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--GENTLEMEN,-

Get off the Earth

That is—Get a pair of our \$3 00 Coin Toe Bor- Mr. Weekes was well known in all fruit. He has secured control of a ded Calf Bals., with extra heavy soles, on your feet and you will then be off the earth.

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OBITUARY.

Death of F. E. Weekes, of This Village, Tuesday Morning.

Frank E. Weekes died at his home this vicinity.

and Keene, in May 1851, and was that he will attend and demand his married to Wealthy Richmond in '79. back interest, none of which has been Michigan. Three children have been foreclose, This will settle all chances four years ago, at the age of 11.

Mr. Weekes was a kind, indulgent husband and father and well respected by all who knew him. He leaves a wife, two children, a father, who lives on the homestead, two brothers and

church yesterday, at 1 o'clock, Rev. A. P. Moors officiating.

OLD RESIDENT GONE.

Death of Mrs. Ann Eliza Hughes of Paris Township.

Mrs. Ann Eliza Hughes, of Paris ownship, sister of N. B. Blain and Harriet B. Peck, of this village, died | ing the Nortons from further transat her home on Sunday last, at the fering their property .- [Grand Rapage of 72 years. Funeral services were held at the house conducted by Rev. Mr. Geiger and the remains were brought to Vergennes and laid to rest in the Yerkes cemetery. Mrs Hughes was one of a family of six The modern twentieth century mind children, of whom now but two re eludes the taxation (one sign fails). main, Mr. Blain and Mrs. Peck. Promised death, that result predicted She was twice married; and will be by so many practitioners after their remembered by Lowell people as Mrs. | feeble efforts and misguided attempts Wooster. She leaves two sons by that name, Homer B. and Howard A. of Paris township and a daughter, Mrs. S. P. Silsby, of Ogden, Utah.

A Bargain.

We desire to call the attention of ur readers to our announcement, in another column, of an arrangement by which we offer the Michigan Farmer and the LOWELL LEDGER, both one year. for only \$1.50.

The Michigan Farmer has lately added four pages to its regular weekly issue, making it twenty pages each week, which is filled with practical

All of the reading matter is set "solid," that is, the lines of type are placed closely together so that a page from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. One day will contain as much reading as a only. Consultation free and strictly page and a half of the ordinary run of | confidential.

farm papers. The market reports are worth the price of both papers, as they are very complete and thoroughly reliable.

The publishers of the Michigan Farmer always stop their paper when a subscription expires unless they receive an order for a renewal.

A free sample copy will be sent to Farmer, Detroit, Mich., or calling at

this office. The LEDGER will continue to give Bailey church. He is asisted this week by you all the news, local and foreign. Evangelist Peterson. Can you afford to miss this oppor-

Our Horticultural Friends.

The Lowell District Horticultural society met at Music hall, on Tuesday and enjoyed an interesting program. The attendance was good.

L. J. Post read a paper on "Pruning," A. A. Husted one on "Budding and Grafting," and Secretary Snow made a report of the state meeting.

Little Clyde Kenyon recited 'Grandmother's Glasses" and the secretary made his annual report, showing membership of 60 and cash in treasury \$7.40.

The next meeting will be held the home of L. J. Post.

STATE FAIR.

Its Grounds at Grand Rapids in

Grand Rapids, January 18. The in this village, Tuesday morning, Jan. scheme announced several months ago 19, after an illness of three weeks, of on the part of a local real estate speca combination of disorders. Though ulator to secure the West Michigan a resident of the village but two years, Fair Association property has borne majority of the stock at ten cents on He was born on the old homestead the dollar. The annual meeting will on the townline between Vergenn's be held to-morrow and it is expected Since then they have lived five years paid. The society cannot meet his in Dakota and five years in Northern | demands, and he will then probably born to them, the oldest having died of the state fair being held here, unless it makes arrangements with him

FOUND NO PROPERTY.

Lottie Carl Asks That the Norton Transfer be Set Aside.

Lottie M Carl of Grattan, who last September secured a judgement in the Circuit court against James Norton for \$516.50, has found that Funeral services were held at Alton Mr. Norton, who was considered worth \$50,000 when the debt was contracted in 1893, has transfered all his proper to his sons so that she was able to get nothing on the execution issued by

> the court to enforce the judgement. Now she has started suit asking to have the transfer to the sons set aside and asking for an injunction restainids Press.

All Signs Fail.

The old saying goes "nothing sure on earth but death and taxation." have failed, is conquered by Drs. B. S. & Co, the great specialists, formerly of New York. (so fails sign No. 2.) Many and many is the time that these renowned specialists had patients brought to them seemingly on the brink of the grave, but through their quick perception of what was needed, by their prompt action, by their radi cal and scientifically correct treatment, the sufferer has been restored to the bosom of his family and friends. They live to bless their name. A word of caution. Don't neglect trivial affliction. To any one who values his life, health and happiness we would advise them to soek the aid of these most eminent physicians. A consultation costs nothing, if you can

and timely articles on all branches of be cured they will cure you.

Drs. B. S. & Co., formerly of New York, now of Muskegon, will visit Lowell Mich., Friday Jan. 29, in the private parlor of the Waverly Hotel,

J. O. Merriman and bride of Chicago are visiting J. O's parents, W. L. Merriman and wife. We hear they have come to stay and work the farm. Success to their undertaking.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White of Smyrns vicinity were guests of G. W. Crusby and wife last Thursday and Friday.

The Vergennes Aid society have ten any address by writing the Michigan dollars in their treasury from the procedes of their chicken pie social at Lute Bailey's. Rev. J. W. Rochelle is holding revival meetings afternoons and evenings at the

> Among Mrs. G. W. Crosby's numerous Christmas gifts, and one that she prizes very much, is a box of shells, corals and sea animals sent her from Barbadoes, West Indias by her friends, Rev. E. Van Deuson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crosby are both entertaining disagreeable company, bad colds. Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more galerally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps Policeman Viergiver, who shot Sa-fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act han become redemall at Count Panmore surely in counteracting and freeing the systen from the malarial poison. ids, New Years day, when he as-Headache, hdigestion, Constipation, Diz-saulted him during a raid on his sa-ziness yielhao Electric Bitters. 50c. and loon, has been arrested and will be \$1.00 per |nette at L. H. Hunt & Co's. tried for the shooting. Drug Stor s

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JANUARY"

Our great One Half Off Sale begins SATURDAY, 16th of January, and ends on the evening of January Every overcoat in our store, Men's, Boys, Children just one-half former price. No prices or tickets ha been changed. Our prices in December were acknowledged to be the lowest. You buy them now for just half the former price. This greatest of all sacrifice of values will positively side track all competition. It is signal to careful buyers that

Prices Have Dropped 2

On all that reliable winter overcoats.

Men's heavy black and blue kersey overcoats, were the best valve in Lowell at \$12, well made and stylish now

Boys and Children's 8.00, 7.00, 6.50; 5.00, 4.00 and \$3.00 overcoats just one half off. This is a bonanza for late buyers.

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Sons and Daughters, All the Family.

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orders to The LEDGER. Write your name and address on a postal card, send it to Geo. W. Best, Tribune Office, New York City, and a sample copy of the New York Weekly Tribune wil. be mailed to you.

loon-keeper radewell, at Grand Rap-

Vernor Ward in a letter to his pr ents states that he has purchased interest in a laundry in Ohio and commenced work. The Herald his many friends here wish cess in his new ave

WITHIN OUR WALLS.

Capital,

FRANCIS F

M. C. GRI

MERE MENTION OF MICHIGAN MATTERS.

H. A. Christy, inventor of the Christy DAILY DOINGS OF CONGRESS. | SPANISH DEFEATED.

posure probably killed him.

Garabed Assadooian, a well-known occurs the man appointed should only Armenian merchant at Petoskey, ex- serve out the unexpired term. House pects his long lost wife from Armenia -The speaker sustained the point of very soon, and Petoskey ladies have order against the motion to recommit

John Baker, a woodsman, was meaning for life at the Island lake empty and one full whisky bottle has pockets.

During a fit of temporary insanity, brock Jaque, a farmer near Riverdale, and as sme months in 1895. Average meaning from the month in 1895. Average meaning from the month in 1895. Average meaning from the price of wheat was 84 cents; corn., 23; doats, 18; hay, 87.73; fat cattle, 81, 93.03; doats, 18; hay, 87.73; fat cattle, 83.03; doats, 18; hay, 87.73; fat cattle, 80.03; dressed pork, \$4.03. Compared with January, 1896, there has been an increase in price of all farm products experiments of the republic of Cuba.

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Missing for adjutant-general, and Col. E. M. Irish for adjutant-general. Senator Covell has introduced his bill for the election of state railroad commissioner by the authorizes the governor to appoint a state fire warden who shall have sure that a warden who shall have sure that w etroit Man Who Attempted to Murder

His Wife Sent to Prison for Life—
Interesting Statistics on the EightHour Day Question.

Wery soon, and Petoskey ladies have prepared a reception for her.

Nathan S. Branch, aged 75, a poincer farmer, was about to cross the track near Okemos, when his horse became frightened and rushed in front of the engine and Mr. Branch was instantly

Nathan S. Branch, aged 75, a poincer dead. The day was principally occupied in New York say that Gen.

Maximo Gomez, the insurgent commander—in chief, with 6,000 men, stormed and captured the important stormed and captured the insurgence commander—in chief, with 6,000 men, stormed and captured the important stormed and captured the impo preme control over Michigan forests the laws evolved by the expensive Have the position of the special position of the speci

The Lake Superior, Lake Angeline and Cleveland Cliffs mines at Ishpeming have added about 100 men to their working force within two weeks. Of the employers, 32 favored short hours and 81 were opposed; 15 wanted short hours with lower pay, 13 with their working at Ishpeming and 1,000 the same pay; only five thought th

of the comployers, 10 Thoused which the comployers of the comploye

H. A. Christy, inventor of the Christy bicycle saddle, intends to move his factory and the plant of the Derby Bicycle Co., from Chicago to Jackson, and will employ 300 hands.

The dead body of John Cavender, a farm hand, was found in a vacant farmhouse near Munith. He had been missing about a week. Drink and exposure probably killed him.

DAILY DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

SENATE—Nineteenth day.—The free homestead bill—the passage of which will cost the government \$35,000,000— was debated the larger portion of the day. Mr. Hill, of New York, spoke in favor of the law fixing four years as the term of fourth-class postmasters. He said that when a postmaster has served part of his term and a vacancy posure probably killed him.

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A BACK BLOW.

The Weapon Small - but None More Certain or Effective.

The filter times when hacks are larged to the control of the contr In these times when backs are lame when almost every other one we meet has

we offer one Humard Dana's ease of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Chene for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

He stood cowering and trembling.
For a moment Emile, bearing up the insensible form of Felicie, stood sternly looking into that evil face.
Across both countenances went a flash of intelligence, though neither spoke.

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For a moment Emile bus basket of bread and meat from the cafe. You need not stir again until it is time for us to start.

The youth laid down his pen and went to the nail in one corner where hung his hat and cloak.

Emile followed him to the corridor.

"Make haste, Leon," said he, in a low voice, "because I can't lose sight of the young man, and want you to watch him while I go up to the Convention hall; he's a suspected aristocrat; but I can't get along without him

Nobody was standing up, but the ase of catarrh that cannot be cured by turn, if he has lied to us."

Calendars and Coupons.

So many beautiful calendars and entertaining novelties have been issued by the proprietors of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that we are hardly surprised to receive this season not only one of the very prettiest designs in calendars, but with it coupons which entitle the recipient to attractive noveltes. Every one who gets a Hood's Sarsaparilla calendar for 1897 secures something that will prove interesting and valuable as well as a beautiful specimen of the lithographer's art. The calendar is accompanied this season by an amusing little book on "The Weather." Ask your druggist for Hood's Coupon Calendary. Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla that the lottest explained to me, "More work!" responded Leon, care-lessly. "Yes, to trace some escaped refugees. My niece Chlottide can identify the woman, but the young man only can make sure of the marquis that used to be. Hurry back, so that I can go to a consultation with Robespierre."

Then waving his hand in calm dignity, but the "More work!" responded Leon, care-lessly. "Yes, to trace some escaped refugees. My niece Chlottide can identify the woman, but the young man only can make sure of the marquis that used to be. Hurry back, so that I can go to a consultation with Robespierre."

"Let us wrong no man, least of all a citizen. Give him a fair investigation; take him to the guard house; keep him safely till to-morrow noon. Then there season by an amusing little book on "The Weather." Ask your druggist for Hood's Coupon Calendar, or send 6 cents in stamps for one to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass and justice can be done to compare the coupon of the coupon o

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NO-TO-BAC FOR FIFTY CENTS. Over 400,000 cured. Why not let No-To-Bac egulate or remove your desire for tobacco aves money, makes health and manhood ure guaranteed, 50c. and \$1.00, all druggists Many a man puts his family in the dark to help the saloon pay its gas bill.

Everybody in this world wants watching but none more than ourselves.

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CHAPTER XX.—(Continued.)

"She has borne a great deal. She reShe held up both hands to ward him of, and answered in a low, thrilling heroism of a general. It was only when the standard of the standard of

British revenue from beer last year was 183,000, an increase of \$3,000,000, over the 183,000, over the 183,000, an increase of \$3,000,000, over the 183,000,000, British revenue from beer last, year was \$33,05,000, an increase of \$3,065,000, over the previous year.

God goes with the man who is willing trake a hard place.

"Why is this innocent girl so room."

If we want in the man who is willing trake a hard place.

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If we want in the man who is willing trake a hard place.

"The Amazon elbowed her way totake a hard place."

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"Take a seat, Chlotilde; you are valuable some time. And step down and see if the carriage has come. I We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for tocrat, and a refugee. It shall be his more to endure Leon, bring some ordered it at once.

No matter how large a woman is when a spoke.

"So, so! now is the mysterious estimated in the job before me."

While he spoke, his eyes ran questioningly along the rows of upturned

CHAPTER XXI. ULES suspected for

an swear to him before the court.

"Oh, yes, you would work, I don't think," said the incredulous citizen. "He shall be closely guarded. I shall not allow him to leave my sight—nevertheless he may carry my niece for me till I can find a carriage," replied they forget the fate of Grissot and Vergnaud? That insolent Danton shall follow in their steps, if he does not change of countenance.

"What frightened you away from the counterpart of th

I never used so quick a cure as Piso's Cure for Consumption.—J. B. Palmer, Box 1171, Seattle, Wash., Nov. 25, 1895.

The man will be well occupied whose first aim in life is to do God's will.

"What frightened you away from the contage? it was a very dangerous experiment, you perceive."

"M. Pierre came thither—Chlotilde recognized him, and was frantic to aim in life is to do God's will.

"M. Pierre came thither—Chlotilde recognized him, and was frantic to word to-day?"

"The Gray Falcon waits but the word to Gommons kitchen, has been to the word to th recognized him, and was frantic to reach you. That detestable woman stopped us, and they compelled us to witness the execution of the queen."

Jules was anxiously chafing the cold hands of the insensible girl.

"Poor child!" muttered Brills ""

Word to-day?"

"The Gray Falcon waits but the word of Robespierre to pounce upon noble prey."

He listened heedlessly. His eye was following Danton, who, conversing the conversing of the conversion of the listened heedlessly.

Largest Horse Ever Seen.

aside; he calls it an idle move; he will give me no countenance, but I hoped eyed Falcon?"

crat; but I can't get along without him | Nobody was standing up, but the

57 ST AVING given them "Just move up there, young man," ageous? behavior before his clerk, Emile left Young Blackstone never moved. He The Centennial copper mine at returned from the "I don't know of any law or prececafe, and set forth dent to be cited to show why, to give at once for the a seat, I should make every person on

Hall of Convention, this side of the car uncomfortable. The whom he was searching, and darted to his side.
"Let me help you carry the girl, citizen," said he, guardedly.

Hall of Convention, this side of the car uncomfortable. The primary principle of our constitution, the great underlying doctrine of all government, is 'the greatest good to the greatest number.' Why don't you try the next car?"

Then he went on reading—New York "Nay," interpos- He found the dread ruler of those World.

ed the same man stormy days in the very mood to further his plans. who had kept such after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Free 22 trial bottle and treatise.

Send to Ds. Kline's Great Nerve their movements; "this man is one of our enemies, most worthy Falcon. I cread by himself his brow dark as the convention had adjourned, and the members were leaving their seats when Emile appeared. Robespierre our enemies, most worthy Falcon. I can swear to him before the court." stood by himself, his brow dark as

"Oh, yes, you would work, I don'

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, candy cathar could only keep her thus, and yet present the direct liver and bowel regulator made serve her life, how much terror and where there is no money there is no devil anxiety she would be spared."

Where there is no money there is no devil

"Citizen Danton would fain turn me HOW TO FIND OUT.

better things from you. Robespierre."

"Ha, what has Danton to say about affairs in Paris, or in the assembly affairs of the kidneys."

Fill a bottle or common water-glass syrup by up the cold, and drove away the d. Never took anything that did so much good." L H. Brooks, N h Haverbill, N. H. either? What do you want, my keen- a diseased condition of the kidneys. eyed Falcon?"

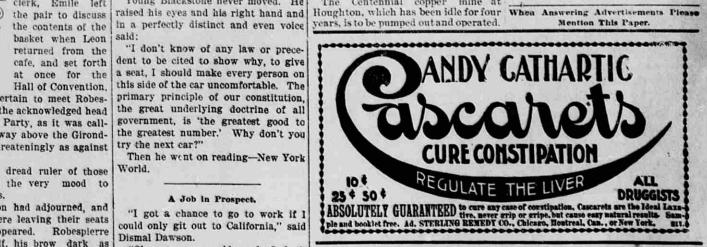
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Too fredo fancy work observed that ladies that
a evidence of kidney trouble. Too fre-



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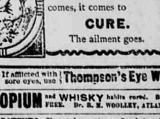
3. Because beans of the finest quality are used. Because it is made by a method which preserves unimpaired the exquisite natural flavor and odor of the beans. Because it is the most economical, costing less than use or

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posure. oughed all winter. Could get nor . Dr. Wood's Norway Pine







OPIUM HABIT DRUNKENNESS David Dr. J. L. Stephens, Levans Journ

She-Do you think Mr. Doostop cour- The ground due instructions said the new passenger, and he atconcerning their tempted to crowd the student's knees from a porous plaster with a smile on EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., Los Angeles, Cal.

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50c	4				\$2.00 " 1.50 50c " 38c 10c and 12c "
65c					Bed Spreads go too. Good ones
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\$1.7	5	•			The best 50c Turkey Red Damask for 27 A. VV.

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ing papers at prices named;

If you want some other papers, come in and see us about it. We can THE prospects are that the policy magazine published.

SEE HERE, MR. PINGREE.

where eight thousand acres are farmed been. by prisoners. The farmers of that better to let the prisoners die of inac. he was counting the cost.

tion, than to starve the wives and no one will be injured. Governor or wooden scrub tubs. Black of New York favors this tato and work the good-roads scheme | ministration. instead. Potato farming among the poor people of Detroit, was all right; Some of our statesmen at Lansing house with a severe cold. but put all the cut throats and thieves | are proposing a twenty thousand dolin the state into direct competition | lar mansion there for the governor. with our honest agriculturalists, and Every man of them who votes to tax from Maine to California. Our far. in times like these, wants black-listing. mers have got all they can stand; for goodness sake, do not add to their burdens. Remember, it was the last are coming "slow but sure." Well, straw that broke the camel's back.

LOWER SALARIES-A GOOD ACT.

The courage and determination of for a bound copy of his message. the board of supervisors in standisgue that the people of the rural Wadsworth's.

districts are going to maintain their officers in princely style on ten-cent potatoes and eight-cent corn, they are tatoes and eight-cent corn, they are mightily mistaken. If the gold standard and a dear dollar are to be and everything else-even to flesh and Frank Sherrard's. blood-so cheap, the salaried class Mrs. Beckwith has received word that must take fewer dollars. To reduce her daughter Hattie Parker of Dakota is producers to pay, and expect to main- evening at Wm. Rexford's. The reduction is all right, and we with Frank Sherrard and wife.

THE Grand Rapids Democrat

We will furnish the Lowell LEDGER | that city as disgraceful and leaves its | home of Mrs. Mullen, Wednesday, Jan. 27, in connection with any of the follow- readers to infer that the officers were at 10, a. m. Come one, come all. equally guilty with the liquor dealers. Mrs. M. Onan, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

crat's course might be questioned. If Mrs. Uriel Snow is very sick again. Free Coinage Independent and the law is bad, let's wipe it out. If Peter Jay and wife, former residents of it is good, let's enforce it.

or of the McKinley administration will question. The tariff will be "fixed" ter Mrs Ernest Burt. The Grand Rapids Press favors the plan of setting state convicts to work plan of setting state convicts and setting state convicts state convicts and setting state convicts state convicts and setting state convicts s

on the roads, as a solution to the good take their medicine. There is one Joe Richmond of Lowell was at Dorus roads problem. It objects to prison consideration to console us-things Church's last week Thursday. farms and cites the case of Mississippi, caunot be much worse than they have Lewis Andrews, James Latta and sister

state do not like it; neither would THE Mayville Monitor-Sayings of E. Ring and wife visited at his brother those of Michigan. Our artisans and January 15th has an article headed Armon's in Keene last week Tuesday. mechanics have endeavored to com- "The Cost of a Boy." Let's see: Lewis Andrews of Lowell is cutting with prison labor until starvation Brother Corliss has been married wood for Orla Weeks. fares them in the face. It would be about two years now. Yes, it is time Elder Mange of Lowell was in attend-

for good roads; let the prisoners make bathtub; and it won't be a bit sweeter Born to Geo. Ring and wife at Keene ways; labor's lot will be benefitted and ling millions, washed in earthen bowls

the Michigan Federation of Labor. Senator Sherman is to be secretary of Roy Grey, son of Elder Gray, is visiting If Governor Pingree cares for the state. President McKinley might at Stephen Rennell's. good will of the farmers, he will drop have done much worse. The jingoes Armon Ring and Richard Fort of Keene the prison farm project like a hot po- will not run Sherman's end of the ad-

Dun & Co. think that better times we're "sure" about the "slow," but a will give a chicken pie social January 27, little "slow" about the "sure."

GOVERNOR PINGREE has our thanks pected to entertain us with recitations,

ing by their act reducing the salaries Mrs. John Kelly of Lowell was Mrs. Mark Brown is very poorly. of the circuit judges from \$3,500 to in town Monday noon accompanied The Ladies' Aid society had a pleasant \$2,500 is commendable, in view of the strong pressure brought to bear upon her husband at Lansing. The ladies piecing quilts. Mrs. Grant Adams will enthem towards restoring the eld rate. visited Mrs. H. C. Peekham during tertain the next meeting of the society.

It is high time that these large salaries their wait here.—[Freeport Herald.] Mrs. Chas. Lampkins is spending a few cere made to accord with the times in Upholstered rockers, just the thing days with her aunt, Mrs. Bradly Stone, at Belding.

maintained, if money is to be so dear | Elmer Reid spent a part of the week :

BUBSCRIPTION ONE DOLLAR YEARLY. by one half the power of the wealth Grant Adams and wife spent last Friday tain the old salaries, is monstrous. M. C. Denney and wife spent Sunday score a long credit mark for the super. Mrs. Titus gave a dinner to a company of wisors who voted it, including our own Messrs. White of Lowell and Hodges

Westrs. White of Lowell and Hodges

Fronic Bozung went to Ionia last Satur-

of Vergennes. Good boys! We'll send day to work. them again and tell them to do it Mrs. Pottruff was on the sick list last

speaks of the New Years saloon row in | The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the

Detroit Free Press, Twice-a-week, That is a mighty fine way to encour- About fifty of the friends and neighbors age officers to do their duty—send of Mrs. Mullen met at her home last Mon-Detroit Tribune and Ledger, \$1.35.

Age officers to do their duty—send of Mrs. Mullen met at her home last Monthem upon a dangerous mission, where day evening, it being her birthday. A

small gifts of remembrance were presented scarleting but is better at bresent writing. New York Tribune and Ledger, they are nearly killed in discharge of very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all Michigan Farmer and Ledger, their duty, and then have a city paper jump onto them and term their conspread and a dress and Mr. Mullen with a spread and a dress and Mr. Mullen with a Grand Rapids Denocrat, and Led-duct "disgraceful." It seems to us chair. All returned to their homes feeling Grand Rapids Herald, and Led- that the respectability of the Demo- it was good to be there.

this vicinity, returned north to their home Tuesday, after a short visit among friends

be much the same as that of Cleveland Mrs. P. W. Byrnes was called to Beldwith respect to finance and the Cuban ing last week by the sickness of her daugh-

> Bertha and Grace Gibson of Lowell attended divine services at the Alton church

one evening last week.

ance at the revival meetings here week Monday evening. Orla Weeks spent from Saturday children of honest men. But this is THE baby son of Anna Gould Cas- Monday with his sister and husband Mr. not necessary. There is a demand tellane will be washed in a silver and Mrs. Jud Hapeman of East Lowell.

them. The people will get good high- or prettier than the babes of the toil- Jan 16th, a girl. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest, Burt ne Anna Byrnes, January 15th, a son. Born to Frank Corrigan and wife January 16, twins, a girl and a boy. The son scheme and it is also recommended by THE announcement is made that has since died.

> Afternoon prayer meeting was held a Warren Ford's Tuesday. Mrs. Warren Ford is confined

Keene Center. Miss Jessie Noves and brother Frank of n howl will go up that will be heard the people with such schemes as this Grand Rapids spent last Saturday and Sun-Merritt Sayles entertained the old and

young people last Friday evening. A very pleasant time is reported. The Ladies' Aid of the Keene church at Grange hall. There will be a fine program and Miss Blakeslee of Lowell is ex-

Everybody invited. A. C. Lee of Elsie visited his children and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

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chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills,

Flora Wheadon has gone to Belling to work in the silk factory.

its being on the Sabbath, it was decided to gregational church with increasing inter-celebrate on the 18th, which was also Mrs. James Tredenick's birthday; and the three | Mrs. Seth Stonebreaker is convalescent. Claude Bradfield of Grand Rapids is visfor the past few years have celebrated together, first at one home and then at angether, first at one home and then at anas tokens of love and all went to their homes, wishing Mr. T. many more pleasant where he has a position.

be held at Mrs. Tredenick's.

D. C. English and daughter Myrtie and Drs. B., S. and Co Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medi-

Judge Aldrich of Muskegon was a recent visitor of his sister, Mrs Mary Ware. I. Filkins and wife visited their sister, John Godfrey has had to leave school on Mrs. Seymour Coles has returned home again, and we expect that little baby boy is

sick headache, jaundice, constination, etc. 25c. The meetings held at our school house The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. last week by Rev. Dexter of Lowell, were Cilley of South Boston will hold meetings here this week.

The Young People's league will be held | Captain and Mrs. Headley, gave a farenext Sunday evening. Let's see if we can't well party last Monday night in honor of Miss Frances Myers, who has been spend-Sunday, Jan. 17, was Mr. Wilkinson and to Grand Rapids in the near future. Morgan Titus' birthday: but on account of Revival meetings continue in the Con-

other This year it was at Mr. Titus' and Mr and Mrs. Chas. Lawyer have been vis fourteen were present. A dinner, good iting at Minor Patterson's for the past few scarletina but is better at present writing. to diseases of the eye, ear, throat an

birthdays. The next, if all are well, will Herbert Burt spent last

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"Wny do you say Tom when Thomas is his name? Tom is the name of a er toiling faithfully all his life, to be for you." negro or a cat. I'll not have my boy eaten by alligators. "Tis too much." called Tom. But what said he, Abner?" | "Yes," said the squire, "I guess there but I bleeged to work-it help me for-"T-h-o-m-a-s is well, and will be home | would be rather too much of him for git bout Brer Jobe. I can't stay home, the first of June on three months' leave. But here's the letter, wife." "There's John Corbett on the lawn.

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is Clarence?" "He said it was a good day for fish to bite and he took his gun and rod and went off toward the creek with Uncle Squire Hill passed out on the lawn

I'm bound he wants something. Where

where the overseer was standing. "Well, Corbett, anything amiss?" "No, squire, not much but Uncle "What! No! and nothing amiss? I

should say there was. Jobe will be missed sure. Not for plantation work, I know, for he's too old for that. Why, Jobe was over seventy. He belonged to my father-trotted me on his knee when I was a boy-and now he's drowned. Well! Well! Nothing amiss! I guess if you go and tell his sister, Aunt Dinah, about it, you'll think there's something

"Mr. Clarence has gone up to tell her." "I'd sooner him than me, Corbett. as Clarence says this was; but there's a mouthful each for them." be here with the schooner next Wednes-"Ain't you ashamed of yourself, Ab-

"That's good. Bruce is as reliable as it. I would be willing to give a thou-"There's nothing else, squire. I've got sand dollars to undo his drowning and vision banks and the main deck, repair- as to Jobe's life of toil, you forget Link's got fifteen at the sawmill; there's when I was a boy. He has always had the word at marster, but I tanks yer, deed In the water mill beneath the hill the was my father's body servant when I was a boy. He has always had the word at marster, but I tanks yer, deed In the water mill beneath the hill the water mill be neath the water mill be neat ten in the woods splittin' rails: the bal- an easy time with me. Why, look at his an if I worta little ob dat-" ance is all workin' here and there. age, and he was searcely bent, but stood Everything's all right." "What are you going to do, Corbett, for a negro."

about Uncle Jobe?" got drownded it's three miles up the Dinah's cabin; as they neared the creek, nearly to the pond; it's too late "That's all right, Corbett, if the alliget there to-night it would be so dark among those cypress and pines that

sume you've got things moving at right, Corbett, so good night," "Good night, squire." Squire Hill entered the house, and with his wife and daughter was scated at the supper table when Clarence came in. His hunting suit presented a very Moses and Solomon, in one bateau, and disorderly appearance, and his slouched bat was more slouched than usual.

been, son?" asked his mother.

"Poor soul," and tears came to their bank.

dling-we kept moving further and fur- 12 feet long. ther up, and I had some fine fish in the "For' God," said Moses, suddenly; the horses. bottom of the boat, and was just think- "dar Brer' Jobe now." ing of turning back for home, when, as | "Where! Where!" said Clarence. ing had no cold weather this winter, I | kob, "pore Brer' Jobe." and raised under the bow of the bateau, and woolly protrudedsplintered its side and overturned it. | Jobe." "I heard one yell from Uncle Jobe Da's a fack," said Bob, "dar's his as we both fell into the creek; it is very hair." deep just there, with a mud bottom; but | They cut wider and pulled, and

gun in hand I managed to paddle to the | pulled again, and finally from out that bank, get hold of a cypress root, and gloomy sepulchre appeared the repull myself out. I dropped my gun, and turned back to attempt to save "Fore de Lord," exclaimed Bob, "if Uncle Jobe. The cypress are very dense dat ain't Sis Dinch's sow-dat 'gator there, their limbs overhanging and gwine fer de whole familily such nuil." meeting from the opposite banks of the stream, and they hanging festooned | Jobe wan't nuff fer he." with moss; I could scarcely see across the stream. I called aloud several other side of the creek: "Say, is you got dat 'gator fer snah?" "'Jobe! Jobe!' but there was no answer; I could neither hear nor see any sticking from behind a cyprus, was the

of the bateau; I stood there waiting Clarence fired off both barrels of his ence. wringing wet for some time, and then shotgun in rejoicing, and sent a boat concluded that Uncle Jobe had found across for him. a watery grave-and through the Cyprus swamp, stumbling over knees and that when the boat capsized he struck the pied pony there is Clara's; ain't he a fallen trees, for three miles, I struggled on the 'gator's back, and from there beauty?" to reach home-minus fish, minus fish- scrambled ashore. ing tackle, minus poor old Uncle Jobe. When I got home my clothes were dry." you told her?"

house, there she stood on the back left intact -[Belding Banner.

"Poor old Johe," said Mrs. Hill. "Aft- not work to-day, poor soul; I am sorry For sale by L. H. Hunt & Co. and he ain't dar."

"Jobe! Brer' Jobe!"

cotch von Sukey." you're ready." though lost, had been found.

cloes out, and clean up dis yere piazza, an' if you please, marin, I won't work And is solid on his job; no more to-day--I jus is ober joyous, He can shell your corn and grind it sides I'se weak as a calf." "That's right, Dinah, have a day of And as for making flour one, unless it was a very large 'gator, rejoicing.'

> chile, I can't tell. "Marster, Marse Clarence say, you

"Tell Corbett to give you a pound, I. H. Davis, proprietor of the Al-Jobe, and a quart of apple jack, you ras- ton Roller Mills. Custom work cal. You fooled us all." CHAPTER III.

mother took a walk over to Aunt NOTIONS." open door they saw many dusky figto go up to-night, but your son said he'd take some of the hands and go up in the morning and drag for him."

When the ensuing Sunday arrived, it brought with it on the Sunshine, at ten o'clock, John Loyd and his daughter Clarence met them at the landing McCARTY

planter and his daughter. Boo hoo! to tink dat my onles bruder come, Herbert, and my fair Fannie. I like to have had my hair pulled for not bringing you the other day, and I have not much to spare,"

There was a general hand-shaking and Herbert Lathrop seemed to try and retain in his grasp the hand of Clara

"Uncle Jobe in the bottom of Orton pext object was that identical alligator Clara's face: "I have but to ask her oreek!" exclaimed Mrs. Hill and Clara. lying in exactly the same place on the hand, and it is mine." He little knew Clara Hill. She knew him intuitively for what said Clara, "I'll have no one to take the head and fired. The bullet passed Clara turned and gave her hand to

over the grounds, leaving the young "Well, we took a bateau from the They hastily scrambled ashore, and men to kill time as best suited themmill, and I fished along up the creek. Bob and Moses turned him over, and selves, until dinner. Uncle Jobe was sitting in the stern pad- straightened him out; he was nearly They lighted their cigars, and strolled over to the stables to inspect

guess they've sinyed out of their holes; | Solomon and Luke with knife and ax I raised my gan instanter and fired- cut into that capacious maw to unthe 'gator slumped off into the creek, tomb him; presently something black giving his powerful tail a swing, that "Dar him," said Moses, "pore Brer'

"He is dat," said Solomon, "Brer

Allglanced across the creek, and there, pointing to a magnificent bay, sign of him, nor could I see anything white and woolly head of Uncle Jobe.

"But didn't you hear me call, Uncle "Poor Dinah," said his mother; "have "Yes, chile, I hear you, but I skeared to beautiful?" speak, fear dat 'gator get me, so I jus orawled off and laid down, and, bread

"I know you is, mistis; I know you is, "No, but here he! honey, here he!"

It was a frantic cry; her sudden leap | On the banks of Monkey Run. overturned the wash tub; three steps at a time she flew down the piazza, and There was Senator Carl Schultzho her bare black arms were around the And Gotlieb Sling Shot, too, neck of her elder brother. "Honey, da ain't cotch you, tank God, The celebrated Jew; de 'gators ain't cotch you, is da?"

"No, Sis Dinah, not 'zackly, but da And likewise Peter Blue Top, "Pick out the finest pig on Orton, Including Hans Van Scoopendyke, Dinah, in place of Sukey, whenever With his bride so sweet and fair. Tears had gathered in the eyes of both Mrs. Hill and Clara, while Dinah | And they all had lots of fun, was welcoming back the brother who. While the band played Annie Laurie,

"Uncle Jobe," said Clara, "I am very If you want better evidence, plenty of 'gators Jobe wouldn't make glad the alligators didn't get you. I feared I had lost my fishing compan-

"Bress you soul, honey, Unc' Jobe The biscuit and the cakes "Yes, wife, I am; but I couldn't help yere yet; but I can't tell how long, And the bread of snowy whiteness forty of the hands workin' on the di-vision hards and the main leads to undo his drowning and gwine gibe a t'ousand dollars fer bring And remember the little party old Jobe back; dese old bones ain't Where they all had lots of fun

> erect at seventy-something unusual That evening Clara Hill and her "YOUR MOTHER, CHILD, HAS ROMANTIC When the ensuing Sunday arrived, it

"Sis' Dinah, you no 'cashun fer and nephew, gators don't eat him before that time; mourn, 'case Brer' Jobe is gone right with the family carriage, and they inter Heaven. Itell yer, chile, he's gone were soon ascending the steps of the "I speck he is, Brer' Luke; but I'se skeared he gone inter a gator as well. "Welcome to Orton, John Loyd! wel

> go dat way." CHAPTER II. "HONEY, DA AIN'T COTCH YOU." Early the next morning Clarence,

Uncle Bob, a famous boatman, with a little longer than was necessary. She "Where in neaven's name have you Luke, in another, started from the land- withdrew it, and there was something ing. As they rounded the point near the like a flush on her face-it was a flush of "At the bottom of Orton creek, moth- scene of the recent fatality, the first indignation er, where old Uncle Jobe lies now—but object that met their gaze was the old I will change my clothes and tell you all bateau, splintered and bottom up, drift-of confusion, and thought to himself between the confusion and thought to himself of confusion and thought to himself between the confusion and the confusion and thought to himself between the confusion and the confusion and thought to himself between the confusion and the co ing slowly down the stream, and the as he saw the rich blood mount to

Clarence raised his rifle, threw its "I'll never fish in Orton creek again," muzzle within ten feet of the 'gator's he was. fish from the hook; poor faithful Uncle | through the saurian's eye and entered Mr. Loyd, after which the two girls his brain. He gave a spasmodic strug- disappeared into the house, and Squire Clarence was soon seated at the table. gle, his tail swept half a circle and he Hill and Mr. Loyd started for a ramble

As they were passing down a space

between two rows of stalls. Herbert, we rounded a bend in the creek, I saw | "Why, dar, master, dar-see how him just ahead of me lying on the bank an | lie! jus' like a man," and Moses pointed alligator-a larger one I have never to a ridge that seemed to extend down seen in the creek—and I was surprised to see him there in February, but have "Yes, dar Brer' Jobe, suah nuff," said

Just then a voice was heard from the

He said, and he always stuck to it, chestnut Tom's, when he's at home;

of Dinah; she was at the Manor house, washing.

As they rounded the corner of the mortgage is the only thing that is left intact.—[Belding Banner.]

troyed his eyes, and his wife rall away o'clock, p. m., in Liber 203 of Mortgages was after on page 148; Said mortgage was after wort transferred by the last will and test tament of said David M. Miller deceased Wool, was wool, unwasted.

ly cures Piles, or no pay required. It is Subsequent thereto said Sabrina E. "No use, chile, no use. Gators dun Mrs. Hill stepped out on the piazza, guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or Lobdell died intestate leaving an estate in and said: "Dinah, I told you you need not work to-day, poor soul; I am sorry for you."

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Yon Yonson led the music On the banks of Monkey Run, "Mistis," said Dinah, "I jus rinse dese Now the Miller is an expert Or grind it corn and cob He surely can't be beat:

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Job work neatly executed at

ERUBBABEL owned that d

thou shalt become a plain." Well, the Cuthaeans are not all stacles in the way of the cause of God.

They have piled up hindrances above hindrances until they have become a hill, and the hill has become a mountain, and the mountain has become an Alp, and there it stands, right in the way of all movements for the world's salvation. Some people are so discouraged about the height and breadth of the mountain in front of them that they know not that the prying eye of the antiquarian and the ringing hammer of the archaeologist and the plunging crowbar of the geologist. No more is infidelity character.

Through the glass of inspiration. itains which are ever become a plain? really in the way, and then show you

not know that the Mosaic account pers, the Jack Sheppards, the Robert | And Marathon looks on the sea, es exactly with the geological ac- | Macaires, and the Macbeths of vilainy. | Shrine of the mighty can it be int. No violin or flute ever were in The crimes of the world! Am I not That this is all remains of thee! right in calling them, when piled up together, a mountain? But we cannot ing in the earth, and says, ext thing in the furnishing of has the making of the creating the sea." Moses says, "Ay! on that was next in the Book is: 'God said, Let the waters of the method of the creating that have life; and God great whales.'" The geologist digiting, and says, "The next the furnishing of the carth reation of the carth after he saits of the field." The stallow that was he first chapter of Genesis:

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down the middle wall of partition be- armies of Diabolus: wrath of the mountween us." On tablets recently dis- tains in full bloom: shimmering inthe covered have been found the names of candescence: pyrotechnics of the prominent men of the Bible, spelled a planet: furnace-blast of the ages: little different, according to the de- Kilauea!" But, my friends, mightler, name, in hich three times the letter "b" occurs, disposing most people to stammer in the pronunciation?

Zerubbabel was the splendid man the s phet Haggal, who wrote a part of the ever be silenced? Can it be that before Bible, was not a myth. The Royal our Zerubbabel that blazing mountain

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Temple building, and the Angel of the Lord in substance said: "They have plied up obstacles in the way of Zerubbabel until they have become as a coming." And now the rumbling of the batteries and gun-carriages is dispute the men and tell them reinforcements the men and tell them reinforcements the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the men and tell them reinforcements are in the order of ripening. Lot generate the m rubbabel until they have become as a Christ. The story of the Tower of tinctly heard, and soon they are in standard varieties. Lot 3 are Early as white arsenic. This article is frequently as white arsenic. mountain, height above height, crag above crag; but it shall all be thundered down and made flat and smooth as the floor of a house. 'Who art thou, evidences the remains of a fallower of the Tower of Babel has been confirmed by the fact that recently at Babel an oblong pile of brick one hundred and ten feet high evidences the remains of a fallower of the trace of the O great mountain? before Zerubbabel evidences the remains of a fallen tower. wild retreat, their way strewn with In the Inspired Book of Ezra we read canteens and knapsacks and ammuniof the great and noble Asnapper, a tion, that the defeated may be unhinddead yet. They are busy in every neighborhood and every city and till recently, in pried-up Egyptian sculp- way now. In this great battle against ture, we have the story there told of sin and crime and moral death the eneevery nation of every age, heaping ob-stacles in the way of the cause of God. ture, we have the story there told of sin and crime and moral death the ene-stacles in the way of the cause of God.

couraged about the height and breadth of this mountain in front of them that they have done nothing for sixteen years and many of those who are at rork trying to do something toward removing the mountain toil in such a way that I can see they have not much against Christianity, against churches, against all evangelizing enterprises—a mountain that casts its long black. Hold on! Reinforcements are coming. Through the glass of inspiration I look, and see the flash of the sword of "him who hath on his vesture and on his thigh a name written King of against churches, against all evangelizing enterprises—a is on our side and is coming to the way that I can see they have not much faith that the mountain of hindrances will ever be removed. They feel they must do their duty, but they feel all time—I can hear it in their prays and exhortations—that they are firlking their pickaxes and shovels into the side of the Rocky Mountains. If the good Lord will help me while I the I preach 1 will give you the names of heaven. Before our Zerubbabel can it ness will see that their hour of doom has come, and will waver and fall back

Yonder also is the Mountain of and take flight and nothing be left of that those mountains are to be prostrated, torn down, ground up, leveled, malpractice, and maifeasance, and the wayside, an agnostic's pen or a put out of sight forever. "Who art blackmail, and burglary, and piracy, broken decanter or a torn playbill of thou, O great mountain? before Zerubbabel thou shalt become a plain."

First, there is the Mountain of First, there is the Mountain of pick-pockets, the thimble-riggers, the dragon's tooth, to show they ever experience, as long as a range of the nees. Prejudice against the Bible plunderers, the marauders, the pillag- the lines of Christian workers, over ers, the corsairs, the wreckers, the fact that what the shovels fail to bandits, the tricksters, the forgers, the do will be accomplished by the thunevery way an unfit book. The most of thus, the garotters, the fire-fiends, the der-bolts "Who art thou, O great dynamiters, the shoplifters, the kleptomountain? before Zerubbabel thou trata the rocks contradict the maniacs, the pyromaniacs, the dip-shalt become a plain."

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A Cricket-Playing Bishop.

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t goes on digging in the earth, "The next creature was the family. "Ay!" says Moses, "I that was next in the Book of the third was next in the third was next in the Book of the 'So God created man in his holder, with his shovel, at ten o'clock ter attracts much attention. The remease; use Bordeaux mixture late in the on sod land, there were 140 in cultivated John's day. The ingathering extended is: 'So God created man in his mage, in the image of God he him; male and female, at he him; male and female, at he him; male and female, at he him; male and female, at he world's disease, who secretly refreshed herself nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach? A.—Thousands would pose, was found proportionate to velometric nard peach t the Bible do not know that the artillery heaped, wheels above wheels, with honey and water, with astonishing like to know this. yria are confirming the Scrip- four pounders above seventy-four on soldiers sick with the disease.

On terra cotta cylinder re- wars, one hundred and eighty million ght up from thousands of slain in war with Turks and Saracens, Wounded in Battle. surial, the capture of Babylon and holding about thirty-five billion There is but one monarch of Burope preferable. is told. On a Babylonian corpses, not million but billion. who can show the scar of a wound refound are the figures of 2 "What a hissing, bellowing, cumb- ceived in war. It is King Humbert, sands of the man and woman | unquenchable fire: convolutions and battle of Custozza.

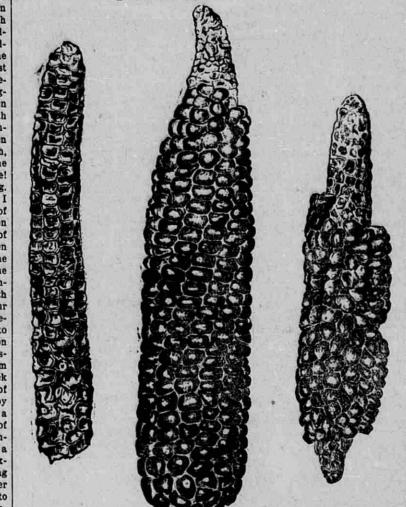
AGRICULTURISTS.

answers were asked | barn yard.

shallow; but deep plowing should be confined to rich lands plowed in the

be, if it can be previously spread and dewgays. plowed in during the fall, but if spread T THE Michigan on the surface as fast as made, dur-Horticultural con- ing the winter season, it suffers less vention the follow- waste and depredation than when fering questions and menting in the shed, or heating in the

and given, as re- 3d. Stable and barn yard manure ported in the Mich- stimulated stalk and leaf growth at igan Fruit Grower: the expense of the ear, but the ashes of Q.—What is the plants, and presumably those of ani-proper method of mals, i. e., manufactured fertilizers. pruning currants? produce a contrary effect; to the ex-



AZTEC INDIAN CORN-PAST AND PRESENT.

zoo and Steven's Rareripe

This will also protect them from being frozen, if the cold weather causes the in two years, and the session this year Preparing for Indian Corn. The man, a woman, and a serpent, ling, soaring force is Kilauea! Lake of hattle of Custozza.

"What a hissing, bellowing, tumb-leved in war. It is the series of a server saber cut at the line of custozza.

The man article on Indian corn, J. D. thermometer to sink below the temper-lasted but seven weeks.

Catou once said:

an yielded her abundant locks in return for a few yards of cotton stuff or a gay petticoat, to which, thanks to the progress of civilization—the coupeur Michigan, St. Johns, Elberta, Kalama- quently adulterated, and there are Sometimes the transaction was not had to add a small sum of money. abundant opportunities for fraud in its completed without much discussion on Q.—Name five good pears. A.— purchase, Farmers and planters fre-both sides. Very often the coupeur had Bartlett, Anjo, Howell, Lawrence, Kee- quently complain of the ineffectiveness to return to the charge owing to female of Paris green after use on their cotton; indecision; and he was more than hap-Q.—Shall we cut back eight to welve but they failed to take samples in ac-

he them." Those prejudiced the Bible do not know that the Columbiads above columbiads, seventy-four columbiads above columbiads, seventy-four pounders above seventy-four pounders, wrecked nations above to grains; H. D. Perkins has had suctous pounders, wrecked nations. This Mountain of wrecked nations. This Mountain of wrecked nations. This Mountain of the grains; H. D. Perkins has had suctous pounders, wrecked nations. This Mountain of wrecked nations. This Mountain of wrecked nations above wheels, curative results, and it was then tried on soldiers sick with the disease.

Those Curves.

Briggs—I had to stand all the way advantage to sow this.

Q.—Would you set plums where an old apple orchard had been? A.—Crop to grains; H. D. Perkins has had success; do not plant in same spots, however.

Briggs—I had to stand all the way advantage to sow the blackest and longest from the blackest and longest from the blackest and longest from the hard of the cellars.—Most cellars with the disease.

C.—Would you set plums where an old apple orchard had been? A.—Crop to grains; H. D. Perkins has had success; do not plant in same spots, however.

Briggs—I had to stand all the way advantage to sow the blackest and longest from the proposition of the dead season.

The latter evil is easily remedied by putting a few lumps of unslaked lime in various parts of the cellars.—Most cellars are not only too warm, but too damp.

The latter evil is easily remedied by putting a few lumps of unslaked lime in various parts of the cellars.—With the column the column the column that the col the same facts written on smeats and on walls of exhumed as written in the Bible. The same found to have been made icks are found to have been made in the wars of Alexander and slain in the wars of Alexander and when they are removed. To keep well cared for. Q.—Will it do to trim the peach tree before February 1st? A.—March is the moisture of the air, which is sweet ened when they are removed. To keep roots in cellars, some dirt should be thrown over and sifted among them.

ABOUT FALSE HAIR

GREEKS WORE IT LONG BEFORE THE CHRISTIAN ERA.

Reapers of a Hirsute Harvest-How They Dazzled the Peasant Women of Brittany with Gay Petticoats and

ped staves and bearing heavy packs of

merchandise upon their backs. At first

glance one would have taken them to

be ordinary hawkers; yet merchandise

was but an accessory to their strange

industry. They were the coupeurs, the

reapers of a hirsute harvest. Armed

with long, keen shears, they went their

way seeking the tresses of willing vic-

tims dwelling in outlying hamlets and villages of peasant France, and a la-

porious business it was From "dewy

morn" until the shadows of night gath-

ered thickly they did their ten or fif-

teen miles a day-often fruitlessly and

with empty stomachs, their only bed

the wayside. In Auvergne these seek-

ers after hair were known as chim-

neurs. The Bretons called them mar-

coulins. These terms have no fit

These curious journeymen exerted very effort to gain their ends-a good

head of hair; the former preferring the local fairs as a work room, the lat-

er choosing to visit the dwellings of

long staff, from which hung twists of hair, while he cried in doleful tones the

well-known "Piau! Piau!" at the

sound of which the cottagers, with an

itching desire to possess some of his

gew-gaws, attracted the wanderer's at-

dazzle their eyes with his many-col-

ored wares, and the bargaining was not

gered his goods the margoulin weighed

her tresses with his hand-a proceed-

ing at which he was adept through long

practice. The bargain ended, the wom-

Happy Vermont.

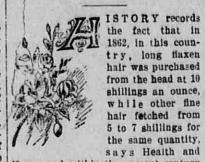
Vermont's Legislature meets but once

slow to begin. While the woman fin-

ention. He was only too pleased to

heir possible clients. In summer the Brittany margoulin was often seen gong through the streets, carrying his

English parallels.



hair fetched from 5 to 7 shillings for the same quantity.

> at Vassar, charged with incest with is niece, Orpha Taylor, aged 17, too whom a child was born Dec. 29. Wine for the Communion Table.

Speer's unfermented grape juice preserved besolutely pure as it runs from the press ithout cooking or the addition of spirits or ny substance in any form whatever. It is reserved by precipitating and extracting are ferment or yeast principal by fumigal. From infancy.



Larrabre? Mr. Gimp (an old bachelor)-What is

ared on the fo'lowing Friday." doesn't always prove fatal so soon."

and a lot of money in taking it alive. parts of bicycles, besides rifles and was a Boston man, of course. He has and after some manoeuvering from a man. so they got him after all, but not in the distance had been rough riding in the way they intended.



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VETERANS' CORNER. | know?" asked a comrade. "Why, don't HIS ONLY ROMA-CE. | Oconomowoc one day in connection Pl

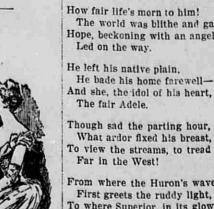
-A War-Time Romance.

The Dest -- in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Thomas O. Doremus, was crushed under the wheels of an engine at Jackson, and died of his injuries. He was one of the best known railroad men in Michigan. White caps dynamited the home of David McArthur at Yale.

What Everybody Says About bea_49. That the Wines and Brandy of the Speer N. J. Wine Co. Passaic, N. J., are leading all the step was swift as mountain deer occupied for delicacy of flavor, and are propulated by the most canable from the step was swift as mountain deer. That skims the vale. And his eagle glance, Which told perception keen, diable than French Brandies. Druggists "Of will to do and soul to dare,"

William Brown, aged 20, was jailed



Where stretched the giant shore, Miss Ruby-Wasn't it sad about Mr. From Del Fuego's utmost bound To Labrador.

"Yes, it's sad; but then marriage spot, in Rutland county, Vermont .-



FOR OLD SOLDIERS.

"The Soldier's Grave"—Recollections of Mr. Byers, who relates that anecdote, Gen. William Tecumseh 'Sherman-He narrates in "Human Documents" other Admired the Bare Legs of His Soldiers | personal recollections of "Sherman's

The youth to manhood rose. ('Tis fancy tells the tale:)

Deep fixed within. Perchance a mother's love. A father's tender care,

With every kindly household bond,

How fair life's morn to him! The world was blithe and gay-Hope, beckoning with an angel's smile, Led on the way.

The fair Adele. Though sad the parting hour, What ardor fixed his breast, To view the streams, to tread th

From where the Huron's wave First greets the ruddy light, To where Superior, in its glow, Lies calm and bright-Where rose the forest deep

The grave here spoken of was poin ed out to the writer as the final resting "the was married on Tuesday and place of a French officer-a single mound, without a stone to mark the The author.

So they made nooses in two long ropes, thirty rounds of ammunition to every recently died, and his name was I. C. rock above, managed to lasso the neck These wheelmen were a detachment author nor the publishers of this truthand one leg of the tiger. The beast, of of the Twenty-fifth Regiment of United ful little history of the United States. course awoke, and for a time regarded States Infantry. They had come on The fate of this book is a singular proof the ropes indifferently; but when he their wheels from Fort Missoula, by of the way in which mercenary and attempted to walk away, and found way of Fort Yellowstone and the Na- grasping publishers can completely thimself restrained, his rage knew no tional Park, having covered altogether change public opinion from the fixed bounds. He gave two or three great a distance of eleven hundred miles in facts of settled history in regard to the jumps, and the ropes snapped like twenty-two days. In the meantime rebellion, and be made to believe falsestrings, and then he started for his they had made and broken camp in the hood to be historical truth. Now, the would-be captors, and would have rain, ridden through mud, sand, dust school book publishers have a large caught them had not he become en- and water, and over rocks, ruts and money interest at stake to keep things tangled in the ropes. While he was stones, they had crossed mountain as they are, reckless of historical umping around they poured bullets ranges and forded streams-in fact, truth.-Boston Grand Army Record. nto him, and finally hit a vital spot. they had stopped for nothing. Much of

every sense of the word. A CRY OF WARNING.

The journey was really made to test the question whether the bicycle is suitable for such military purposes as it would have to serve if used in west.

"I suffered for years and years with the question whether the bicycle is suitable for such military purposes as it would have to serve if used in west. The journey was really made to test is just died in England, and who for many years had the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, was the second husband, says Prof. H. Newell Martin, who has

its bicycle corps.

what might possibly have happened to days. It was a considerable time bewhich way the wind is."

Gen. Sherman paid small attention to fore he could eat any solid food, but her, till his health began to fail. He

gwine ter frail de hide off ye for eatwhich way the wind is."

ppearances; to dress, almost none. he recovered, and has swallowed had never thought the daily walk of a in' de 'possum!" when he did, his staff knew that something was going to happen. "There is going to be a battle to-day, sure,"

he recovered, and has swantowed swords or passed them down his throat many thousands of times since.

Several weeks passed by and the chair still continued vacant. On the of the gold coin now in circulation chair still continued vacant. On the continued vacant. is going to be a battle to-day, sure," said Col. Audenreid, of the staff, one The truly valiant dare everything ex- very day his two years was up Joe re- in England a small proportion only sorning before daylight. "How do you cept doing any other body an injury. | membered that she had spoken of bears an earlier date than 1879.

you see? The general's up there by the fire putting on a clean collar. The SOME GOOD SHORT STORIES sign's dead sure." A battle did take place that day, and Cheraw with forty cannon fell into the hands of Sherman's

March to the Sea" through the swamps and woods and over bridgeless N GALLIA'S sunny fields, streams. The general shared all the privations and hardships of his soldiers—sleeping under the streams. Where blooms in his uniform. One night Sherman been fortunate in securing a position for the rest of the week, but the eglantine, and his staff lodged in a little deserted at once, through a brother of his town | might not happen in four whole days? And where luxuriant clusters bend
The fruitful
The frui young fellows who are not well," he said, laughingly, as he stretched him-

A Lost School History.

A War-Time Romance.

folk at home that he finally got in the tel. Every man in the army knew the general's face, and thousands specified with him personally, and at times with amusing familiarity. "Don't ride too in the hight smile of Coursin Fan who is the hight smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the fact that a circus was in the high smile of the high smil amusing familiarity. "Don't ride too fast, general!" they would cry out, secting his horse plunging in the mire at the roadside, as he tried to pass some division. "Pretty slippery going, Undivision. "Pretty slippery going, Untown to do his marketing. The girls made him feel quite at home to see the capital address." "Say town to do his marketing. The girls made him feel quite at home to see the capital address." cle Billy, pretty slippery going." "Say with whom some of his fellow-clerks general, kin you tell us is this the road associated, and with whom they tried of a circus being in town. How differo Richmond?" The general's simple to make him at home, somehow failed ent from Chicago, where nothing avail themselves of this means of getstyle of living, which meant army rate fill the bill. Somehow it didn't seem seemed to be able to command but ting a quick reading. Address Prof. circums and such chickens as his cook right for the fellows to greet them on passing interest. tions and such chickens as his cook right for the fellows to greet them on passing interest. could forage, with sleeping under a the street with a familiar slap on the Then he remembered that at home Clinton, St., Chicago, Ill. "fly" pitched in the woods, showed the shoulder and a "Hello, Kit, old girl, everybody went to the circus-why The following are the readings for men that their privations were shared how you is?" and in spite of himself shouldn't they do it here?--and per- this week: by the commander, and made them he felt too much of an aversion to haps she might be there. He would ready to go anywhere and do anything he might order. There is official record that one division waded through ord that one division waded through order.

There is official recording and dropped them.

According to the data the sign Libra, go to the circus.

It was a little late when Joe reached the them to enjoy himself or make himself entertaining and dropped them.

According to the data the sign Libra, which Venus rules, was rising at your the tent. He had not calculated on birth, therefore Venus is your the tent.

swamps, and forded thirty-five rivers, be sure, so slowly that Joe hardly knew how many would be ahead of him for planet or significator. You are medium where the cold water often reached to there had been a change till it was the single barber's chair nor how long height or above; graceful figure; med the men's waists. While thus floura- there. For several days the seat at it would take the hotel bootblack to um to dark complexion; blue eyes dering through swamps this division the opposite end of the table in the built fifteen miles of corduroy wagon- restaurant Joe ate lunch had been ocroad, and 122 miles of side road for cupied by a modest-appearing little the open space to the ropes and start- cheerful, jovial, youthful and happ the troops. The horses and mules of woman, whose long lashes fringed the fing at one end glanced as critically at ten floundered in the bottomless roads. became discouraged, gave out and died. By pouting lips and rounded cheeks of line lamps would allow. Of a sudden delight in going to theaters, parties Then the men took their places, and glowed with the natural health which he stopped, rubbed his eyes and looked dances, and any place where a goo dragged 10,000 wagons, besides ambu-lances and batteries, for miles. The which only country air can give. The soldiers had caught the enthusiasm of next day she was in the same seat, and ever, appearing quite out of place dislike to see bloodshed. You love t heir general.—Youth's Companion. | the next and the next, and Joe soon among the rustics who surrounded her | see justice rendered to all and would

In 1870 a Boston book publisher (not now living) published a school history In the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the last the of the United States that was loyal to the month of September last the last In the month of September last the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of Helena, the capital of Mon- truth in its statement of facts of the people of the pe Adventure with a Bengal Tiger. tana, were surprised to see riding tection. This box was obtained in a patient that he was at the table five that she assigned no reason for her here. From Bengal comes an amusing, although exciting tale of two young though exciting tale of two young army officers who tried to capture a tiger. Having gorged itself on a cow, bicycles. They were weather-beaten tiger. Having gorged itself on a cow, bicycles. They were weather-beaten to a close. They were weather that the bestore his accustomed time. Sudden departure from Chicago.

She was not there and his heart sank. All things must have an end and the entertainment came to a close. She was printed about 1877, and was used. According to data you are a mixture.

Campbell. The writer never saw the

"I'M ASHAMED OF YOU." womb and kidney trouble in their ern campaigns. It was not a test of Town Topics, of the once famous Bal- how it happened, the big blue eyes that was surrentitiously waved to him. timore beauty and belle, Miss Hetty flashed for a moment into his and he

"I had terrible pains in my abdomen and back; The eight soldiers carried everything men and back; The eight soldiers carried everything men and back; The eight soldiers carried everything men and back; The eight soldiers carried everything carry whose romantic first marriage to Gen. Pegram was an affair of important timore beauty and bells, miss metty flashed for a moment into his and he was on his feet blushing and bowing.

Truth Crushed to Earth.

This was the beginning, and it be-

a success, and as demonstrating the utility of the bicycle for actual military purposes. He believes that soon every regiment in the army will have every regiment and the army will have eve

A trivial action may announce the feats and examined him, and some time left, the chair was still vacant. The coming of an important event. The since one doctor, after he had got the next day the same experience. He recoming of an important event. The staff officers of a commander in chief staff of a commander in chief staff officers of a commander in chief staff of a it up into the air—you may see by that faint and remain unconscious for three in such uncertainty. He brooded over "No! You kinky-headed debbil,

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with her family. He would ask for a few days' respite from work and go was two years up there. He had never asked for a GOO since Joe Bentley vacation and they surely would not rehad left his home fuse him. Besides, it was not far from

in a quiet little Chicago and many Chicago men went Reading by Mail Becoming a Popula Ohlo town to seek up Saturday nights to spend Sunday Featur of This Department Parthe his fortune in the with their families who were stopping West. Fortwoyears there. Anyhow, he would go for the each working day rest of the week-possibly he might had found him at see her or learn of her and the change his desk in a large | would do him good even if he didn't. mercantile house The next morning, Wednesday, he in Chicago. He had started. He could only be spared for

said, laughingly, as he stretched himself out on a long, hard bench. When
the army reached Goldsborough half
the army reached Goldsborough half
world's Fair and other attractions
The army reached Goldsborough half
The army r the men were in rags. One day a division was ordered to march past the country boy, but these soon paled or admiring the handsome houses and the tion can be given. Such as "Lorent past of the country boy, but these soon paled or admiring the handsome houses and the tion can be given. passed away, and the loneliness settled upon him as he felt himself a stranger in a strange land.

For a time he attended church, as had been his habit at home, but they officer. "Splendid legs," retorted the general with a twinkle in his eye: "splendid legs! Would give both of mine for any one of them."

passed away, and the loneliness settled upon him as he felt himself a stranger launches, filled with happy campers, darting to and fro. In the afternoon he hired a boat and tried to fish, but after a couple of hours' effort, when only a couple of sickly looking dog-fish rewarded his efforts, he gave it up in disgust and returned to the hotel.

Topeka, or any other name the applications should do so as soon as possible. It is often necessary to send special instructions. Those who do not know the hour or date of birth should send.

The folk at home that he finally got in the launches, filled with happy campers, launches, f general in review. The men were bare. passed away, and the loneliness settled beautiful twin takes, and watching the Topeka, or any other name the appli-

came to look forward, unthinkingly, to —and, wonder of wonders, there was make a good teacher or judge. You seeing the bright face of the unknown. an empty seat beside her. In a matter will have a very eventful life and be One day the chair was vacant, and of ten minutes Joe had forced his way a great traveler. You are not prom-

the animal was asleep when these two men caught sight of it. They might have shot it, but it occurred to them that there would be as much honor that there would be as much honor that there would be as much honor the first the animal was asleep when these two men caught sight of it. They might have shot it, but it occurred to them that there would be as much honor that there would be as much honor that there would be as much honor the first the about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same that it bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three three bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used three about 1877, and was used the bodded again as the same three about 1877, and was used thre As they were nearing a crossing and is co-significator because on the as rying on a correspondence a woman's above; medium to dark complexion hair way. Margaret half turned around very luxuriant. You are very ener-

> the arm and drew her to one side as ment. You will be subject to chronic she said: "I've been hunting for you every- have a fine intellect and can readily where—what made you change your seat? We won't trouble this young man for his company any further"— are quite secretive in your nature and the secretive in your nature and your nature and your nature and your nature and your nature with a scathing look at Joe-"I'm do not tell everything you know. You ashamed of you, out with a young man should secure a finished education and and your wedding only three days off. make a salaried position your main ob-I'll be glad when Frank has you to ject by which to secure your money. look after instead of me." You will not be very fortunate in any-And as Margaret was being hurried thing connected with love and maraway from across the street Joe caught riage.

year at the London aquarium) was the passing down his throat of fourteen bill of fare would be. He ate as slowly "What does dat mean, eh?"

ANETARY SIGNS

AND EVIL PERIODS HUMAN LIFE.

HE astrologer agas of applicants fo this column to th and address plainly written must ac-

readings appear. In case that the ap-

Joe was opening up a subject of car- cendant. You are medium height or form came under the light across the and eyes; full face; the hair grows to go back with a "Gracious, there's getic and ambitious; you naturally take ma!" Joe looked more closely and the lead in anything you become insaw a middle-aged woman with a de- terested in. You dislike a subordinate termined-looking face hurrying toward position of any kind and should althem. She took Margaret sharply by ways be at the head of your departheadaches in the early part of life. You

"Lorene:" Topeka Kansas. You have a refined, sensitive and The eight soluters carried everytuing cound hardly drag myself.

Could hardly drag myself around; had the obtained the bluese of the series of the wheel.

No such test of the bluese has probable to carry over the start of the bluese of the wheel. In Surpo have in gis unnecessary; go to your druggist and get ab bottle that their suffers and now well by your wey. You over this chance of it anyway. You over t confiding nature and anything rough or

Policemen went to the morgue in 'New York the other day and fired swords at the same time. Many medswords at the sa

STATISTICS.

huahua, with an area of nearly 90,000 The Vermont Legislature has adont-

ed a law requiring heavy wagons to-

have wide tires. Bowling, billiards and card play are unlawful in Michigan, accordi some dead-letter statutes. Joe Jefferson's son poss

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Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets

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the M. E. church were the means of at A. W. Weekes'.

See what A. W. Weekes has to say about linens in his ad this week. Mrs. Ennice Williams was taken mother Mrs, Lull, and continues on the sick list.

The Administrators of the estate of Wm. Proctor deceased filed their first the Catholic church.

The compromise between the vilage and the bondsmen of ex-Village Treasurer Barber is making considerable headway and an early settlement is expected.

A beautiful set of artificial teeth for \$5 at Dr. J. H. Rickert's. Ask to see sample.

Joe Richmond was called to Sandusky, Ohio, last week on account of the illness of his mother.

J. M. Champlain of Clarksville visited his sister, Mrs. J. Gulliford, last Frank Gulliford is learning teleg-

raphy at the D. G. H. & M. depot. Mr. Smith of Greenville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Clark. Wm. Jones was in Grand Rapids on business Wednesday.

Cambell.

NOTICE.—Freeman Winters was press news he not only asks him to duly appointed sexton of cometeries throw away part of his stock in trade No. 1 and No. 2, Lowell, in July but he requests him to violate his con 1896. He will do all work as dir. tract with his subscribers and the ected. See him in person or leave general public. This is a thing which

refused to restore the salaries of the circuit judges, in that county to \$3,500, from which figure they were cut last year to \$2,500.

Attorney Mains is ill.

Mrs. H. Gregory of St. Johns, spe Sunday here.

H. A. Peckham is absent on a trip in the interests of the Lowell Cutter sick soon after the death of her and Michigan Wood Rim companies. The Ladies of the W. C. T. U. will brother of first named. neet with Mrs. Soules Friday afternoon, Jan. 29. Residence north of

> BARGAIN—house, barn and three sideration of care for he rest of lots for sale for \$325. Mrs. Knight his life by Fred and wife. Emerson Davenport of Keene and Cassie M. King of Akron are married,

Three Kent county ruralities were brought to Kent county jail Wednesday and are now locked up, pending examination on various charges. They are: Fred Curtis, of Cedar Springs, aged thirty-five, arrested by Constable Joseph Bullock on a sixty-four years old, on suspicion of larceny. The latter charge is brought by a woman who lived in same house with Hustings and his father. She missed a diamond ring valued at \$75, Record. and acting on the theory that Hastings had purloined it, had him arrested .- Kent County Citizen.

A photographer's family are said to be living in a tent at Grattan Centre and doing quite a business,

press news he not only asks him to Campbell, in this county. Hayes ing by keeping faith with the public. It is well to be obliging, but it is better to be honest . - [Press and Printer. Edna Clark, who has been very ill, is improving.

Mrs. H. A. Davis is seriously ift. Mrs. H. S Schreiner has been suffering a severe attack of inflamma-

tory rheumatism. Mrs. Gardner Hall, son Pearl and Mrs. Kate Hall of Ningara county, N. Y. are the guests of Thos. Charles,

Orlow M. Collar has transfered to Fred L. Barnes and wife lot 10, block 25, Avery's plat, this village, in con-

In the adjourned case of Carl Speaker before Judge Carry tolay, defendant was bound over to the circuit court with bail fixed at \$200. The young man's father, who resides at Lowell, is here to procure bai for his son if possible - [Ionia Sentinel.

Give the icy mitt to a young woman going about the state soliccharge of indecent exposure; John W. iting aid to send an old lady to the Wise af Kent City, mental derange-ment, in custody for safe keeping; and the old lady is a myth. She Archie Hastings, of Lowell township, has worked several towns in this vicinity and succeeded in working several charitable people out of several dollars. - Howard City

George Hayes, aged 21, was arrested Tuesday about five miles north-west from Lowell by Deputy Sheriff Otis of this village. Haves is charged with having stolen a set of shirt studs and cutting up a shirt When a man asks an editor to sup- belonging to Frank Becker of was formerly a resident of Campbell but for the past two years has lived at Six Lakes and has been back to Campbell but a short time. His trial will be held before Justice Curry of Ionia tomorrow .- [Saranac Local.

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of A. O. Heydlauff is said to be of

carletina instead of scarlet fever.

ith the grippe now and the child is

Springs, mattreses and cots at Yei-

An exchange pointedly remarks

at merchants who want newspaper

men to discourage grocery peddlers and the like would make editors feel

more like doing so if these same mer-chants would quit using free letter heads and envelopes, baking powder statements and rubber stamps, and

Miss Lulu Brown of Grand Rapids

lk coffee at Bergin's,

tronize bome papers.

Mr. and Mrs. Heydlauff are both sick

fter a week's illness with the grip.