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That Basket Factory. We Must Have It.

ELECTRIC COMPANY CETS INTO CITY.

in the Cold.

THAT BASKET FACTORY.

There are no two opinions regarding the desirability of having a basket factory located in Lowell, nor concerning the advantages the location offers to the enterprising manufacturer first on the ground. If located on the south side of Grand river the institution would enjoy practical immunity one that he could take no more pafrom taxation while still enjoying all tients until more room is provided. the advantages of municipal life. The institution is already overcrowded trifling cost, power would be cheap new building on the south side proand an abundance of suitable material | vided for by the last legislature, is alcan be obtained within easy distance. ready badly felt.

The home market is a rouser, fully 100,000 baskets being used here last season in the peach business alone and with peach acreage increasing at house, Ionia, Wednesday evening. a geometrical ratio these figures will Governor Rich, Hon. A. T. Bliss, rapidly multiply.

for baskets last year was greater than |der Daboli and others of note delivthe supply, and Lowell's advantages ered addresses. The ladies of the re for reaching other fruit markets are lief corps served supper.

unexcelled. It is a fact that certain gentlemen in a certain Michigan town, whose names and location are suppressed for good and sufficient reasons, would like to establish a branch factory here if a large house or a heavy amount of stock were taken by local parties; we narrate are inducements enough, ine piane and bass. Their rollick-and if Lowell business mea are going in strains carried us back to the days but it seems to us that the advantages" as well as the name. The basket they play again, may I be there to one. So you run no risk whatever in buying one of his shoes. well own the business-have the game factory would prove no furniture factory, if run in a business-like way; and men who engage in it will be public benefactors at the same time. Labor would be employed, store bills electric line stretched from its plant paid, new trade brought to town and to the limits of the city of Grand every business institution and every Rapids has secured permission to erect man, woman and child in Lowell benefitted. Empty houses would quickly olipped from the council proceedings be filled and a howl would go up for published in the Evening Press will more. Real estate would be checked | show: in its downward tendency; and the village of Lowell would make a long stride in its new era of prosperity.

Citizens and business men of Lowell, we want a basket factory; we need it badly; and must have it soon, It is no scheme to rob some one but is a worthy public enterprise. Shall we improve the opportunity?

"TOO LATE, TOO LATE," "Ye cannot enter now," was the refrain of about a score of people standing on the door steps of the Congregational church last Sunday even-

The Baptist and Methodist churches were closed to allow their attendants to witness a magic lantern entertain-

ment at the Congregational church.

When the building was full, with even standing room at a premium, the door was closed and fastened-not a wise act in view of the liability of the average audience to be panie-stricken. the Bultimore disaster, for instance. Then the lights were blown out and the exercises began. The tardy ones gathered at the door, noticed the darkness, but heard the singing. Some of them were from the suburbs, did not know the nature of the service, and when they found themselves fastened out, wondered "what kind of a circus it was," They knocked, but it wasn't opened unto them-a cent's worthwouldn't look well in print, some of the crowd walked clear over to the Baptist and Methodist church's, only to find darkness still reigning supreme. At least two young men kicked them-

selves all of three miles home and say

ITS GOT TO COME that the next time they go to church Light, Heat and Power company be in Lowell they will make inquiries permitted to erect poles for wires that the next time they go to church Light, Heat and Power company be

HOME FROM DENVER.

home from their sojourn at Denver, in the alley next south of Fulton Col, yesterday. Their many friends are glad to see them back, but regret that Andy did not find the relief he Church Goers Barred Out hoped for in the west. Mr. Johnson is a public spirited citizen and a wideawake, accommodating business man, and his circle of friends is only limited by the number of his acquaint-

> MUST HAVE MORE ROOM. Superintendent O. R. Long of the Michigan asylum for the dangerous and criminal insage at Ionia Monday notified the wardens of the state pris-

CAMB FIRE EXTRAORDINARY. William H. Borden post, Grand Army, held a campfire at the opera-Hon. James McDonnell, Secretary of It is a well known fact the demand | Strice Gardner, Department Comman-

> AN OLD PUBLIC FAVORITE REAPPEARS MR. EDITOR-Allow me to express the pleasure I experienced at the New dancing club at the reappearance of that popular old violinist, O. O. Adams, with his new orchestra, consisting of first and second violin, clargie, and every body was gay." When OLD TIMER.

GETS INTO THE CITY. The Lowell Water and Light company which for some time has had its poles in the city, as the following

The committee on streets recommended that the Peninsular Electric

from the Grand avenue crossing of the D., G. H. & M. in Grand avenue to Crescent avenue, to Ransom street, A. B. Johnson and family returned to Fulton and Lagrave streets, thence street to Division street; also in West Park, North Division, Fountain, Ionia, Lyon, Lock and Mill streets, to East Bridge street; the poles to be used jointly by the Citizens' Telephone

company. The report was adopted. We judge that the company has seen fit to change its title, which in view of its expanding field for business, is a wise thing.

The LEIGER hopes that the company's business in its new field will exceed its most sanguine expectations.

John Andrews is on the sick list, The church was crowded last week Wednesday night to witness the Christmas exercises of the Swiss. There were 370 pres. Real estate could be purchased at a and Dr. Long says the necessity of the ent, 150 of whom were children. The exercises were very good indeed.

Mrs. Alice Brown and children of Lowell spent last week with relatives here. Leon Rennells of Keene is spending the holidays with his grandparents.

Preparations are being made for a good time at the social to be held at Orrin Ford's New Years day.

Judd Hapeman, Geo. Fr st and Jesse Frost of Lowell and their wives were guests

at Horace Weeks Christmas. E. Ring and C. R. Porter were in Beld-

ing on business Monday. What in creation has become of all

Miss Frankie Lewis collided with the hitching post at the Alton store Friday and knocked the spokes out of a wheel.

Dorus Church and wife and Chester Church and wife of Lowell were called to Belding Sunday to the bedside of James T Culver, who is very low.

Mrs. Reynolds and two gran ddaughters, Myrtie Condon and Jessie Reynolds spen last week at South Lowell with relatives. D. A. Church and wife attended a large party at Mr. Baker's in Gannonsburg Christ mas evening.

Religious meetings at the church Tues-

day evening, Dec. 31. A singing school will be organized at Hosmer Andrews' next Tuesday evening. Wm. Cox and wife spent the holidays at

Little Mary Covert of Lowell visited

relatives here last week. Mr. Herrington, wife and daughter of Cannonsburg spent Christmas with their daughter and husband, D. Church and

Mr. and Mrs. Beck's daughter and baby

from Lowell visited them last week. John Hapeman and wife enjoyed Christmas with Solomon Cooper and family at

Miss Susie Berri of Detroit was hom

with her parents Christmas. Allen Godfrey and wife of Peach Hill grove spent Saturday night and Sunday at Ernest Godfrey's and called on other friends Fred Ford and wife entertained over twenty-five Christmas.

Got We've

We wish to state to the gentlemen of Lowell and vicinity Years party given by the Vergennes that we have secured the agency for the

Line of gentlemen's fine shoes. There are very few men in the United States but have heard of this line of shoes. Mr. to furnish the capital they might as "When you and I were young, Mag- Douglas tells us to warrant every pair and if we ever have a defective shoe to return it to him and give the customer a new

> We cordially invite the young men to call in and see the very latest style toe, "THE MILTON," a very narrow square toe with long toe cap, made of finest tannery calfskin, kangaroo or Cordovan. Also a full line of all kinds of goods such as are usually found in a first class shoe store at prices that cannot be beaten. Remember, we are not running a lottery. If you get a pair of shoes of us that are not right we will make them right. Thanking you for the immense patronage of the last year, we are yours truly,

> > The Old Reliable Shoe House.

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We have everything usually kept in a first-class clothing store.

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Te vy take by bire at Constants. Thos. T. Glest, a brakeman on the GENERAL MENTION.

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MOTION EVERYWHERE.

Frenchmen and many natives killed. Jan. 9-The French bombarded Fara fatra, near Tamatave, the chief port of Madagascar, killing several hundred

Jan. 11-The Japanese capture Kaiping, killing 200 Chinese. Jan. 12-Engagement between Uruguayan troops and Brazilians in pursuit of Brazilian rebels. Four Uruguayans

Jan. 18 The Chinese defeatedat New-

the streets. They make numerous bay-South America, are defeated by the gov-

tred Chinese were killed. Jan. 21-Rebels defeated at Bogola,

Natives attack Portugese settlements

eral's success in suppressing the Ra-

Freuch soldiers killed.

With Bloody Revolutions - Uncessing order to pay herself an indemnity.

Massacro in Arments

The customs receipts of San Domingoin order to pay herself an indemnity.

Feb. 27—Rebellion breaks out in Two bands of Cuban revolutionists are of the Christian missionaries at

ernment forces, with considerable loss

blockade, during which several hun- bia, the Government troops lose 700

Feb. 1—Rebels inflict slight defeat on Colombian insurgents defeated with

Feb. 8.—Three Chinese warships sunk by the Japanese, with all on board.

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Feb. 14—Engagement between French and Siamese troops on the Methods are reversed former; several Frenchmen wounded, about fifty Siamese killed. March 12—Two Italians, in jail, killed wounded, about fifty Siamese killed. March 13—Two Italians, in jail, killed wounded, as an evidence of his genum heads as an evidence of his genum heads

March 16—A mob of Spanish army
Feb. 15—Rebellion against King Maofficers sack two newspaper offices in May 31—Three British warships ortears were instantly dried and, without Madrid.

Feb. 24—Chinese disastrously beaten natives.

Barati black British Barati natives.

LARCE ARMIES HAVE BEEN IN at Taipingshan; 200 Chinese killed, 20 March 28—Japanese bombard and 530.



RIOTS, STRIKES, ETC., IN THE NEW WORLD DURING 1895.

bulls provided, engage in fight; eight persons killed. March 27-In a battle at Enso, Colommen, the Rebels 1,200.

March 8-Spanish Chamber grants unlimited credit for prosecuting war against Cuban revolutionists.

students in Rio Janeiro suppressed by March 10-Spaniards defeat Mahome-

Peb. 5—Portaguese surprised by rebellious Kaffirs at Lourenza, Marquez,
South Africa; seventy Portuguese

Philippines, killing 150.

Revolutionary force at Bayamo, Cuba,
Revolutionary force at B

Niger coast, West Africa, defeats the natives with loss of several hundreds.

Feb. 7—Two Chinese warships sunk by the Japanese, with all on board.

Colombian insurgents defeated at South Africa, killing over a hundred said the man who had given her the nech.

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March 16-A mob of Spanish army suls at Jeddah, in Arabia; British and resumed his game with a pharisai-

Hetoa's government in Samoa.

Madrid.

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Colombian rebellion finally crushed. dered to Jeddah.

Jane 5—City of Guayaquil, in Ecuathe door. dor, South America, captured by rebels | Another hungry looking little giri A revolutionary expedition under was waiting for her, and called out: Gen. Rotoff lands in Cuba, and is joined . "Any luck, Bess?" by 2,000 n.en. "You bet!" responded Bess. "I

June 74—Fighting between Turkesh touched de guy for f.fty stamps. You troops and rebels in Macedonia.

Faral Riot in Boston.

You betty response touched de guy for f.fty stamps. You got to work de next joint and en we'll get some feed and go to de theayter. Paral Riot in Boston.

'nly 4—Ricting in East Boston on That fellow was dead easy." inly 4—Lifeting in Last Locale; one the occasion of an A. P. A. parade; one The Blums man killed and several wounded.

July 6—Riot between Hindoos and Mahometans at Kaltywar, Iodia, three where the chancellor studied and

Mehometans at Keltywar, 1941a, three the chancelor studied and 199 wounded.

July 11—Japanese deteat Chinese in fought most of his thirty-one duels, is fast approaching completion. Germans from all over the world are aiding in its erection. A few days ago two grants to Wyoming to restore order, the settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the blocks arrived at Gottingen from and refreshing to the taste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the laste, and not settle blocks arrived at Gottingen from the last arrived a

on the Congo between native troops in splender. The celebration will take to all and have made it the most the Beigian service and dervishes; sev-place in 1897, though it is not agreed popular remedy known. eral hundred killed. English Mission- whether he was born in 1397 or in one Syrup of Figs is for sale in 5

by pirates in Tonquia.

That 1,500 people were left dend in the cated quite, captured a Boundary. Another revolution accomplished.

Sept. 23—Great slaughter of Novas cheng; 160 Chinese tailled, 6 Japanese.

The property of the persons who make money by dealing in cotton futures shall to fined the substitute.

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March 26—Riot at Baltimore during by the French on the road to Anton.

army. They searched every nook and cranny and threw the letters for one regiment into one corner, those for another into one corner, those for another with all the newspapers in the center of the floor. Then they went through each pile and separated it into companies, and before night every letter was in camp and distributed, and the next day the papers Tonic.

A silp on marble steps has broken many a neck.

There is pleasure and profit and no small satisfaction in abating trouble-some and paintul ills by using Parker's Ginger People do not tack strength: they leck will.

were out. Nourse at the time did not know who his companion in the good deed was. He asked him his name and his answer was: "They call me Charley."

Some time afterward Nourse was going to see the commandant and, sitting near his tent, saw his companion at the post-office.

"Hello, Charley," he said, "I'm look-

"Helio, Charley," he said, "I'm look-ing for the commandant; where'll I find throat or lung diseases. "Well," said "Charley," "you won't |

It was Lord Wolseley, and a man Two we'll-dressed men were playing a game of billiards in one of the well-known halls of the city the other evening when they were approached by a California and Nevada olive, almond and English wainut lands at 8th per acres are acres will make you independent for its. Payments \$2.50 per month. CALIVADA COLONIZATION CO., Suite but, 215 Dearborn St., Chicago.

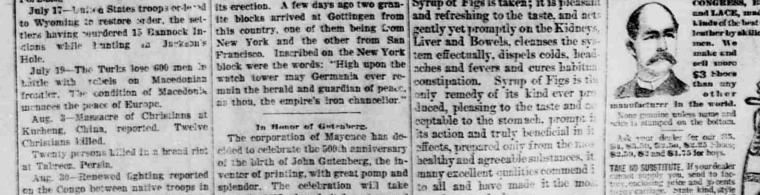
"I'm going to be stuck awful to-night, I

be paid within two weeks.

May 5—Virginia militia called out to sisted the little maiden in a voice full man's debts:

The great question, after all the new woman be responsible man's debts:







The John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., always on the alert for some Japanese.

Japanese.

Feb. 25.—Museat, Arabia, captured by rebels, with severe losses; foreign residents fly for their lives.

France seizes.

March 28—Japanese bombard and advertise their capture Haichow, killing 250 Chinese.

April 4—The British defeat Umrah guese india.

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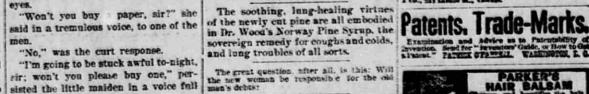
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Oct. 19—Natives attack and destroy illustration thereof appears herewith. This car is in charge of car inside and who are thoroughly familiar and versed with seed growing. The car inside and is in the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of San Domingoin april 9—Apaches go on the warpath of the customs receipts of the c

Upon entering it, one is transported at once into a very fairyland where flowers and vines and forage and fruits and vegetables in great abundance. Of course thet great specialties which

ing when they were approached by a little newsgirl with a pitifully pinched face and unnaturally large and hollow eyes.

Overfeeding is quite as common as starvation but it is quite as good a preventive of egg information how to make his member and control in the procedure of eyes.



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DOINGS OF THE STATESMEN. MOB HORROR IN KENTUCKY,

WARS AND RIOTS OF '95 | tral Africa has been dispersed and 300 | der Sir Robert Low sent to Chitral to | Sept. 30-Antananarivo taken,

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April 13—Cubans defeated at Palmasuppress rebellions ders there.

or disorders are March 4—Dr. Robertson, British pomiros, with loss of 20 men.

Hovas and routing their army.

chwang; 900 killed. Bayonet Charges in Brooklyn. an. 30—The great street railroad strike in Brooklyn reaches its height. Seven thousand troops are in duty in onet charges and fire volleys into the many wounded and several subse- MAP SHOWING LOCATION OF THE quently die of their injuries at home. Jan. 26-The rebels in Colombia,

leader killed. Two Thousand Chinese Killed.

March 9—Japanese capture Tenchantan Malays on Mindanao Island, in the be paid within two weeks. South Africa; seventy Portuguese killed.

The British commissioner, Sir Claude

May 17—Swedish Chambers vote \$4,
Was tronoused with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swellen from the legroes.

May 17—Swedish Chambers vote \$4,
Was tronoused dropsy; swellen from the way?"

The little girl said no more, but sat way.

Chinese routed on Corean border.

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relieve Dr. Robertson and punish the Oct. 9-Italian troops under Gen.

suppress rebellions or diorders are few. March 4—Dr. Robertson, British pofes.

It is true that the great European military powers have not engaged in sonflet with one another, but most of them have employed their forces in some way. They are keeping their hands in, as it were.

The war in Madagascar has been the most distance was responsible for most of them control of them have and the way. They are keeping their hands in, as it were.

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Jan. 6—A relief force on the way in the suppressed by the government. Tem men are Rilied and 150 taken prisoners. Charles I. Carter. Ameration commissioner to the United States, killed.

Jan. 8—Engagement between French troops and natives in Tonquin; est. Frenchmen and many antives killed.

March T—Robertson, Brittish policy was a leaded to the disagreeable that and these vigorous measures expectables and regardle seeds, are exhibited to portection, and the support of a was Lord Wolseley, the commandance of the mortality man near Greenville, Ala.

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began the examination of the office and found it congested with mail for the in it.

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FRANK M. JOHNSON.

J. S. J.'s communication in this issue is welcomed and much of it heartily endorsed. To some of its premi- knowledge and picking up here and ses and conclusions, however, we must there a few grains of sand. object as erroneous and untenable.

preferable to war, which all agree is identical principle our country is now retain its franchise indefinitely. insisting upon in the dispute between

because England fails to recognize and act upon the fact that might does not make right. If "England has rights" in Venezuela—a very doubtful assertion—she has nothing to tear from arbitration; but it is for the very reason that her claims are disproved by her own books of reference that she dare not submit the question to impartial

ing Venezuela" is beyond our com- tage were clamoring for blood and Alice Myers has been visiting in this vi even after the war is over the difficulties will still have to "be settled by some sort of peace congress," is rather ludicrous in view of the fact that that children from such an "education" as ludicrous in view of the fact that that ludicrous in view of the fact that the ludicrous in view of the fact that that ludicrous in view of the fact that the ludicrous in view of the fact that ludicrous in view of the fact tha

favorite time for making good resolutions. It is an excellent thing to promise to reform but it is infinitely better
to keep that promise. Some very
earnest person has said that "Hell is

These lessons we are so slow to learn, lessons in righteousness, lessons in science and we can
verify, lessons in love, hope and charity and good will to all the sons
of men.

These lessons we are so slow to learn, lesjudicious combination of them.

HAP AND MISHAP IN AFRICA.

M. Gaston Donner is preparing an
expedition into the Sahara in search of
the survivors of the Flatters mission.

Large sums of money have been sub-

himself to have been but a child playing upon the shore of the sea of

its mightiness, has for many years stubbornly refused the prayer of the stubbornly refused the prayer of the encing One who in the far away cenweak republic that their differences be settled by reference to friendly powers?

We see no parallel between the mouthings of the Kansas politician who advocates "War every ten years" between the yoice of a statesman and lover of his kind who pleasted for present the stand and will not attend school any more at lover of his kind who pleasted for present. for war's sake and the demands of a lover of his kind who pleaded for present. united people that the national honor be sustained at any cost.

| Description of the street of the The war with England-if one there itician and time server, who in an ad-near Clarksville. should be-will be "senseless" only dress to the young could raise his because England fails to recognize and voice for war as an "educator" and

sume that "there is no hope of helping Venggade" is beyond any some supposed partisan advander George Raymond's.

Audie and Gus Gardner spent Sunday at
score some supposed partisan advanprehension; and his suggestion that strife, there come the voices of the cinity the last week. even after the war is over the difficul. people and business men on both sides Ada Booth visited at Lowell and Pratt

ludicrous in view of the fact that that is just what the United States and Venezuela have for years contended and Great Britain refused to entertain. When the "peace congress" assembles, we will have gained our end; and it is well worth contending for in liea of a surrender of the Monroe doctrine and the dismemberment and despoiling of American republics by foreign monarchies.

Does J. S. J. forget his history when he talks of our lack of preparation for "such a struggle?" Has he forgotten 1776 and 1812 and the two heautiful black eyes administered to Johnnie Ball by your Uncle Samuel? If the

black eyes administered to Johnnie
Ball by your Uncle Samuel? If the
boys of today cannot do as well as
their barefooted grandsires with their
old finit locks, they may well hang
their beads in shame.

Yes, J. S. J., peace is very desirable,
and we are going to have it, even if
we must fight for it. England may
go on burning Acadias, forcing ber
opinum upon China, grasping territory
in Africa, butchering the natives and
acquiescing in the slaughter of the
whole Christian nation of Armenia,
but froffi now on she must keep her
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and American rights and liberties.

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brench academy of sciences that he
had determined the existence of water
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and England means an universal
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ody at the same time, and you would get sanctam softly opened, and Miss Hopkins, head of your riv L"

"That's so; what hin I do?"

"Oh I'm so gled I found you alone " said

"You might pay for a few subscriptions and send them out to men whom you think would be or could be made to become enthusiastic supporters of yours. If you would only send to twenty-five or thirty it would be a great advantage to yourself and the paper."

"Oh. I'm so glad I found you alone, said Miss Hopkins, in her most pleasant manher, as she scated herself in a chair at his side. "I've just got the first installment of my story ready for the press, and I know you will be delighted with it. I was astonished myself at the story, and laughed and lead in turns at the funny and pathetic and the paper."

Mr. Strong was a man who loved money, yet his personal ambition overcame his avarice, and he increased the circulation of circumstances to be bored by this crude the work of the wor

manuscript might direct his mind from a subject that had become exceedingly pain-"Do voe think you have a real remarka-A merchant came in at this moment to allow up the editor for having put his allow up the editor for having put his allow it. I know it. I know it! Just let me read a

For a long time be lingered about the mysterious oil stone house. He climbed a tree, and watched it until the moon rose. But a few moments after that first blood-our dling shrick had burst upon the aur the mansion became dark and sheart after Alea had larged the world as well and quitted the grounds.

When the moon rose, there was an air of quiet screnity about the old house that gave it the appearance of a specchal harmon, the performance of a specchal harmon, the performance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing store it he appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing about it he appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing store it he appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing about it he appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing store it has a few weeks he became the moon rose, there was an air of quiet screnity about the old house that gave it the appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing store it has a few weeks he became the appearance of a specchal harmon, the clittor to say nothing store it would w

He had made many inquiries about the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were met with looks or existence in the many inquiries about the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were met with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were met with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were met with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were most with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family on the great hill, but his interrogatories were mot with looks or existence in the mysterious family of t cared to discuss the subject. One day the large, dark-whiskered man who was represented as ruling supreme at the stone house came through the village, and Allen noted the expressions of terror on the face.

The largest solv,000,157 in 1850.

For some remarkable reason not made apparent, Portland, chief commercial city of the Pine Tree State of Maine, is buying clapboards in the state of Washington, 3,500 miles away.

set from the bluff," Alten thought, as he tolled up the hill, "but if I can only get a gimpse of her I shall feel amply repaid for what I may undergo be climbing this hill."

THE growing demand for small dogs the large of the property of OH, I'M SO GLAD I POUND YOU ALONE!"

sounds of the night before. Again and again did he try to throw the subject from his mind, but, like Banquo's ghost, it would not refrain from quaking with a strange, supernatural dread. Before that not down. He asked himself again and awful shrick had died upon the air, the engain for an explanation of the mystery, but his reasoning faculties were incapable of suggesting any.

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Good laundry-women always rub their irons in salt to make them smooth the roots for a vast distance around.

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Did he see forms darting hither and thithbefore putting them upon fine starched Mil waukee

"Oh, I'm so glad I found you alone," said

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL. ENGLAND has developed a taste for bananas, drawing its supply from the Canaries and from Madeira.

DURING 1894 the export trade of the

The tardy moon still lingered below the castern horizon, as if it had discovered pleasant fields and seenery, which it was hours old, are said to be placed largely " oth to leave. The twilight chades were on an alcoholic diet, which is gradually Ar darker in consequence of Luna's absence than they would be in the middle of the hight. All about the tired editor rose the great forest.

In the prevents their growth, and after a generation the Liliputian animal is more easily obtained. form, perfectly radiant in her distress and tears, was constantly in his mind. Those tearful eyes seemed appealing from some deep unknown distress which he dared not follows the spring. His flagging footsteps about the spring this hones of page and page and the spring that the spring the spring that the spring the spring the spring that the spring the spring that fathom.

Sleep was a stranger to his eyes that night. As he tossed restlessly upon his strain in the control of the control of

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goods; and it does clean them beautifully-better than wax.

DAIRY salt sprinkled over the carpet will effectually lay the dust and will STATIONS prevent the sweeper using the carpet too roughly, and it will make the colors bright and last longer. A PINCH of powdered sugar other of corn starch beaten in with the yolks of eggs will keep an omelet from Ghicago G Haven L. 7 10 5 40 9 00 2 10 6 00 G Rayids 8 15 6 45 10 20 3 25 11 00 40 G Rayids 8 15 6 45 10 20 3 25 11 00 G Rayids 8 15 6 45 10 20 3 25 11 00 G Rayids 8 15 6 45 10 20 3 25 12 35 A good tonic for hair is salt water.
Put a teaspoonful of salt in a half pint
Ionia of water and rub a little on the scalp every day with a small soft cloth. The Owosso Je

"Stop my paper." he cruel, he avoid of the many to too his even now."

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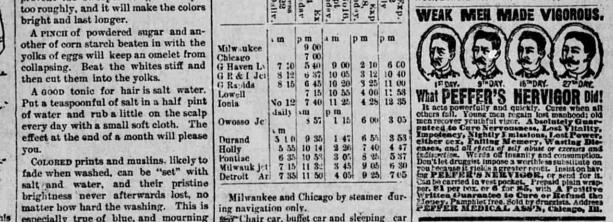
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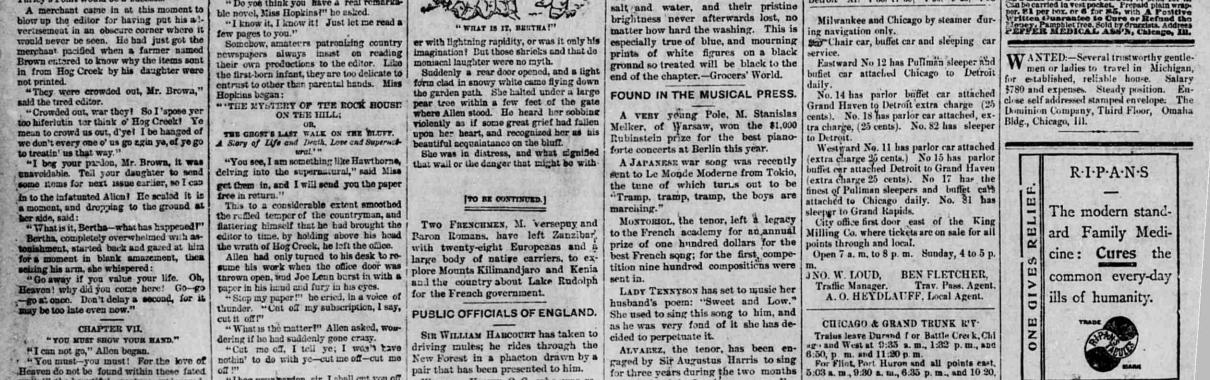
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earnest person has said that "Hell is paved with good intentions.

School begins next Monday, and it is to be hoped that purents, teach ers and pupils will co-operate in makers of all the ill was are heirs to help him.

Such co-operation is essential if best results are to be oblighed. Children should understand that the teachers should understand that the teachers should understand that the teachers have the moral support of the parents in all matters of rightful authority in all matters of rightful authority and should insist that precious opportand and process of the Platters mission. Large sums of money have been substantiant to fill the process of the Platters mission. Large sums of money

it may not be amiss to say that if JUST BEAR IN MIND children are duly controlled and governed at home, they will have little trouble in school. "In union there is

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war's sake finds an echo in J. S. J.'s
communication in this issue. His
reference to the seen and the unseen,
how small the former compared to the latter, beautifully illustrated by the Job printing in connection at Grand Rapids ocean's surface and depths reminds us Successors to Kopf Bros. of hew much there is to learn, how

GRAND RAPIDS is to have another preferable to war, which all agree is a terrible calamity; but does J. S. J. We hope that the new team will be forget that the settlement of interna-better patronized than were the Gold To get your money's worth buy of tional difficulties by arbitration is the Bugs and that the Valley City may

Does he not know that the great ALMONT, MICH, Christmas Eve. '95.

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short the time allotted, and the revery of that great scholar who seemed to

George Story, George Thurlby and wives None so blind and powerful nation, feeling secure in the period of the p

It is pleasant to find that after the Denny's, Sunday. first echoes from our scheming poli- Mrs. Colvin is sick this week.

Ditching, Tile and Drainage

and LIGHTNESS OF TOUCH



ouse. Amen asseemed from his perch in naruseod of 17 itemans and perpiezed with the tree top and returned to the village.

His mind was harrassed ten times more his shoulder and smiling that sweet angelic than before. The vision of that beautiful smile, which he had never seen on any

Cripple Creek may turn out to be a town with streets paved with gold.

The hit of Herr Altwardt's first

lecture was made by a prehisotric egg. An oil-borer near Gallipolis, Ohio, is down 2,010 feet and is still living on

The man who begins by drinking come time may end by having to drink

General Russel A. Alger has engaged

twenty-two rooms in St. Louis during convention week. What's the matte

W. S. Strattan the Cripple Creek bomarza king, was a "poor carpenter four years ago, and probably is not a good carpenter yet.

Says the San Francisco Wave: "Chicago has not a single great preacher." Well, that's all right; a great preacher ought not to be single, anyway.

Buffalo offers \$50 for "the best suggestion for a municipal flag." What's the matter with the stars and stripes?

filed." A great many men have gone there through studying bottles which have been filled too often.

Its appointments, but its tone is one of chaste simplicity. The room is rather long and one end is almost entirely taken up with a huge bay window,

The Louisville base ball club an- whose dainty white curtains soften the acunces that it has signed "the poet, light that warms up brightly the pink Henry Coolidge Semple, as a pitcher" sofa running around the curve. for next selson. We marvel that the poet Stephen Crane was not chosen instead; no one ever would have been novels, while the creamy walls are ble to get onto his curves. able to get onto his curves. about on shining tables are numberless

The cable brings the interesting in- little dainty ornaments and vases full formation that a "Miss Viola" of Lon- of blooming flowers. The general air don is coming over to this country "to is one of light and coolness, combined try going over Ningara Falls." We with a cultivated and exquisite taste.

nounces that a new directory for the Commercial Gazette has been chosen, at the head of which is A. Howard Hinkle. The further announcement is hat "Mr. Hinkle is president of the A hland Iron and Steel company, a director in the First National Bank, the American Book Company, the United States Printing Company, the John Church Company, the Cincinnati Gas Light and Coke Company, the Everett Piano Company and other companies. " The Commercial Gazette is one of the strongest and ablest papers in the west, but we doubt whether can stagger along under such an embar-

penetrate to John Bull's seat of under- George B. McClellan, son of the Union

SOCIAL ETCHINGS FROM THE of books, pictures, and on one side of IT IS: WHAT MUST I DO TO BE NATION'S CENTER.

Argentina Will Figure Largely in campaigns, and one of the most beauti-Diplomatic Circles

Washington Correspondence. their capacity of is the youngest member of Congress, head of the Cabi-except one, but he is full of energy and

Says a squeamish Minnesota paper,

Hegenmuller, the Minister from Ausbeauty of London, and her fame has as courteous. He might have rushed in tria, and a dozen other celebrities. The beauty of London, and her fame has as courteous. He might have rushed in versal and inexorable law that relaversal and inexorable law that relaver



must I do to be saved?" Acts 16:30. years will topple like a child's block- daughter said: "No,father, you shall not

Mo man can grind down another without first placing his own soul under the millstone.

Miss Mary Sheridan, daughter of the late General Phil Sheridan, is becoming to drink, he is apt to spend the day in doing nothing else.

When a man gets up early in the morning to drink, he is apt to spend the day in doing nothing else.

It now transpires that nearly all the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in the later are not binding. Isn't that awage in poor health for some time.

The man can grind down another without first placing his own soul under the millstone.

Miss Mary Sheridan, daughter of the later of the later of the later of the content of the later of the later of the later of the later of the sare day, and I may die, and bank, and damp, and loathsome, and lidedus, unilium parties of the sare alive who comes to see if they are alive sorrel out into the country. She has a fine figure, which is set off by the close-fitting gown, and looks most attractive in riding costume.

The mission himself as much at home in the State Department of Justice, and his wife into Department as in the halls of the Department of Justice, and his wife in the State Department of Justice, and his wife in the Bate deer in so later of the country. She has a fine figure, which is set off by the close-fitting gown, and looks most attractive in rate of the country. She has a fine figure, which is set off by the close-fitting gown, and looks most attractive in red the will become of me? What then will be an other the later of the don't swarp the later of the surges of the sea will submissant. her debut this winter, but her mother has been in poor health for some time past, and it is doubtful if the coming out will take place before the latter part of the season. Miss Jane is a handsome blonde, like her sisters, and is fond of out-of-doors sports, being an expert rider on the wheel. Her coming out will not be a formal reception, but a simple tea.

Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, has taken a house in town, and he and his taken a house in town, and he and his wife are expected to be among the leaders in entertuing.

The business? Your common sense tells which the father confessor was pleading of the pardon of Sir John Cochrane. wife are expected to be among the leaders in entertaining. As Elkins is darkness and the norrors hovering tround the dungeon, is startled beyond do the honors, and as she has no grown daughters, she will have to perform her social duties alone.

Among the additions to social circles what must I do to be saved?"

keeper, although familiar with the business. You know very well that you will soon pass out of that partner-you will soon pass out of or a penny's worth. After that, if a it is dark and you will lose yourself on Please send along that remittance.

Says the Boston Traveler: "Rev. Dr. Gembart of this city defends hell."

Well, it needs some sort of defense; a when the family moved to what was then known as the Bellamy Storer when the family moved to what was then known as the Bellamy Storer house, as the member from Cincinnation of it.

Among the additions to social circles this winter will be Madame Dominguez, wife of Senor Don Vicente Dominguez, wife of Senor Don Vicente Dominguez, acting Minister from Argentina. The Dominguez family have taken a pretty new brick house on K street, almost adjoining the home of Mrs. Childs.

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The Dominguez family have taken and touch touch the most adjoining what do you suppose E. W. Clark of Nevada, Mo., got, who sued Caroline Simmons for \$50,000 for breach of promise? Got left, and the jury was out only ten minutes.

Another heiress has gone. This time it is Clara Busch, daughter of a millinoniare St. Louis brewer, while the line window of General Phill Sherican, and within a few blocks are the houses are still a few more left.

The mail-carrier spurred on the steed, to make adjoining the home of Mrs. Childs it is furnished in exquisite tasts and is fect you. Oh, how insignificant is business this side of the grave company fall, it would not affect you. Oh, how insignificant is business this side of the grave compand with business on the other side the grave! Have you made any purchases for eternity? Is there are in this audience those become unforced an interver used his title, which descended to his eldest son. Lady Woolsey, wife of Sir Charles Woolsey, is a sister of Madame Dominguez. As Miss Murphy, and the figure of the name of Mrs. Childs in the widow of General phil Sherican, and within a few blocks are the houses of Thomas Nelson Page, the author; and a dozen other celebrities. The

religion of Jesus Christ as a fraud, and asks irritating question; about the anysterious and the inscrutable, saying, "Come, my wise man, explain this and explain that; if this be true how can that be true?"—no such man finds the way to heaven. The question of the text was decent, courteous, gentlemanly, deferential. Sirs

Again, I characterize this question of the agitated jall-keeper by saying that Again, I characterize this question of the agitated jail-keeper by saying that it was a practical question. He did not ask why God let ain come into the world, he did not ask how Christ could be God and man in the same person, he did not ask the doctrine of the decrees explained or man to know whom what the course of the plain, startling, infinite, stupendous question of the text:

"What must I do to be saved?"

hissed at, welcomed or kicked out? while laying hold of every moment of the future, and burning in every splendors dor of every grief, and overarching or undergirding all time and all eternity will be the plain, startling, infinite, stupendous question of the text:

"What must I do to be saved?" culty in going over the falls if she small room, whose polished floor is and holding a high position in the Cain married, or what was the cause of Again, I characterize this question of an angular to be saved?" cuity in going over the falls if she stries hard enough, but we advise her court undying fame by engaging in pie-enting contest in New York.

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posure to that defaulter, and awful ca- balsam better than anything that exastrophe to that profligate. We are uded from earthly tree to heal the pans so busy in weighing other people we of the soul. It is pleasant to have our forget ourselves to get into the scales. friends gather around us and tell us We are so busy watching the poor gar- how sorry they are, and try to break up dens of other people that we let our the loneliness; but nothing but the hand own dooryard go to weeds. We are so of Jesus Christ can take the bruised soul eral McClellan. One large saber was Dr. Talmage Preaches on the Crying busy sending off other people into the and put it in his bosom, hushing it with Wife of the Acting Minister from that worn by the general during his Need of the Times—Prople Are Stary—lifeboat we sink in the wave. We cry the lullaby of heaven. O brother; O ing for that They Know Not What— "fire!" because our neighbor's house is sister! the grave-stone will never be burning down and seem to be unin- lifted from your heart until Christ lifts terested although our own house is in it. Was it not the loss of your friends, ASHINGTON, the conflagration. O wandering or the persecution of your enemies, or thoughts, disappear today. Blot out the overthrow of your worldly estate— Dec. 29, 1895.— this entire audience except yourself. was it not an earthquake that started For the closing dis-Your sin, is it pardoned? Your death, you out to ask this stupendous question

stored away and new put in its place, out into the noonday light and warming the front hall of the Embassy will be of the Sun of righteousness. The question hall of the Embassy will be of the Sun of righteousness. The question is it is trouble that starts a great many people to asking the same question. It has been so with a multitude of you.

Be Thou my strength and righteousness.

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diately becomes anxious for the salva- would come back just as the festal days who can combine instruction with standing in the course of time.

At Cincinnati Thursday Margaret Bives was married to Louis Charles Antonie Guilbert Pierre Pinton Marquis du Chembrun. To prevent a possible misunderstanding it may not be amiss to state that there was only one of the grown.

When Emaacipation Comes.

Female Policeman (a few years is reached the most important question is about your own saivation. "What are my prospects for the future?" 'wheat are my prospects for the future?" 'wheat and this wife will house-keep all winter. The suddenly, and no one knows what was the matter. Female Coroner.—Was she a married lady? Female Policeman (a few years is reached the most important question is about your own saivation. "What are my prospects for the future?" 'wheat are my prospects for the future?' 'wheat are my prospects for the future?' 'wheat are my prospects for the future?' 'wheat are my prospects for the tion of other people, but until that point of Christmas and Thanksgiving—days | amusement for the little folks. It is

Rich Is the foundation of realth. The way to Sarsaparilla

It's your money and your dress that you want to save, but you le is all right this morning.-Clucincan't save either by using cheap _att Enquirer.



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3d Prize. Cash,

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150 The saloon, and Dick sprang up, of acting, and went to Wilmore's heart.

But Dick knew his man better.

"All right," he said, gravely: "you have your choice."

And he took the iron bar from the floor where Johnstone had left it, and raised it above the colonel's head.

The salor's collarse was swift and which was broken into a cup of wa er lime; such is the man who makes that the man who makes th



can't save either by using cheap trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy binding trashy binding. Pay a few cents more and get trashy benefit to doing its ward, which we have a few cents and get trashy pay get few cents more and get trashy pay get few cents more and get trashy pay get few cents more and get trashy pay few cents more and get few cents

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"The address was written.

"Estcourt!" it cried. "Pass in, pass in! The Emperor's dead!"

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"CHAPTER XY.

"ILENCE followed the words, that seemed as if it would interest the words. The words all on board the brig.

"At last the iron bar fell clanging from Johnstone's hands upon the foor of the saloon, and Dick sprang up, struggling flercely in his fetters.

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"When I was acting American consult at Amoy, China," said Dr. W. E. Feles, "one of my employes fell sick with a severe attack of rheumatism. He stood the pain bravely for three days, refusing all 'foreign devil medicine,' and on the fourth sent for a native physician. The latter duly arrived and began preparations for treatment of the malady, which he announced to be due to the presence of a 'darting snake' in the sufferer's body. Incense sticks were lighted and placed just outside the door, and also in the room. A pack of fire-crackers was set of and a talismanic seture which was a really fine piece of acting, and went to Wilmore's heart.

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BY HENRY NEWBOLT.

that bit o' paper you're a free man this minute. You'll stand in with the rest the way to the saloon.

In Dick's own seat they placed the of us for prize-money, and the lass.

In Dick's own seat they placed the is a fiery creature and already restive R.) run personally conducted excursions.

He did indeed see, and that with a supreme angulsh of bitterness. Not even by death was he to thwart them, or clear his own name from dishonor. But his conscience was without reproach, and Camilla knew the truth; on these two thoughts he anchored himself to meet the fury of his last storm.

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"You needn't trouble to come on board," he called down, in his smoothest tones. "This is the Speedwell, Captain Estcourt. He is an old friend of Admiral Malcolm and is just writing to him for leave to anchor. Johnstone!" he shouted, louder still, "ask the captain if his letter's ready."

"Do you hear?" said Johnstone, ballow voice: "courage and mercy should appring the bar in both his hands.

"Source of Minnessing done. The signing and witnessing done. Dick folded the paper and laid it again to him like the shirt of Nessus, and the father at last leads the indivisible pair between the tent poles which trail behind a sophisticated family horse, and there, fenced in, they journey all day, trying to get used to each other. The pony does not see his way out of the poles, and is forced to keep up with the

"There's the last signal. Now then- "Courage and mercy," replied Dick. procession. one—" "are no concern of yours; your province
The clear voice of the officer outside is obedience, and, if you can manage
THE CHINESE DOCTOR.

by one; a marvelous color, mingled of

And Johnstone unlocked the frems with converted to the news who converted the shortest private will be eiven to the pressor who converted the shortest enteneer, in English, containing all the luteral in the alphabet. The other relieves will go in requisit content to the alphabet. The other relieves will go in requisit content to the measured by the number of letters it contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures and the contains and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures at the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures and the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures and the close of fit contains, and each convertant must indicate by figures and the close of fit contains, and the contains and each convertant must indicate by figures and the close of fit contains, and the convertant must indicate by figures and the close of fit contains, and th

rassment of riches very long. MISS MARY SHERIDAN. dreadful to behold. He begins to fear enough to entertain the whole Diplo-that the American people are in ear-matic Corps.

Embassy has also received a handsome his question turns on the pronoun "I." portunity you would bring back your themselves with that which is worse set of china, which was presented by "What shall I do?" Of course, when loved ones and soon their feet would than wind. Little children are always

Charte

aest in the matter of upholding the Among the most prominent of the the government to Monsieur Patenotre. a man becomes a Christian, he imme- be heard in the family, and the old times ready to hear a story, and happy is he Monroe doctrine. The fact is tikely to new members of Congress is young

LIFE AT THE CAPITAL. | life-like in their beauty. On the second ONE GREAT QUESTION.

city of Philadelphia. Its golden hilt is richly chased and the blade is engraved HE Secretary of with an appropriate inscription. State ranks next to Mrs. McClellan, who has been marthe President in ried for five years, was a Miss Georgithe social scale at ana Heckscher, of New York. She is an the capital, and the attractive young woman, with a bright present winter will face and agreeable manners, and is of a the Olneys will clety and spending most of her time at make their bow in home. She has no children. McClellan

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That's why we advise all our friends
to eschew murdering entirely.

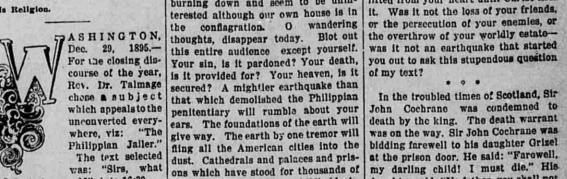
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MME DOMINGUEZ

think she will experience little diffi- Across from this parlor is another tinguished couple. Both young, lovely crees explained or mant to know whom "What must I do to be saved?"

SAVED?



Among the additions to social circles what must I do to be saved?"

back parlor, and this will make a hall in holy baptism or a baptistery is the was. Why have you changed the garb? of imposing dimensions. The old better, not whether foreordination and Do you not like solferino, and crimdraperies of the library will be taken free agency can be harmonized. The son, and purple as well as once? Yes.

beautifully carved. There is along most popular of the acquisitions to the gay side of the capital.

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The French Embassy is to be removed to the sun completed. Not only is the example of the sun, spend his time down to swear on the street. This is the second case of the kind that has occurred in a few weeks. All who wish to swear on the public highway may do so, provided there is no objection to paying for each "cuss" at the rate of Scients a word.

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There is along most popular of the acquisition so to the gay side of the capital. ent forms a part of the side wall of the right, not whether a handful of water You apparel is not as bright as it once My Jesus and my all. dewn, the walls repapered and new practical question for you to discuss, But you say: "While I was prespered Northwestern Christian Advocate pictures, handsome cabinets and rich and for me to discuss, is, "Where will and happy to colors were accordant (Meth.): Bacon tells us that reading tapestries, all from abroad, will be I spend eternity?"

with my feetings; now they would be makes the "full man." The value of hung up in the freshened mansion.

Again, I characterize this question of discord to my soul."

And so you have Electric bells have been hung, the gas the agitated jail-keeper as one personal plaited up the shadows into your aptents. A treasury may be full of gold, and other fixtures will be changed for to himself. I have no doubt he had parel. The world is a very different or a thin bladder full of "wind." We more modern appliances, and the old many friends, and he was interested in place from what it was once for you! have heard of a man and wife, who, ornaments will be put away in the gartheir welfare. I have no doubt he Once you said: "Oh, if I could only being relieved by some sort of an enret. One of the most beautiful of the found that there were persons in that have it quiet for a little while." It is tapesiries is a huge one which the Am- prison who, if the certificate had de- too quiet. Some people say that they port, simed to read every novel that bassador has just brought from his stroyed them, would have found their would not bring back their departed issued from the press. The stery repwriting material, pictures and other home in France, the cloth being now case desperate. He is not question- friends from heaven even if they had resents them sitting or lounging all Snob Smalley is in a state of mind ornaments. This apartment is large over a hundred and fifty years old. The ing about them. The whole weight of the opportunity; but if you had the opThe largest piece of Good tobacco ever sold for 10 cents.

Great Prize Contest.

Johnstone laughed brutally.

"Don't you flatter yourself," he said.

"Dead or alive, you'll do our business for us."

Dick was silent.

"Look you here," said the other. "this is the way of it, and if you don't understand it now, you'll never have the chance again. The brig's standing in straight for Jamestown; she's not three miles off at this moment; and the flagship's lying ready for her just outside the harbor. If you put your name to that bit o' paper you're a free man this minute. You'll stand in with the rest minute. You'll stand in with the lass, of the sandon.

In Dick's own seat they placed the clonel, with Dick's own irons upon bargain. But if you're fool enough to be obstinate—there's the colonel upon deck there watching: when the guard-boat comes, he gives me a last signal—one—two—and before three's out your neck's broke, and you lying quiet in the hold. 'Sad accident, gentlemen! An old friend of Sir Pulteney's, too; and just had a letter written to him asking leave to anchor; on his way to sign it when he fell. P'r'aps the admiral would let us bury him ashore tomorrow?' So either way we stand to whin easy, d'ye see?'

He did indeed see, and that with a supreme angulsh of bitterness. Not

down the hatchway that the boat had left the flag-ship. Camilla heard him shout, and fell upon ner knees beside a porthole, gasping for air.

A second time that inexorable calm voice came down to the deck below. Johnstone took the iron bar in his hand. The boat came alongside, and an official facilities heard the colone's answer.

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and by fraud and forgery induced my sister-in-law, Madame de Montaut, and Captain Richard Estecourt to accompany me, in complete ignorance of the object of our voyage.'"

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Dick took them in his hand and ran

The actor's collapse was swift and which was broken into a cup of wa er ime; the greatest pain was from my back.

Dick turned in early, but he could The John A. Salzer Seed Co., of La. not sleep; there was still thunder in Crosse, Wis., have recently purchased the air, a remnant of last night s storm; the complete catalogue trade of the and his mind went whirling incessant- Northrup, Braslan, Goodwin Co., of ly through the tangled history of the Minneapol's and Chicago. This gives A little before dawn be went on deck; the Salzer Eccel Co. the largest catait was less stifling in the open air, and logue mail trade in the world and they stars were shining here and there beween drifting aloude.

the sat down against the bulwark, and their mammoth new seed houses. The looked up at them, listening to the 1395 catalogue is just out and the faint lapping of the water under the largest ever issued. Sent to any adscip's sides.

Little by little the night lifted, and dress for 5 cents to cover postage. daylight began to broaden over the sky. Doing good will be found more profitable is.

The stars grew pale, and died out one the ead tasa digging god.

by one: a marvelous color, mingled of faintest blue and delicate red opal, flushed in the height of heaven and batch, calling to Johnstone for being Dick caught him in time, and handed him over to the men from the flag-ship. A light wind blew cool upon his face; all its stages, and that is Catairh. Half's all its stages, and that is Catairh. Half's all its stages, and that is Catairh. Half's all its stages, and that is Catairh.

poles, and is forced to keep up with the John Bennett Lawes has revised his estimates, recently issued of the wheat crop of the United Kingdom. He now He Killed the Snake in the Patient places the quantity of wheat that will

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Will Morse, who is employed on the Saranac Local, has been taking a compulsory vacation with his parents fore part of the week.

Come and look at my stock of frames for enlarged portraits. J. B. Yeiter.

The '95-'96 club had a pleasant party at Music hall New Years eve. will return to Oberlin today.

Boys knee pans, A to 17 years, all prices at Alther's.

The Vergennes sanzing club gave a rousing old party at Music hall New Years night. There were 129 numbers out and the ladies of the club served a bountiful oyster supper in adjacent rooms. Another party will be given Jan. 16,

We hold our trade by giving best goods for the money has Althen. Please bring in that subscription wood Now.

Don't spend all your money before on musical merchadise.

Edgar Morse and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Pierson and Mrs. Worden of Grand Rapids were the guests of Chas. Morse and wife Christmas.

Chas Althen's annual thirty day quarter off sale is now on. See take advantage of this bonafide reduction sale.

Mr. and Mrs George Winegar attended the wedding, at Morrice, Mich., Wednesday evening, of Miss Lillian Morrice and Mortimer Rand. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Winegar and well known here.

Frankforts, our own, at Newt Coons. Mrs. Dr. Goodspeed's chorus is preparing to give a concert in the near

Geo. Winegar, Barber & Craw and McConnell & Co., have new announcements in this issue.

Pictures and ensels, just the thing for presents, at J. B. Yester's A marriage license has been taken out by Orio D. Weeks of Vergennes and Grace D. Frost of Keene.

Gold rings all prices at H. A. Sherman's. Do not fail to look at them before buying.

The LEDGER has been experiencing a healthy boom in circulation during the past few weeks. It is proposed to publish an independent jour-nal, worthy the support of every citi-zen. The co-operation of all who de-sire the prosperity of the village and community is earnestly solicited. All aboard for 1896!

See Ecker & Son for wood and kin-

Thos. R. Graham has returned from a fee months stay at Lake View and Chippewa Lake. Ladies' watch guards in both gold

and silk at Sherman's. The Junior League will give a

cial at the residence of Chas. Quick, this (Friday) evening, Jan. 3. A nice program has been prepared. Refreshments will be served. Everyone cordially invited. Buy all kind of wood of J. W

Ecker & Son. J. C. Post has arrived home from his southern trip.

At Caledonia, Sunday a lively Sunday school rally was conducted, Ben F. Brinkman and E. K. Mohr being the leading speakers. the leading speakers. The exercises occupied the entire day and four churches were required to accommodate the attendance. It was decided to hold the next Kent county Sunday school convention March 5 and 6, at Kennedy's hall in Caledonia, Mr. Brinkman conducted another rally at Ada Tuesday evening

Cabinets, \$1 per dozen, gallery over postoffice.

Miss Alice Young, who has been ill for several months, two of which she was confined to her bed, is improving at this writing. Her sister, Mrs. Frank Cotton, is assisting in her care. Eat lamb bought at Newt. Coons'.

Mrs. Chas. McElwain has returned to her home at Pern, Ill., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Anna Young

Money to loan on real estate. Low rates, no bonus. Lowell State Bank Rev. Moses Grabiel of Kalamazoo college, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

See our window, L. H. Hunt & Co day evening.

The M. E. church held a watchmeeting last Tuesday night.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—I will be in my office at the bank of Chas. J. Church & Son for the purpose of receiving taxes on Friday, Dec. 6. 1895 and each day thereafter to and including Jan. 9, after which the full fee of 4 per cent will be charged.

J. W. Beery, township treasurer.

A few of the C. E. society watched the old year's departure and welcomed the new at the residence of R. D Bancroft.

Copies of that celebrated march, (Two step) "The West Point," on sale at R. D. Stocking's music store Supt. W. A. Ludwig attended the

State teachers' association at Lansing last week Thursday to Saturday, and reports an interesting meeting. Pork Sausage, A, No. 1, at Newt.

Miss Winifred Sunderlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sunderlin, vis-ited at Dr. O. C. McDannell's the

A new thing-those 5A fit-all at tachment blankets at Schreiner's.

Mrs. Julia Farlin and daughter, Lelia, of Oberlin, Ohio, visited Mrs. E. B. Craw over Sunday last, and Book-cases decretaries, etc , at J. B

Yeiter's. Mrs. Robt Hardy went to Grand Rapids this week for medical treat-

Cabinets, \$1 per dozen, gallery over

Supervisor Bergin suggests that the being unusually high this year is that Miss Mattie Packard some time next the cost of completing the upper June. Grand river bridge is included in the assessment. Of course everybody seeing some of R D Stocking's prices knows it was a much needed improvement and completes a practically permanent job.

Splendid new stock of musical nov-elties, etc. at R D Stocking's.

Lowell Bee Hive L. O. T. M. at their last review elected the following officers for the ensuing year: L. C. Bessie Swayze; Lient. C., Jennie Covert; R. K., Marie Kisor; F. K., Alma Scofield; Chap, Hattie Faulkner; Sergt. Louisa Hazleton; M. at A., Della Buckley. Sent. Roxie Townsend; Picket, Emma Mueller.

See our window, L. H. Hunt & Co. this place is spending a few days with old Lowell friends.

Have you tried the mincement Newt. Coons? Mrs. A. B. Knight and son Harold

Try a chunk of that pig pork at spent Christmas at County Clerk Ed- Edyth Hills to South Bend, Ind., to dy's in Grand Rapids and called on E. M. Leonard and family and other Blanch Hills. Sell your poultry and veal to Newt

Steve Bergin and Misses Maggie

with Lowell relatives. Gents' chain charms and cuff but-

tons at Sherman's. A marriage license has been grant-ed to Fred Stinchcomb of Lowell and

Cora Aldrich of Vergennes.

We have Atra large underwear (fit all) at that Althor's.

Mr. Scofield wife and son and Mrs. Chapman and family ate New Years dinner with Orrin Ford, near Alton. Rooms to rent on Avery street.
Mrs. N. Purple.

B. C. Needham and Arthur Moore and wives spent New Years with Jas. Needham and family.

FOR SALE-Three 40-acre farms, cheap. Enos & Bradfield.

Mrs. Chapman and children from Fennville, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Scofield, returned to their home Thursday.

Very large assoriment of gloves and mitten at Chas Althen's. Born, in Lowell, Jan. 1, a son to Jud Tinkler and wife.

Everything in gents' furnishings at Chas Althen Mrs. Mrs. Sandall is visiting her

son, Will, at Belding.

Born, in Lowell, Dec. 30, a son to

Joseph Martin and wife. Found-A bundle containing two quilts and a pair of blankets. Owner can secure the same by proving property and paying for this notice. Inquire at this office.

The Michigan Wood Rim company is placing its machinery in position. Duchesse chains and Victorias at H. A. Sherman's.

After three months of terrible suf fering, Mrs. Margaret (Johnson) Whitten of Grattan passed to rest Dec. 20, aged 60 years.

Brooches at all prices at Sherman's and Mrs. V. J. Obenauer, a con.

Our neckwear leads, our prices he shall be reimbursed for all monies, interest and expenses he said Lee may incur, and for the stated time of 60 days.

Remember that Barber Craws and for the stated time of 60 days.

Trustes Winegar moved supported by Collar that the proposition of J. E. Lee be Mrs. S. E. Morgan and daughter

hurch Sunday morning and evening.

Floy, are spending a few days with Collar, Winegar, Quick. Nays, 0,

The best beef in the land at Newt friends in Bowne. Floy will assist in Trustee Look moved that a committee by a concert at the Bowne church Friappointed to confer with any engineers that Coons',

C. M. Findlay and Chas. Althen have new ads this week. Look them

All kinds of spectacle repairing. Look at Barber & Craw's ad in an-

other column. Boys' heavy fleece lined stockings (iron clad) at Chus Altheus. Jas. Nickien has purchased Will

M. Chapman's village property. Barber & Craw keep Plymouth Rock posputed gelatine, J. O. Chapin has resurned from his

California trip, as well pleased with that Eldorado as ever.

Very swiish umbrellas for gents, silk or linen. Chas Althen.

John Cutler, the well known man, has gone to Howell and taken charge of the National house. We cordially commend Mr. Cutler to the people of Howell as a genial host and

a painstaking public servant.

All kinds of watch chick approved by repairing done of watch prices.

Williams. Henry Easterbrooks and wife of West Lowell, Elmer Barr and wife,

and Fern Batchelor of Vergennes, Fred and Clara Wunsch of East Ada, were visitors at Daniel Easterbrooks New Years day. All had a very enjovable time.

Ladies' and gent's over gaiters, 75c and \$1 at Findlay's.

The class of '94 held its third semiannual reunion Saturday evening, Dec. 28, at the home of Miss Louisa Barber. The classes of '94 and '95 united and will hold monthly meet-LEDGER inform its readers that one ings for the study of literature. The reason for the Lowell township tax next class meeting will be held with

June.
Finger rings, envirings, breast pins, etc. repaired by U.B. Williams. On New Year's day John Collier and wife were given a surprise party

by their friends and relatives in honor of their tenth anniversary. Some very fine presents were made and a good time was enjoyed by all. If you are in need of a silver but

ter dish, cake basket, caster or any silver ware, call on H. A. Sherman. Humane Agent Randolph was in town Tuesday at the instance of the prosecuting attorney looking after a matter of glanders in the case of a horse said to have been condemned in Grand Rapids and sent to the glue J. C. Hare of Hartford formerly of factory, but stopped enroute and brought to this village. The state veterinary has been notified and is ex-

pected to investigate in person. Find Findlay's Parsons Felts. S. C. Vanderlip accompanied Miss

the funeral of her sister, Miss The Normandie, storm arctic for ladies, only \$1 a . N. Findlay's.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Josephine Glove Cleaner, for sale only and Minnie Fahey have returned to by E. R. Collar, headquarters for their home at Howell after a visit dressed and undressed kid gloves in all the most desirable shade for street or evening wear. 93 tf

To our friends and patrons we wish to announce that we have sold our furniture and undertaking business to G. C. McConnell & Co. Mr. McCounell is a graduate of the Indiana college of embalming and we can recommend them as having a through knowledge of both the furniture and undertaking business, and we trust that you will extend to them the same liberal patronage we received.

Respectfully yours, Kopf Bros. Council Proceedings.

(OFFICIAL.)

Special meeting of the Common Council of the village of Lowell, December 26, 1895. Council called to order by President Ber-

Roll call, present, Look, Lee, Winegar, Collar, Quick. Absent, Hunter. Meeting for the purpose of determining the vote taken Dec. 20, 1895 at a special

election held at Train's opera house hall in the Village of Lowell. The whole number of votes cast was 433.

The whole number votes given for raising by borrowing not to exceed \$23,000 for such purchase and construction, Yes 363. The Whole number of votes given for raising by borrowing not to exceed \$23,000 for such purchase and construction, No. 68. Defaced tickets, 2.

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION. We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct statement of the vote given in the Village of Lowell, county of Kent and state of Michigan at the election had at the special village meeting of said village holden on the 20th Dec., A. D., 1895. CHRISTOPHER BERGIN, Inspectors of elec-REUBEN QUICK, JOHN S. HOOKER, Inspectors of elec-for said Village REUBEN QUICK, JOHN S. HOOKER,

Trustee Look moved that the report of the special election held on Dec. 20th, 1895, as certified to by the board of inspectors be adop ed. Carried, Yeas 5. Nays 0.

J. E. Lee made the proposition that he would purchase the options and get the deeds Born, in Detroit, Dec. 31, to Mr. for the same and will furnish the money for the same, with the understanding that he shall be reimbursed for all monies, in-

> Cullar that the proposition of J. E. Lee be accepted. Carried. Yeas-Look, Lee,

may visit or correspond with us regarding their terms for making plans and specificstions and overseeing the work and report the same to the council. Carried, Yeas, 5, Nays, 0.

Committee appointed were-Trustees. Look, Collar, Winegar. The Finance committee report the fol

lowing bills: C Guy Perry Myers & Heliker E L Austin R Quick J S Hooker Frank Lovett A C Morgan R Quick & Sor

Trustee Collar moved that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for the amounts. Yeas-Look, Lee, Collar, Winegar, Quick. Navs. 0.

On motion by Lee the council adjourned. A. W. BURNETT, Clerk.

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using three bottles was up and about again
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keep store or house without it." Get a free
trial bottle at Hunt & 'co.'s drug store. 2

PEACH HILL GROVE. Leroy Sayles and wife and Eddie Davis were guests at J. Carey's last week.

Rev. H. and Mrs. Coles visited in Shepherdsville last week. E. N. Hubbell of Coopersville spent Christmas with his brother, J. N. and

Morgan and wife entertained friends from Bowne and South Boston Christmas day.

Clinton Weeks of Alton visited friends in lace last week." Harvey Godfrey of Paris made his par

ents a brief call Sunday. The death angel has again visited our neighborhood and taken our dear frand and neighbor, Mrs. Mary A. King. The decensed was born in England, and with her husband came to this country at an early period of her life. She was an earnest Christian and an affectionate wife and mother. Mrs. King was a great sufferer for several months, and constantly talked to the family of Jesus and His power to save until last Saturday morning, Dec. 28, 1895, He came and took her home. She leaves seven children to mourn her loss, all being present at the bedside, her husband and two children having preceded her to that better land. The burish services were held at the South Boston church conducted by Bider Coles last Monday at 1 o'clock. A large concourse of friends attended the services although it was so very

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WEST LOWELL GOSSIP. Charles Carey, who was injured at the saw nill, is gaining as fast as could be expected The Christmas tree and exercises at Rivers thool house on Christmas eye was a success The little ones did credit to themselves and

Ed Easterbrook and wife entertained a umber of friends Christmas. Mrs. A. Rolf is away visiting Grand Rapids

and other places.

The ladies' aid society of the Church of Christ will meet at Mrs. 8. W. Gristwood's, Jan. 8, 1896, 10 a.m. A good attendance is

H. Fletcher entertained Charles MacIntyre and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Peters and other friends Christmas. Mark Court and wife were the guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Gristwood Christmas. Elder L. O. Drew of Hudsonville, Mich will preach at the Rivers school Monday, Jan. 6, 1896, at 7 o'clock p. m. Come and

FOX CORNERS COLLECTION. L. J. Lee and family spent New Year's in

Ed. Story and wife were recent visitors Miss Stella Gott is teaching the winter term of school at Fox Corners.

Mrs. McKelvey of Grand Rapids is visiting friends in this vicinity. E. Squires of Grand Rapids spent Saturday and Sunday with W. Botzen and wife, Mrs. Myron King who has been very

sick is slowly recovering. C. S. Lee and wife of Campbell were Christmas guests at Eugene Lee's. Miss Daisy Odell of Lowell visited over Sunday with her cousin Orlando Odell and

W. Botzen and wife are entertaining his father, T. Botzen of Fillmore Centre, also John Speet of Graafschap and Mr. Hahn during the holidays.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in he post office at Lowell Mich., week endng December 29, 1895.

Ladies--Mrs S J Clark, Miss Marsella Jepson, Mrs Augusta Lane, Mrs Lydia Mid-daugh, Mary Vandusen, Mrs Mary Wainer. Gents--Jacob Ganzhom, Ruford Troyer. Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised," and give date of this list MARTIN N. HINE, P. M.

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COOK & RAND KECKUK, IOWA, U. S. A. DURING NATURE'S ODD T AT Crawfordsville, Ind. mer of 1890 there was a sh and angleworms. The ha out eyes and all about two THAT lightning does so

twice in the same place case of a windmill in Ba which was recently struck exactly the spot where it was struck three years before. A LARE containing fre top and salt water on the been discovered on Kildin to land. The lake rises and the ide, and the salt water

comes from the sea by an m channel. A HEAVY shower of dim little larger than potato in Farm agton, Me., a few day