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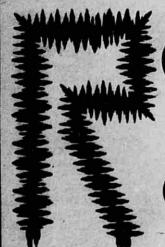
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Gasoline Stoves, new and second hand

at greatly reduced prices.

150 foot Thresher Belts \$25.00 to close out.

R. B. Boylan.

THE BELDING ROAD.

Fyfe Says It Will be Put Through Soon.

Belding, Aug. 10.—It now seems certain that Belding is at last to have added railroad facilities. A syndicate of Boston has secured the representative convention-Fred options on the Chicago, Kalamazoo Kaginaw and the Lowell & Hast-ham; to the senatorial convention ings railroads, and it is the inten- F. N. White, D. G. Look, C. O. Hill. ell & Hastings south from Freeport The Greenville Band Convention. to Hastings to connect with the Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw, and north from Lowell to Belding. This will give Belding a very much needed opening direct to Chicago by the way of Chicago. Attorney Fyfe, of Grand Rapids, is author-ity for the statement that the road will be built within three months after the right of way is secured through Belding.

Union Harvest Picnic.

The Fourteenth Annual Union Harvest Picnic will be held at Saranac Wednesday, Aug. 24th. Prof.
L. R. Taft, of the Michigan, Agricultural College, R. A. Hawley, of Ionia, and others will address the for her watch. meeting. Gov. Pingree will be at the picnic if possible for him to attend. The Clarksville and Smyrna bands will be present and a grand balloon ascension in the afternoon, G. A. Potts, Secy.

BUNDLE OF BONES.

Caledonia Soldier Reaches Home After a Trying Trip.

Caledonia, Aug. 16.—Walter Brooks of Comany F, Thirty-second Michigan, has arrived at his home. He received a ten days' furlough, and although he was then hardly able to drag himself around, he would travel until he would get so weak he could stand it no longer and would then get limit Sept. 13. An extension of limoff and rest until the next train. It to Oct. 2nd will be made upon de-Thus in four days' time he reached Grand Rapids, where some friends took him to the U. B. A. hospital. He 10 Geo. DeHaven, G. A. R. refused to stay there, declaring: "I am going home if I have to walk."

Brooks is nothing but a bundle of ones. When he enlisted he was atbding college at Ann Arbor, but opped everything and went to the front .He was in the Thirty-second hospital corps.

Call and see my work. Rae Malcolm. Photogapher. Lee bldg.

Republican Delegates.

in Caucus Tuesday and elected the following delegates:

To the county convention-F. N.

is reported to have been way below par in attendance, man-

The members of the different bands here and are understood to be ready us at any time. We had better ask

and D., G. R. & W. Rys. For the G. A. R. Annual Encampment at Cincinnati, these lines will sell tickets Sept. 3d to 6th in-

Lost His Barn and Crops.

afternoon, Cause unknown. Insur- ance of this letter. grain, seventy five tons of hay and the farm tools were burned.

White, L. J. Post, C. W. Wisner; to

agement and hospitality. There the affair and everything went by guess and by chance. There were less than a dozen bands there and the boys were poorly fed. To cap the climax, a girl who got mixed up in a free-for-all, accused two of the band boys of stealing her watch and they had a bit of an argument with an of-

The next convention will be held at Belding, and that town will probably make a success of the undertak-

have not forgotten their good time them to come again next August.

G. A R. Excursion Via C. & W. M.

Lake Odessa, August 12 -A barn belonging to Lester Bushnell, six miles stane is I am writing and hope you northwest of town, burned late this will excuse the rather soiled appearence light. Loss, \$2,000. All the

CUBA LETTER.

Another Letter From Sergt. Long. Maurice Lang Missing.

Santiago, Cuba, July 28, 1898.

Friend Will:

I wrote you a letter some time ago but have since learned that all of our mail has been held at Kingston, Jamaca, for the 5c postage rate and also for funigation and as it may be some time before you get that letter, I will write another which I think will leave to-morrow directly for the states.

Shortly after I wrote you our company was detailed on hospital duty and as there were a great many cases of suspected yellow tever we were quarantined for ten days at Siboney, during which time we burned every building in the town and moved the hospital farther up the coast. A

great many boys in our regiment have the fever, mostly malarial and typhoid and quite a number have been sent to the United States for treatment, including Gen. Duffield, Col. Boyn-ton, Maj. Webb, Maj. Vaughn and a good many privates. I think that Maurice Lang was in the hospital and we have lost track of him. They probably went to Fortress Monroe.

When we were released from quarantine we moved up near Santiago where we now are. Our camp is well located, being right on the beach near Fort Morro.

The city of Santiago is like all tropical towns, low buildings, narrow crooked streets, with sidewalks wide enough for one, and a general appear-ance of filthiness, although some parts are quite the opposite. The most important buildings are the governor's palace, ustom house and the cathedral. This Cathedral is said to have been built in 1600. It appears like an old ruin appointed inside. The Palace is now General Shafter's head quarters. The natives of the place seem to like the turn affairs have taken and treat us very

The stores are very much alike and one can purchase anything from a pound of nails to a gold watch without the trouble of going next door. Lowell township Republicans met Of course the city is in a state of Caucus Tuesday and elected the fol-starvation and prices are very high. For instance, tea is \$4.00 per pound, canned goods \$1.25 per can and a meal, consisting of soup, bread, coffee

and truit, costs from \$1.50 up The bay is crowded with American ships all of which seem to be idle and some think that they are waiting to take some of the troops away others believe that we will remain here some time. Everything is in uncertainty so far as the men know and as we sel-The band convention at Greenville dom get any news from the outside world we know nothing of what is going on. I received a Lowell Journal of July 6th yesterday and we had a Detroit News of July 9th. Those

are the latest papers we have received. Our 1st Lieut. A. J. Babcock, of Flint, Mich., died on the 25th of typhoid fever, perhaps you remember him. He was well liked by all the boys and was a good officer. His remains will be shipped home by the next transport.

The weather here is very hot and is the cause of a good deal of suffering. Our regiment has the most to contend with for we have had no tents issued us and lost most of our blankets, etc. on July 1st. It rains in torrents nearly every afternoon and a great many men are compelled to sleep in

their wet clothing. We have never been issued the brown canvass suits that were so much talked about aud rations are the same one would need if he were searching for the North Pole.

In spite of all the hardships, though, to accept another invition to revisit I am feeling pretty well and think I can hold out as long as any of them. All of the Lowell boys are well except Lang. The number in the hospital from our company I think is 22, but none are very dangerously ill. Our 2nd Lieut. was sent home with the fever last week. He is Lieut. O'Rielly Atkinson, of Detroit, son of Col. Atkinson, so that the only

officer we have now is Capt. Wagner.
I would like to hear from you in the near future and let me know how every one is in Lowell.

Give my regards to all my friends and tell them that I am in good health. Say that I would be pleased to hear from any of them. Of course, you understand under what circum-

I remain as ever, your friend, Sergt. Clarence E. Long, Co. L. 33 Mich. Vol. Inf.,

Musical Recital and Entertainment. First monthly recital given by the pupils of Edward D. Misner's vocal class at the First Baptist church, Friday evening, Aug. 26, at 8:00 standard time.

PROGRAMME. Piano Solo, "America"

Ona Hunter. Reading, "American Flag." Tenor Solo, "There Room's for one More Star."

Will Murphy. Medley, "Red, White and Blue." Mandolin club. Soprano Solo, "The Choir Boy." Nina Wisner.

Reading. "How Mickey Got 'Kilt' n the War." Soprano Solo, "New Kingdom."

Fern Clark. Soprano-Tenor Duet, "Edenland." Maud Anderson -Elward Misner. Music, "Selected."

Reading, "Lips that Touch Liquor Shall Never Touch Mine." Grace Blakeslee.

Tenor Solo, "Break the News to Mother." Edward D, Misner.

Piano Duet. "Se'ec:ed." Anetta Watts-Mary Whitney, Class Song, "Song of Freedom" After program refreshments will be served by ladies of the church. Admission 15 including recital and refreshments. Proceeds will apply to

PROGRAM FOR RE-OPENING SERVICE.

At First Baptist Church, Lowell, August 21 and 22, '98.

SUNDAY A. M., 10:30. Voluntary, Miss Anetta Watts

Invocation Hymn Responsive Reading

Prayer Anthem, "Praise ye the Father."

Announcements Scripture Lesson Vocal Duet, "He that makes the

Sparrows,"Langstoff. Nina Wisner, Bertha Ransford. Hymn Sermon, Rev. C. E. Conley,

Hymn Benediction

SUNDAY P. M., 2:30. Voluntary; Miss Anneta Watts Hymn Scripture Lesson

Prayer Anthem, "Rock of Ages," Nelson Announcements Vocal solo, "Close to thy bleeding side," Danks.

Maud Anderson. Hymn Sermon, Rev. Chas. Oldfield, of Cedar Springs.

Prayer Hymn Benediction

SUNDAY EVENING, 7:30. Voluntary, Miss Anetta Watts Hymn Scripture Lesson

Prayer Anthem, "Just as I am," Parks Announcements Anthem, "Great is the Lord,"

McPhail Hymn Sermon, Rev. C. E. Conley

Ladies' Quartette, "Good Night," MONDAY EVENING, 7:30. Voluntary, Miss Anetta Watts Hymn

Prayer Anthem, "God Bless our Native Land," Lorenz. Remarks, Rev. C. E. Conley Vocal Solo, "The Holy City,"

Edward D. Misner. Remarks, Rev. Tilley, Hastings Anthem, "I was glad," Bemis Remarks, Rev. E. H. Shanks, of

Flushing. Ladies' Trio, "Sing sweet stars," Remarks, Rev. Chas. Oldfield Male Quartette, "When Circles ar broken," Koschat.

Broke His Leg.

broke one of his legs at the hip. Dr. on our list of subscribers, Santiago, Cuba. McDannell was called to attend him.

THE MARKET PARTY OF THE PARTY O

Genuine Clearance Sale

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CUTLERY

To close out every pattern of Knives, Shears, Razors, etc. we have in stock to get ready for the largest and most complete line of Cutlery ever offered in Lowell.

Christy Pattern Sets 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, etc, Extra Forks, All styles, Each

Everything must go. Don't expect us to mention every bargain in this line that we have. Advertising costs money and we are already making a BIG sacrifice on this CLEARANCE LALE.

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I Want Your

Old Gold and Silver

and will pay Cash for it.

I want to make you prices on the largest stock of watches, clocks and jewelry ever shown in Lowell. I want to do your repairing, guaranteeing satisfaction in every respect.

C. M. HIGBY.

ANELEGANT LOT OF

Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons Surrey's and Family Rigs

Just received, as fine as silk and we will sell them at prices that will astonish the oldest inhabitant.

H. NASH, On the Bridge,

LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Men and women wanted

Samuel Pethill fell from a straw To bring a Dollar to the LEDGER office and place their name stack in South Lowell yesterday and

Kentuckians to a man are in favor of war on the water.

Many a man starves today while feeding on tomorrow's hopes.

heart, produced by grief over her son going to the front with the Dakota troops. The Dakota contingent was sent to Manila to support Dewey, and Mrs. Ledeboer feared that her boy would never return. None but the mothers can ever know how their heart strings were pulled when their boys shouldered muskets and marched away under old glory to meet such fate as might be decreed to them. But the boys will come home one of these days, and then how proud the mothers will be of them.

In the opinion of Carlos S. Fox. for mer United States vice-consul at Santiago, the surrender of that Spanish stronghold means the resumption of business, with good chances for wideawake, active business men, who grasp the situation early to reap the greatest benefits. He says that, except a match factory in Santiago, there are no manufacturing plants in eastern eat and drink comes from other countries. This being the case, there will be a first-class opportunity for all manufacturing enterprises. The land, which is fertile, but so far has not been properly tilled, is well adapted to raising coffee, sugar, tobacco and cattle, which, according to Mr. Fox, could be sent to the United States without causing competition with home products. In the interior the land abounds with mahogany, cedar and other kinds of timber. Concluding, the vice-consul says that a railroad is needed from =

to be expected and the idea is to be paper.

commended. The Klondike is not the In that country of chance and hazard from this main tank. only gold region in the Yukon valley. Buckey got hold of some good mining Alaskan streams as in those of the northwest territory, and they can be prospected and worked under much more liberal restrictions. The fact that the territory, and became the terror of the Klondike output of gold has failen somewhat below what even the most conservative expected is in large part due to the needlessly heavy tax laid on mining enterprises by the Canadian government. The fact that the government agreement, and they are to be of the broken heart, and the design of the community will be long remembered. He was the best shot in the territory, and became the terror of lawbreakers. He came unscathed from a number of desperate fights. His next political office was that of sheriff of the three for many years, rather than that attent of composition, to say, that if, when a man's fortunes fail, he has a good wife to be ought not to be despondent. "Oh," you say, "that only increases the embarrass-ment, since you have her also to take the way free to her of the broken heart, but the to life despondent. "Oh," you say, "that only increases the embarrass-ment, since you have her also to take the way free to her of the broken heart, hay God put into my hand the cold, bitter cup of privation, and give me nothing but a windowless hut for shelf that the territory, and became the territory and became the territory and became the best shot in the territory, and became the territory and became the to lie despondent. "Oh," you say, "that only increases the embarrass-ment, since you have her also to take the way free to her of the broken heart, but the cold bitter cup of privation, and give me nothing that the travel in any quantity up to a gallon.

At present only the hot water is on tap. Later, compartments in the adarter cases the embarrass ment, since you have her also to take care of." You are an ingrate, for the woman suppors the man suppor si the woman. The man man's fortunes fail, he has a good with the to lie despondent. "Oh," you say, "that only increases the embarrass when the life desired with the first of effect upon the full development of the country. There is reason to believe the country. There is reason to believe the country water by means of enother the bolling water by the bolling water that the Canadian authorities have overreached themselves in this matter, and the marked movement that has now begun toward Alaskan streams now begun toward Alaskan streams now begun toward alaskan streams and willing to die for him. The women of Prescott presented the riders with a silk flag (the first raised of the Tenth street summer). The women of the Tenth street summer that has a sharp rock on the other side. The would be drink at any hour of the day or night. She Smoked on an Open Car. On one of the Tenth street summer that has have, in fact, been for many centuries contributing to the extension of the contribution to the contribut overreached themselves in this matter,

definite, "the naval battle of Santiago", pily, the lighter swung round and for colds.-Philadelphia Record. would answer the purpose.

ROUGH RIDER TO FALL. Type of the True American—Was Sheriff, no matter where he happened to be

Story of His Career.

proud to have him taken as a national

could reach them.

Buckey exemplified the time-worn

the loving are the daring." A gentle

little woman, whom he married several

and Colorado "Buckey" wrote a few

CAPTAIN "BUCKEY" O'NEILL

CAPT. "BUCKY" WAS FIRST saying, "The bravest are the tenderest, "PEOPLE OF MANY TROUBLES,"

THE SUBJECT.

Judge, Scout, Miner, Sure Shot and when away from home, wrote her a let-Fighter-Tenderness to His Wife- ter every day. Even in his pursuit of a Sharp Rock on the Other"-Scattercriminals over the deserts of Arizona ing of the Philistines.

most picturesque man in the west, was one of the first to fall before Spanish at Earlies and the first to fall before Spanish bullets in ambigh at Santiago. "Buckey" cane from Arizona with his band of 300 km been stung by a bee to know that bees are partial to sweet things.

What defense could Uncle Sam put pif Spain sued for damages for giving ner imprisoned troops indiges—time. The first is an imprisoned troops indiges—time. The first is an interest to fall before Spanish of a near and dear friend. He was too splendid to be the first was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the scene. I know that David cracked the skull of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the scene. I know that David cracked the skull of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the scene. I know that David cracked the skull of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the scene. I know that David cracked the skull of the fall was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the Second are that David cracked the skull of the first to fall before Spanish was one of the Second are that David cracked the skull of the first to fall before Spanish was of 61. His broad of 300 Gideonites scattered ten by the Cash of the first to fall before Spanish was of 61. His broad of 300 Gideonites scattered ten by the Cash of the first

wonders. It is projected in the form of a rocket and is guaranteed to sink anything from a rowboat to an island.

It is a sad story that comes from Spearfish, S. D., to the effect that the Spearfish, S. D., to the effect that the street of a companion of a rocket and is guaranteed to sink anything from a rowboat to an island.

The water comes from the street of side, and and pass of the companion of the officiating pastor, there has ship of angels. The suppose that the overhang-liam Owen O'Neill. He was born of Irish parents in St. Louis in 1860. He graduated from the National Law school of the District of Columbia, and later out of seventy-two applicants for suppose that the overhang-liam overshadowing rocks on either side, did not balk or dishearten Jonathan or his bodyguard, but only roused and filled them with enthusiasm as they went up. "There was a sharp rock on the one side, and a sharp rock on the officiating pastor, there has ship of angels. He lives upward; he ship of angels. We shall not the companion that the other side of them the rock of persecution, and on the other side of them the rock of persecution. Oh, then accept the wholesale invitation which I make this day to all the other side of them the rock of persecution. Oh, then accept the wholesale invitation whi

goes through it. But the man who has was making him as miserable as she and a sharp rock on the other side." trouble to the right of him, and trouble to the left of him, is to be pitied. sessed by the devil, as I suppose she Did either trouble come alone, he might was; never doing him a kindness until endure it, but two troubles, two dis- the day she ran away, so that he wrote extensive and varied menu. In fact, asters, two overshadowing misfortunes in his diary these words: "I did not the difficulty of keeping animals from name on the back of a note before he and a sharp rock on the other."

work them without exorbitant taxation.

"Buckey" then went the front. He
girl laughed and threw the halfnation "battle of July Third" be applied to the great naval engagement
that marked the destruction of the
that marked the destruction of the
Cape Verde fleet. As the fighting on Cape Verde fleet. As the fighting on land about Santiago was chiefly confined to the battle of El Caney and the fined to the battle of El Caney and the struck accent, "I—am—surprised." Incur when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "I such that the gutter of the gutter. "I such the gutter of the gutter." They had the struck accent, "I—am—surprised." make the gutter of the gutter of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Charley in the gutter." They had the gutter of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Charley in the gutter." They had the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "Mabel," hour when they called their creditors of the gutter. "As the fighting of the gutter." They had the gutter of the gutter of the gutter. "I such the gutter of the gutter storming of San Juan these two names and who died "with his boots on" and tone, "so am I. I don't know what I troubles, either one of which they thy; you need the sympathy of God. formulas—the saintliness of by life, and the sympathy of God. I when I was thinking of whom I was the was the was thinking of whom I was the will cover the army's part sufficiently.

Whis face to the enemy. At Baiquiri was thinking of when I lit that one.

There is no reason, therefore, why the Corporal Cobb and Private English fell I've been smoking them all week by designation of Santiago should not be from the lighter into the sea. Quick the doctor's orders, and I'll never do retained, it would not have been so; or mother, or husband ever could or make her one of the most agreeable used in distinguishing the naval vic- as lightning "Buckey" was overboard it again in public." The cigarette was bad. The man could have bought the ever did; and, instead of sitting down, characters which the scientific his tory, or, if it is desired to be still more and swimming toward them. Unhap- of the cubeb variety, commonly used very best medical advice, and he could wringing your hands in despair, you of the last century offers us.—App have had the very best attendance, and long lines of carriages would have heights of consolation for you, though July.

WAS A GOOD FELLOW. crussed both the soldiers before he TALMAGE'S SERMON. stopped at the front door to inquire now "there is a sharp rock on one side, as to his welfare. But poverty on the and a sharp rock on the other side one side and sickness on the other are Again, that man is in the crisis of Bozez and Seneh, and they interlock the text who has a wasted life on the their shadows, and drop them upon the one sade and an unfiluminated eternity poor man's way. God kelp him! on the other. Though a man may all "There is a sharp rock on the one side his life have cultured deliberation and years ago, lives to mourn the man who, From I Samuel, 14:4, as Follows: "There and a sharp rock on the other side." self-poise, if he gets into that positions all his self-possession is gone. The Now, a certain amount of persecu- are all the wrong thoughts of

tion rouses a man's defiance, stirs his existence, all the wrong deels, all blood for magnificent battle, and makes wrong words-strata above stra APTAIN "BUCKEY" O'NEILL, the most picturesque

He came from fighting start

APTAIN "BUCK
Ilines to "Pauline" on a scrap of paper, and sent it back by any stranger whom he met on the highway.

He came from fighting start

The cruel army of the Philistines more a man than he would have been without the persecution. So it was with the great Reside are all the retributions of the fu-He came from fighting stock. His is just one man, accompanied by his former when he said, "I will not be ture, the thrones of judgment, the eter-

rock called Seneh. These two were as famous in olden times as in modern times are Plymouth Rock and Gibraltar. They were precipitous, unscalatar. They were precipitous, unscalatar. Between these two

Spanish soldiers now refuse to go into any battle unless they see the sign "A Hard Boiled Egg with Every Defeat."

Matanzas had great fun at the millistry flueral of the mule killed in the bombardment, This shows that even the Spaniard knows when to salute his supperior.

A Boston jury has awarded \$10,000 damages to a man whose toes was crushed by a cake of ice as it fell from a delivery wagon. The company considers this a very cold deal.

Spain has a new explosive called daza with which it is hoped to accomplish wonders. It is projected in the form

Get up the heights of God's consolation rassments. Come up from between My friends, you have been, or are from which you may look down in tri- your bereavements and your destitunow, some of you, in this crisis of the umph upon outside persecution and tion. Come up from between a wasted text. If a man meets one trouble he home trouble. While good and great life and an unillumined eternity. Like can go through with it. He gathers John Wesley was being silenced by the Jonathan, climb up with all your might all his energies, concentrates them on magistrates, and having his name writ- instead of sitting down to wring your one point, and in the strength of God ten on the board fences of London in hands in the shadow and in the darkor by his own natural determination. doggerel, at that very time his wife ness-"a sharp rock on the one side,

are Bozez and Seneh. God pity him! forsake her; I have not dismissed her; I'm his diary these words. I did not forsake her; I have not dismissed her; I'm his diary these words. I did not forsake her; I have not dismissed her; I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other foot on home trouble, John Wester words. I did not forsake her; I have not dismissed her; I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other foot on home trouble, John Wester her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other foot on home trouble, John Wester her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other foot on home trouble, John Wester her. I have not dismissed her; I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other her. I will not recall her." Planting one foot upon outside persecution, and the other her. I will not recall her. I will not rec whose fortune and health fail him at ley climbed up into the heights of difficult problems that the managers of the same time. Nine-tenths of all Christian joy, and after preaching zoological collections must face. Only our merchants capsize in business before they come to forty-five years of
age. There is some collision in commercial circles, and they stop payment.

Carristan joy, and after preaching
two hundred and seventy thousand
two hundred and seventy thousand
miles, reached the heights of heaven,
though in this world he had it hard It seems as if every man must put his enough—"a sharp rock on the one side, rame on the back of a note before he and a sharp rock on the other." learns what a fool a man is who risks | Again, that woman stands in the crisis | ish for the nails and old iron with all his own property on the prospect of the text who has bereavement and which it is credited with regaling itthat some man will tell the truth.

It seems as if a man must have a large amount of unsalable goods on his own speak from observation. Ah, it is a self on the African farms; and one speak from observation. Ah, it is a only green food, refusing to touch the shelf before he learns how much easier hard thing for a woman to make an it is to buy than to sell. It seems as honest living, even when her heart is African ostrich is very fond. The giif every man must be completely burned out before he learns the impor- and the magnetism of an exquisite living in nature on the leaves which tance of always keeping fully insured. presence. But now the husband, or the it strips from trees, and in the gar-It seems as if every man must be father, is dead. The expenses of the dens on the best clover hay, crushed wrecked in a financial tempest before obsequies have absorbed all that was oats, bran and chaff, with fresh green he learns to keep things snug in case of left to the savings bank and wan and tares and an occasional onion as relwasted with weeping and watering, and watering, she goes forth—a grave, a hearse, a coffin, fresh, whole apples, rejects one that wasted with weeping and watching, she ishes; and while it is very fond of Santiago to Havana, a distance of about assistant paymaster of the navy he heat turns the water into steam, and and he tells his family, "We'll have to tence and the existence of her children, able to change their na'ive tastes and Santiago to Havana, a distance of about 400 miles. This would greatly develop the country.

assistant paymaster of the navy ne passed at the head. There was some the steam, confined at a pressure of the square such, below the country.

The country of the nave of the square such, below the square such, below the square such, below the square such, below the square such a special square such a The latest reports from the Arctic gold fields indicate a decided change of which led to prosperity and distinction.

O'Nelli became impatient and left tor ward, keeps the water in a small tank above the main one always boiling.

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composition, to say, that if, when a
their souls, and can stand it. Make
quently. Unfortunately, the kan-Alaskan streams as in those of the tion as a fearless regulator of the morhandle to be pulled over, whereupon man's fortunes fail, he has a good wife the way free to her of the broken heart, garcos are very subject to gout and

the riders went straight to San An- the boiling water by means of another fly is left, and he rallies, and the light zez and Seneh interlocking their shad- tion; but to say that they have always to san Anto san Antonio, each man proud to be with his half-penny, and enjoy his cup of hot comes to his eyes and the smile to his ows and dropping them upon her misbeen wholly foreign to it would be and the marked movement that has now begun toward Alaskan streams promises soon to prove that Canada's loss will be our gain. Forty Mile creek, which was the original Yukon gold field, is being worked again, and it is just as reasonable to expect that new and richer strikes will be made on our side of the line as on the other. American prospectors will do well in furture to keep this fact in mind and locate their claims where they can work them without exorbitant taxa
The women of Prescott presented the riders with a sik flag (the first raised near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave and refers with a sik flag (the first raised near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave and refers with a sik flag (the first raised near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave and refers with a sik flag (the first raised near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave and refers with a sik flag (the first raised near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave near Sevilla. Cuba) and the men gave adainty miss of some 20 years sat in the rear seat puffing composedly at a cigarette. She seemed to enjoy the notice which she attracted, and like a veteran she allowed the sinde to coil and wreathe itself around her fair features. As the car neared Walnut street a youth with tennis raccuet jumped aboard, and ejaculating the single word. "Mabel!" almost fell in a new era of prospective. He men that one view the set ched in the colmb up into the heights of the them climb up into the heights of the sat down for a little while under the soon rose, and began, like Jonathan, to climb. But how often is it that they wildows trust in me." Or get up into the heights of the collem up prominent part in affair of the cilmb up into the heights of the sat down for a little while under the soon rose, and began, like Jonathan, to climb. But how often is it that they wildows trust in me." Or get up into the hei THE OMAHA MIDWAY. Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the

The Midway at the Trans-Mississippi the distance of a mile this broad ave- not be uncoupled. The chain is ex- his companions. ment houses, whose criers vie with each strong and costs but a small sum, as the Tuly farm.

Hagenback Wild Animal Show Co. the question arises whether this, in a straw. Almost every variety of beast that has the long run, would not be quite as ex- "Well, what is it?" quer- men in the village had decided to give shown an inclination to become sub-servient to the will of man is found great deal, as the regular chains with "I will tell you. You know what a of the Fourth also. Having determined screw here, and are made to show what the patience and perseverance of the trainer has wrought. Some of the trainer has wrought he trainer has been purchased very slyly and carried he trainer has wrought he trainer has a wrought he trainer has wrought he trainer has a wrought he trainer has wrought he trainer has a wrought general interest, rather than detract Telephone Girls in France.

at the Omaha exposition. Pinned to the flag is a card giving the history of the capture, when taken, from whom, and under what circumstances. Gen. Shafter gathered up a collection of old brass trophies, a lot of old style firearms and a box of the new Mauser rifles and shipped them to the Trans.

Wheat 40 Ceats a Bushel.

Sallies, France, hold that the expression of the transpose to a call aghast.

The boys looked at each other make of the river and lying down on their blankets went to sleep surrounded by a wholesale assortment of sky-rockets, roman candles, giant crackers, bombs, pinwheels, and all brass trophies, a lot of old style firearms and a box of the new Mauser rifles and shipped them to the Transposition. Pinned to the flag is a card giving the history of the capture, when taken, from whom, and under what circumstances. Gen.

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How to grow wheat with big profit at 40

The boys looked at each other middle of the river and lying down on their blankets went to sleep surrounded by a wholesale assortment of sky-rockets, roman candles, giant crackers, bombs, pinwheels, and all manner of things, without a thought of danger. They had been sleeping the history of the capture, when taken, from whom, and under what circumstances. Gen.

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Wheat 40 Ceats a Bushel.

How to grow wheat with big profit at 40

clear conscience.

A man always caters to woman's well with a vocabulary of 500 words.

In rural districts many people use no more than 200 words; the ordinary man can do very well with a vocabulary of 500 words. compared to health, strength and a clear conscience. vanity when he thinks it will favor his

bath with COSMO BUTTERMILLS.

Disguise our bondage as we will, 'tis woman, woman rules us all. The watchmaker's advertisement a timely announcement.

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A Juvenile Story.

"Please come over to our barn right greatest comfort discovery of the age.

Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain celebrating the Fourth that will wake less for a minute and then began to descend.

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A Juvenile Stor Tallors to the Trans-Mississippi Exposition Express Much Satisfaction at the Sights They Witnessed—Santiago
Trophies in the Government Building

Trophies in th

four friends—Will Chester, Walter Casey, Hal Gossman and Eddle Will-mont.

"Benjamin" (his chums always call "Form the explosion continued to burn the explosi A New Bicycle Chain. and International exposition at Omaha A new idea in bicycle chains is a new again. Wonder what it is?" mut- upward from it. The air was full of vear and International exposition at Omala at San Rew again. Wonder what it is new again. Wonder what is new again. Wonder what is new again. Wonder what is nearly again. Wonder what is new again. Wonder what is new again. W held in this country, not excepting the and each is hooked on to the preced- and for this reason, probably, he was mile away, it burst. A heavy crash great World's Fair at Chicago. For ing link and so arranged that they can- looked upon as a sort of leader among again woke the echoes and another

ment houses, whose criers vie with each other in attracting the public attendard with the chains now in use. In the rambling old barn that squate But he was mistaken. There was a compared with the chains now in use.

That they will be very much less dur
That they will be v Perhaps the best known and most able goes without saying. Of course, the other four; Benjamin, sitting on a he and his companions had not count and that sickly billious complexion by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compopular feature on the midway is the they could be frequently renewed, but feed cutter, was thoughtfully chewing ed on. It chanced that some public-spirited

therefrom.

The first Spanish flag captured at Santiago is in the war department exhibit at the Omaha exposition. Pinned to Salles, France, hold that the expression "Hello!" used in response to a call

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SOAP. Sold everywhere.

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The thousands of testimonials to the value of Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla repeat over and over again, in one form or another no relief; one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of them directed me to give her Ayer's Sarsaparilla specific one of the sum of the down constitution—not to brace it up with stimulants or patch it up on the surface. Send for Dr. Ayer's Curebook, and learn more about the cures effected by the remedy. It's sent free, on request, by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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BEN'S BOMBSHELL.

A tall of fire had leaped from the

"It is all over," said Benjamin,

stump, and with one great bound had resched an enormous height, leaving a flery stream behind it. They could

him Benjamin) "has got up something fiercely. A stream of sparks rushed manufactured continuously for over thirty terrible bearing-down pain which blaze of light flashed for an instant. nue is lined on both sides with amuse- tremely light and is said to be very After dinner Will went directly to Then came darkness.

men in the village had decided to give an exhibition of fireworks on the night can pull yourself out of trouble with a cork-

shells. They would make as much This was done on the evening of the

Take Case

Mississippi exposition, where they will be added to the exhibit of the war department.

How to grow wheat with big profit at 40

How to grow wheat with big profit at 40

Each said a bound in the field that will make a splendid mortar. All we need to do is to fit it into a log to stop up one end. I know the noise of the mortar awakened into a log to stop up one end. I know where there is just that kind of a log.

All our possessions are as nothing

All our possessions are as nothing

Take Case III about a foot in diameter down in the field that will make a splendid mortar. All we need to do is to fit it into a log to stop up one end. I know where there is just that kind of a log.

They saw the bombshell darting down with marvelous speed, which infor Consum w.n.u. or stump, too, and it will prevent the down with marvelous speed, which infor Consumption—J. B. Palmer, Box 1171, Sea tile from bursting when the thing goes creased every second, and before they

off."

"But what would you make your bombshell out of?" asked Hal Goss-raft it was right above them.

"I have thought that out, too," was Benjamin's ready reply. "We can take the river and hurried away as fast as two baseball masks, rip the leather off they could through the shallow water. Moral courage and fit them together and plaster clay Then the shell exploded. over them until they are thick enough to be pretty solid, leaving the inside

The men ducked their heads. There was a great splashing in the water as Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak empty to be filled with powder. We pleces of the bursted shell were hurled empty to be filled with powder. We provide the many was into it, but neither of the men was can get all the powder we want." That afternoon four of them got the hit. Half dazed, they lifted their tile and carried it in Benjamin's boat heads. The red glare of the exploded to the spot chosen by Benjamin, close shell and the accompanying roar had to the stump which they intended to gone.

STUMP.

"I think about midnight before the

The powder was bought, a bomb-

voiced the impatience of the others.

almost deafened them, and a great

"Look! Look!" shouted Benjamin,

glare shone over woods and river.

pointing up. "There she goes!"

"Let her go!" said Chester,

low place in the stump.

the others thought so, too.

put to such a new use, The stump was curiously examined. Then came a vicious hissing from the Since the birth of Christ 4,000,000,000 menhave It was the remains of an oak tree per- raft, and the air was filled with flying

Kentuskians to a man are in favor of war on haps three feet in diameter. In its sparks. It was one of the pin wheels center was a deep opening which which had caught, and as though inseemed just about large enough to ac- spired by a spirit of mischief it was commodate the tile. All together the whirling at a great rate, sending its boys carried the tile to the stump, and | sparks everywhere.

The men rushed back to the raft to

save the cargo.

Then the trouble commenced in ear-Firecrackers began to bang away in unsuspected spots, and no sooner was a pack snatched out and thrown into

the river than other packs took up the "Yank 'em out, yank 'em out!" cried one of the men, making a dash for them at the risk of burning his fingers. Just then a couple of pinwheels started at the same time and began to buzz and fluster as though each was trying to outdo the other and both bent on

putting out the men's eyes in a shower of sparks. Now that they had got agoing the fireworks were evidently bound not to be interfered with, for while the rockets and roman candles were bombarding one man a glant firecracker did its best to tear the other's fingers off and to help defeat his assault a big bomb

exploded almost in his face. The tumult was at its height, but with much puffing and blowing sucthe men worked desperately to save ceeded in getting it into the great holwhat they could of the fireworks, but in the midst of their forlorn task they "When shall we fire her off?" querheard hoots, yells and loud laughter ied Will, when the mortar was com-

from the shore. Looking shoreward they could dimly Fourth would be the best time," and see a large crowd of people on the river bank. The village had been aroused and had come to witness the novel shell made and hidden away in the barn, together with the remainder of joying it immensely.

barn, together with the remainder of About an hour before midnight on the 3d the five boys crept noiselessly the 3d the five boys where Benja
"Well, that settles me, saturatedly, the men on the raft, disgustedly. "Them people is laughing at us. Let's "Them min's skiff was moored. They pulfed down the stream and landed in utter down to the river shore where Benjadarkness, for Benjamin said it would way," and he coolly jumped into the be dangerous to have a lantern near river and waded ashore. His companion followed him. The charge for the mortar, about Once ashore they were surrounded

two pounds, was emptied from its sack by a crowd of people curious to learn into the tile. Paper was placed on top all about the matter. of it and rammed down solid. Then
the "shell" was dropped into the mortar Nothing was placed on top
the men were very discreet, however, in regard to who owned the firetar. Nothing was placed on top of works, but told how they happened this. The mortar was now loaded and to be set on fire. Where the troub ready for firing, for Benjamin had some flery visitor had come from aprun a long fuse through a hole in the peared to be a mystery. Many had stump and up into the pipe until it seen it, but none knew whence it came. Benjamin and his friends were in "Ain't it pretty near midnight?" the crowd. As soon as they learned that asked Eddie Wilmont, eagerly. He the bomb had caused the mischief to somebody's fireworks down the river Benjamin, on his part, was as anx- they reached there they saw that the fous as his companions to put their fireworks on the raft were too far gone experiment to the test. Striking a in their career of self-destruction to match, he touched the blaze to the be saved, and they rowed their boat end of the fuse projecting from the ashore and watched the queer exhibi-

medicines, etc., in three years.

pipe. Hissing and sputtering, the fire | tion, somewhat frightened at the calamity the bomb had caused. crept toward the charge. "Now get to cover!" advised Benja- The uproar from the raft grew less min, excitedly. "She will reach the after awhile, the firecrackers con powder in another minute, and the to be heard and all became dark and The secret of who shot the shell did They hurried down the river bank not come out until long after, for the

to the boat. Then came a roar that | boys kept very quiet.

acts are truly startling, and fraught with no little danger to the trainer.

And the fact that several have been quite seriously injured since the opening of the fair seems but to add to the ing of the fair seems below the place where in the search of the mortar I mean. I mean I mean I Don't put on too many airs as you float down

In China to a ute any one by take off one's

No man ever conquered who began a struggle Horror-stricken, they plunged into Theals irritated gums, and gives the children rest by day and night. Brown's Teething Cordial

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gradually grew worse, until I could do

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the bottle I felt so much better that I

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ton had written to Mrs. Pinkham before confinement she would have been saved much suffering. Mrs. Pinkham's

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fering from this tomble."

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tic cleans your blood and keeps it clean, by becoming alarmed over my condition,

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n North Dakota, writes about her strug-

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if you are dissatisfied with the size of piece or with the quality of the chewing tobacco you are now

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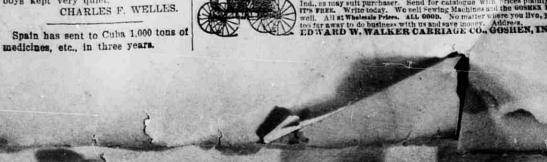
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Peter Keech and wife and Mr. rates. "Always Prompt," is our motto. went to Stanton Monday Mrs. Kate Davis, of Vergennes visited at J. Mosher's recently GETTING TOGETHER. Mrs. Ernest Godfrey is visiting in Grand

callers at J Mosher's recently.

ted her brother, Otis, Sunday,

Mr. Coons, of Lowell, was

Late Bailey and wife, of Vergenne

Percy and Daisy Reed, of Vergennes,

visited at Mrs. Sam Beirie's Sunday.

Remarkable Rescue

spent Sunday here.

Newton, Sunday,

ting her step-mother.

I tell you, this here country—she's gittin' whar she'll do, When the Northern bands Dixie" and the people

Mrs. George Bradsted, of Lake Odessa We're mighty close tog alled on friends here recently. they mix the music so-A cow switched her tail into Mrs. Claw An' yet, we wuz divided some thirty son's face and cut one of her eye balls. E. Ring was at Cannonsburg last week years ago!

I tell you, this here country-just | Mesdames A. J. Howk and Will Howk

Is bout as nigh united as the 'ad have it be! riends in this vicinity Sunday We're marchin' on together through

summer time an' snow-We that wuz divided some thirty A new wall was laid under the mill year ago!

Together! That's the music that's Z. H. Covert and family are visiting at ringin' to the sky!

That's what the winds is singin' as Mrs. D. Church had two cousins from Hubbardston visiting her last week. they blow the blossoms by! Florence Herrington, of Cannonsburg, is Together! Hear the bands play, an' visiting her sister, Mrs. Dorus Church. all the bugles blow-Mrs, Newton Coons was at Grand Rapids We that wuz divided some thirty

Gus Weekes visited at L. K. Alger's, of year ago! Greenville last week. Together! Sing it-ring it! Send the

music ripplin' long, Till the whole world hears the Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill.

caught cold, which settled upon her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family Till the whole world joins the physician, but grew worse. He told her she family making his appearance. chorus-bands play and bugles was a hopeless victim of consumption and Mrs. Ogilvie and Myrtie visited Mrs.

year ago!

thankful that it has been so well drug store. Large bottles 50c and \$1.00. can beat them all. done and prayerful that our country may not soon be at war again.

THE only name we hear mention- man. He went out shooting Sunday Corners, as he lives alone. ed in connection with the Demo- and killed two squirrels at one shot. cratic nomination for prosecuting Frank Batchelor is entertaining his

A startling incident, of which Mr. John house by building on a kitchen. attorney is that of Lant K. Salsbury; cousin, Fred Batchelor.

friends. the Democrats in this part of the Charley Merriman is entertaining a young lady friend this week. W. low, eyes sunken, tounge coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three The people who are finding fault with Pole France for win with you, sir.

L. watch out now and don't tell me any more stories or it will go hard with Pole France for win with you, sir.

L. watch out now and don't tell me physicians had given me up. Fortunately a product and expect to renew the acquaint and expect to renew the ac with Bob Evans for using cuss Allen Bennett was among the words would do well to let that

guests at Murray's lake Sunday. gentleman settle the matter with the Almighty, Those who strain No Gripe the hardest at a little slip of the tongue are very often the last per-When you take Hood's Pills. The big. old-fashsons to pay their honest debts. ioned, sugar-coated pills, which tear you all to

"THE great Hindoo healer" at Grand Rapids proves to be a dead beat and a scoundrel. Some Lowell people had faith in him; and who will they pin to now? Doubt been labelled a sin in times been labelled a sin in times but if more people had doubts, the fakirs would not fatten upon public fakirs would not fatten upon public credulity.

Little Blanche Jakeway spent last week with her grandparents, Charles Francisco and wife, of Lowell.

Quite a few from Lowell, were fishing on Malone's lake Saturday.

Wedding bells will ring this week for Mary Erwin and George McCabe.

Artie Talbot, of Belding, attended church at Paraell Scools and cases have been perfectly CURE.

S. Gilbort and family are visiting the parents, H. Gilbert and wife. Also Gu Blake, of Mackinac, and Harry Gilbert, of Durand, are visiting at the same place.

John Cary and family were in Labert and sure. All be parently for the cases have been perfectly CURE. Grand Rapids proves to be a dead credulity.

Town Line Tidings IF THERE is anything that citizens Mrs. Adelaide Morse, of Grand Rapids. of Lowell can do to expedite the ex- willard Batey and wife, of Kalamazoo

tension of the Lowell & Hastings visited George Batey and family last week. railroad to the north, in time to head Mrs. George Batey went to Alto Sunday. off the projected Grand Rapids elec- Her daughter, Mrs. Fraizer, returned tric road into the country north of us, home with her. would it not be well to do it quick? Will Niles has moved back on his farm

home with her.

Will Niles has moved back on his farm
Tom Leece has hired and moved to the
Johnson dairy farm near Ada.

Grandpa Stinton was bitten through
the hand by a dog last Thursday.

Grandpa Stinton was bitten through
Through Its Record of remarkable cures at the Ware school Sunday evening and there will be another in two weeks.

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We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. J. Filkins of Bowne.

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A hearty welcome is extended to our new correspondent of Bowne.

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Now that the war is over, people will hardly need to buy three or WHITNEY, WATTS & CO.

four city papers; and perhaps they can give their home papers the sup-LOWELL, - MICH. ILLIAM SHAKESPEARF. Presid

A general banking business transacted, percent interest pand on certificates of desit. Deposits of \$1.00 and upward re-Sevings Department, on which necest will be credited semi-an-Money loaned on real estate security, Gus Weekes and wife, of Lowell, were il payments allowed of any amount at

Jud Hapeman and wife, of East Lowell CO.PARTNERS: Lowell, Mich D. R. WHITNEY. Lowell, Mich. WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, Kalamazoo.

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ASA STRATTON.

Richland, Mich

Mrs. James Carr, of Lowell, drove out to visit Mrs. B. Wilkinson Thursday and on Friday the two ladies went calling to Potters' Corners and stopped at Amos Lee's for dinner and as it happened to be Amos' 72d birthday they spent the afternoon with him and Mrs. Carr returned to Low-

of Lowell, were guests at E. Ring's one day Amos Abbott and wife and Henry Kerbey and wife spent Sunday at Marvin Ray-A. Culver and wife, of Belding, visited

Mrs. Erma Bowen gave a tea party to Quite a few attended the band convention a number of her lady friends Friday which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Firestine, and children, of Chicago

bridge last week by Richmond & Rogers, have been spending a few weeks visiting relatives in Keene. Misses Lula and Gertie Huntley. Grand Rapids, have been the guests of their uncles, H. M. and Ed. Trask, for

> The editor of the LEDGER gives his correspondents a free trip to Lansing next month. Many thanks to him.

> Two weeks ago Amos Lee, of Potters some unknown person while they were absent from home. They made their entrance by breaking the back door open and broke a heavy oak casing off which seems most impossible. They made their stay short as they must have seen one of the

that no medicine could cure her. Her drug- | Charles Lampkins Thursday. gist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Mrs. Carrie Scott is on the sick list. We that wuz divided some thirty Consumption. She bought a bottle and to A fine picture was taken of the Lowell her delight found herself benefitted from first | LEDGER COrrespondents last week and they do c. She continued its use and after taking all were a jolly party.

George Morgan, wife and daughter, time had.

the country just why it is that he has determined to recommend that congress advance Sampson eight numbers and Schley only six, he would solve a mystery that most people cannot understand.—[Determined to recommend that numbers and Schley only six, he would solve a mystery that most troit Free Press.

Edna and Inez Steel, of Grand Rapids, were recent guests of Mrs. Grand Rapids, were recent guests of Mrs. Mary Bennett.

Frank Fox, wife, son and daughter, of Grand Rapids, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

James and two brotners spent Sunday at Murray's lake. Mrs. Jones has a camera and took many nice views around the lake.

Bet Hunter, wife and son and Robert Sparks, wife and son took dinner and spent.

around the lake.

Jim Collins is a pretty good marksman. He wont and specific forms are specific forms. The specific forms are specific forms ar

Hunt & Co. drug store.

Grattan-Vergennes.

The rain Sunday night was much needed.

Nellie Byrne returned home Sunday after a week's visit with friends in Lowell.

Little Blanche Jakeway spent last week

CROFULA in its worst form yields to the blood cleansing power of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands of cases have been perfectly CURED.

Mrs. Edgar Byrne, of Chicago, is visit- Joel Aldrich, of Detroit, visited ell, were in Parnell Sunday.

Special Sale Still On.



We find that our stock of Muslin Underwear, large as it was, still insufficient to meet the wants of our Lady Customers and have ordered the second lot to satisfy those that were too late to get what they wanted in in the first.

Our Sales exceeded our highest expectations and

The Prices

Were a surprise to everybody. We have a large stock of Lace Curtains, Window Shades, Carpets, Oil Cloths and Linoleums and are selling them at right prices. If you don't want a Carpet at 10c we have better ones.

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Lowell, Mich.

after partaking of a bountiful repast we can beat them all.

The cemetery social was well attended.
A hundred people were present and a good

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GENERAL LEE announces he candidacy for the office of senator from Virginia. "The mother of presidents" would thus be well represented.

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attorney is that of Lant K. Salsbury; and we believe that such a nomination would meet the approval of the superval of the sup low, eyes sunken, tounge coated, pain conmy great by and surprise, the first bottle made a de ded improvement. I continued day at 3 o'clock by J. J. Finley, of Cascade: their us for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim. No one should fall to try them. Only 50c per bot. at L. H. C. Ketchum is having a well put down on his place.

Lowell, Friday.

C. Court is preparing to enlarge hi

Quite a few from Lowelt, were fishing on S. Gilbort and family are visiting their Malone's lake Saturday.

Wedding bells will ring this week for Mary Erwin and George McCabe.

Parents, H. Gilbert and wife. Also Guy Blake, of Mackinac, and Harry Gilbert. of Leave Grand Haven at 9:00 p. m.

Leave Grand Haven at 9:00 p. m. Artie Talbot, of Belding, attended church John Cary and family were in Lake Odessa Sunday.

ing her parents, J. McCarty and wife.

Chas. Doyle and Wm. Murphy, of Low
Frank Sayles. wife and daughter took tea with John Cary and wife Thursday. Laura Jakeway returned home Saturday | W. Filkins, of Bowne called on his sister after a week's visit with friends in Grand 11st Sunday on his way to Lowell.

West Lowell.

On Aug. 14 about fifty neighbors and friends went to Mr. Vasper's woods and after particular of a large restation of a la

listened to the reading of a sermon written A man might as well try to put a -J. HARRISON RICKERT,

Well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of the band convention at Belding last week and all say of all the places yet Lowell drug store. Large bottles 50c and \$1 00.

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HOME NEWS.

Gossip and Chat about Peope and Things You Know.

without educational facilities, but is to have a high school whose course of study will be equal to that of towns many times The Lowell W. C. T. U. was well the size of Alto. patronized last Saturday, serving tea On September 19th, Principal L. H. Merriman will open a high school on the

Our thriving village is no longer to

course of study there. Will Brown and wife, of Middle- may be secured of the principal. ville, spent Sunday with her parents,

Mrs. O. Robinson is spending her vacation with relatives in Muskegon and South Boardman. ver visited at Aldrich's Sunday. Mrs. Winnie Spencer, of Sunfield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Geo. White and wife.

Miss Myrtie Rogers of Lowell visiting Ada Booth. ited Saranac friends the first of week .- Saranac Advertiser. Sunday at Mr. Denny's. E. Thompson, wife and daughter, Mrs. H. Youngs, all of Ionia were re-

cent visitors at S. Browes'. Beckwith's Sunday. Will Wright and bride, of Ann Ada Boothe and Anna Craft Arbor, spent Sunday at the home cream at Mr. Choat's Sunday. of his parents in this place. Frank McMahon and wife returned Saturday from a visit with his sister,

ing her parents. Mrs. S. Bergin, of Howell. Mary Copleland is on the sick list. Mrs. M. S. Chapman, of Grand The dance at Mr. Aldrich's was well against the innocent cause of the dis-Rapids, visited this week with her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Greene.

daughter, Ethel, of Chicago were the visited at Frank Sherard's Sunday. guests of O. Chapin Sunday. Ben Sage erected a monument for his Mr. and Mrs. Will Duga, of Grand wife, Monday, Aug. 8. Rapids, spent last week with her brother, T. Donovan, and family.

Edith Colvin is home after making extended visit in Sparta.

an extended visit with her parents, cousin Ada Boothe. W. B. Gardner and wife of this place. Miss Martha Thompson entertained her friend Miss Nora Husted, of Grand Rapids, the fore part of last Rev. E. C. Cary and Mrs. Cary and daughter spent Sunday with Elder Findley.

W. J. Medler and families are camp- Christ church. Subject:-"It is well with ing on the banks of Grand River east the child."

The Misses Melva and Enly Nagler Wood will learn with regret of her sevand Masther Floyd Nagler of Bell. ere illness. Mrs. Wood has been spending

Mrs. I. A. Anderson has just re-turned from northern resorts. Mack-

Leo B. Perry, of Co. B. 35th Mich. Dr. Clark has brought his beautiful morning every home in America was Reg., called at M. M. Perry's Satur young wife to dwell among us They have told about it. His name was upon

Ella Travis of Ottawa street .- guests of S. Teeple Sunday.

High School was at the LEDGER office miration of the scenery around our burg. nouncement circulars printed. The she will transfer to canvas the coming win. work was so expeditiously done that he was enabled to read proof on job before leaving for home.

There's to be a Picnic at Grand Rapids, August 28.

Get ready to go and tell your friends The Annual Schwabenfest is an occasion of merrymaking by the Germans and they cordially invite out the second of t and neighbors about the Schwabenfest body to join them, All manner of old country games and sports are included in the day's program, and a fine brass band will furnish music. A plentiful supply of good things to eat and drink will be furnished for the hungry and thirsty. Schoenfold's grove at Reed's Lake will be the scene of festitives and is easily reached by street cars fron the station.

A special excursion train

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Mrs. Mary Dunnigs of Hastings on the frontier except some desultory on the frontier except some desultory of the sun seemed the lovely earth than all besides, and the still green meadows, the cool waving forest, the blue rivers, more blissful than the star-lodges set and no fleet and no army on the frontier except some desultory of the sun seemed the lovely earth than all besides, and the still green meadows, the cool waving forest, the blue rivers, more blissful than the star-lodges set and no fleet and no army on the frontier except some desultory of the sun seemed the lovely earth than all besides, and the still green meadows, the cool waving forest, the blue rivers, more blissful than the star-lodges set and no fleet and no army on the frontier except some desultory of the sun seemed the lovely earth than all besides, and the still green meadows, the cool waving forest, the blue rivers, more blissful than the star-lodges set

H. Davis, of Milwankee, spent Wednes- Married: Charlie Jennings and work in fighting. day with Wm. Patterson and family. Phena Drier, of Greenville. tipes in Grand Rapids, returned Saturday. Uncle Clint Wood has returned from a new daughter. two weeks visit with relatives in Wiscon-

telegraphy under the supervision of L.

Wassink, passed a very credible examination in Grand Rapids, Thursday, and has accepted a position for a short time in the depot at Alma

Triends in camp, on the banks of dressed —. The son can be interviewed by appointment between the py things; saw the sweet blossoms in dressed by appointment between the bright Moon of Flowers (May) depot at Alma. Private C. Chamberlain, of the

tinued story. It will be a good one. Subscribe now and read. and Kate Ellis.

Married: Varne W. Clark, Sarthen only one man in 700 comes within then only one man in 700 comes within the nonly one man in 700 comes within th

CHAMPION SNEEZER.

Break Up a Camp Meeting

"Did you ever know a man who could sneeze loud enough to break up a camp meeting, to stop the taking of testimony in court and cause a bel-Ray Force has returned from Val- second floor of the McKee block and will lowing cow to stop in disgust and wonaparaiso, Ind., having finished his continue for eight months, in two terms of der what the noise was that was sixteen weeks each. Printed catalogues drowning its thunderous voice?" said an old fisherman one night recently. On being informed that his sneezer was entitled to cake and all the accessories necessary to conduct an up-Misses Ada Boothe, Anna Craft, Alice to-date bakery the gentleman consent Stack and Minnie Steketee and Vera Carv. ed to tell more of his sneezing friend,

says the Louisville Post. He said: "While fishing in a mountain town in Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich visited Mr. and eastern Kentucky last fall I went to Mrs. Anderson, of Vergennes, Sunday. the village near by one rainy morning Miss Anna Craft, of Grand Rapids, is to attend circuit court. The judge was delivering an impressive charge to the Mr. Willet, of Entrican, visited over grand jury, and every ear was listening to catch each word, when the stillness of the court was broken by an un-Mr. and Mrs. Weekes and daughter, 1da earthly ker-chew, ker-chew, ker-chew, also Ernest Hausserman visited at Mr. etc., etc., etc. The judge was thunderstruck, and instantly every eye was turned toward the rear of the room, where a little unobtrusive-looking old A. G. Steketee went to Saranac Sunday. farmer sat sneezing as if his head were Kitty Boothe, of Grand Rapids, is visit- coming off. The judge ordered the sheriff to bring the intruder before the

Elmer Reed and wife, Mr. and Mrs. "Two of the sneezer's friends were Mrs. W. A. Chapin of Edmore and Loomis and Mrs. Richmond, of Lowell, called, who testified to the man's good character and high standing, but said they could hear him sneeze three miles any day in the year. One said that the sneezer once broke up a camp meeting with a sneezing spell, and that he saw an enraged bovine stop a thunder-Mrs. Jessie Hutchinson is making Vern Carver, of Freeport, is visiting her ous bellowing fit to look in wonder at the human who could make more noise than a mad bull. But the old fellow couldn't help it, and the fine was re-

bench. The offender came forward

and the judge had a fine entered

GREAT NEWSPAPER FEAT. Mesdames J. W. Broadbent and Mr. Cary delivered a very able address at Here Is an Instance Proving That a Large Number of Them Can

Be Belleved.

The many friends of the Mrs. Harry "Nobody believes a word that he reads in the newspapers." This is the remark which was made view are guests of their aunt, Mrs. the summer with her son at Muskegon but by a prominent Bostonian at a public she expressed a desire to return to Cas- dinner a few weeks ago, says the Bos-F. T. King of the King Milling Co. cade which has been her home since child-ton Journal. It is hardly worth noticing, it so utterly lacks sense and disof Lowell did business in Saranac last Mrs. Henry Brobst has the sympathy of Crimination, but a striking event has Monday. He expressed himself as very much pleased with his business all who know her. She has been a great happened since it was spoken which in this village. [Saranac Advertiser. sufferer for over a year and no hopes for from leaving the lips of those who attribute dishonest journalism to honest

inaw Island, Petoskey, Charlevoix some time is somewhat better and hopes to Commodore Dewey won a brilliant and Bay View were among those she be well enough to spend the winter in victory on the other side of the world everybody's lips, his picture before all

day on his return to Island Lake our best wishes.

from a short furlough spent at his home in Howard City.

Our best wishes.

Mrs. Alonzo Davis, of Rockford, and wersation. It was all the work of "the home in Howard City.

Something new a patriotic encurrence of the work of the blue. We print them to your ornewspapers."

Our best wishes.

Our best wish Agnes Wiley, formerly of this city, now of Lac du Flamdeau, Wis., spent last Sunday.

Cords were entertained by Mrs. F. Davis

The president, the navy department and the board of naval strategy had a few days here this week the guest of Dr. Wooster, wife and daughter were the not a word about the battle except what "the newspapers" told them, H. L. Davis, of Milwaukee has been Monday went by, and Tuesday and The Rev. L. N. Pattison will take spending his vacation with his parents, close of the working week there was

for his subject Sunday morning "The Archers of Joseph." Text, Genesis Subject Sunday morning "The Archers of Joseph." Text, Genesis Subject Sunday morning "The Miss Genervie McCormick, one of Chinewspapers" gave. Congress was dexLIX-xxiii. and xxiv. In the eve- cago's most promising artists, who has lighted and the plans of the war were ning he will speak of "The Lifting up of Christ." Text: John III-xiv and xv. H. F. McCormick, of Grand Rapids, visited Yet the United States government Principal Merriman of the new Alto your correspondent and expressed great ad- would not have known there had been Who is it, pray, that does not believe Monday afternoon to have his an. Miss M. took home many sketches which a word he read in the newspapers?

> LENGTH OF MEXICAN WAR. Hostilities Were Waged for Two Years Before Peace Was

TO CO BINGER TO ASSE Declared. The Mexican war is the best example and instruction in the time it takes years and the present war is moving at express speed by its side, as might be expected after 52 years, says the Philadelphia Press. Hostilities began March 18, 1846. Gen. Mejia, at Matamove and sorrowful with longing. to fight small wars. That took two moras, called out the Mexican troops. A month later, April 26, 1846, Gen. Taylater, May 13, congress officially recognized the war and called for volunteers. Mexico declared war May 23. 1846. Mexico had no fleet and no army on the frontier except some desultory of the sun seemed the lovely earth than

dale at 10:05 a. m. and arrive at Grand Rapids at 10:50 a. m. Leave returning at 6:30 p. m. Round trip rate .40.

Geo. DeHaven, G. P. A.

Married: Geo. P. McCabe. Can.

Married: Geo. P. hundred men and boys chasing him.

Married: Geo. P. McCabe, Cannon, Mary Irwin, Grattan.

Frank Vanderstolp and family, of Grand
Rapids were Sunday guests at Frank
Clark's.

hundred men and boys chasing him.

Married: Geo. P. McCabe, Cannon, Mary Irwin, Grattan.

'The Grangers of Ionia county will hold their annual picnic on the fair grounds at Ionia on Aug. 24.

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Where Does Papa Come Inf Ida Paulus, who has been visiting rela- James Mills—Saranac—New son. The Leipsig Tageblatt devotes a colnew daughter.

Dr. Milliman of Boston has recovered from his recent illness.

Out to the marriage market. An advertisement published lately was as follows: "A son, elderly, solid and serious, is seeking for his father (a strict afar in the lonely forest. covered from his recent illness. ous, is seeking for his father (a strict and solid man in a quiet business) an All through the long months of the hours of nine and eleven."

Ionia company now at Santiago died The income tax in India is levied on of its cool waters, until now in the gray Watch out for our new con- there of malarial fever last week.

The income tax in India is levied on month of the Beaver (November) the all incomes of £33 and upward, and month of the Beaver (November) the

ya-wa-ga, Holder of the Heavens, sav

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BIRTH OF THE WATER LILY.

Indian Legend of the Falling Star

From the twilight skies a pale star

It turned away from the soft light of

the moon when she walked forth adown

the broad heavens and shuddered and

called to the echo hiding upon the shore

and the whippoorwill answered clear

wild geese stretched their lazy flight

gentle fawns in the Month of the Deer

(July) come trooping down to drink

Which Became a Flower.

looked down with wistful longing upon

beauties. Try a batch.

wish, because of his love which keeps all things within the circle of his arm. Slowly, gently, through the purple twilight, when Gush Kewan, the darkness, and Weeng, the gentle spirit of sleep, hovered in the air, the star came drift-

fair land above.

Through the forest a band of hunters came laden with game. Silently but puickly they traversed in unerring cerainty the trackless solitudes. They knew that just beyond, not far away, gleamed redly through the darkness, flaming upon the laughing children at ornaments of the women as they moved the braves and elders as they sat smok-All but one of the hunters hastened on-

> is the Wakendendas, the meteor!" Then they turned to look in wonder and the wonder grew, as the star flamed

A Russian Translation of Dickens.

("Dombey and Son") have some mes, Puerto Rico." naturally, proved too hard nuts for the instance of such a flasco occurs in chapter 2, where Mr. Chick's matr nonial bickerings with his better half form would suddenly make a start, turn the Eimdale ar 7 15 tables, clatter them about the ears of Mrs. Chick, and carry all before him."
The Russian rendering of this sentence, which I translated verbatim, beaten, he would start up from his seat, | Det via Dath catch hold of the chair, make a clutter Lansing close to the ears of his astonished Grand Rep ds 7 00 am 1

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the beautiful green earth. All about it its brother and sister stars were bright and happy and in bands sported together upon the measureless shining 4 Ball Sets plain in which they lived or collected thickly along the broad road which is

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Then the great Master of Life, Taren- | GROWTH OF FLAX IN INDIA. with compassion and gave the star his The Plant Is Reared Exclusively for the Seed and Not for

Consul-General Patterson, at Calcutta, in a report to the department of state, notes a curious fact about flax ing from the far plains of heaven, the Democrat. He writes: "In answer to an inquiry from a Chicago firm relative to the quantity of flax produced and exported from India, I would say that flax is grown in India exclusively for the seed. In no part of the country is the fiber produced. Experiments have the twinkling fires of their wigwams been made for many years with the same result, viz., that it is no proof that a plant can be made to yield a play upon the smooth turf about the lodges, flashing from the glittering fiber because it can be grown in a country. Flay hemp and china grass country. Flax, hemp and china grass are admirable samples of this fact. about preparing the evening repast, and The possible area of fiber production shining redly upon the grave faces of of any of these in India is extremely the braves and elders as they sat smok-ing the calumet and listening to the voice of the Che-nee-ga-ha, the story made to produce the narcotic. In Inteller, as he sung of their deeds of valor. dia the very reverse is the case, except ward, seeing all this awaiting them at where it yields admirable fiber and no in a small portion of the Himalayas, the end of their wearisome march. narcotic to speak of. While large areas But he, the Dreamer, the one who saw of flax are cultivated in almost every where there was naught, he, looking skyward, beheld the star falling swiftly through the darkness with all its paleness gone, flaming in ruddy splen-dor across the sky. "See," he says, "it dia."

> A Puerto Rico Custom. William E. Curtis, who has been a

downward, until it rested at length good deal of a globe trotter, writes upon the bosom of the slumbering lake, from Washington to the Chicago Recwhen, lo! straightway it blossomed forth ord: "I observed phenomena at San an earth flower, with slowly unfolding Juan, and the same at Ponce de Leon, silvery petals and heart of gold, lying for which I have never been able to obrocked in blessed rest and peace upon | tain a satisfactory explanation. The old negresses who sit around the marthe softly whispering water.

Thus was born the beautiful O-kun- ket place and the shady street corners dun-moge, the water lily .- Detroit selling dulces from large baskets are habitually smoking long black cigars, and they put the lighted ends in their mouths. Why they do so and how they The quizzically expanded metaphors can endure it are mysteries that could and idiomatic, slangy expressions in not be solved, but it is nevertheless a the sprightly comical parts of the book fact and a custom that is unique in

honest foreigner to crack. A ludierous LOWELL & HASTINGS RAILROAD instance of such a flasco occurs in chap-In Effect Sunday, June 21, 189.8 the theme of our inimitable humorist's GOING SOUTH No. 1 No. 3 No. 5 sportive and allegorical muse. "Often, when Mr. Chick seemed besten, he Pratt Lake 7 08 m 12 00 4 30 12 00 4 30 12 10 a m 4 35 13 15 m 4 45 12 25 p m 4 53 runs: "Often, when Mr. Chick seemed works No. 2 No. 4 No. 6 | 8 00 am | 1 10 pm close to the ears of his astonished spouse, and fling about everything that came ready to hand." Well, indeed, might the elegant and ladylike Louisa show astonishment at such emphatic contributions to the debate—Notes and ladylike Louisa blow astonishment at such emphatic contributions to the debate—Notes and ladylike Louisa ladylike Louisa blow astonishment at such emphatic lowell so the lady ladylike Louisa ladylike ladylik contributions to the debate.-Notes and

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grow. The following are the latest:
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fewer and pneumonia; John Hogan, Co.
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The Peace News Sent Out.

Ponce, Porto Rico: The peace news
has stopped all forward movements of
the Shan Si contract.

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Consterfeiters Caught.

A big haul of counterfeiters has been made at Detroit. Four brothers. Charles, Edmund, John and David Johnson, are in safe keeping and about \$5,000 in counterfeit money, besides the plates, etc., have been recovered at their headquarters, 795 Twenty-sixth street, Detroit. The Hancock and Windense treet, Detroit, The Hancock and Windense tr

prominent members of the Michigan bar and state legislature and a strong supporter and aide of Gov. Pingree, died of neuralgia of the heart at Defroit. His taking off was most sudden, as he was at his office and about the effty two days before apparently in perfect health. Fortunately the entire family was within easy call, Mrs. Atte closing meeting of the Free Methodists at their summer home on Bols Bianc at their summer home on Bols Bianc at their summer home on Bols Bianc and statement and statement and strong from the most profitable from exite.

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igan; Lieut. Atkinson 33d Michigan.

While on horseback driving cows Michael Rider, aged 12, near Gagetown, was struck by lightning and both boy and horse were killed.

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Chas. Carlson, aged 58, suicided by HODI rowning at Traverse City. Secretary of War Alger has notified

Gov. Pingree to send two good sur-Doings of the Week Recorded in a geons to each of the Michigan regi- Russia is Crowding Great Britain Work has begun toward the erection

Lawyer and Legislator Dead-Michi- P. Heath; South Haven, Chas. Delamen; Boyne, R. E. Newville.

The supreme trustees of the Knights Michigan Naval Reserves Soon to be Home of the Maccabees have purchased Great Britain has received a severe Augusta. He refuses to be interviewed

son of Secretary Alger, has arrived at Shan Si (British) syndicate were im-

Harry Adams, aged 18, of Grand minister. Baron DeVinek, the Belgian minister, sent a dispatch to the Tsung-

Rapids, Co. E, 32d Michigan, died of Li-Yamen, (Chinese foreign office) as-

became uncontrollable from exciteSalisbury has done in Egypt, his failCross society, has asked President Meand Spain have formally agreed upon specting naval vessels on the Great fsland, Detroit river; his sons Lieut.

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Daily Chronicle: "What is to be the legislations for needed relief supplies to Havana. It having just returned from Santiago, and Maj. O'Brien Atkinson, 35th Michigan, was at Island Lake.

Wm. Meade, a farmer, died from heart trouble, aggravated by excitement.

Daily Chronicle: "What is to be the needed relief supplies to Havana. It the two countries shall be undertaken: and, Whereas, It is in said protocol builders to compete with plants along the Atlantia and Pacific courts in the Atl

and Maj. O'Brien Atkinson, 35th Michigan O'Brien Atkinson, 35t

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

John Crane has been appointed postmaster at Carbondale, Menomine county.

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The Matin says: "In China the great-stage duestion.

New York—Cattle Sheep Lambs Hogs for conduct of his men during the attack on Guayama. It is alleged that during from all acts inconsistent with this proclamation.

Most of the troops now in camp thinding the stage of the United States to absault from all acts inconsistent with the conduct of his men during the attack on Gu

At a meeting of the Democratic state article hints that France would supmonths.

RETROUBLE IN THE CAST. DEWEY SOMBARDED MANILLA.

City Unconditionally Surrendered and

Out of Northern China.

to British Chinese Interests.

Capt.-Gen. Augusti Fled. gives out the following dispatch re-ceived from U. S. Consul Wildman, at CONCISE AND INTERESTING. of a monument to ex-Gov. Blair on the state house grounds, Lansing. It will be unveiled in October.

BRITISH BECOMING AROUSED. Hong Kong: "Augusti says Dewey bombarded Manila; city surrendered unconditionally. Augusti was taken by Germans in a launch to the cruiser | President McKinley Issued a Proclama-

cessions of the Greatest Importance Press dispatches from Hong Kong say: Gen. Augusti, captain-general of the Philippines, arrived by the Kaiserin

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Co. M, 34th, yellow fever; George Cullmain, Co. L, 34th, yellow fever; George Cullstation by the Chinese government of hoss will be smaking apparatus to welcome prise would avail nothing against the representations of Russia, and Great Britain would be barred from the composed and the sacretion of after hot battles in which that agree mercial advantages which that agree mercial a

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

ing done by the youngest brother, David. There are few banks in this section of the country, including particularly Ohio, Michigan and adjoining states, that have not often accepted these counterfeits, and there have been few bogus bills that have caused the government detectives more trouble.

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and horse were killed.

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The Sautt Ste. Marie council has granted a frauchise in connection with the Soo water power canal which as arres the building of a \$2,000,000 plant. Chas. Bartrem, Co. I. 31st. Michigan Central employe, and Don Finnegan, again and the department, a method of this war have been marked, and it is surgests and the department, a method of this war have been marked, and it is first you have a surgest to the continuous agreement of the surgest of solders of the war department in reply to an addicate to start the campaign in full known for the source of the war of the surgests in the western part of Cuba are winning numerous victories over the Spanish. The most important was that of \$3,000 insurgents and inabitants for an and definite period.

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Washington Quickly Settles Down to Washington: The White House, the

CALM AFTER STORM.

Pursuits of Peace.

war department and the navy depart-

ment have resumed their usual quie-

tude, a condition which has not pre-

in Havana harbor, February 15. The

busy, warlike attitude has entirely

serious problem which the peace com-

Washington: The state department United States and Spain Sign a Peace Protocol. ALL HOSTILITIES HAVE CEASED | vailed since the Maine was blown up

tion Immediately After the Signing disappeared and Washington has setof the Peace Papers - Provisions of the Protocol in Outline. With a simplicity in keeping with with is the Philippines. Before the

Bibligan Naval Reserves 500m to be Home for Meadenes have purchased of the Macadenes have purchased of the Macadenes have purchased choice property at Port Huron for the Allen, notifying hunthat the Yosemite had been ordered to Philadelphia, where the officers and crew will be discharged, and inviting hisself and starf to heart the 35 bands which were the officers and crew will be discharged, and inviting hisself and starf to heart the seeming of the Line Scharged, and inviting hisself and starf to word could be sent to him on what day his visit would be agreeable.

Norfolk, Va.: The U. S. auxiliary cruiser yosemite, manned Royan and Reserves, raised her anerby from the association, at the senting of the China, attended of the service of the United States and February Caput Popose of Michigan Roya De at Santiago.

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The hand began to swell and she was unconscious in 20 minutes and dead in few first construction of the railway fine from the peace commissioners.

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4. That Cuba, Porto Rico and other

American possession. Military post-

forces.

The proclamation issued by Presiing sea and Pacific ocean; more friendly

Santiago. Leaves of absence have also been granted to the following convalescent Michigan officers: Col. Boynton, Maj. M. E. Webb, Maj. V. C. Vaughan, Capt. Wilcox, Lieut. Haas, 34th Mich-Capt. Wi Hastings railroads, and it is the intention of the government."

Ior the camp.

A dispatch from Ponce, Porto Rico mand that orders be immediately given

Fred Von Waltenhausen, of Bay City, Co. A, 31st Michigan, died of fever at Chickamauga.

The Niles Milling Co., of Niles, has received an order from a Havana firm for 1,000 barrels of flour to be shipped by Sept 1.

A Washington dispatch says there is little chance of the 35th Michigan being ordered away from Camp Eaton before being mustered out.

That the reorganization of the state militia for the present shall consist of one battalion of 436 men, so that in Case of an emergency m Michigan there will be troops enough to proteet property and quell riots. The board feels that the reorganization should not take place while absent members are away to war. They still belong to the state militia, their enlistment in the United States service simply acting as a leave of absence.

At a meeting of the Democratic state

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E Che Day Star of the Orkney's.

A Romance---By Hannah B. McKenzie.

that my influence over you counts for ander shelter. You have nothing to looking out of it.

With two of his long strides he was you your name? You already know through her very heart.

at the door. He had never even no- ours." ticed that Elspeth Troil was present. | Was there an almost imperceptible | hardly expected to see you here."

something in him revolted against My name is Evan Monteith." that attraction. He hardly dared give the feeling words lest he should have

face before him.

"It is true, nevertheless," answered for herself also. the girl. "I shall come to you in a is to blame, Miss Day, but I can hardlittle while." ly think it is your brother, who is both It seemed ages to the girl as she just and generous. In that case, it waited in the laboratory before her must be my fault, and, if it is, it is a Queer Marriage Resulting from a Pecubrother reappeared. In reality it was fault which I cannot help. Circum-

may be against me in his mind."

said the girl.

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Sprang erect, and his hand fell from performed. "So you love me for myself, alone, Belinda?" said Hawkins, self, alone, Belinda?" said Hawkins.

"Just you and nothing else," insisted When Day came in, bearing her little | tered; but he was not alone. Day rose | "Just you and nothing else," insisted tray, the dark eyes on the sofa met quickly as she caught a glimpse of the the pride of a moment. "I'm so glad," hers with a look of recognition. The figure of Lilith Stuart that followed his said Hawkins, tenderly. "It's a great young man stretched out his hand and |-the slim, sinuous, graceful figure, ar- relief, for my money is all a myth. ook hers.

"I have no words with which to pale green, trimmed with a darker -Tit-Bits.

easily attered or put about by an expect wisit. She was a lady to her expect wisit. She was a lady to her and she was, moreover, to

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straight into his eyes, and her own were wondrously soft and languid.

Elspeth Troit shot one hurried, furtive glance from her work, and she caught that look of Lilith's. She saw, too, how Magnus Halcrow first flushed and then grew pale before that look.

There suddenly flashed into Elspeth's strange emotion as she had never known before.

There suddenly flashed into Elspeth's known before. mind the remembrance of a scene sne had read about where, in the dim, long-ago woods of Broceliande, a wily long-ago woods of Broceliande, a will oddly unsteady for a moment. Then sister has done for you; she would Magnus released Lilith's hand.

"Do not make so much of what my sister has done for you; she would Lilith Stuart had undoubtedly a great

Stuart," he said gravely. "My honor that the other was quick to notice. | cleverly. She stepped forward, holding as a dector, and my humanity as a "And now, as I hope you will accept out her hand, and looked straight into man, call upon me to go at once with our hospitality for a day or two-as, Monteith's face with those dangerous'y help wherever it is required. I must tyleed, I think you must until your beautiful eyes of hers-a look which

Elspeth went on with her sewing, only pause ere the young man answered? A "No. Miss Stuart, I did not flatter her face seemed a little paler now than momentary embarrassment and hesi- myself that you would," Monteith anhomeward way. He could not drive spoke:

me, Miss Halcrow." The eyes of the young man were wide "How can you imagine such a The eyes of the young man were wide "How can you imagine such a open as Magnus approached him. Mag- thing?" cried Day, her face growing his face, and her heart sank with pain his face, and her heart sank with pain —a pain that was more for him than nus was struck, as Day had been, by first rose-red, then very pale. "It is the refinement and patrican cast of the unkind of you to imagine it."

about an hour. Then he came to her stances are against me, and prevent me

"His ankle has been sprained, but manner which showed that some inthat was owing to the fall; no bad tangible, invisible barrier existed beresults from the lightning-stroke will tween him and his guest.

That barrier was suspicion. How ginning and there were dozens of the strong and the stro

gister, you are the bravest girl in alt | was, and he could not drive it out. her heart thrilled and grew warm at keep it there."

him in one of Bell's famous decoctions, the passion and joy of which were like sure that you love me and that you and give him a little nourishment," "ten thousand little shafts of flame," are not to marry me for money, how said her brother. "My part is done, ren through Day. She held her face happy I would be!" said Henry. "But and this is yours, Day. He is quite low for fear he should see the look of you ought to know," protested Belinda, weak yet, and requires something to love melting in her eyes.

Then suddenly a step sounded out
"that it is because I love you, for you know I have \$25,000 of my own— "I shall have it ready in no time," side, the low murmur of voices. Evan | though, of course, that is nothing to sprang erect, and his hand fell from your fortune." The ceremony was

"Miss Stuart has cycled over to pay you an afternoon call," said Magnus. He look d bright and elated. Day was not one of those who are

long-ago woods of Broceliande, a wily
Vivien flattered and lured a noble Merlin to his ruin. And Elspeth's thread
suddenly broke, and her hand seemed

Halcrow: but if I live, I pray I may yet
be able to do so."

At this moment Magnus, who had
not yet spoken, came forward.

"Do not make so much of what my
May I introduce Mr. Montetth you. Miss Stuart—the gentleman whom
to yet spoken, came forward.

"Do not make so much of what my
Miss Stuart."

Magnus released Lilith's hand.

"You cannot be in earnest, Miss said, And there was a tone in his voice feelings were, she suppressed them foot is all right-is it too much to ask | made Day feel as if a dagger had passed "Mr. Monteith! Is it possible.

tation? So at least it seemed to Mag- swered. His words were ambiguous; Magnus was seen speeding on his nus Halcrow. Then the young man so was his tongue. Magnus looked from one to the outer in astonishment; then Lilith from his mind. A subtle at- "You must excuse me, Dr. Halcrow, he saw that strange pallor on Lilith's traction drew him to her, and yet, as for not having mentioned it sooner. Let face, and the strained look about her soon as he was gone from her presence, my unfortunate accident be my excuse. eyes, which even her wonderful selfcontrol was not quite able to hide. "You know Mr. Monteith, then, Miss

CHAPTER V.

Stuart?" he said. His voice sounded will occur. It was a week later, and on a glo-

dazed and paralyzed by the snock, but he may be injured, too."

"A stranger?" Magnus asked, as he gave his machine into Jamie's hands.

Day gave him hurried account of all that happened as she preceded him into the sitting-room.

Sale had accepted the chair Magnus asked, as he will do so if I ask him," and she and Day were both seated, while the men stood.

Monteith turned to answer her question, and that brought the two of them of which they reside. The local temple in the jurisdiction of which they reside. The local temple will be assisted in the initiatory encampment:

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for herself, after the manner of her followed by a banquet. John A. Hin- For best company commander-(To be Continued.)

LOVED FOR HIMSELF.

Here is a story told without saying side and laid his hand on her shoul- trying to remove any prejudice there whether it is fact or fiction: Hawkins "Brave little Day! You have saved Day sat silent, her sweet eyes clouda fellow-creature's life. I have been ed and her lips drooping. Somehow will it was found that he had made his able to bring back full consciousness to she had felt aware of what Monteith youngest son, Henry, his sole heir, on able to bring back full consciousness to a paralyzed brain and body, and in a week or two I have no doubt our friend will be as well as he ever was."

she had felt aware of what Monteith now uttered since he had come to Abbot's Head. Magnus was kind and will be as well as he ever was."

hospitable to him, as he could not help being to any one under his roof. but "In a week or two?" repeated Day. being to any one under his roof; but of fellow and rarely on friendly terms fellow and rarely on friendly terms there is some injury?" there was a want of cordiality in his would develop from such an odd belittle root it needs to grow this fatal stories affoat to the effect that Haw-"Day. If you had not brought him plant, deadly as a upas-tree to every kins was a miser and had left bundles to the house and sent instantly for me. feeling of kindliness and friendship! of money hidden in odd corners of his I do not know that he would ever have Magnus hardly knew when it had rickety old shanty that had become recovered the shock. My dear little sprung up in his heart; but there it the sole property of his son. Henry's name soon drifted into the papers all "Do not look so sad, Miss Day," said

The soft eyes filled very full at the Evan presently, in a low voice. "Is it els of letters from marriageable womwords of praise; but, "low in her my words that have driven away the heart," Day thanked God. Never in sunshine from your face? I am very in the form of proposals. On the last her young life before had so strange a sorry. Heaven knows I would sacrifice day of the allotted two years Henry tie bound her to a fellow-creature, and a good deal of my own happiness to Hawkins and Belinda Scones stood in the thought of it.

He bent a little nearer to her; his ranged the ceremony should be per"And now I think you might take hand almost touched hers. A thrill, formed quietly. "If I could only feel

rayed in a smart cycling costume of Belinda. Will you please pay the fee?

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BIENNAL MEET OF THE PYTHANS, Nervous People than ever that wily enchantress Vivience.

he Knights Will Make a Gala Time Of It In Indian-

true a child of nature to wish to ap- Inflanapolis.—Four blennial international campment. This closes the entries so realize its nerve strengthening power. pear different from her usual self. She tional conventions will be held here in far as the companies and battalions connection with the encampment of are concerned and it gives a good field "How are you. Miss Stuart? You the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pyth- of competitors, as all the crack com- Is America's Greatest Medicine. \$1; six for \$5 must have had a delightful spin; it is las, during week of August 22. The panies of the order are among those Hood's Plijs cure all fiver ills. 25 cents. principal of these is, of course, that of entered. The battalion drill will be CHAPTER IV.—(Continued.) thank you for the service you have Duty again? Terrible word 'duty!' done me. Miss Helerow was standing behind Day's chair. Miss representative delegates elected by lons:

"Duty again? Terrible word 'duty! done me, Miss Halcrow-you and your Stuart shook hands with Day, with a the Grand Lodges of the various First Battalion, Second Regiment, Seems to me the greatest enemy of all brother." He looked towards Magnus, human joy and ease and love," said who was standing by the window, "But took much trouble to make herseif took much trouble took muc Lilith. "Is it wicked of me, Dr. Hal- for you I might not now be conscious agreeable to her own sex. But, as she encampm at is over. At the same iment, Colorado, Denver, Colonel Ed advances that have been made in this crow? but I almost wish there was even that I had had such kindness dropped Day's hand, Day saw an exno such thing. We should all be so shown me. I owe you may life. I shall never forget that I had not such should do, the will of God," said Mag- softly and speaking in a low tone- dumb with astonishment. Involuntar- Commencing Monday, August 22, will morning of Wednesday. August 24, waigh them. A postage stamp 7-8 inch nus, in a low voice. "But I should "nothing but what one human being ily she looked round to see what had eccur the biennial meeting of the Im- and continue each afternoon and morn- long, and 3-4 wide would carry 500, not wait, Miss Stuart; it is a matter would have done for another. No one been the cause of that sudden change perial Palace, Knights of Khorassan, ing. excepting Wednesday afternoon, 000 000 of the typhoid fever bacin, and of life and death. Let me bid you would have left a fellow-creature ly- which froze the smile on those beau- It will continue until Thursday. Con- until concluded. Battalion drills will if the layer were made a tenth of an ing outside exposed to such a terrible tiful lips, and made the whole faca tinuing from Monday until Saturday probably occur Thursday afternoon inch deep, there would be 2.003,000,000,000, "You will go then? Now I know storm, and not have tried to bring him coid and hard, with only a great terror the meeting of the Supreme Temple of and the cavalry drills Friday morn-



GENERAL JOHN R. CARNAHAN.

he Rathbone Sisters, the woman's ing. There is a long list of cash NO-TO-BAC sold and guaranteed by all drugauxiliary to the Knights of Pythias, prizes which are to be given from the fund contributed for the entertainthe feeling words lest he should have to own that he distrusted her.

He raced onwards, little guessing that the man to whose help he was going was one whose fate was strangely interwoven with that of Lilith Stuart's.

There is little prescience in human life, whatever telegraphy and spiritualism may say, and Magnus could not foresee the terrible future.

Day met him as he sprang from his manded a magnificent view of Abbot's machine.

"Charles V.

It was a week later, and on a glo-tious afternoon Evan Monteith had besides there rough and hard even in his own ears. A great anger possessed him. He felt that Evan Monteith had grossly decived him.

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"Yes—we knew each other—years ago," said Lilith, with an odd little halt between each clause, as if she were doubtful of what to say. Then suddenly she flashed her radiant smile on Magnus. "It is a surprise to you, of course—you did not know that Mr. the wide stretch of Summer-blue sea.

"Oh, Magnus, how quickly you have"

The meeting of the Imperial Palace, ringhts of Khorassan will be an important one, as it will be the first gen-tral representative gathering of menties of only a little over year, its ago," said Lilith, with an odd little halt between each clause, as if she were doubtful of what to say. Then suddenly she flashed her radiant smile of him word which commanded a magnificent view of Abbot's manded a magnificent view of Ab The meeting of the Imperial Palace, ment of the Kaights and besides there

"I must not trespass on your kindness ince we met that we might almost say we are strangers—might we not, Mr. his machine was struck by lightning or his machine was more likely—and 's dazed and paralyzed by the shock; but he may be injured, too."

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"Boy he will do so if I ask him,"

"I must not trespass on your kindness since we met that we might almost say we are strangers—might we not, Mr. Monteith? You have been so long—the purpose of conferring the degree pon candidates, of which it is exected there will be three classes, of the Uniformed Rank.

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Thorough Freparatory and Commercial dispensation permits the initial dispensation permits the in Monteith knew me; but it is so long and afternoon. Each night Yakoot Open and free to all companies of THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME,

"I think he must have been cycling from Scapa to Stromness. He may have friends there, though I am quite sure he does not belong to the island. The local tember of which seemed to exclude the others. Magnus turned to be dead to exclude the others. Magnus turned to bay.

"I think he must have been cycling and trusted," Evan went on slowly. into a dialogue, which seemed to exclude the others. Magnus turned to bay.

"I think he must have been cycling and trusted," Evan went on slowly. into a dialogue, which seemed to exclude the others. Magnus turned to be work by teams from Chicago, Detroit. First prize for proficiency in drill.

"Can we have tea?" he said in the initiatory work by teams from Chicago, Detroit. Goshen, Evansville and Battle Creek.

> kind; and yet there was a bitter pain sey, of Chicago, is imperial prince, the jewel of honor Distance Prize. highest officer of the order, and Dr. S. E. Eary, of this city, is imperial For company composed of not less than twenty-nine officers Twenty-six companies of infantry, and Sir Knights traveling the



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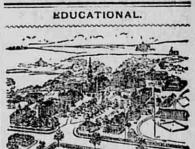
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ited in Lowell Sunday. A nice line of 5 cent plants for

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iting Mrs McQueen. My prices the same to all. Rae Malcolm. Photographer.

G. C. McConnell of Rockford is at

the bedside of his son, G. V. Finest stock of organs ever in Low-

ell at R. D. Stocking's. J. Vanzan and wife of Spencer visited Lowe., friends last week.

Strings for violin, banjo, mandolin and Guitar at Oliver's. 1 tf Miss Fern Clark has returned from

: visit at Oakley and Owosso. All kinds of wood promptly deliver-

ed by R. B. Boylan. Myrtie Taylor spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Moon, in Keene.

Dan Bush is serving the finest kind of ice cream at his restaurant.

Miss Grace Gardner is spending a few weeks with friends in Muir.

Theodore Lott of Fallasburg made this office a pleasant c ll yesterday. Shipping tags printed "while you wait" at this office, cheap and neat.

Will Leary and wife of Waterville were guests of Joseph Jones Sunday, Mrs. J. Robertson leaves to-day for the Adventist campmeeting an Owos-

Get your watch and jewelry repared at Oliver's and you will be satis-

J. E. Transue of the Clarks. ville Academy made us a pleasant call Tuesday.

Wanted, 10,000 people to send their Laundry to the Lowell Steam Laundry.

U. B. Williams and Willie Kopf made a wheel trip to Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Stair of Grand were guests of Lowell friends last Friday.

Mrs. G. W. Crosby has the thanks of the LEDGER for a basket of fine cherries.

Miss Bertha Robinson of the probate office, spent Sunday with Lowell friends.

Mrs. S. P. Hicks has been making Grand Rapids friends a visit of

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Bert Covert has returned from a ve rs sojourn in Colorado and Okla-

de sure and see R. D. Stocking's

of wheels before purchasing elsei. V. McConnell has been very ill

and inflammation of the bowels for 1 e past ten days and his condition has a very serious. At this writing he is somewhat improved.

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and white hellebore. A tremen | ms thunder storm visited this locality Tuesday night and lightning caused several fires. The barns of Widow Pinckney and Widow Parks in Keene were destroyed. H. N. Lee's barn was struck and partialy destroyed. He also lost a horse and Icow, A great amount of water 'ell and Flat river rose two feet during the night and Ring's dam near Alton was torn out.

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Mrs. Will Adzit, of Grand Rapids is visiting friends in Lowell. Detective Jakeway of Grand Rap

ids was in town last Saturday, Miss LaVanche Moore attended the band convention at Greenville.

Genuine home-made bread "like mother makes" at Bush's bakery. Good work twice a week and fair

reatment at the Lowell Laundry. Mrs. H. Horton, of Saranac, visited in Lowell the fore part of the week. Robert White, of Grandville, visited his parents the fore part of the

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Miss Myrtie Hatch, of Keene, spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, S Finch. Ice cream by the dish, quart or sup-

plied for socials and parties in gallon lots. D. T. Bush. E. O. Mains and family spent Sun-

day with Mrs. Mains' parents near Saranac

Everybody knows what Bergin's coffees are, and the beat in the world at the price. Mrs. Gillingham, of Grand Rapids,

was the guest of Fred Oliver and wife last week. Miss Edith Mange leaves to-day for

Ypsilanti where she will attend school the coming year. The LEDGER wants good corre-

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Times must be hard at Cedar Springs. The Clipper we get consists of but two lone pages, which is Cripping it rather close

S. P. Hicks, Messrs. and Mesdames R. J. Flanagan, B. E. Quick and W. S. Winegar and E. O. Mains and son, Chas, McCarty, F. M. Johnson, and Musdames O. C. McDannell, Ortan Hill, R. W. Swayze, James Nick lin and A. L. Peck, spent last Thursday afternoon and evening at Grand Rapids. The ball game and opera furnished attractions.

OME persons say it is natural for them to lose flesh during summer. But losing flesh is losing ground. Can you afford to approach another winter in this weakened con-

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Mrs. Geo. Coppens, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her many Lowell-

Victor Ingersol returned to Mil waukee after a three weeks visit at Mr. Pletcher's.

Mrs. Chas, Hurley went to Grand Rapids Tuesday where she will make her future home. Mrs. Mary Robertson is visiting

friends in Coopersville and Ravenna a couple of weeks. Mrs. Fremont Cotton, of Grand

Rapids, visited Lowell relatives and friends last week. Miss Bonnie Bowls of Grand Rap-

ids has been spending the last week with Lowell friends. WANT TO SELL QUICK-Driving and riding horse, harness, buggy and cutter. This office.

Mrs. J. C. Cotharin of Flint return ed to her home Tuesday after a visit with Mrs. R. B. Boylan.

Johnnie Mills returned home Tuesday after an eight months stay in Colorado where has been employed.

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in the market at A. D. Oliver's. 1tf | music all day to the many attractions Clara, of Concordia. Kas., are the train will leave Elmdale at 9:16 a. m. the guests of Mrs. E. M. Alger of and leave Grand Ledge at 6:45 p. m. Vergennes.

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other such walks are in prospect. Advertised letters-Miss Lotty Vargson, J. B. Branat, Wm. F. Douglass, Garfield Davis, James

Will Gramer, who is employed on a light ship on Lake Huron, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Randall, While liere, she had pleasant supprise party for him.

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Dr. Goodsell spent a few days last week at Grand Ledge and Ionia returning Monday.

Mrs Geo. Gulliford leaves Saturday for Mancelona where Geo. has secured a position.

Morris Johnson and wife visited Lowell friends last Sunday .- [Saranac Advertiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson of Ionia took dinner with Mr. Terwilliger and family Sunday. Clare Althen and wife started for

Denver, Col., Monday, where he has secured a position in a store. Wilbur Post of Lowell is the guest of A A. Crippen of 658 South Divis

ion street for a few days .- [Grand

Rapids Press. Geo. Winegar and family, were here from Saranae vesterday calling n Lowell friends, Mrs. W. has quite ocovered her health.

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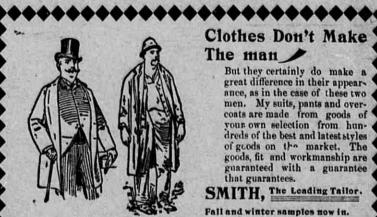
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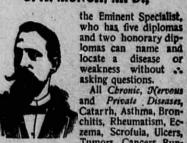
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