

The war is over and boys are once Chapman, Will was doing duty as express their appreciation of the work more in order. One at Sherman Avery's, Sept. 23.

with J. M. Medler.

Born-to Mr. and Mrs. Oldfield of time and there wasn't a holder in Cedar Springs, Sept. 28, a 11 pound girl. Mother doing well.

Dent Sproat, Democratic candidate and served breakfast. When he got for county clerk, was in town Monday getting acquainted with the boys.

There was a very pleasant anniver-sary party in honor of Mrs. H. F. Clark at her home last Wednesday.

Rev. S, G. Anderson returned from Englishville yesterday where he attended a session of Grand River Baptist association.

The marriage of Claude Lane and Miss Katie Carter is announced to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Carter to-day.

Clifford Long of the "Rough Rid-ers" is home on a furlough visiting his mother and brother, Mrs. Thos. Gardner and Sergt, Clarence Long of the 83d Mich. Vol. and other friends in Lowell.

L.J. Lee suprised the editor this week with a five years subscription and now his date is July 1, 1900-the first subscription dating into the

twentietb century. Mrs. Fred L. Hogan and little daughter, Ina; who have been visiting have not Mrs. O. A. Robinson and to this request during the past two to the past two other relatives in Lowell have returned to their home at South Board- dred more that we would like to see On Saturday, Sept 17 Eunice follow suit. Come now, "balance all" end everybody "divy up." man.

Coats of Vergennes entertained a party of young friends. The occasion being the eleventh anniversary of her birthday. An enjoyable time was had

Matt Conneley, who figured in Justice Walker's court last week, wishes the public to understand that nis ofse was not intoxication, as the item in last week's LEDGER might lead readers to infer.

Word came from Grand Rapids Tuesday morning of the death of Mrs. Will Bailey, nee Hattie Sherrard. She was born and lived in this vicinity until her marrage, five years ago. She leaves a husband, father, and four brothers and many friends to mourn ber death.

cook, and was preparing a beef tea done by our school officers and by the architect and contractor in completing Sergt. Major Chas. W. Hury of the 32d Mich. Vol. spent Sunday and his fried potatoes all got ready to

the ear and led him to the beef tea

But taking a fork, fished out-his

mitten, stewed and shrivelled out of

But the soup was good just the same

and since that Mrs. C. says that Will

can't do any more cooking for her.

Not if the court knows herself, and

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"What do you call that?"

in asked in scorn:

she think she do.

shape.

be taken from the stove at the same extend their thanks for the labor so well done.'

A motion was made and carried that the resolution be spread upon the trimmed mitten, removed his dishes records of the district and be printed in the local papers. home for dinner Mrs. Chapman was Rev. Ira B. Jones was called upon waiting for him. She took him by

for remarks and responded in his uskettle and pointing to an object withual pleasant manner. He was followed by F. M. Johnson, after which the new school was declared to be for-The poor tellow's heart stood still, mally opened and the meeting ad-He thought of rats and other things. journed.

### Family Washings.

Anyone wishing to pay a years sub-scription to this paper by doing a a weeks washing, apply at this office. Last Chance Detroit Sunday Ex-

cursion October 2nd.

This one will wind them up for 1898. D., G. R. & W. train will leave Elmdale at 7:35 a. m. Returning leave Detroit at 6:00 p. m. Rate \$1.75.

ist, of Grand Rapids, will be at Mrs. Purple's bazaar Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 5 and 6, with her preparations prepared to treat all kinds of scalp trouble. Prices reasonable.

### Chicago \$5.00 Excursion Monday October 10.

On above date tickets will be sold at all D., G R. & W. R. R. stations west of Lansing and Saginaw to Chicago and return for \$5.00. Good going on regular trains to Grand Rapids Britstol calling cards for only 15cents and to return until train leaving Chi- of the monument to ex-Governor 50 for 25 cents, with seven differcago at 11:45 p. m., October 14. A or Blair, the D., G. R. & special train will leave Grand Rapids W. R. R. will sell tickets to Lansing at 1:15 p.m., via C. & W. M. Ry., for morning trains October 12th at for passengers arriving on noon trains. one way fare for round trip. Return Those taking evening D, G. R. & limit October 14th. General Shafter want calling cards, now is the time Patrons at a distance can order by W. trains to Grand Rapids will take, will be there and possibly President mail, enclosing price. Cards sent regular 11:45 train from there. GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A. 16

Married, Sept. 28th, at the home of the bride's parents, near Saranac, Mattie E. Stewart to Loyal N. Me Carty of Lowell, Rev. H. Marshall officiating.

The young people will spend several days at the State fair and with friends at Grand Rapids and will then be at home at the residence of Mrs. N. L. McCarty in this village.

A Curlo Gatherer.

We spent an enjoyable hour last Sunday at the pleasant home of G. W. Crosby and wife in Vergennes. Mrs. Crosby is an enthusiastic collector of curios; and we would be much surprised if any one in Kent county has a better or more extensive collection of natural curiosities. She has native woods from distant parts of the world, shells and fish from distant seas, including the porcupine and flying varieties, also whale and shark teeth, beautiful corals and by no means least a whale's rib. There are some anti quarian and Revolutionary relics; and so many more articles of so many different kinds that an enumeration would take more than one column of The LEDGER. Any of our readers who would like to see

a good private museum would do well to call on the Crosbys. Mr. Crosby has several bushels of

cherries still hanging to the trees, which speaks well for their staying qualities and the forbearance of the birds in that neighborhood.

See General Shafter at Blair Monument Dedication at Lansing, October 12.

On account of the dedication

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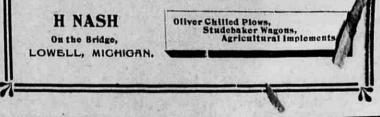
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meeting.

long ago. "I durst spend my last far- go down the Potomac one day to expe- bromide of potassium, and from no ap- some of the crew; and one morning I

peace and ways of war is seen in maker at the end of the lane, rocking ly employ it. I think you all have, have since seen a double-page color The idea of a Russian protectorate bables that are to be the Martin figuratively as well as literally, fingers supplement of that battle in a weekly over Crete as the ultimate solution of metion, allays pain, cures windcole. have been disputing, each over the Luthers and the Faradays and the Edi- enough. Do not long for hindering su- periodical, where, under the artist's the Cretan difficulty is being favored. right of the other to construct railroads sons and the Bismarcks and the Glad-and develop the resources of the coun-stones and the Washingtons and the of this fallen giant of my text, and in was sketched from our yacht. try. Their opposition is based on the George Whitefields of the future. The this post-mortem examination of him, knowledge that such extension of the longer I live the more I like common let us learn how much better off we are Nothing humiliates a woman more appliances of civilization is a means of folks. They do the world's work, bear-political control and a source of advan-ing the world's burdens, weeping the foot. You have thanked God for a Usually they are out of shape, from

TALMAGE'S SERMON. morrow if there were not thousands of the hand and the foot. Only that sol- GOVERNMENT EXHIBIT, OMAHA MUCH," THE SUBJECT.

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while the rearry brive and the very in the very in the work-ing and suffering for the boys in blue, cheering them through every ill that befell and trying to make their life and their burdens as easy as possible, other ladies, of a more hysterical and sel-fish turn of mind, have done their best to make the soldiers aware of every to make the soldiers aware of every ill the camp life bore for them, and into more and no less. One Doctor Duff among missionaries, but three thouill the camp life bore for them, and have even tried to stir up mutiny and desertion. It is a very good thing that isades of this temperament are decided ediy outnumbered by the good sensible women, who not only know how to meet suffering bravely themselves, but ters to bear ti with the same fortitude. "Tm a bolder man than you,sir," said an English laborer to his master, not long ago. "I durst spend my last far-

The close intermingling of ways of fashioned on a rough last by a shoe- thankful for what they have and right- one artist besides the writer; yet I political control and a source of advan-tage in war. Cultivate peace for the sake of preparation for war, and go to war for the sake of the blessings of to war for the sake of the blessings of sodern statesmanship. Multiam Wirt, or a Samuel L. South-ard, but society would go to pieces to-

mmon lawyers to see that men and dier or that mechanic who in a battle, "ENOUGH BETTER THAN TOO Mott or a Willard Parker rises up emi-Mott or a Willard Parker rises up emi-Knows anything adequately about their at the Trans-Miesissippi Exposition, nent in the medical profession; but value, and only the Christian scientist The various departments of govern- plaques which have been given away what an unlimited sweep would pneu- can have any appreciation of what di- ment are well represented and the ex- to purchasers of Elastic Starch this The Text is I. Chron., 20 6-7, as Fol-have in the world if it were not for Whose Fingers and Tees Were Four and Twenty, Six on Each Hand," etc. old physician in his gig, driving up the lor which I that you anti-six bones of lane of the farm-house, or riding on thanked God. The twenty-six bones of old physician in his gig, driving up the for which I fear you have never once whole. horseback, his medicines in the saddle- the foot are the admiration of the an- Perhaps the most noteworthy feature Malformation photographed, and for bags, arriving on the minth day of the atomist. The arch of the foot fash-An Alabama farmer put croton oil in what reason? Did not this passage fever, and coming in to take hold of loned with a grace and a poise that large collection of relics or trophies of themselves of this opportunity should ais melon patch and broke up a camp slip in by mistake into the sacred the pulse of the patient, while the Trajan's arch, or Constantine's arch, or the campaign in the vicinity of Santi-Scriptures, as sometimes a paragraph family, pale with anxiety, and looking any other arch could not equal. Those ago. A Spanish battle flag, the first thing as handsome in this line been Covetousness, like a candle ill-made, smothers the plendor of a happy for-tune in its own grease. anothing haphazard about the line source in this set in the set in there is nothing haphazard about the case; he is getting well!" excites in me arch, and ready for movements innu-Bible. This passage of Scripture was an admiration quite equal to the men-A man that studieth revenge keepeth as certainly intended to be put into the tion of the names of the great metro- as to enable a man to stand upright as fields near Santiago de Cuba. The walls, though their richness and beau-

and, Sir George A. Rein, premier of Victoria, recently met in conference and discussed plans for a Facific cable. They decided to make the definite offer that if Great Britalia and Canada collectively would recommend their respective legislations and contains these ranks that day there was not better off than this physical current of the contribute one-ninth each, asking not better off than this physical current of the reselt of than this physical current of the reselt of the reselt of the resence of a phalling suffering the resonance of the country have been work-ing and suffering for the boys in blue, cherring them through every lil that
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We should manage our fortune as we do our health, enjoy it when good, be patient when it is bad, and never apply violent remedies except in cases of human alitude monter active of these glants, but there were other significant the Davidean wars had not extreme necessity.

Wants Remains Brought Home

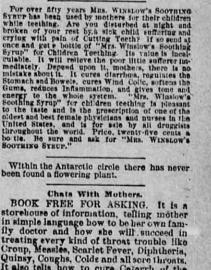
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HANDSOME PICTURES.

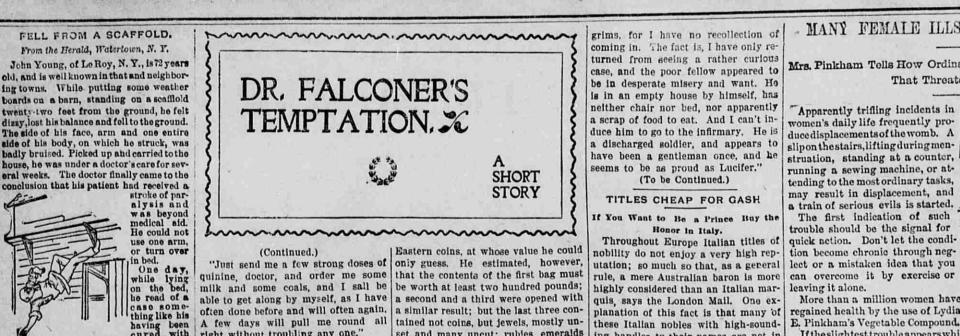
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"The American people still have in the income of museums. But there were many of them in olden times. Go- first sort, and lynched a judge of the fablus start or point history, you must concert for point history when history was the history point history was the history horis

Whenever the people discover some new amusement, the preachers label it sin, in big red letters.



permanently. At any drug store, 50

Don't forget that an honest man never has to Ill humor is but the inward feeling of our own want of merit.



the war began-for when they discov- my water in the house?"

has not been found wanting in "prac-

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SHORT

STORY

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souls," hat there is one American cor-poration whose soul has been tried and in that time." So saying, he walled uckly to the door, from which he efforts to awake and arouse the sleep- sider themselves vastly superior to the withdrew the key and put it in his ing man. He shouted in his ears, most ancient nobles of France and pocket. It was several minutes' walk dipped the corner of his handkerchief Great Britain and the equals of most to the nearest cab stand and nearly half in water and slapped his face, raised royal families. Some of the old Roman An easy-going young man never lin-gers with his best girl until after mid-again at the door with a four-wheeler. collapse helplessly under him. Then the days of ancient Rome. To his chagrin he found it fastened by he put his hand to the hip-pocket in the chain, but with a powerful push of which he carried his hypodermic case. GERMANY AND THE EAST his shoulder he burst it open and en- The bulky pouches of the belt delayed Hers Is the Most Powerful Influence at tered. His patient was lying on the floor of change the current of his thoughts. The notion of Germany possessing the front room on his face, having ap- The thought of the wealth now within the cradle of human civilization in Asparently succumbed to the influence of his grasp rushed over him like an ir- syria, as well as the holy places of the morphia as he was returning from resistible flood, sweeping everything Christianity, might easily attract a less enthusiastic mind than that of the ema monomaniac!" exclaimed the doctor as he stooped to lift him. "Hallo! you can for him; let him go now, and matters easier. Germany has become What have we here? those tumors take the good that has fallen into your the patron and almost the protector of again?" In a moment he had laid the hands. Here is what will pay all your the sultan. No influence is so powerinsensible figure on the bed and was debts, solve all your difficulties, launch ful at Constantinople as that of Gerhastily undoing his clothing. Under you on a new and full career, brighten many. She can obtain concessions the man's shirt and next his skin, was your wife's lot, and give your boy a which are refused to every other power. Instend a broad canvas belt, furnished proper chance in the world. Think Her officers drill the Turkish troops, with six large leathern pouches widely how much more good it will do in your her manufacturers supply the Turks distending and bulging prominently, hands than in those of this useless with cannon, rifles and ammunition, "Ha! this explains the mystery! Va- miser. Now you will have some chance and in a number of ways the sultan has These are malignant tumors with a divantage and doing some service to autocrat. Originally, no doubt, the sulvengeance! Come, my friend, let go" humanity in your day. Just leave the tan leaned upon Germany because Ger--this to the patient, who was feebly case to nature. Go back to your house, many seemed the one great power and half unconsciously clutching at the make your evening visit in due course, which wanted nothing from Turkey belt as he withdrew it-"I must make find him dead, and certify the real which it would weaken the independa thorough examination of these trans, since I have discovered them at inquest, there are the contracted in the room in the foor-for there was no table in the room-he units based of the ponches, and there are an additional to the ponches with fingers that trembled with excitement his hands shooks or holding it is better, a perfectly true collect; the hand it is better, a perfectly true collect; the hand it is the true and will rain the contract and the ponches of gold coins rolled out the house, of passing through the house, of passing through the the utomatic force of perfect truing the automatic force of perfect truing in the state that hand made more than on the knees of through which hands that carried him without any blunder, there area. 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"For shame, "Oh, you are ill, you ate nothing at Richard Falconer!" he heard himself breakfast this morning—I saw you, Mrs. Bizler—"Charles, I don't think saying aloud, "is this your contempt though you thought I didn't notice. we will go to Starfish Beach, after all for filthy lucre, your boasted indiffer- Oh, Richard, you musn't go on like I hear that Mrs. Dibble is going to be ence to gold? Get up at once, put back that; if you were to break down what there." Mr. Bizler-"What of that? that money and see to your patient as would become of us? Sit still now, till There'll be room enough for both of you ought! What is all this to you?" I see if there be any wine left in the you." Mrs. Bizler-"Charles Bizler. With a great effort he pulled himself decanter, and then you must have I met that woman at the beach three

grims, for I have no recollection of coming in. The fact is, I have only rebe in desperate misery and want. Ho is in an empty house by himself, has neither chair nor bed, nor apparently a scrap of food to eat. And I can't in- women's daily life frequently produce him to go to the infirmary. He is ducedisplacements of the womb. A a discharged soldier, and appears to slipon the stairs, lifting during menhave been a gentleman once, and he struation, standing at a counter, seems to be as proud as Lucifer." (To be Continued.)

TITLES CHEAP FOR GASH

Throughout Europe Italian titles of quick action. Don't let the condinobility do not enjoy a very high rep- tion become chronic through neg-One Hundred Thousand Grateful vices!" he exclaimed as he strode in; "Not quite a case for the Union In- have become impoverished, the Italian American Tobacco Co, has done among the U. S. So,diers and Sailors ever since the wark that for solution with a ladgh. And now 1 think me give you a hypodermic dose of morphia to quiet your pain. Is there money myself." to become a duke \$6,000 is sufficient; for \$5,000 one may be a marquis, and for \$4,000 a count: \$2,400 is sufficient member when we hear the remark the next street, and I will be back here given him an overdose?" Orsini of Rome, the Strozzi of Flor-again that "corporations have no in that time." So saying, he wallted The next ten minutes were spent in ence, and the viscomte of Milan, con-

togather and began methodically to something to cat." summers, and I am not going to be gather up the coins and put them back "Stop, Mary," said he, as she rose to brought in contact with that tambour



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OUR motto for this campaign: "No Newaygo county, have been visiting their mud slinging."

and after his bitter fight against Sen. for her. G. W. Crosby and wife received a very gist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for stor Burrows and other party leaders. pleasant call from Ora VanDusen and Consumption. She bought a bottle and to He is the virtual king of the Repub- wife of Battle Creek last Monday. re-elected will be practically king of guest of Allen Bennett last week.

demise will be regretted by every man Grattan-Vergennes; but Crosby's Kid says improving. ster its editors and machinery have in town all over the arrival of a little one the elbow. crumbled to dust, and will tell upon at his house, sept. 2... it is house, sept. 2... eternity. Dear Arena, farewell.

intend to use our opponents fairly and honestly; and whoever feels himself, his honestly; and whoever feels himself, his
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### FAMILY LIFE.

ker, in the course of which he said that parents ought to play with their children, study with their children, work with their children in tact thay w,rk with their children, in fact they "Ide" should think he would used an as place on business last Thursday. should live with their children rather than "for" them, in order to create the normal family life, and to have the children develop their best pos-

the children develop their best pos-sibilities. This excellent advice is most often offered especially to mothers, and I when you take Hood's Pills. The big, old-fash-

suffragist who seeks to perpetuate a division of interests now existing with-in that institution? While the fath. suffragist who seeks to perpetuate in that institution? While the fathers and sons on one hand stand pledged to do all in their power to make Responsibility, \$100,000.00. and administer (through their elected representatives ) righteous laws, and while their interest is, or ought to be, WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, President. turned largely in this direction, by their side stand the mother and her daughters, voiceless in all civic emergencies such as our late war, powerless to make or unmake politically the men who en act the laws, which make our municipalities and our Nation safe or unmake for the average state of the second sec safe or unsafe for themselves or their

Only when the day of woman's enfranchisement dawns, when she shall be elevated from her present legal ORTON HILL, position of political equality with the pauper and the idiot to place of equality with her husoand and her wILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, Kalamazoo. sons, will it be possible to have intelli E. W. BOWMAN, gent family life, such a unity of in- N. S. WHITNEY, terest as shall enable both father and ASA STRATTON, mother to play, study, work and live with their children

### RACHEL FOSTER AVERY.

Robbed the Grave. A startling incident, of which Mr. John Diver, of Philadelphis, was the subject, i narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yel. for a few days. low, eyes sunken, tounge coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite-grad- recent illness. ually growing weaker day by day. Three friend advised trying Electric Bitters and to week At'n'y Gen.-Royal A. Hawley, of my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued Land Com'r-Carlton Peck, of their use for three weeks and am now a well at Big Rapids. man. I know they saved my life, and robbed Geo. Forman and wife the grave of another victim. No one should friends here last week. fail to try them. Only 50c per bot. at L. H Abe Huff and wife are visiting her sister, Hunt & Co. drug store.



### Vergennes.

nice new carriage.

G. W. Crosby and wife, their brother lake and Parnell last week Tuesday. Melville McPherson went to Detroit last She was one of old settlers of this place. Coroners-Dr. William Fuller, boy last week when his father gave him Skellenger and wife.

a nice new bicycle. Mrs. Henry McCall and son, Hollis, of George Joslin's health is improving. Barrytown and Mrs. Arthur Morgan of

parents. Wm. Krum and wife. Joe Batchelor has gone to Plainfield to work for John Bergin.

IT IS Boss Pingree now sure. Re-mominated without a dissenting vote Saranac, came to see their daughter, who is she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she Anna McCarty has return after all he has said against his party; quite sick. Mrs. Gott stayed to help care was a hopeless victim of consumption and Chicago where she has been visiting her

lican party in Michigan; and if he is Elliot Frazier of Muskegon was the do e. She continued its use and after taking East Saginaw.

re-elected will be practically king of michigan. Do we really want a boss? and now does her own housework, and is as be ever was. Free trial bottles of bis Grand Rapids Friday on business. Note from the state of t Fred Geiger who has been in Dakota THE Arena, one of the greatest and working for a few months is home again.

best of the world's magazines, is dead G. W. Crosby and wife enjoyed a call -killed by the money power. It was in the advance guard of freedom in speech, thought and science; and its We pass the cake to our some sister of plevel a call from F. M. Johnson, wife and baby, Ruth, last Sunday. Come again Mr. Editor and tay longer. We pass the cake to our some sister of plevel a call Anna Pottruff visited her Aunt a Uncle Sears of Grattan Sunday. We visited Mr. Titus Sunday and a We visited Mr. Titus Sunday and are We pass the cake to our young sister of pleased to say that he is slowly but surely

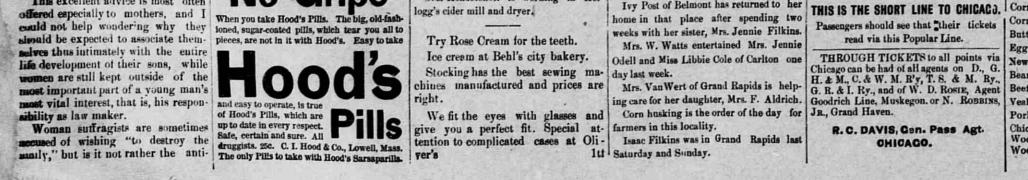
at his house, Sept. 22. It is the first boy Ira Westbrook from Town Line visited at in the family and the third heir. Mr. Pottruff's Sunday. 

WE WISH to notify the reading public that THE LEDGER never know. THE WHOLE system feels the sch, liver, kidneys, heart, nerves are the other is a start of the system feels the sch, liver, kidneys, heart, nerves are the other is a start of the system feels the frattan Sunday. \_\_\_\_\_

### McCords.

Mrs. Leroy Wool had a quilting bee v ednesday afternoon and the result was The funeral of L. Pillen was held at the a "big" rain s orm.

I have lately heard a series of class Mrs. Walker and children, of Cleveland. His remains were brought from Grand lectures on Child Training by the O., are the guests of her parents, J. Frey. Rapids and interred in the McBride ceme-eelebrated neurologist, Dr. Smith Ba-ermuth and wife. Rapids and interred in the McBride ceme-tery. He was taken to his daughter's



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### Smyrna.

Andrew Skellenger has returned hon Mrs. Sam'l Condon is recovering from

Mesdames Porter and Stevens of Alton physicians had given me up. Fortunately a called at A. J. Dicken's the first of the

Mrs. Bert Norton is visiting relatives

Mrs. A. J. Dickens.

Little Guy Ellis who was run over b wheel last week is improving. Sam Skellenger has rented his farm and ects to visit with his sons at Battle ek in the near future.

(Last week's letter.) Mrs. H. Baker, a former resident Smyrna, who has been in the Asylum at T. B. James and wife are riding out in a Traverse City a number of years, died last week. Interment at Greenville last Mon-

N. J. Crosby and wife went to Murray's Mrs. John Snow, an old lady who lived with her son near Coral, died last week.

week as a delegate to the state convention. Will Skellenger of Battle Creek visited a Roscole McPherson was made a happy few days last week with his parents, Sam

Mary Oakley has the whooping cough.

### Remarkable Rescue

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill. makes the following statement, that she IT IS Boss Pingree now sure. Re- Charley Gott, wife and son, Harold, of caught cold, which settled upon her lungs; that no medicine could cure her. Her drug-sister, Mrs Edgar Byrne. her delight found herself benefitted from first visit with friends in Grand Rapids and six bottles, found herself sound and well; John Doyle and James Hawley were in

### Fallasburg.

drug store. Large bottles 50c and \$1.00.

home in Calasmoo after a two weeks visit with her parents, E. B. Joice and wife of Canconsburg. We visited Mr. Titus Sunday and are

ys improving. p Joe McGee, while taking a horseback ride Sunday morning, fell off and broke b trick sunday morning, fell off and broke b trick sunday morning fell off and broke b trick sunday who values true liberty above par- he will cut corn with anyone and will keep Joe McGee, while taking a horseback tisanship. The Arena may die; but even every time. the good that it has done will live on Chris Whittenbach is the happiest man his left arm in two places, below and above

Mr. Weekes is drawing apples for Enos

ingly wrongs anyone. In politics we strengthened and SUSTAINED. Mr. Choat wife, and son, Earl, spent Ethel Millen's, Oct. 1, at 2 o'clock. Sunday in Orleans.

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### East Lowell.

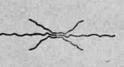
McBride school house last Wednesday tery. He was taken to his daughter's arrival of a nine-pound son.

Carrie Conklin is one of Miss Cole's new music scholars.

J. N. Hubbel and family are at home to Jack Cool and family of West Campbell their friends in the Mary Bolfe house. Orel Hendershott is working in Kel- place one day last week. logg's cider mill and drver

weeks with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Filkins. Passengers should see that their tickets | Co a second second second Try Rose Cream for the teeth.

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(Too late for last week)

Will Condon and wife of Lowell visited at

Anna McCarty has returned home from

Clara McLaughlin and sister, Jen

Mrs. McLaughlin has returned to her

cures. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

lieve constipation assist digestion. 25c

West Lowell.

n Nathan Blair's last Tuesday.

J. J. Finley and wife were callers at

The busy bees hold their next meeting at

E. Green started last sunday to visit his

Mrs. Horace Cary is very ill at this writ-

The ladies aid will meet at the home

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west Bowne.

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Marie Murphy has returned from a weeks just received at this office.

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	HODE DOWNS.				
e-	F. M. Aldrich and wife rejoice over the arrival of a nine-pound son.	CHICAGO	LOWELL MARKET Invariably corrected Thursday morning.		
a	Lester McDiarmid of the 32d Reg. Mich- Vol., recently arrived home in very poor	AND ALL POINTS WEST.	New Wheat	0	63 68
is	health. Mrs. Jennie Filkins has been spending	Leave Muskegon at 6:00 j n	Corn Oats	0	86 22
w	the last two weeks with her parents and other friends at Belmont.	Leave Grand Haven at 9:00 p. m. DAILY	Rye Barley per cwt	<b>6</b> (a)	40
10	Jack Cool and family of West Campbell entertained Charles Smith and wife of this	Arriving in CHICAGO the following morn-	Flour per cwt Bran per ton		2 00 12 00
1.	place one day last week. Ivy Post of Belmont has returned to her	ing in time for the outgoing trains:	Middlings per ton Corn meal per ton	C C	14 00 16 00
	home in that place after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Jennie Filkins.	THIS IS THE SHORT LINE TO CHICACO. Passengers should see that "their tickets	Corn and oats per ton Butter	@ 12 @	18 00 14
101	Mrs. W. Watts entertained Mrs. Jennie Odell and Miss Libbie Cole of Carlton one	read via this Popular Line. THROUGH TICKETS to all points via	Eggs	a	12
1-	day last week.	Chicago can be had of all agents on D., G. H. & M., C. & W. M. R'y, T. S. & M. Ry.,	New Potatoes Beans	80 @ 70 @	80 6 00
c	Mrs. VanWert of Grand Rapids is help- ing care for her daughter, Mrs. F. Aldrich.		Beef Veal	5 50 @ 5 5C @	6 00
d t-	Corn husking is the order of the day for farmers in this locality.	JR., Grand Haven. R. C. DAVIS, Gen. Pass Agt.	Pork Chickens	4 00 @	4 50 9 9 26
	Isaac Filkins was in Grand Rapids last	CHICACO.	Wool washed Wool unwashed	20 @ 15 @	

William Haskins died Thursday nigh of pneumonia and pleurisy, after an ill ness of ten days with great suffering. The funeral was held at the Saranac V. E church, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Boiston has purchsed the stor building recently owned by Charles Frost at Avon. Mesdames A. E. Shelley and VanEss of

Ionia were guests of Mrs. Wilkinson Mrs. Charles Lampkin is spending fair

week at Grand Rapids. Collie, wife of Fred Converse of Ionia, died Sept. 19th, of consumption, at the

at one time residents of Keene.

corners serenaded Samuel Strong and and Lampkin call at home of Miss Hunt- hair jumbled; his eyes looked as if from had confessed to the murder." As they walked away through the gowned and masked. I heard of one wife a few nights ago. They took their lunches with them and passed a pleasant evening with the newly married couple. Mrs. John Haskings is very ill but at the present writing is thought to be im-by pressing business. Chapter V.-Dorothy shows detective their sockets. Mrs. John Haskings is very ill but at the present writing is thought to be im-by pressing business. Chapter V.-Shows an invitation the present writing is thought to be im-the present writing is thought to be im-

L Erastus Hull has moved to Saranac all this. "To the studio," was the answer. His daughter, Mrs. Carrie Scott, and son "Even if he has left Henri will tell me will occupy and work the farm. Mr. Bol- something about him, for Henri would ston, the grocer, will live in Mrs. Scott's do anything for me."

sermon here last Sunday night; and all as it is, but for you to go looking up a murderer at such an unseemly hour-" sheets of music and the ashes and re- back to Hendricks' vest pocket. may do much good here. Funday school will be held at 10 a. m. and preaching at were well pleased with him. We hope he murderer at such an unseemly hour-" will be held at 10 a.m., and preaching at Then she walked to the door opening 11. All are are invited to attend next into the corridor and Mrs. Winfret and laid a commanding hand on his far too early to pronounce the artist Lena Bowen lost her black cape Satur- heard her call to the servant below and

to old Michigan from Wahshington state hall beneath in sleepy accents. where he has been since March and where Mrs. Winfret rose and came to her he has 640 acres of land. Erna Pinckney did not return with him.

Look out there, East Lowell! Don't auch and run no risk of being talked you get so interested at Fallasburg that about." you can't attend to your home news.

at Grand Rapids.

listed and are now encamped in Pennsyl and love knows no reason." vania. They expect to go to Porto Rico. B. F. Wilkinson entered his fine Percheron horse at state fair Monday.

Good work twice a week and fair treatment at the Lowell Laundry. drove round they got into the vehicle Dan Bush is serving the finest kind and drew their wraps around them.

of ice cream at his restaurant. Call and see my work. Rae Mal-

# WESTERN WOMAN'S WILE.

### How She Succeeds in Getting the Most for Her Money When She Goes to Market.

It is not strange that dress has a wonderful influence on the average masculine beart. A pretty woman liv- | ing in the west always depends upon getting the most for her money at the "I can't say, three o'clock." The is not in," said Doroldy, "minipulation of the ison of the is corner grocery, according as she is gowned, says the Rochester Post Exhe melts. As he puts the fruit she buys into a basket he throws in several extra ones-he ignores her as she goes around nibbling from one cracker box or barrel and then to the fruit standshe waxes playful, and finally hands her

a package of tulu. But it is at night she sweeps out the store. She comes around to leave an order for the following morning. and this time she is melted and poured into a white gown trimmed with lace inserting. The grocer comes to the door and leans against it in a beautiful way as she tells what she wishes. He picks up a stick of candy instead of a pencil to write the items down, while a glorious, sweet smile floods his face and trickles over his chin. At that moment money is no object-what is he running that store for save to oblige that lovely woman? He gazes wistfully after her as she trips off, and the next day-he stares at the figure at which he sold those goods last night and calls himself a business donkey with flap

cars.

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SYNOPSIS. Chapter I .- Minard Hendricks, great detective, just returned from Boston, finds awaiting him an unsigned typewritten let-

"But-but it's almost daybreak," op-Rev. Mr. Westbrook preached his first posed Mrs. Winfret. "It's bad enough

order the carriage. Wilbur Warner returned last Thursday "All right, miss!" came up from the

niece, her two hands outstretched.

"If you don't go with me I go alone." week's visit with her children and friends ready; I will dress myself in a moment." ward.

### CHAPTER VI.

Ten minutes later the two ladies stood shivering in the dark asphaltpaved portecochere waiting for the carriage. When the wondering coachman "Rembrandt Studio building, James," said Mrs. Winfret, her teeth chattering. Not a word passed between the oc-

WANTED, several loads of good dry wood on subscription at this of-fice. "He man buried his face in his tense fice. "He seems not to have got a word out turned her to stone. She drew a long, trembling breath as her aunt removed her arm and that was all."

Call at city bakery for your lunch Try THE LEDGER 10 weeks for 10c if your post office is in this county. When the carriage stopped at the studio building, Dorothy opened the door, and stepped quickly down to the sidewalk. Her aunt followed her into

lever, and they began to ascend.

"Is he in ?" asked Mrs. Winfret.

servant will give me the information I hotel."



"HE HAS DONE IT ALL FOR ME."

low burning lights of the chandelier now your uncle's heir unconditionally, low burning lights of the chandeler and if you wish you can spend all your T. He found an old colonial mansion SALE. In the matter of the estate ronze and white marble statues loomed fortune in saving the poor fellow." they represented. As they stood in the as one in a dream followed her aunt most inaccessible part of the Palisades. tion to the highest bidder, on Saturday center of the chamber, undecided what from the room and down to the car- He found out by accident that it was the Fifteenth day of October A. D. 1898 at to do, they heard a step in the adjoining | riage. room, and Henri presented a terrified Henri accompanied them to the door, long, and got a couple of years' lease on

carved wooden screen. that shook strangely. He had not rec- a man crawled out from behind a heavy est looking retreat you ever saw. I ognized the vistors.

Where is your master?"

age of 24 years. Funeral services were held at the Orleans M, E. church and the past two weeks to be out of town. De-tro uncertily and the best of a mute picture from the stood a mute picture still. mered, and then he stood a mute picture proached a man sitting on a window The vast mystery with which the rascal

Investigate. In the stigate of the standing of at one time residents of Keene. E. A. Wilkinson and wife of Saranac, Grace Blakeslee and Dr and Mrs. Cam-ball of Lorgell spent Enday at B. E. Chapter II.-Upon search of Caruthers' a brass stand, on which lay shock and rattled hand bears marks of finger nalls mani-harshly. A small piece of china fell I was too late to see Gielow, and just as who died in prison said a gang of counbell of Lowell spent Eunday at B. F. Hand bears marks of inger nails mani-bell of Lowell spent Eunday at B. F. Cured to sharp points. Lampkin recalls Wilkinson's. Hand bears marks of inger nails mani-bell of Lowell spent Eunday at B. F. Cured to sharp points. Lampkin recalls reports of a row between Caruthers and Arthur Glelow, both sultors for hand of Determine the base determined in the collars beneath the bouse that Harvey Battson is improving the ap-pearance of his house with a new coat of several millions should she marry Car-uncenditionally in case of Car-in Herri His collar was unfasted. I get out of the artist's servant. Theard uthers, unconditionally in case of Car-on Henri. His collar was unfastened, Chapter III.-Late that night Hendricks his necktie awry, and his long black him tell Miss Huntington that Gielow He receives applicants for psychic mes-A few of the young people of Fotters Chapter III.-Late that night Hendricks his necktie awry, and his long black had confessed to the murder."

proving. Phil Monks and wife of Lowell pressed before murder intense hatred for Caruthers and believes him guilty, yet de-called to see her Sunday. "He-he's gone, Miss Dorothy," was The detective reserved his opinion on

his station. He clasped his shaggy lighted a cigar. He held two in his head between his hands and groaned. hand, but he was too much absorbed to His weakness seemed to appeal to the offer the remaining unlighted one to his Special Sale same quality in the heiress. Her mouth friend. lost its firmness, her face appeared to | "You certainly think Gielow did the wither. She tottered to the grand | killing, don't you?" questioned Lamp-

shoulder. "Where has he gone to?" she demand- there would be nothing left to unravel,

d. "Speak, I say!"

and she sank into a rustic chair which ne home quickly, and I want to think her lover had brought from the hills of over some perplexing details." Mrs. J. Joseph has returned from a burst from the determined girl. "Get Palestine. Presently she leaned for-

friend. You know I can be trusted." "I know that well, Miss Dorothy," his accent betraying just the faintest touch of his French birth, "but he made me promise not to betray him to any. "I have but a minute..." Reuben Frieze and Allie Knee have en isted and are now encamped in Pennsyl and less the said, firmly in love, friend. You know I can be trusted." me promise not to betray him to any-detective said. "There is much to look one, although almost the last word he spoke was to say hedid it for your sake." "Did it for my sake!" muttered the girl, and there she paused. It looked "You want to see if-" as if she were afraid that Henri's next words would furnish positive confirma-to a regular crematory."

tion of her worst fears. "If it was not for the row he had with Mr. Caruthers at the club I'd really be-"Only" the headdline Colm. Photogapher. Lee bldg. Be sure and see R. D. Stocking's line of wheels before purchasing else-where. WANTED, several loads of good WANTED, several loads of good WANTED, several loads of good

Call at city bakery for your lunch When the carriage stopped at the lowest ebb of hope, "do you believe your things. "There are a vanced, I presume?"

great men are made of." voice: "He confessed it to you?" Henri nodded.

"May God help him if I can't," said ly and blended incongruously with the ly at me with the fury of a tiger, but the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell till it pleased his fancy. If is exact darge 25 cents. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the now that the fury of a tiger, but the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the now the tot the mudden' the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the count caught him and drew him back. "Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell the detective, with feeling. "May God help him if I can't," said the detective, with feeling. "This fore-noon I went all the way out to Kola's sorbed in crystal-gazing, and I knew it would irritate him to be interrupted the in the the torus the said the count; 'tell the the torus the said t

her arm round the shoulders of her sat without a word or a sign of recogni-niece. "Even if he is caught and tion from him till I got tired and stole" ium. Send for Journa". 

back to his own apartment.

curtain of a little alcove. He went got onto his idea not long ago, and, waiting him an unsigned typewritten let-"You-you, Miss Dorothy!" he stam- hallways on the same floor, he ap-they are willing to pay for it to boot. half of Lot No. 4.

"I know you are cold and tired," he held at the Orleans M. E. church and the remains were laid to rest in the Orleans determined on his own life some time pre-cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Converse were vious. Goes with friend, Dr. Lampkin, to him!" said the heiress. "I know you are cold and tired," he said. "But I could not get away soon-the base two weeks to be out of town. De-troute seems to connect letter with at-tempt made on his own life some time pre-vious. Goes with friend, Dr. Lampkin, to him!" said the heiress. "I twas the voice of Minard Hener." It was the voice of Minard Hen- the headquarters of a gang of thieves of

lonely streets Hentiricks recounted multi-millionaire who wanted his ad-

 Geoled to see her Sunday.
 Chapter to help hin, and with her address of the studio.
 "He—he's gone, Miss Dorothy," was to his studio.
 The detective reserved his opnion on the reply.

 Geo. Ackert and wife of Gratian were the guest of Ralph Bigley two days last week.
 "In Henri, tells of overhearing confession to Bantinni. Henri thought his master insane. Hendricks, concealed in room, hears
 "He—he's gone, Miss Dorothy," was the reply.
 The detective reserved his opnion on the reply.

 "Gone? Where?"
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 The man sank on a divan, forgetful of paused, struck a match on a wall and paused, struck a match on a wall and paused, struck a match on a wall and the paused his chapter.

Mrs. Winfret stepped up to the man was doing. As to your question, it is by guilty, sane or insane. If I did that, and I don't operate that way." He cc. "Speak, I say!"
Henri looked inquiringly at Dorothy, and perceiving that she was hanging on his reply, said:
"I don't know—I can't say, but he has left forever—forever, Miss Dorothy!"
The girl felt her knees growing weak, and she sank into a rustic chair which Henri looked inquiringly at Dorothy, heaved a big sigh. "Doctor, mark my begged. "You will accomplish just as left forever-forever, Miss Dorothy!" heard of. Remember, I said-ever heard

CHAPTER VII

into. I am sending out trusty young fellows in many directions. As for me, "You want to see if-" "If a one-handed man has been taken

"Ah, a good idea, of course. Hay

"Oh, yes, and the place suits him to a oriental rubbish from somewhere and invests his personality does the work. He couldn't have chosen a better place TO BE CONTINUED.] MILLAALAAAAAAAAAAAA Souvenir Cumblers -AT--Alexander's. We have just received \$1.00 per Dozen. C. H. ALEXANDER CONTRACTOR Last per our structure of the structure Call and see us, we will tell you whether

built half of brick, half of stone, in a of Ann Byrne, deceased. Notice is herebronze and white marble statues loomed like suggestions of the good and evil Dorothy rose stiffly, and as placidly Dorothy rose stiffly, and as placidly wooled portion of Cliffside Park, the by given that I shall sell at Public Aucunder contract to be torn down before | Three o'clock, in the afternoon on the remises of said estate in the village of visage over the top of a grotesquely and then crept sobbing and sniffling it, and recently he received a carload of Grattan in the County of Kent in the State of Michigan pursuant to license "Who is it?" he cried out in a voice He had scarcely turned his back when has turned the interior into the queer-Twenty-six day of July A. D. 1898 by the robate Court of Kent County, Michigan, all of the estate, right, title and interest "It is I, Henri, Miss Huntington, softly to the door, unlatched it, and while it is not exactly above board, I of the said deceased of, in and to the real glided out into the dimly-lighted cor- have nothing to say, for New Yorkers- estate situated and being in the ' ounty of Henri slowly stalked from behind ridor. He turned a corner, and, going the wealthy ones-love to be hum- Kent in State of Michigan, known and down one of the darkest and narrowest bugged, and Kola has discovered that described as follows, to-wit. The east Dated, August 29th A. D. 1898. JOHN P. BYRNE. Administrator de bonis non CLARKSVILLE - ACADEMY. THIS PRIVATE SCHOOL OFFERS THE FOLLOWING COURSES OF STUDY. Common School Course ... This course gives the regular work of all the common branches of study, Tuition for term of 20 weeks, \$8.00. English Course .. Gives shorter or review work of com mon branches and all academic studies leading to first, second and third grade teacher's certificates. Tuition for term of 20 weeks, \$10. Academic Courses... Prepares the student for state certificate or university. Tuition for term of 20 weeks, \$10. formal Course ... ludes kindergarten and professional studies for all grades of teacher's cer-tificates. Tuition for term of 20 weeks usiness Course ... Give , book keeping in all its forms and other branches necessary for a complete business education. Tuition for term of 20 weeks, \$15. Announcements for 1897-98. Winter School Begins Oct. 24, 1898. Wrrite For Particulars. C J and G E Transuc, Managers, Clarksville Ionia Co. Mich. OWELL & HASTINGS RAILROAD TIME TABLE. In Effect Sunday, June 21, 189.8 G SOUTH NO.1 NO.3 NO.5 e 7 00 am 11 50 am 4 20p m e 7 08 12 00 4 30 ar 7 15 12 10 am 4 35 mdale ogan 12 25 pm 4 53  $\begin{array}{r}
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"Tell him now.' said the count; 'tell him about the murder.'
"And then master grew calmer and told me into the great dark of the state."
"And then master grew calmer and told me into the great dark of electricity, that most wonderful of all agents in Paralysis, Loss of Power, Rheumatism, and all diseases of the that I must wait till the prince of occult balderdash had received some psychic ordered me to pack my master's bag with a few things. More dead than allive I obeyed, and then they went away together."
"Gott know."
"I don't know."
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Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style,

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i Samuel Rothfuss, aged 18, clerk in the Blissfield State bank, was shot down in the street in front of the post-office at Blissfield by one of a gang, of six engaged in an attempt to crack the postoffice safe, and his condition is critical. Rothfuss was returning home from a call on his best girl when he caught the burglars at their work. Although Rothfuss was armed, one of the fellows, who appeared to be on the set flows, who appeared to be on the fellows, who appeared to be on the balt killed the woman in previous the fellows, who appeared to be on the fellows at the to participation and in the forms of the the fellows at the to participation appeared to be on the fellows at the forms of the solution appeared to be on the fellows at the to participation appeared to be on the fellows at the to participation the fellows, who appeared to be on connty. guard, shot him in the abdon fired three shots and Rothfuss fired is decreasing.

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bank did business about \$15,000 was iest men in southwest Michigan. His to those who drink well water. to the first Tuesday in September.

reds being that they have not had pos- U. of M., and Mrs. Angell, arrived effect.

dier boys: Hiram A. Dickenson, of Traverse \$550,000. City, Co. M, 34th Michigan, succumbed An unknown woman, aged about 50,

Theron Pratt, Co. K, 34th Michigan, died at his home at Otsego. Albert Severance, Co. I, Second U. S. Williamston for burial.

he could defend himself. The robber Middletown, Pa., reports that sickness peculiar circumstances leads to the be- the number required.

tion Co., of Detroit.

Death Still Taking Michigan's Boys. | Fire in the four-story building occu- | TIM

to fever at his home. Francis J. Marion, Co. B, 33d Michi-bound passenger train on the Detroit gan, died at St. Mary's hospital, De-troit. His home was at Toledo. Chesterfield and New Baltimore.

state central committee, has designated

where their relatives and friends had<br/>tables loaded with good things waiting<br/>for them.Hig Cheboygan Mill Burned.gram, stating that he was killed while<br/>riding on a freight train at London,<br/>Ont. His mother is nearly distracted.C. Cable, of Ohio; grand secretary, J.<br/>Frank Grant, of Baltimore; grand<br/>treasurer, Richard Muckle, of Philadel-<br/>phia. The sourceign grand lodge voted<br/>unnimously to meet in Detroit in 1809.February next, the President has in-<br/>structed the American commissioners<br/>to demand that the evacuation by the<br/>Spaniards begin not later than October<br/>bia. The sourceign grand lodge voted<br/>unnimously to meet in Detroit in 1809.February next, the President has in-<br/>structed the American commissioners<br/>to demand that the evacuation by the<br/>being made for an elaborate ceremony<br/>when the American flag is raised over<br/>San Juan. U. S. Consul Hanna is<br/>flooded with letters from fortune hunt-<br/>originally \$200,000. Insured in 28 com-Hig Cheboygan was<br/>fright train at London,<br/>Ont. His mother is nearly distracted.<br/>The body of Anna Vandam, the<br/>young lady who was missing from her<br/>home in Muskegon was found in theC. Cable, of Ohio; grand secretary, J.<br/>Frank Grant, of Baltimore; grand<br/>treasurer, Richard Muckle, of Philadel-<br/>phia. The sovereign grand lodge voted<br/>unanimously to meet in Detroit in 1809.February next, the President has in-<br/>structed the American commissioners<br/>to demand that the evacuation by the<br/>ber 31.torily. The Spaniards are acting in<br/>structed the American commissioners<br/>to demand that the evacuation by the<br/>ber 31.Ween the American flag is raised over<br/>to riginally \$200,000. Insured in 28 com-The Marter Out Sover Toring Torin

The surgeon of the 35th Michigan at outbreaks her disappearance under United States. This is far in excess of lief that he has made away with her in

Disastrous Bank Failure. The failure of the Parsons bank at Burr Oak has completely paralyzed the business of the place. There is due the 31st Michigan regiment to have business of the place. There is due the 31st Michigan regiment to have the 31st Michigan re depositors \$\$1,000. The last week the the boys mustered out. In the aist menual regulater to have ing by contract, and asking for a con-enlargement of the heart. She had Typhoid fever has broken out at stitutional amendment to allow the been ill for some time. ducted a bank at Burr Oak for 35 years Battle Creek. It is claimed by the establishing of a state printing office, and was said to be one of the wealth- physicians that all cases are confined also a resolution to change Labor day

and was said to be one of the wealthiest men in southwest Michigan. His downfall is due to poor investments in property and speculation.
 Michigan Indians Own Part of Chicago. Chief Simon Pokagon, of the Pottawatomie Indians of Western Michigan arrived at Island Lake with has been informed that the secretary of the interior has been left on tab been left in the hospitals have a title to 130 acres of Chicago land, the only point against the reds being that they have not had postor to the success and was made and the the secretary of the interior has been left on the success and guard when the 32d the interior has been left on the success and the secretary of the interior has been left on the success and the secretary of the interior has been left on the home.
 Michigan arrived at Island Lake with 20 men who had been left in the hospitals has camp guard when the 32d the interior has been informed that the secretary of the interior has decided that the Indians have a title to 130 acres of Chicage home.
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reds being that they have not had pos-session for many years. Pokagon is in hopes of effecting a compromise with present occupants of the property. Shot Her Husband Five Times. Patrick Cassidy was shot five times at Gould City, near Manistique, by his wife, who used a 32-calibre revolver.

it is supposed that the woman was jealous. Babe Drowned in a Well. The 2-year-old step-son of Joseph Barber at Port Huron lost a ball under the house and crawled after it. He foll through the canras cover of an old fell through the c tell through the canvas cover of an old nad died on a Gransport and was buried to the provin-well and was drowned in two feet of at sea while being brought north from water. Santiago. Santiago. Of the 28 sick soldiers in the 32d first meals and a place to sleep when land, and one of the oldest orders in the order of the older of

# The grim specter is still reaping his harvest among Michigan's brave sol-dier boys: News of the Day as Told Over the

# Slender Wires.

An Incorrigible Convict Murderously At-tacks a Marguette Prison Guard-troit. His nome was at Foledo. Seba Botsworth, Co. F, 32d Michigan, passed away at St. Mary's hospital, De-troit. His parents took his remains to Odd Fellows' Convention at Boston-50,000 More Troops to be Sent Home It is said the recent reformatory sides the men at work the three chil-

He bears a hard reputation, and as he Porto Rico and the Philippines 65,000 had half-killed the woman in previous will be left to garrison the forts of the gress."

two, but without enect. The Institude aroused the neighborhood, but the vil-lains escaped with a horse and surrey stolen from the barn of Gus Barnholtz, west of town. Rothfuss will probably die. Aguinaldo Wants to be Bought Off. December Taxes \$2,158,770. The apportionment of the state tax for the current year, which has just shows the total equalized value of the to the U.S. deducted the pagel delegate wire W.Active of the pagel delegate to the U.S. deducted the page del

### Fanny Davenport Dead.

-----Chile and Argentina Will Arbitrate.

An agreement between Chile and Paris peace commission.

ered off Fecamp, France. The crew of | will probably go to Paris to appear be-

wife, who used a 32-calibre revolver. She was arrested and taken to jail at switch. The loss is \$30,000. She was arrested and taken to jail at Switch. The loss is 650,000. St. Ignace. Five bullets entered the man's body and he will die. No cause conference was held at Lansing, the gun on himself and would have th man's body and he will die. No cause is yet assigned for the deed, although it is supposed that the woman was

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN CHINA. Conflicting Interests of Great Britain and Eight Men Killed, Eight Fatally Burned

here to the effect that the emperor of China is dead. No details obtainable. Pekin: An imperial edict just issued Toledo, which completely destroyed of China has resigned his power to the high, and of the 20 persons employed empress (dowager empress), who has in the building eight were cremated, ordered the ministers to deliver to her eight were fatally burned and the

-The Stage Loses Another Star. edicts of the emperor probably caused dren of Supt. Parks were visiting him the change. While the emperor was at the time. One of these may recover Attempt to Marder Prison Guards. Attempt to Marder Prison Guards. Attempt to Marder Prison Guards. Albert Severance, Co. I, Second U. S. Infantry, died at Gunnisonville, Mich. James Tubbs, aged 29, died at his fast, Convict Dick Huntley arose from infantry, died at Montauk Point. He was a fast, Convict Dick Huntley arose from integration Commission at Work. Alward. Alward. Mar Investigation Commission at Work. Infantry, died at Gunnisonville, Mich. James Tubbs, aged 29, died at his home at Holly from typhoid fever con-his skull fractured. The young man is now insane, due, it is believed to the conduct of the recent

Esterhazy Confesses His Guilt. Count de Esterhazy has confessed the Spanish commissioners that the that he forged the celebrated bor- evacuation of Cuba cannot be delayed.

Gen. Lawton reports sickness de- shot and mortally wounded M. Oliver,

 than last year. The rate is nine and five-tenths mills per dollar of the valuation.
 In return for German concessions replayed in the same capacity in the Al-played in the same arranged that they shall vote on board Fanny Davenport (Mrs. Melbourne the transport. This is an unprece-

> Senator C. J. Faulkner, of West Virginia, has been appointed to the posi-tion on the Canadian commission made vacant by the retirement of Senator Ch Gray when he was transferred to the Best

# TERRIBLE CATASTROPHE. and Others Seriously Injured. Bussia Causing Complications. Shanghai: A local rumor is current Spontaneous combustion of dust

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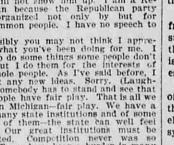
Another Dreyfus Case Tragedy. As a result of an attack by the Paris newspaper La Lanterne upon Deputy Charles Ernest Paulmier and his wife in relation to certain phases of the Drevfus case Madame Paulmier twice

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BREAKING THE NEWS. "Is anything the matter?" she ask-ed, 'in a slightly alarmed volce. It was surely not possible that he could











were in order and a social time was enjoyed by all.



and Guitar at Oliver's.

Strings for violin, banjo, mandolin day the bell and several other neces-1 tf sary articles were missing.