the steamer Warrimoo.
Washington: The report that Admiral Beardslee has seized Pearl Harbor, and declared a protectorate over the Hawaiian Islands is not believed here. Nather the tasks and the search of the sea here. Neither the state nor navy de-partments have intimation of such

Washington: The President has approved the bill creating the rank of lieutenant-general of the army, and has nominated Gen. Schofield for the place. The rank of lieutenant-general, which has been held by Washington, Scott, Grant, W. T. Sherman and Sheridan, lapsed in 1888 when the latter was made general of the army, a short time

The timid and weak are the most implacably

THE MARKETS

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as character suspicious; the late George Childs, philanthropist, kind hearted and judicious; Professor Garner holds up railroad trains. Archbishon Astler will a chance go by to show he's in the field; Carnegie selling armor plate that with heavy beard—and brains; Bill Carnegie selling armor plate that would not stand the test; Old Sir John GRAIN, ETC.



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There are one thousand good talkers to one good thinker.

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No old cat but would like to bring her kitten.

cents to do that!

"If it would only rain valentines on Valentine's day," thought Benny. "Or if valentines grew on trees, and I could pick as many as I liked. Or if they Valentine has brought to you."

"And the picked up a little palegreen, lace paper one from the grass and the motto upon it was:

"Faithful is the love and true valentine has brought to you."

Valentine has brought to you."

Valentine has brought to you." grew up like the grass, or I could dig them out of the ground like stones.

Then," sighed Benny, "I could get all I wanted."

Valentine has brought to you.

And another white one in the shade of a heart declared:

"Sweetest heart, forever thine, Is the heart of Valentine."

But they didn't seem to do that way in the neighborhood of Mr. Simpson's glowing with admiration. "Every thing is lovely and loving here," cried bought three. One had a bouncing Cupid on it, one had a wreath of red cupid on it. verses with little stars around the bor- tree overhead, Benny saw a curious observation cars to Chattanooga

sight. Hundreds of little gold Cupids sight. Hundreds of little gold Cupids There comes a time when pleasure has a diamonds to pawn. confided Benny.

The thought of the rain of valenswinging and swaying back and forth.

tines haunted him all day. So when he woke up in the middle of the night and found it really was raining valen
swinging and swaying oack and lorth. How pretty they looked and how the light fluttered over their wings, and flickered over Benny's hair, as he

down out there, then the rain stopped, struck Benny, and right in the midst but the ground was covered with of all this wealth of valentines he sat them. They were prettier and gayer down and cried!
than any of Mr. Simpson's. The first "Dear! dear!" he sobbed; one Benny opened read: "With my love a wreath I send, Like my love, it has no end."

"That's very pretty," said Benny, up. "What a pity," Benny repeated; and here's another:" "to-morrow it won't be Valentine's "and here's another:"

"As we journey day by day, Sweet, your eyes shall light the way." bought," sighed Benny. "I should him to go to sleep again and bring have waited for the rain. But how some of the valentines of St. Valencould I tell it really would rain, even though I wished it. And now"—Bennext St. Valentine's day.

them to! That was a funny situation.

It was like a little boy having too to undergo a dangerous surgical much dinner or too many Christmas operation, jumped from a fourth-

Firmly with a silken tether, And a ribbon tying 'em together."

Benny studied this one admiringly the Kelmscott press. for some time. Then he raised his General Lee's grandson, Robert E.

"Oh!" he cried in surprise. Dainty lace and pink papers, with about 200. Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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"I wish I had been born rich," exclaimed Fogg, altruist cally, "then I would not have to work for a living, and so be depriving some other fellow of the opportunity of gaining a liveli-

own fortune." Murphy, from rear of hall: "Yis, that's so, but he stands a Wisslow's Scothing Strup for Children Teethingmoighty poor chance whin he has nothin' but a shovel or hod to draw | Success is sometimes mistaken for victory. his plans wid."

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as some very loving And then, over the branches of the Through sleepers. Parlor cafe and

ran out. A few valentines fluttered And suddenly a sorrowful thought Car line Cincinnati to Asheville.

"and to-morrow it won't be Valentine's day any more!" Mamma shook him and woke him

day any more! Then he told her all about it and she "They're prettier than the ones I coaxed him and cuddled him and told

ny's eyes looked big—"I don't believe
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ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT GONE.

Joseph Wingler, who lived in South Lowell for over a quarter of a century, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Sarah Curtiss, on Monday, at the age of 77 years. Funeral services were conducted at the house yesterday by Rev. James Wesbrook, and interment was made in the Bailey church cemetery in Vergennes.

HOME NEWS

The Lowell Republican caucus was held at Music Hall last Friday p. m. S. P. Hicks was elected chairman and W. M. Chapman secretary W. H. Eddy, Chas. Quick and W. H. Murphy were chosen delegates to the county convention which was held at Grand Rapids last Tuesday.

Mrs. Hannah Rolfe, widow of the 23-1. hraim M. Rolfe, was granted a | All pension Feb. 6, under act of July 27. 1890, at the rate of \$8 per month from Oct. 6, 1894.

Commissioner Lochren appears to be after the pensioners hereabouts. as number have received notice that their pensions would be reduced from \$12 to \$8, unless within 30 days they file evidence (medical it possible) in further support of their claim, previously allowed.

Dry beech and maple, oak and pine wood. Lowest prices B. R. Quick.

Joseph Wingler, an old resident of Lowell township, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Earl L. Curtiss, last Monday morning, aged 77 years. He was well known and respected by a large circle of friends and leaves four children, John Wingler, of Edmond, O. T., Mrs Carrie Otell and Mrs Kate McPherson, of Vergennes and Mrs Sarah A Curtiss, of Lowell.

S. P. Hicks, D G. Look, et. al. atten led the annual benquet of the Lin coln Club at Lockerby Hall in Grand Bapids last Thesday evening.

For dress-making call on Mrs Mary Robinson.

John J. McNaughton, on account of his total disability to perform manual labor, has made application for increase of pension.

The teachers in the village schools visited the Grand Rapids schools last week Friday and came home well satisfied with their visit.

The union revival meetings being held this week at the M. E. church are growing in interest and we trust may result in doing much good.

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W. A. Ludwig, superintendent of the schools, has been suffering from a bad cold for some time, but is now on the mend, having over come the popular enemy.

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Commissioner of pensions Lochren has referred the decision of Judge Bradlev of the district circuit court in the case of Judge Long to the Attorney General of the United States.

The Michigan Press Association will hold a midwinter meeting in De-W. Hine of the Detroit Journal, will give the welcoming address. Bro. Hine was for a long time editor and proprietor of the Lowell Journal.

State Normal school at Ypsilanti Tribune. numbers 1258 students.

Who says "the world is growing better" now that George Washington is languishing in the Jackson jail for stealing a pair of pants.

Buy all kind of wood of J. W. Ecker & Son.

Sheriff Rice of Grand Rapids is very sick with typhoid fever.

Chas W. Wisner has been elected as Lowell's delegate to the Repulican state convention at Detroit.

D G. Look, M. C. Green, S. P. Hicks, Chas. Quick, W. H. Elly and W. H. Murphey were Lowell's repre-sentatives at the Lincoln Club ban

Baranac has a free silver club of seventy five members.

The L. O. T M New England supper has been postponed until some future date.

Rev E. H. Shanks attended the Prohibition convention at Grand Rapide vesterdir.

There will be a meeting of the Lowell Horricoltural society at State bank | the Lowell post office, 874 acres, burr parlors on Saturday afternoon, Feb. oak land, all improved, 11 acres vine-

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next Monday and lasting for two

William Alden Smith, Congress man-elect from this district, left his home in Grand Ranids Thursday morning for Washington, D C

The Banner Laundry has been purchased by E. M. Andrews, who has employed Charles Severy to conduct it. They are doing good work and solicit your patronage. Give them s trial order.

Attention, G. A. R. A. special meeting of Joseph Wilson Post, No. 87. will be held Feb 22, 1895, at 7:30 p. m. Comrades all come

W. H. EDDY, BRNJ. MORSE, Adjutant. Commander.

Three voting men at Lakeview. Adolph Clanchee, Ass Kilbaum and Hite Joslin, were arrested last Wednesday for making and passing counterf-it coin money. The two former were held to the grand jury in the sum of \$500 each.

A Humlin Smith of Grand Rapids, was renominated for the office of Commissioner of Schools for Kent county. at the Republican county convention last Tuesday on the first ballot. was a wise nomination as Mr. Smith is considered one of the very best commissimers in the state.

Will M. Chapman has kindly prom ised to make the award in our word contest The time for receiving lists c'us at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, Feb. 16.

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Dr. Fair, at the request of many citizens, conducted thanksgiving services at St. Marks church in Grand Rapids, over the safe arrival at New York of the delayed French stemmer Gascogne last Wednesday evening.

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The Republicans have nominated A. Hamiin Smi h to succeed himself as County Commissioner of Schools.

The attendance at the revival meeting continues to test the capacities of the churches, and a great degree finterest in the work is manifested.

F. M. Johnson and wife went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the wedding of J. Carl Johnson to Orive Grace Junkin, society ediscess of the

Will M. Chapman was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

The D , G. H. & M. R. R. will sell tickers at reduced rates for the Prohibition Party State Convention at Lansing, Feb 21, Republican State Convention at Detroit, Feb. 21, and G. A. R. Encampment at Mt. Clemens, March 26 to 28. For full particulars enquire of agents.

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houses. Apply at this office. In the Circuit Court at Ionia Tues day Judge Davis sentenced the three N B Blain advertises a grand lads who recently robbed Cutler & clearance sale in this issue, beginning Lauster's store. George Ormsby and James Comey each go to the Reform School at Lusing until they are seven teen years old. David Grant got three years and nine months at Jackson prison and Dompsey three years and nine months in the House of Correction at Ionia. William Harding, the Lyons burglar, got five years at Marquette. Seymore and Edward Arris, covicted of robbing E. Dorr's store at Chadwick, were sent to Marquette for five and four and one-half years respectively.

> Mrs. Gen Hine and daughter of Georgia, are spending the winter with friends in town.

I A. Jones and wife of Bowne, were in town Wednesday.

Geo. F. Owen, Joseph Broyger and R. C. Rose of Grand Rapids, were in town Wednesday.

D. J. Hodges of Grand Rapids, was in Lowell Tuesday. W. W. Smith of Grand Rapids, was

in the village Monday. L. F. Severy goes to Kalamazoo next week to attend the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. Mrs. Severy ac-

companies him to visit old time friends. Home for sale—First class brick residence in this village, good barn and outbuildings, 2 acres of ground, all kinds of fruit, handsomely located. Apply at this office.

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ALTON.

Stephen Murphy came home from Lake City last week Wednesday for a weeks visite with his parents. Three sleigh loads of young people spent an evening with him last week.

Mrs. Nelson Holmes of Grattan and Wm. Hough and two children of Baltimore, Ohio, were the guests of Mrs. Helene White ast Saturday.

Will and Dell Condon bought fifteen head of cattle last week at Greenville and sold eight head to Grand Rapids parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Dapee of Grand Rapids, are guests of John Andrews and wife.

Geo. Armstrong's baby is quite ill. Mrs. He persof Ada, left S. D. Galfrey's

last Monday for her home. Frank Tarleton and wife of Lowell, are spending the week at Ernest Godfrev's. A tie mill at C. B. Francisco's also at

Sam l'arnee's. Mrs. John Denton of Belding, visited relatives and friends here Tuesday.

Geo. Armstrong entertained his parents from Connonsburg, a few days last week. Ch-s. Francisco had a colt fall back first

into a ten foot well one day last week. At the Republican cancus last Saturday night which was held at Wm. Keech's store the following delegates were elected to at-

Mastenbrock. W. H. Keeck bought he Chrisman farm last Tuesday for \$500.

Maurice Trumbull had 2,200 ties. Richard McGee unipped a car load of sheep last Saturday.

Fred Weiterbrock of Grattan, sold three loads of beans for \$392. Wm. Hough of Baltimore, 'hio, will lo-

cute in Michigan in the near future. He Green's Nervura, and Mrs. Holmes returned to his home to 500 new 10c writing tablets, adjust matters.

Harmon Ring of Keene, visited his broth er, E. Ring last Saturday.

Dorus Church, Wm. Keech, Joseph Lynn, Jake Mustenbrock, Orin Ford, Nelson Lewis, Homer Andrews, Otis- White and Geo. Armstrong all visited the Valley Blank books and pass books, City Tuesday.

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VERGENNES.

Master John Waters has a severe co that keeps him from school.

Miss Gracia Evans scalded one of b ankles quite bad with hot water from the tea-kettle; she is doing well.

G. W. Crosby has sold one of his fine thorough bred colts to parties in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rolf of East Ada, were gnests of G. W. Crosby and wife last week Inesday.

Mercury registered 22 degrees below zero one night last week, but seven ladles were brave enough to face the cold wave and attend the W. C. T. U. meeting at Mrs. W. L. Merriman's Thursday afternoon.

G. W. Crosby has lost another one of his pigs . This makes five in all that have died. G.-W. Crosby and wife enjoyed a very pleasant but altogether too short a visit from Mr. and Mrs. T. B. James last Friday even-

Mrs. Crosby is a great sufferer from rhou matism in her feet.

The W. C. T. U. held memorial dervices

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