# The Lowell Ledger.

"INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS.

NEUTRAL IN NOTHING"

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LOWELL, MICHIGAN, DECEMBER, 8, 1898.

WHOLE NO. 284.

Get something cheaper. Don't worry over cold weather but

## **Pocahontas**

Free from Soot and dust Splendid heating qualities. Keep fire all night. Will burn in any stove that has a grate.

The Live Hardware man.

R. B. BOYLAN.

## 20W holiday Crade.

## 100 Watches

Silver Novelties, Rings, Chains and Bracelets. Childs Sets.

1847 Rogers Bros. Tableware

## HIGBYS.

The progressive Jeweler,

to select from. Tea Sets, any number of pieces.



Suit of Clothes,

PAIR OF PANTS PALL OVERGOAT.



I can fit you out in finest goods at prices that are right.

B. C. Smith.

"If Smith makes 'em they ft."

## 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. LOWBLL, MICHIOAN. Oliver Chilled Plews, Studebaker Wagons, Agricultural Implements

## Lowell Planing Mill, W. J. ECKER & SON, Props.

Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Coder Feace Posts

MATCHING RE-SAWING and JOB WORK.

Manufacturers of Blinds Frames for Doors, Windows and Screens, Exhibition and Shipping Goops for Poultry. Dried Apple Boxes, Wooden Eave Troughs. Etc.

ECKER & SON, PRORS.

## Died in Hospital.

rmon Ring of Keene Under Operation at Butterworth Hospital.

Armon Ring of Keene went to Grand Rapids, Tuesday, to have an operation performed on one of his eyes. There was a foreign growth under an eyelid and he wanted it removed. He was taken to Butterworth hospital and there an anesthetic was administered which nauseated him. His stomach settled down and he was again put under the influence of the drug.

Dr. Welsh cut a slit in the eyelid, removed a part of the growth underneath and was examining it to determine whether it was of a cancerous nature when both physicians noticed a change in the color of the blood coming from the wound-it suddenly became darker. At the same time his pulse almost stopped and his lungs were almest still. Artificial means were used to assist respiration and everything possible was done to rescusciate the patient but started for Santa he sank rapidly and died within Tuesday morning. twenty minutes.

FIRE RUINS MRS. CARR'S MIL-LINERY STORE.

### Harness Shop of H. S, Schreiner and Express Office Gutter

Fire oroke out in the rear of the living apartments and millinery store of Mrs. James Carr, at 4, p. m., yes-terday, and the building was completely ruined.

The flames spread to the harness shop of H. S. Schreiner and to the express office of the D., G. H. & M., Floy Moore. with great rapidity; and all three buildings were in flames before the firemen got to playing on the fire

The crowd that quickly gathered saved a considerable portion of Mrs. Carr's goods; and her loss will be partially covered by insurance, as she carried \$700 on building, stock Higby, is with them. and household goods.

Mr. Schreiner's building and stock uffered badly by fire and water; but

he also has insurance. The express office was badly damaged and contents ruined.

## A Bad Fall.

Charles Quick of the Journal fell n the icy walk vesterday after dia ner and broke one of the tendons that holds the knee cap in position, so that the bone slipped several inches out of place. He was carried home and Dr. McDannell says that it will be several weeks before he will be able to be out and he h s our symp thy in his afflict

## "Rev." Grace Walker.

When the Florida car was here. THE LEDGER man followed the clerk of the Journal into the car and presented his advertising bill. The gentlemanly agent stared after the retreating form of the young lady clerk, whose hill he had just paid, and said to THE LEDGER man in a stage whis-

per: "Say, who is Rev. Grace Walker?" "Don't know her."

"Isn't there a woman preacher here ov that name?" Guess not."

"Well, see bere," and the agent handed us the Journal's bill receipted by "Charles Quick, Per Grace

Walker." Evidently the Florida man is

## To Whom it May Concern

ELMBALE, MICH, Oct. 10, 1898. To whom it may concern:

up in Michigan hieroglyphics.

We are prepared to pay highest cash price for Wheat, Rye and Cate, at Rim-dale Elevator. A No. 1 Flour, Mill Feed. Seeds and Salt constantly on hand at lowest prices.

A WRESTER & Co. dec22 lowest prices. dec22

## Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Week nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. Ail America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Bold by L. H. Hunt & Co., Druggists.

A man might as well try to put a quart of water into a pint measure as to make a better harness than our famous Oak Tanned hand made harness. Before purchasing it is for your interest to call and look at our a very popular accession to Lowe goods. Brown & Sehler, musical talent.

## HOME NEWS.

Gossip and Chat about People and Things You Know.

See Higby's holiday stock.

Have you seen Blain's Brooklyn A. W. Burnett and family of Sara-Dac were recently guests of Lowell

Mrs. Robert Hardy has again taken up her residence at her home in this

village. Mrs P. F. Seibel of Rhinelander, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. H.

S. Schreiner. C. Crane of Albion, N. Y., is visiting his uncle Geo. E. Wilson and oth er relatives here

A. J. Howk & Son, the old reliable shoe dealers, have a new announce-

ment in this issue. L. J. Post is spending two weeks in the northeastern part of the state on institute work.

Mrs. C. E. Hulbert and children started for Santa Rosa, California,

Band No. 1, will give a musical entertainment and jevenile cake walk at Music hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 13.

The Lowell W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting with Mrs. Vanderlip last Friday; and the occasion was very enjoyable.

Elry Trobridge and family of Keene have purchased a farm at Algonac and have moved to that place to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Husted leave for Lansing this week to attend the wedding of C. L. Severy with Miss

Real estate transfer: Orton Hill and wife to Howard G Bartlett, wh net and e 10a ni net sec 24, Lowell township, \$3,365. Birth, in Lowell, Dec. 2, a son to

The residences of Phil Althen and Rev. H. Marshall have been wired

C. M. Higby and wife. - Mrs. G. H.

2)r electric lights by Superintendent E glish of the municipal plant. There will be exercises at the M.

E. church, Christmas eve. A fine program is being prepared and a cordial myitation is extended to all. Services at the Baptist church next

Sunday. Mo ning subject: True Holines. Evening subject: Looking Forward. S. G. Anderson, pastor. Clocks, all styles, cheap, at Higov's, The Ionia Standard quotes Audy

It is a busy time with Brother Quick, Fyfe as saying that something will surely be done with the extension of A silver collection will be taken. Mr the Lowell and Hastings railroad, as Sheppard is said to be a fine speaker his company has put up a big cash and his lecture is highly spoken of. forfeit.

Next Sunday morning will continue the subject: "Things which can not be shaken."-Heb. 12, 27. In the evening there will be a graduating exercise of the Junior League.-L. N. Pattison, pastor M. E. church.

Chauncey Townsend who for years has been the efficient foreman of J. E. Lee's fruit farm, has rented S. E. Bevier's farm in South Boston and will take possession Feb. 10. Channey deserves a go d thing and we hope he has got it.

Richard Hefferon was convicted before Judge Adsit in a jury trial at Grand Rapids, Tuesday, of keeping his saloon open after legal hours. Sentence was deferred till December 18. Attorney E. O. Mains defended Hefferan. Suit was brought at the instance of Supervisor White.

Ola M. Johnson was thirteen years old. Nov. 26; and on the evening of that day over twenty of her young triends gave her a surprise party. Refreshments were served and at 11 o'clock the little people went home-after a happy time, leaving Miss Ola numerous tokens of friendship.

Geo M. Winegar announc s a closng out sale in this issue. The peo ple of Lowell regret to learn of Mr, Winegar's determination of going out of business. During his several years residence here George has made a host of friends who will hope that his re tirement from business will not mean his departure from Lowell.

The Methodist church is fortunate in an excellent choir made up as forlows: Messrs Carl English and E. R. Collar, tenor and bass, Miss s Josephine and Marguerite Pattisor, soprano and alto; Miss Annetta Watts organist Miss Josephine Pattison who recently joined her parents here has a powerful and metalious voice and if we mistake not will prov-

## MILE MARKET STATE OF THE STATE

We Have

## hardware Specialities

For the Holiday Trade

Although they are good at anytime we call specirl attention to them now.

This is the season of the year when you burn Coal. We have the famous

## Jackson Hill Soft Coal

Which burns in any stove. We do not claim it is smokeless, odorless or dustless (we never saw the coal that was) but it is a heat producer.

## Kerosene Oil?

We still sell the Good Old Paragon Water White Oil at 8c per gallon and the White Star at 5c per gallon.

We remain your friends,

## KLARK & KLARK,

K-K-K-K HARDWARE.

F. L. Fallas wants your poultry. Silverware novelties at Highy's.

Look for the soap bridge in Blain's

Mr. W. C. Sheppard of Grand Rap ids will lecture at the Baptist church, under the auspices of the B. Y. P.U., Monday evening, Dec. 12. Subject, "The Regnant Race" No admissi ..

Everybody invited. When the new telephone cards came out, G. V. McConnell kicked himself over to the central to find out why his residence phone was omitted from the list. Then when it was pointed ont to him, he kicked himself back to the store, wondering how in the deuce he missed it. Put your specs" on next time, Mac.

The new furnace is now in opera tion at the Baptist church and the cozy house of worship warms up so easily that it is very easy for the janitor to over heat it Our Baptist friends have now a convenient, handsome and comfortable temple of worship and; the good pastor and his flock should be correspondingly hap-

C. O. Lawrence's girls are sound sleepers. Charlie and his wife were out pretty late one night recently and the children locked the doors and went to bed. When the "old folks" got home, they rang the beil, banged the doors and shook the windows un til they aroused the neighbors, but still the children slept on. Finally in a fit of desperation Charlie broke the kitchen door off its hinges and got into the house and the girls never heard a thing until their ma called them to breakfast next morning.

One hundred watches at Highy's. Silverware galore at Higby's. 3000 cake of white Castile soap to

be sold for 24c a cake at Blain's. WANTED, several loads of good iry wood on subscripiion at this of

I have a few good horses for sale H. NASH. My prices the same to all. Rae

Malcolm. Photographer. Ice cream by the dish, quart or supplied for socials and parties in gallon

ots. D. T. Bush .

## Splendid New Line of

At From \$10.50 Up

Bed Room Suits

Goods delivered free of charge any part of the city.

McCONNELL.

## Holiday Presents

In endless variety, in all styles and grades. can fit any pocketbook. We can give you the hest and the cheapest. Don't buy a thing for any member of your family without seeing me. I can save you lots of money.

H ALEXANDER On the Bridge.

Try Rose Cream for the teeth. I am in the market for poultry of

all kinds. Fallas, the grocer. Go to Malcolm's new Studio

first-class work.

imitation is the sincerest flattery.

"Open the other end." a household magazine prints instruc- means from the torture she dreaded

husbands after marriage.

They come thick and fast, but they since to turn back would but grieve are only rumors, after all, and are not to be given full credit. War is such an expensive luxury that the contemplation of the necessary expenditure gives those in authority a most commendable spirit of hesitation. For that reason pay but little attention to are only rumors, after all, and are not her, that reason pay but little attention to dainty slightness of her strength. Save the rumors. Wait for the cannon's her life he could not. No power in head seemed to "turn to gold;" then

During the war many men went to had a plan. Cuba to kill their fellow-men. Those "I can save you from the beasts, in the room. They looked at him, si-After the war Colonel Waring went to you from death, dear." Cuba to save his fellow-men from "It is not death I fear, but the death, by combating and destroying beasts."

died. Surely he, too, is to be deemed, in the highest sense, a hero and a marry.

A Boston circular says: "About 2, the second of the greet and the appearance of the first victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit 500,000,000 but of corn are of late years court which is fed to meat-producing animals, 600,000,000 but to working animals she past crop year was largely increased by reason of the protorated drouth last fall and resultant loss of pasturage, and that the quantity fed to animals the past crop year was largely increased by reason of the protorated from him, and springing through the tears running down his closed by reason of the protorated from him, and springing through the tears running down his closed by reason of the protorated from him, and springing through the tears running down his closed by reason of the protorated from him, and springing through there on a tour. He went lame in one leg and the rise to differ the protocol, the first victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit to the rise victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit to the rise victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit to the rise victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit to the rise and the the appearance of the first victims, she trembled for an instant and closed her eyes. But Acoit to the rise victims and the tout of the rise victims and the tout of the rise victims and the speak of eager, expected to the milling time of eager, expected to the wild it. Nice looking young the trill the lift it. Ni by reason of the abnormally high man strength.

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It was an eccentric experience; but the minister did not treat the man as seen that the gladiator whom all Rome lor being too fat. It consists in nothing more than drinking a glass of articleial Kissingen water after each meal then the guards at the other side, mistaking the signals, opened the dens and let the beasts into the arena.

"You are not to look at the beasts, ind so alternately until a desired decree of thinness has been secured. The life should be simple, starchy foods ind sweets being eschewed in greating waters. This treatment can evidently ion no harm, beyond causing disappointment if it should fail.

In dome to see die had armed himself and held the gate against the soldlers. Softleigh—"And what did she—aw—say?"

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"You are not to look at the beasts, more it listeth," and questioned his gray-haired visitor as encouragingly as he would have questioned a little child. The man had never been inside a church, and scarcely knew there was such a book as the Bible; but he could how you die you will not see. It will be a painless death. Quick, kiss me nonce."

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An Exceptional Man.

Riggs—"Simkins certainly has a wonderful memory."

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Bobby—"She said you ought to get active with a job like that in a restaurant."

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She put up her face, and for an inside a church, and on these he lived for years, an up-right, devo for being too fat. It consists in noth- had come to see die had armed himself a crank. He remembered the Teach-

opening in Japan. During 1895 that country imported from the United States 484,510 pounds of wheat.In 1896 the imports of wheat from the United States amounted to 2,451,689 pounds. The amount increased in 1897 to 12,-467,466 pounds. Some wheat was received from other countries, but the amount received from the United States was greater than from all other countries combined. Corea is our greatest rival in this trade, her exports to Japan last year being about two-thirds those of the United States. We also send flour to Japan, the amount for each of the two latter years being over 31,000,000 pounds. In 1895 the amount was only about 13,000,000 pounds. Japan imported flour also from Great Britain, British America, Australia, hers, while all the world and all eter- much puzzled official. He consulted China, Hongkong and other countries, nity were alike for that instant and in with the minister of the interior, who but the total imports from all of them | that one kiss-forgotten. combined was less than 1,000,000 "Now, turn your face to the emperor consult with the czar. "The best pounds. We have a clear advantage and pray your last prayer. It must be thing I can do," said the Russian em-

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The pounds in weight.

Don't substitute black tea for green because the purchaser is color blind.

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The pounds in the klondike just in time to see where our baseball club is finishing."—Washing-because the purchaser is color blind.

Acolf-a Christian! for the faith.

Who could not recall a score of wonfor the faith.

It isn't always the most promising tion sap, and no mad riotous excess al Magazine.

eyeballs, gaping blood-flecked jaws,and cruel, gleaming fangs, grinned at her Albert of the pig tree, where the pork blooms knowledge of music play second fiddle. beasts had broken her. Their staring The forger evidently believes that cruel, gleaming fangs, grinned at her Albany, now of Denver, published some And this pig tree-Mother! say, this The forger evidently believes that from every corner of her cell. She imitation is the sincerest flattery.

There is probably nothing more and this pig tree—Mother! say, this seemed even to feel their hot breath as they crouched in readiness for their as the readiness fo

of the gasps and screams of pain and terror which the moment of attack had wrung from even the stanchest.

It's better for a man to do a little terror which the moment of attack had wrung from even the stanchest.

"It is not death I fear, but the dying, writing than to deteriorate into a human football.

Be honest if you can — otherwise, your patrons will purchase their cannel goods elsewhere.

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Feeling ill

Some men put the smallest apples at he top of the barrel—also the notice, Open the other end."

"Not death, but the dying," repeatch and slowly, for the words had started a chamber and lay down on his bed. Camp life is—Say, mother! just a bit Gradually, as he rested there with under the chamber and slowly, for the words had started a chamber and lay down on his bed. Camp life is—Say, mother! just a bit gradually, as he rested there with under the chamber and lay down on his bed. Camp life is—Say mother! just a bit gradually, as he rested there with under the chamber and lay down on his bed. Camp life is—Say mother! Just a bit gradually, as he rested there with under the chamber and lay down on his bed. Camp life is—Say mother! Just a bit gradually and slowly, for the words had started a chamber and lay down on his bed. the top of the barrel-also the notice, and slowly, for the words had started a

Then he set to praying as though Under the head of current literature fervently. But to save her by human tions for making a cheap medical bat- was more in his thoughts than the idea of any help from heaven.

He was to die for the faith, indeed; In China a wife is never seen by her | but his own faith was shallow enough. husband before marriage. In this His God was the shivering, timorsome, country some wives seldom see their beautiful girl by his side; and his faith the love he bore her. It had pleased her to make him a Christian; and The air is filled with rumors of wars. Christian he would be to the death,

Rome could do that, save the emperor, the roof opened, and a company of and the emperor was stone. But he venerable old men in white garments,

he "felt ashamed."

the plague that has long ravaged that As they passed between the lines of out, but at that moment a white dove

price of wheat and flour."

A cry of surprise, starting in a shout from the soldiers, spread like a fire all round the vast concourse of people, as been suggested by Doctor Cathell of and the shouts depreced in right here in my heart."

A cry of surprise, starting in a shout thing, with them good old men's eyes lookin' at me, an' the white bird stay in' right here in my heart."

Jabbs swore copiously, and made a bold start to get out a writ of replevin, but he thought better of it and the shouts depreced in right here in my heart."

from behind and his lips rested on "the white dove in his heart" he de- Diggs-"He never leaves his umbrel-

A SWIFT, DEXTEROUS STAB.

EOLF, THE MARTYR, He had saved the girl from them in his own barbarian fashion.

Then, that not a man should call him OUR BUDGET OF FUN. CONGRESS IS IN SESSION. craven, he tossed the soldier's sword All Rome smiled at the idea, and the far from him and stood firm with fold-MICHIGAN smile deepened into rancous laughter ed arms till, with a loud roar, a huge then it was said that he was to die lion sprang upon him, giving the signal

drous tales of his strength, which no man could withstand, no wild dissipa- faith that was never in him.—The Roy-

Lots of married men who have no wrought in Dorcas. Fear of the wild call them "angel visits."

There is probably nothing more and the picture of one. When soldiers meet in a spirited attack in a cafe re-treat is the usual order.

There is probably nothing more and they crouched in readiness for their spring. Memory brought back the distribution of the gasps and screams of pain and terror which the moment of attack had they crouched in readiness for their spring. His father and grandfather had been river pirate. His father and spring and at horrors she had been forced to witness when others of the faith had died; and out of the awful blackness came echoes of the gasps and screams of pain and terror which the moment of attack had the

LIKE A MIST.

Gradually, as he rested there with un-closed eyes, the bare rafters over his

To go back to camp life—will I have some chicken salad, say! Will 1? Well, you try me! Sister! won't Down at Tampa-what's that, mother? Did I hear you mention pie?

Ice cream, too! this must be heaven in

Telling Them of Tampa.

lumps is all I take! Down at-O! confound old Tampa; Sis-ter! won't you pass the cake!

A Bad Bargain. "Look at her," said Jabbs as he jumped from his bicycle at the corner,

where half a dozen of his friends were "There's a daisy for you. Regular her, Simpley?" no chain and strong without being right." heavy. Nobody has a better wheel and "Good! How did you manage?" The sea of desks within the brass-

and with long, white beards, appeared a good deal for it." who succeeded are acclaimed as heroes. Dorcas," he said, "but I cannot save lently, but kindly and pitifully, until fly to pay \$100 for a riding machine. The feeling almost forced him to cry

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stant his towering head bent over her without knowing how to read; but Biggs-"Why do you think so?" clared was with him to the last. la anywhere." It was a vision that made Cornelius, the Roman, send for a Christian preacher, and it was a vision that made the preacher willing to go. Science and human reason may not recognize spiritual phenomena, but neither reason nor science can consistently deny the possibility that the great Being in Whose realm crowd the infinite mys-

teries of the universe, did send messengers of regeneration to the poor heathen river pirate. A photograph of the czarina nursing her baby recently appeared in an English newspaper, and when it reached the Russian censor the latter was a was equally perplexed and decided to and pray your last prayer. It must be short. Quick. I am between you and peror, "is to show this to the czarina and let her decide." In a few minutes, "I say, I trust you'll catch my bright

variation except two inches in height "Political candidate?"
or twenty pounds in weight. "No. He got back from the Klon-

Wouldn't Take Chances. man who pays his debts.

Some people have no time to think, because they talk so much.

The moral of a dog's tall is that it may ariably points to the past.

Dorcas.

Minish?

CAPTAIN JOHN'S VISION.

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Instances of so-called visions resulting in the reformation of a wicked character do not establish a supernative work of the Christian witch, invariably points to the past.

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And it grows—please pass the butter!—

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There's another curious product of that Life. Dealing with Futures. match?" asked one lady of another. eventful months just past. "Indeed she did," replied the other.

> event which marks the opening day of a session. The weather imposed no

Junior Law Partner-"You say it Exactly at noon Speaker Reed's would be useless to appeal that case gavel came down with a sharp crack, of Easymarks to a higher court?" Senior Law Partner-"Why, of silver and surm unted by a silver eagle,

breeze about the brilliant stained-glass Suspended Hostilitles. ceiling, and the house of representawatching the procession of wheelmen. "I hear you had a terrible row with tives entered upon the closing session of the memorable war congress. The beauty! All the latest improvements; "Awful! But I guess it all came out scene within the great hall was ani-

-New York World.

it fits me just as though it was made "Well, you know that her hobby is rails which cut off the lobbies, spreadwar. She thinks war, talks war, and ing in semi-circular lines from the "It is a fine one," admitted one of dreams war. She'd go to war if she speaker's rostrum like waves from a the crowd. "Must have set you back | could. When there is a crisis immi- center were veritable flower-garden, nent or a big battle has been fought a majority of members were in their "That's where you're off. I'm too she sits out on the verandah with a place, while about the encircling gal-Hain't she a dandy? And just among ourselves, she cost me exactly \$11.60." as they come out. She studies military people.

Even the private galleries were depended upon it, and if the little Ger- crowded an hour before the hour of "That's right. If there's a bargain man band plays martial airs she goes convening. And they contained many

duty be fell victim to the plague and the end of which, through the narrow die of the group. The venerable old lying 'round loose anywhere you can listed to drill. She gives herself the distinguished in social and official life. died. Surely he, too, is to be deemed, gate, she could see a part of the huge men smiled on the bird, and at the

filled early many of the spectators being visitors to Washington, who had embraced the opportunity to witness a Softleigh-"Bobby, did you-aw-tell congressional opening. On the senate floor the scene preyouah sister that I am waiting?" Bobby-"Sure." sented was unusually brilliant. The Softleigh-"And what did she-aw- desks of the members were loaded with

in floral displays has been seen in the senate for many years.

Mr. Morgan of Alabama was the Hal Counter-"So she did not accept first senator to enter the chamber, and closely following him came the octachamber and the floor very soon presented a scene as animated as that afforded by the galleries.

The Cook-"Shure an' cooks moosht hev a har-rud toime av it on board Bryce liberal member of parliament The Cop-"Phwy is thot?" for South Aberdeen, in reply to a question whether in his opinion, the United The Cook-"They how thim non-States constitution permitted the holdbreakable dishes."

ing of colonies, said: "I should think that notwithstanding the language "I must confess," said Willie Wish- used by the United States Supreme ington, "that I often waste time wor-rying about nothing." court in a famous case more than forty years ago, the means may be found whereby the United States may hold "Well," said Miss Cayenne, benign-"self-preservation is the first law out violation of the constitution and without conferring upon them the privileges of states or territories for

Couldn't Keep Them. "Yes," said the first theatrical man- which they are obviously unfit." ager, "I'm changing my bills weekly." Stops Pilgrims to Mecca. "You're in luck," said the other man-ager. "I have to change my bills the ninuto I get them."—New York World. prints a dispatch, under a Bombay date, which says that the Indian gov-

Towns—"While I was traveling in prohibition against pilgrimages to Mecthe West whisky once saved my life." ca. The edict includes all India, ex-Towne-"The desperado who shot at in Bengal, where the medical authori-Reen Chipping One Another

Native-"There are mair-in the the bourse in Cuban and Philippine veessiting season!"-Ally Sloper. It Certainly Is. Willie-'Pa, what is thunder?" Pa-"A weather report, Willie."

IMPORTANT MEETING BEGINS.

With the Prestige of a Successful War, Begun and Completed Within Their

against Spain, and now, with the war fought and won, it came together again for the first legislative consideration "And did your daughter make a good of the questions developed by the

As usual, all Washington turned its attention to the capitol for that gala

barriers, for the hurricane of yesterday gave way to clearing skies and balmy Long before the noon hour, when the senate and house began their work, the corridors were filed with surging crowds, centering in the rotunda and statuary hall, and pushing toward the private galleries. No evidences re mained of the explosion and fire which recently ravaged the building.

magnificent specimens of the florists

No Violation of Constitution.

London, Dec. 6.-Rt.-Hon, James

New York, Dec. 6.-The Journal

ernment, in consequence of the bu-

bonic plague, is strictly enforcing the

cepting the single port of Chittagong,

ties must certify to the health of the

Madrid, Dec. 6.—The government

does not approve of the speculation at

bonds. The rise in the prices of these

the government will apply the Ameri-

can indemnity to the payment of the

colonial debts. Such a statement is

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly obtain, write the doctor freely. You will receive a By 11 o'clock the leaders began to make their appearance, and the public galleries filled rapidly. the great chony mace entwined with Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mas course it would-he's busted already." was lifted into place upon its green marble pedestal, the spreading folds of American flags were broken to the

Are you frequently hoarse?

Do you have that annoying tickling in your throat? Would

you feel relieved if you could

raise something? Does your

coug's annoy you at night, and

do you raise more mucus in

Then you should always keep

If you have a weak

throat you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin

treatment too early. Each

cold makes you more liable

to another, and the last

one is always h rder to cure than the one before it.

Br. Ager's Cherry Pectoral Plaster

Help at Hand.

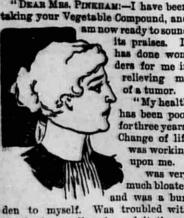
protects the lungs from colds.

the morning?

on hand a bottle of

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. ELIZABETH WHEELOCK, Magnolia, Iowa, in the following letter describes her recovery from a very criti-



me of testimony.

GOCO SHORT STORIES FOR THE VETERANS.

Lazy Days in the Canteens-Curing a are good."

A Murmur from Mudville. There's been the dingdest earthquake in you won't get any beer."

what's called our societ atus;

Wise were those who came All the gals we called "our ownest" now they sca'cely will look at us! We have plenty faith in beauty, but we were served promptly. have no place to pin it, For the gals make no concealment of the Since them volunteers came home

We took these gals to picnics, rot we thereafter devoted his whole time and chiefly, according to the structure of showed 'em much attentiont attention to getting out of it. He the skeleton. The Mediterranean and And they cheerfully attended ev'ry ance spent more than the the Red see are the sponging-grounds But there's something seems to f sper the hospital tent. He ran the gamut to us each, "Oh, you're a got all the diseases that flesh is heir to new world are the Bahamas, southern

Santiago! them lads are tellin'.

How they stormed the hills of Cuba with and would. the Spaniards round them yellin'!

One day the regiment was ordered to battle. There was to be a long, hard them. When a spange vessel arrives Jane and Sue and others

All a-buggin' them, doggone it! just the same as they were brothers

Since them volunteers came home

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Collapsed. He was taken to an ambu-

them have all that is due 'em—
But it does seem kind of meanish, and after taking in the situation he tached to the end of a long pole; the

Santiago!
—Baltimore American.

which sent a shudder over the entire of shirk again. length and breadth of this land, has been recalled by the action of the Mississippi river, on whose broad bosom

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

About the easiest thing in the world is not to become a millionaire.

TUMOR EXPELLED.

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mur, and bones and ghastly skulls valor gave tremendous force to the 41 L. R. A. 175, to be negotiable and kidney disorders. I am pleased to note The less tenderness a man has in his nature look down on the water from where charge of his personal companions. it is also held that it passes with the agreat many others who passed through the more he requires of other they lie, a few feet away. Lasy Days in the Canteens.

Never did a canteen of any army post in this country make as much post in the first was not at a fact of a can be all the first will be a can be all the DEAR MES. PINKHAM:-I have been post in this country make as much

relieving me of a tumor.

"My health has been proper where they may get a "noncoms" where the has been poor for three years.
Change of life was working upon me. I table with food not supplied in the upon me. I tab was very weary of government rations and to be much bloated much bloated much bloated much bloated much some distance from the main body, who, with intent to board a train lays are dangerous.

Industrial made before the statute was passed.

A person holding a mileage ticket, and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; de-lays are dangerous. den to myself. Was troubled with or a steak or get a cheese sandwich officers. He frankly admitted that he without going to the station, attempts It is a wise head that makes the still smothering spells, also palpitation of or a broiled ham sandwich with restauhad bagged the pork, but solemnly asto cross the main line, is held, in the heart and that bearing-down feelthe heart and that bearing-down feeling, and could not be on my feet much.
"I was growing worse all the time, until I took your medicine.
"After taking three boxes of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Lozenges, the tumor passed from me. "My health has been better ever the passing of the cavalry, which operated it. The Third had been stationed at the barracks, and then I realized that I must not a passenger to whom the carrier owns entired to ordinary care, if he has countersign, but he disregarded this, and then I realized that I must not in a prospective passenger.

Southern Railroad company vs. Smith ders. "What do you mean?" demandent the senior officer. "I ordered that it was in obedience to orders. "What do you mean?" demandent the senior officer. "I ordered that gave him another chance by commanding him to advance and give the countersign, but he disregarded this, and then I realized that I must shoot."

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It is hardly reasonable to suppose quick!" would find the waiter oblivious "Tes, sir," said the man in Cell 711;

that ary one can doubt the efficiency to his presence for a space of several "time was when I was admitted to the there be none of these relatives, a son very best houses." "And what houses." drs. Pinkham's methods and medi-e in the face of the tremendous vol-"Can I have a steak?" The waiter would not turn from his out."

CAMPFIRE SKETCHES, conversation with a soldier about how

the Third fared at Chickamauga. "Say, won't you take my order?" Then, wiping his hands on his apron, disclosing cavalry trousers, the dried specimens of other species are not the actual animal, but merely their waiter would reply: "You can have ham and eggs if you skeletons, or frame-work. That which constitutes their vital parts is removed

Shirker-The Man Who Obeyed Orders In the barroom it was the same in preparing them for market. Sponges Shirker—The Man Who Obeyed Orders In the barroom it was the state.

Amusing Sketches of Life During the loudly for beer would have to wait. If sessed by most animals; they are submerged they leaned on the counter the bar- nearly always attached to submerged tender would say:

objects. Since it is impossible for "Here, mister, if you do that again them to go in search of food, they can grow only in places where there is Wise were those who came to the plenty of food such as they require. canteen with fitting humility, for they They are more active in fresh than in still water, and die in a baort time if exposed to the air. The surface of a

Curing a Shirker.

An old civil war veteran tells a good pores, through which water is imbibed, story of how a lazy private in his regi- carrying with it both the air and the ment was cured of shirking. It ap- organic particles necessary for the sup-Through the spring and through summer days, we sca'cely need to nention.

ment was cured of shirking. It appears that the fellow was no good. He
had been drafted into service, and through all seas, and are classified, spent more than half of his time in the Red sea are the sponging-grounds Since them volunteers came ome or has acquired through its own miss and western Florida, and parts of the guided efforts. Somehow erra the | West Indies. The best sponge of comseverity of military discipline was in- merce is found in the Mediterranean, course we don't belittle all the yarns adequate to his case; shirk he could and is known as Turkey, or Smyrna,

sponge. It is obtained by divers, who One day the regiment was ordered go clad in armor when diving. Sponglance, where he lay apparently in a diately get ready for work. The comatose condition. The surgeon, a sponge fisher's outfit consists of a Course, our motives they is honest, and new officer just appointed on the staff, small boat called a "dingey," a long you mustn't misconstrue 'em; was sent for to see him. The physithem fighters have the glory, let them have all that is due 'emwas sent for to see him. The physithem have all that is due 'emcian chanced to be a keen-witted man, book is a three-pronged iron fork at-It makes our voices husky
When we think the gals that loved us hard should throw us down McClusto a private to take his feet, while he bucket with a bottom of common winhimself took the head, and without dow glass. To use it, the glass bottom Since them volunteers came home more ado dumped the comatose shirk- is thrust into the water, the fisherman er headforemost into the river. As puts the ball around his neck, and then it was the dead of winter, with ice buries his head deep in the bucket to blocks clogging the water, a more vio- exclude the light. There are always lent remedy could not be imagined. two men to each dingey, one to act as

Alexander the Great on the Field. A woman seldom knows just what whose cold embrace hundreds of solshe wants, but she usually gets it.

They Are Reliable.

The American Farmer is sincere in what it says and wheever it andorses an article, be it machinery, proprietary medicine, or a man individually, we want our readers to believe that what we say we have good reason to understand is true. For a year or more there have been endorsements of the Paper. People have written us to know if this company is responsible, and if its remarkable remedies, for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, dystepers and early in the board.

The Sultan was a very large Missister without is surfaced by the United States government as soon as the civil war was emined to convey Federal troops from the far south to their homes. The stand is true. For a year or more there have been endorsements of the supposed of the paper. People have written us to know if this company is responsible, and if its remarkable remedies, for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, dystepersia, catarrh, kidney troubles, etc., really had merit. We have therefore been at extra pains to investigate, and once again we add emphasis to our former endorsement of that company. There may be signified capas, here, and the control of the part of the paper. The substant of the phalanx formed merely the defensation of his line. He was even the way and soon the phalanx formed merely the defensation of his line. He was the war and run it under the sponse hook down to rise no more.

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e add emphasis to our former posite Hen and Chicken island, when, be supreior to infantry, if kept in conendorsement of that company. There may be isolated cases here and there without any warning whatever, her without any warning whatever, her boilers burst, her hog chains parted, and the shattered wreck caught fire.

As many as 1,500 soldiers were killed or derivative properties. After the beating they are thoroughly cleansed and are ready for market.—Philadephia Press.

Appearances Deceiful. derful Five Drops remedy does not do or drowned as a result of the accident, and then, avoiding the temptation to "I struck a new one the other day," G. A. R. is held, Michigan is always the work. But it is a case where the derful Five Drops remedy does not do the work. But it is a case where the exception proves the rule. Mr. Swanson is a gentleman of character and were captured every hour or so.

More hodies were a monograph near the work of the accident, and then, avoiding the temptation to said the man who is about to move, in flank, and so deciding the issue.

"I struck a new one the other day, said the man who is about to move, in flank, and so deciding the issue.

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More bodies were recovered near the scene of the wreck, and these were public than the writer of this article. They still offer to send a sample bottle, 300 doses, for \$1, prepaid by mall or express. Address as above.

The best some people can do is to express somebody else's opinions.

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More bodies were recovered near the scene of the wreck, and these were burled at Mound City. At that time the people in this vicinity cared precious little for Yankee soldiers, though they gave them a decent burled. No tombstones were erected, when I went to see a house of which a faithful Irishman was custodian. Too small, I said as soon at Is saw the place.

"Go aisy, sor,' he replied, 'till 1 slowed old glory and escaped the show yes 'trough. Yez'll foind to show yes 'trough. Yez'll foind the show something of Alexanders. The best some people can do is to express somebody else's opinions.

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buried at Mound City the impromptu exander's Companions were Cromwell's are made every year in the United tersely told. He said:

Hundreds would never have known want if they had not at first known waste.

trophe, has gradually worn away the ground until now she sweeps by the ground until now she sweeps by the graveyard with a steady, sullen mur- in his fortune, and that the king's Cheshire Provident Institute (Kas.), most prevalent of these being due to But nothing can convince us that Hannibal's view of his duties was not far
higher of whom it was not far higher of whom it w

handled by alien hands, the nearest

very best houses." "And what brought is adopted by the family for the pur-

you here?" "They caught me coming pose.

male relative-son, father or brother-

The Mass Mass. Pinksham:—I have been taking your Vegetable Compound, and its praises. It has done wonders for me in relieving me of a tumor.

The Medicated Croup Mecklace is the only widow and children only, and not to include the parents of the deceased.

Alexander's example, here as else-widow and children only, and not to include the parents of the deceased.

A statute reducing the lien or charge of a judgment against the estate or agovernment by law, for the benefit of the troops at a post. They form a main cause of this serious result.

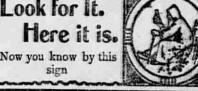
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A statute reducing the lien or charge of a judgment against the estate or person of a judgment debtor and prothibiting the renewal thereof for more hibiting the renewal thereof for more hibiti hibiting the renewal thereof for more than one year after the act takes effect is held in Bettman vs. Chysley (Wash)

There is no index of character so sure is held, in Bettman vs. Cowley (Wash.) as the voice.

Look for it.



Soreness, Stiffness. "THERE IS SCIENCE IN NEATNESS."

BE WISE AND USE SAPOLIO

BAHAMA SPONGES. How They Are Sighted and Brought Up from the Water. The sponges of commerce and the

living sponge is covered with minute

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Man's enterprise culminated at the World's Columbian Exposition. The memory of it will be a marvel for all time. The fame there acquired will live for years. The manufacturers of

## Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

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## "Foremost Baking Powder in all the World."

The wreck of the steamer Sultana, which occurred on April 27, 1865, and which sent a shudder over the entire was never known to try his game which sent a shudder over the entire was never known to try his game along very slowly the hooker, in a shudder over the entire of shirt and the other as "hooker."

Shepherd and Ficek.

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A one idea man is to be pitied. He has room in his poor brain for but the hing at a time. We know a man who refuses to vote because "We have no record that Christ ever voted." The same poor mortal rides a lievele and never stops to ask the pattern of the wheel that Jesus ride.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; could reministed in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My hushand was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles the home of Mrs. Carrie Scott. Every lady free at L. H. Hunt & Co.'s Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or is requested to bring a ball of carpet rags.

Inesota Indians again because they have been rhooting deer "out of seaton" We have supposed that for the
Indians, game was always in season. it is as natural for an Indian to live by killing game as it is for water run down hill; and we have not much ympathy with a law that expects him o go hungry when his natural food is are visiting in Grand Rapids.

THE present congress will grappel The social at Mrs. McArthur's Tuesday with problems that would have taxed was well attended and enjoyed by all. he past, when nations have been con- Grange hall, Dec. 30. rented with great difficulties and dan-rented with great difficulties and dan-gers, the demands for men equal to vicinity buying cows last week. meeded in both houses of Congress.

It is to be hoped that they will ap-

of it for love or money. "Father and Thursday. grandfather did thus and so," or Mother and grandmother had this or that and what was good enough for them is good enough for me." They utterly refuse to be convinced. They very little and do not care to more. Offer them twice as nuch, of far better quality, for the money; and they cling to the dear old rut just the same Reasoning and time are utterly wasted upon

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estated by the Cosmopolitan's generous offer; but over 21,000 students made application for membership during the first year; and that journal can not be expected to carry on so great a work indefinitely. Accordingly a bill has been prepared for presentation to Congress, to provide for the organization of a national university of the organization of a national university of the control of the toiling masses. We commend this rendered in a very expressive manner. Lowell 8 00 2 30 6 29

The duet by Misses Viola and Nellie Methe congressman from this district. Gregor assisted by Miss Nelly Dean was

true to "Free Cuba" and the pledges for Cuban independence. He is to be commended for withstanding the de-

mands of the "grab-everything" folks Philippines has, according to Mr. Stead, called down up at us the sourt post office as second of all Europe. England alone is pleased. The continental powers with-

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A Narorw Escape.

Rev. A. B. Johnson and wife go to Crystal Monday to attend a wedding.

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ion as clerk at Berrington. Blanche Lee visited in Fowler last week A. Bowen is failing and his daughter,

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Great leaders are now vicinity Saturday selling essences. He is Blanche Lee gave a party in honor Mrs. Alvah Race's sister visited her Sun- of Cora Adams in Saranac

> progressive carom social at the bome Mr. and Mrs. Peck Friday evening. Arthur Goodell won the gentleman's prize and Maude Lee won the lady's prize. The

The young ladies' Thelma club of Easton pupils assisted by Grace Blabeslee and

Renwick visited at James Renwick's ser-One of the happy events of the season oc-

and wife, it being the marriage of their

daughter, Myrtie, to Morris H. Lawrence of Oakfield. Promptly at 6:30 p. m., Miss Rena Wilkinson of Saranac played the wedding march and the couple descended

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STATE GOSSIP.

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About Sugar Beet Contracts.

Land Commissioner Freuch, who is charged with the enforcement of the best sugar law passed by the legislar tractice march of 12 miles from Camp Morror and Johlains, and adjoiling, counties, for the growing of sugar beets, are not according to that law provides that such a first law provides that manual for all super counties are making and vouches and an adjoiling state. That law provides that manual for all super posses and the superhanded states. That law provides the "described soan" of Perotic was a restelled at \$250,000 and is fully completing their work on the first three of 12 miles from Camp legislar three of 18 miles are making with the farmers of Monroe and Johlaing and Johlaing (ici., Georgians, as 1 betroits.

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Col. Frank J. Hecker, of Detroit, has left Havana for his home to attend the wedding of his daughter. He returns to Havana in January.

Returns from all counties except Saginaw and Monroe give Pingree a majority of 73,819. The constitutional revision has 33,156 majority.

John Gilbert, of Ovid, a veteran of the civil war, was felling a tree when he was struck by one of the branches, left Havana for his home to attend the wedding of his daughter. He returns to Havana in January.

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l e of Mrs. J. Cary, Dec. 14, at ring is therefore cherished.

rs, Needham of Lowell called on Mr. S. Gristwood Saturday.

John and Ezra Martin, of Morenci. have come to spend the winter with timer parents.

J Holmes and family are making an extended visit with relatives in clearly their saperiority. Coldwater.

A number of the little friends of Betths Fletcher gave her a surprise Saturday, it being her 9th birthday number of tokens were presented her and after a short program the little company partook of a bounteous repast prepared by Mrs. Fletcher.

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ily Saturday. Hattie Barber of West Boston was the guest of Della James from Friday

evening until Monday morning. W. J. Botzen and family went to Grand Rapids Friday with a sleigh and report pretty good sleighing all the way.

Many of the readers of the LEDGER will remember the Patrick family Lally, was brought to Gratan Catho who came here in the thirties (1837 lie church Thursday for burial. She we think.) Mr. Patrick and family has lived with her neice, Mrs John located on the farm now owned by Howard, of Bowne, since her husband by L. A. C. and where they lived died. She leaves two s us and many for years. We have just heard of other relatives and friends to manne the death of Mr. Patrick who died her loss. She was a kind wife, soving st his home in Knusus after an illness mother and a good neighbor of a few days of neuralgia of the heart, at the age of 77 years.

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## Fallasburg.

Cora McCaul is working for Mrs

Mr. A drich and wife and Mr Chostes and wife visited in Lowel

Frank Sherard an I wife spent Sun day with their woch, Mr. Wheadon, and wi e, of Vergen as.

Will BoVee and J. Land are cut ting wood fr ! E. Tower

over, consisting of roast duck and other goodes was enten at M Aldrich's Saturday night by six Fallasburg's young folks.

J. E. Tower took a three horse load of hogs and potatoes to Grand

## Grattan-Vergernes.

Mrs. John Ink. wav and daughter Inlian, are visiting in Grand Rapids Born-To Otis Bibbler and wife.

Mrs. Wallace Snyder is no better. Chas. Francisco of Lowell spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Juk-way.

Kate Howard of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs.

P. Berne and daughter, Kittie, visited his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Burt, of Belding, Sunday.

Many of Tom Reed's old neighbors are glad to have nim back at his old trade, butchering fowl's.

John Hessler returned home Tuesday from deer hunting in the northern part of the state where he captured two deer. Anyone wishing a day to work in silk mills.

good meal of venison had better dine Miss Audie Gardner. with Mr. H. some day for that is Earl Norton spent Sunday at R. Ellis' in what he intends to live on for a cou- Smoky Row. ple of months.



other and seating as one are usually en sen as the symbol of wedded toppiness. The ring is the outward and visible sign temember the ladies aid at the o the union of hearts and the wedding

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Nellie Byrne returned home Saturday from Grand Rapids where she has been visiting relatives.

Ethel Weekes is visiting her sister Mrs. Jud Hapeman, of South Lowell. Frances Houlihan returned to Lowell after assisting her people through

apple drying. Mrs. Geo. Frost is improving. Emma Blosser returned home Sat-

urday from Bowne where she has been visiting her sunt, Mrs. Fred Wingier. Eddie Howe and sister, Fannie, of

Freeport, called on Nellie Byrne, Sun-

Asa Vanderbrock is improving. Godfrey Beerie filled the vacancy t Frank Flanagan's in Wallace Snyder's place.

Jay Cummings and family are preparing to move into Mrs. O. McGee's

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## Cascade-East Paris

The E. P. L. , met at the home of M wis Saturday evening. Business over rs Davi served doughnuts, coffee and sandwiches. The next meeting will be held at the home of M. Homer

Leah Rathbone and Carrie Seabring have accepted positions with Leonard Bros. for the holidays.

A very enjoyable time was reported by those who attended a party at L. Heintzelmen's, given in honor of friends returning from indiana.

The L. A. - met with Mrs. J. Z. Stowe A good time always at Jimmy's The . W. B. M. held their last meeting

with Mrs. W. A. Patterson, which was very interesting session. The L A. S. held their annual aprop sale in the new town hall. Supper was erred after which a fine program was

given The amount taken in \$3 84. Died at the residence of his daughter. rs. R. towe, in Grand Rapids, Horace I rabas, at the age of 87 years. He cune to Cascade in the fifties and ws in lefatigable in his labors for the erection of the new Deciple church of which he was a charter member and never withdrew his allegiance. Elder Findley assisted by E. B. Widger of Oakdale conducted the services which were a fitting tribute to the departed.

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Smyrua. Clark Hoppough and wife of Orleans

s pent Sunday at Vrs. H. Moe's. Cyrus Ring and family moved to Belding Thursday.

Albert Russel, wife and daughter, Lizzie and George Hanks and daughter, Nellie, nade a trip to Lowell, Friday. Mrs. W. Spencer, of Belding, spent Sun

with her sister, Mrs. W. Gardner. Mrs. J. Mosher of Alton called at A. J Dicken's Paturday.

Otis White of Alton was here Friday. Lizzie Hamilton went to Belding Mon-

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