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March 1st we will havefor your

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ON THE ATLANTIC.

With the Fourth Regiment on the

On board the transport, "Grant," 1000 miles from nowhere, Jan. 28, 1899

Dear Mother and Family:

We are getting near Gibraltar and afternoon. It is said that instead of ding march. landing at Gibraltar we are going to winds but no storms yet. I was not in the laundry business. seasick, but for a couple of days did When a man took a walk across the Grand Rapids. deck it made his head and stomach feel queer, for when a boat would rise on a billow you could feel your stomach take a drop clear to your shoes and your head would be as light as a feather. Then she would sink down with the wave you could feel your stomach take a rise clear to the ceiling and your feet would get tangled up like a druuken man's. Gee! It was fun to see the fellows staggering across the deck and all at once wave their arms wildly, make a rush for the railing and "heave up Jonah." Then all the well boys would yell, "Fort Sheridan," "New York," or "Columbus;" or some would sing "America" for the benefit of the poor seasick boys. They would lay about the

The boat is kept very clean and the sedding has to be aired every morning. There are inspections at 4.30, a. m., and 4.30, p. m., every day to see clean as common soap will not lather season. The goods are mostly con-in it and the sea soap not much better. tracted for and sold before canned. wet your arm in it you can not rub United States for such a factory than your hand up and down it and it feels Lowell. Yours, like rubbing your hand on piece of rubber. The shower baths are cold, about 60° and it takes your breath right away when you step under the shower; but a man does feel fine after taking one.

deck in the dirt or anywhere else and

did not care whether school kept or

and the hard tack is brand new. It a new idea. Then we get lots of oat meal, condensed milk, beef, fresh and salt, pork and beans, canned peaches and tomatoes. In fact, we live well. We fare better when Capt. Lovering s in charge of the mess than when is considered to be the best man to feed soldiers in the regiment. He is the one who had that soldier drag-ged by a rope and prodded him with his sword. I suppose you remember the occurence, about a year ago. The newspapers made a big howl about it. Monday, Jan. 30.

I will now finish this short letter. We will land at Gibraltar this evening. I will write more at the next stop. We passed a lonely island day before yesterday, the first land we saw after leaving Sandy Hook. It is called Santa Maria island and about 35,000 French and Portugese live on it. It belongs to France. We passed about 10 or 15 miles south of cloud, but you could distinguish a light house and village on it.

Best regards to my friends and tell them to write to me. Your undutiful son, ALGE. Address, Pvt. A. A. Gardner, Co.

Islands. Some Left, but Hurry Up.

G., 4th U. S. Inf., Manila, Philippine

I still have a bedroom suite, a baby cab, a bench clothes wringer, tubs, etc., 2 high chairs, child's rocker and kitchen furniture. Get a bargain before they go.

F. W. TARLETON.

works, want situation together. Ap-

ply at this office.

Blakeslee-Culver Wedding.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Blakeslee, yesterday afternoon, occurred the wedding of their daughter Mabel to Charles Cuiver of Carson City, Rev. S. G. Anderson officiating.

The decorations were red and white carnations. Mr. Will Gunther I will take this opportunity to write and Miss Harriet Blakeslee officiated a letter to you. If nothing happens as groomsman and bridesmaid and we will reach Gibraltar by Monday Miss Bertha Carson played the wed-

An elaborate wedding supper was land at Algeria for there is a dry served and the happy couple, the dock there and we will have to put recipients of many valuable presents, up a week for repairs. We have had took the afternoon train for Carson pretty good weather all the time. City. They will make their home at There have been some pretty strong Evart, where Mr. Culver will engage

Guests from abroad were: Mr. not feel just as well as I do now. I Carter Culver, Mrs. Fred Snyder, confess that the motion of the ship is Mr. Will Gunther, Misses Grace the most sickening one I ever experienced for a day or two and it takes a Culver and Mary Strong, of Carson good strong stomach to stand it. City, and Miss Bertha Carson of

> Letter From a Canning Center. Friend Johnson:

The combined canning factories here can 100,000 cans daily in season.

They begin on early tomatoes and can through the summer and end up in the fall on squash of different varieties. Each factory cans 20,000

They can tomatoes, squash, pumpkin and corn mostly and if any of those crops fail they fill the cans un with apples and peaches.

Last year they contracted for tomatoes at 18c per bushel and the fac-tory furnished the plants. A successful early crop will bring \$100 per acre. The price for squash was \$5.00 per ton; seven tons is the average

crop or \$35 per acre.

The caus could be made the year round, working from four to six men. that the men and the quarters are clean. The men are made to take successful investment and could be shower baths at least twice a week. easily put in as it requires but little e have to bathe in salt water and it machinery and from 1,000,000 to is a very difficult thing to do and keep 2,000,000 cans could be put up in a The water is so hard that when you There is no better location in the

Milan D. Wilson.

Obituary. Maria Sayles was born in Paris, Brant Co., Ont., Nov. 7, 1825, and died at her home Feb. 18, 1889, at We get good board. Get light the age of 73 years, 3 months and bread about five or six times a week 11 days. When quite young she came with her parents to Michigan comes in big tin boxes sealed air tight and settled near her present home, so that it will never mould. That is In 1845 she was united in marriage with Charles Sayles. To their union were given eight children, four having preceded their mother to the heavenly home and four are still here to mourn with their aged father a loss which to them is irreparable. Forty-McQuiston was any way. Lovering two years ago she gave her heart to Jesus. The same winter she joined the M. E. church and remained a member of the same church until

> Mrs. Sayles was a very generous and kind hearted woman everwilling to help the church in any capacity.

Besides rearing her own family Mrs. Sayles gave a home to two of her grandchildren who kindly administered to her during her last illness which was painful and of long duration. Even during her illness she found time to plead with her brothers and children in regard to their Saviour who had proved such a refuge in the time of trouble to her during her sickness and she was a bargain if taken at once. it and it looked like a large purple fully aware that she was soon to be 2-23 with Him.

Mrs. Elmer E. Richmona.

Cora M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L, W. Burras was born April 13, 1876, in West Lowell. She was married to Elmer E. Richmond, Nov. 9, 22 years and 10 months.

She leaves a husband, two small children, father, mother, two brothers and two sisters to mourn her

Card of Thanks.

Levi W. Burras and Family.

Co Bicycle

Buyers.

Don't be led astray by some one else's assertions. Just you wait and see what we are going to do for you.

We have always done the largest Wheel business here and always expect to. Prices, Quality, and Confidence is what has done it.

We shall be ready in a very short time to show yoo the points of superiority of our 1899 Wheels.

Builder's Hardward.

We have a very large stock of builder's hardware, bought before the advance, and shall give our customers the advantage of the low prices we obtained.

Going to build a house? Going to build a barn? Remember us we will do you good.

KLARK & KLARK.

K-K-K-K HARDWARE.

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LOWELL PLANING MILL, FRANK R. ECKER, Prop. FENCE POSTS. KANUFACTURERS OF:---Sash, Doors. Blinds Frames for Doors, Windows and Screens, Exhibition and Shipping Coops for Poultry, Dried Apple boxes. Wooden Bave Troughs. etc-

Citizen's Village Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a citizen's caucus for the village of Lowell will be beld on Monday, Feb. 27, 1899, at 7 o'clock, standard time, at Train's opera house, for the purpose for it. 35 acres under cultivation. of placing in nomination candidates A good log house and frame barn, for the various village offices to be voted for at the annual election on Monday, March 13.

By order of Citizen's Committee.

For Sale at a Bargain.

One new 4 hole range and some household goods that will be sold at fencing. Has a fine hay meadow J. Jay Evans,

4 miles west of Lowell.

First come first served; so march First come first served; so march up and pay back dues on the Lowell from ra lroad. Price 600 cash or LEDGER and a year ahead. This will secure that good little paper, the Farm Journal, five years without any 1893, and died Feb. 13, 1899, aged further pay. New subscribers who pay a year in advance are in on this. Shall we hear from you within one

> Notice to Political Committees. We hereby notify the various

township committees of all political We wish to express our heart-felt parties wherever this paper circulates place. Price \$1600, or without Situation Wanted.

Strong and healthy young married shown by our neighbors and friends couple, intelligent and full of days in our late sad bereavement.

that the columns of the Lowell Ledstock and tools \$1300. Will take ger are open to the free use of each and all for the purpose of calling canonics and all controls are all controls and all controls are all controls and all controls are all controls and all controls and all controls are all controls and all co cancuses, and all are urged to avail places apply to Elmer E. Richmond and Family. themselves of the opportunity.

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REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE-

EIGHTY-ACRES 3 miles from Charlevoix, 2 miles from a saw mill. Timber enough to pay for it. 35 acres under cultivation. Price \$850. \$300 down and balance to suit purchaser.

EIGHTY ACRES of choice timbered land in Oscoda county, a fine farming lot, with beech, maple, hemlock, basswood and 30000 feet of white pine, cedar enough for of several acres and a trout stream heads into it. Near the village of Mio and schools. Settled neighborhood, 12 or 15 improved farms will trade for good Lowell property.

FORTY-ACRES, 3 miles from Lowell in Vergennes. House of 8 rooms, barn and out-buildings, 2 wells, 50 apple trees, 800 peach trees & years old budded full for next season's crop, also 400 young trees and 8 acres more available for planting. A young team, one cow, and all farm tools to be sold with

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

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LOWELL, MICHIGAN.

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Mercy to the guilty is often crueity

Women may be the weaker vessel, but man is often broke.

The powers that be too frequently sit down on an evil as if it were an inverted tack.

annual trouble to keep the appropriation bills in the right of way.

Its publishers will have to bind it in covers warranted to resist high pres-

The fighting in the Philippine Is-

the slowness with which he was knocking the Spanish ships to pieces was "damnable."

the German army are the subject of an Imperial cabinet orde. German words are to be substituted for them by the many manifestations. Microbes, however, are slippery things, and have an unpleasant way of escaping ordinances and officials. Despite the order, French words will be sure to cross the border and theaten the emperor's peace.

Descriptions of a recent prizefight omit no detail of bet or eath; of bunches of muscle; of cruel jabs; of bleeding noses and bruised faces; of "terrible lefts on the heart," and of "falls in agony." Yet there are other ideals of manly athletes. "Mine," wroter Sidney Lanier, "many have a mere thread for his bicens, yet he shall play ball with the earth; and albeit his stature may be no more than a boy's, his height shall be the height of great resolution, of faith and love and

sleep. The slowing down of the blood mermits the deposit of nutritive particles just as the slowing of a river permits it to drop its sediment. There is wisdom as well as wit in the Quixotic saying: "Blessings on him that first invented this same sleep!"

A young soldier under General Sheridon said to him, just before a battle. "If I am killed, tell my mother that I kept my promise. Not a drop of strong drink have I tasted." The battle was fought, and the lad lay among the slain. Said Sheridan, "I carried his message to his mother. She replied. 'General, that is more glory for my boy than if he had taken a city." When "well done" can truly be said at such a moment, parental pride stands by parental sorrow and puts a staff in its hand. There are higher and holler compensations, but the knowledge of "what death he died" will always be a qualifying element in grief for one loved and lost, either to sweeten memory or to poison it.

In order to raise the money to build a railroad, the city of Paducah, Ky., issued municipal bonds for the necespary amount. The issue was properly authorized and promptly subscribed. but when the interest became due, the city attorney, having discovered a council not to pay it. The business men of the city immediately took the matter up. "The good name of the city is our good name," they said. "When Paducah borrowed this money she promised to pay for the use of it. We owe it to the city, and to ourselves as well, to see that the promise as well, to see that the promise is made good. A technical error does not lessen our moral responsibility." A meeting was therefore called and a committee appointed to raise to the money for the interest by public subscription. A city whose business men maintain so noble a standard of civic honor, and duty as this deserves to make one of the great cities of the country, no matter what the figures cithe census report may say about the crown as a many and a day of great success, and the devil this country has ever witnessed. Now you, the ommercial travelers will promediate this country has cere witnessed. Now you, the ommercial travelers will prome this country has ever witnessed. Now you, the ommercial travelers will prome this country has ever witnessed. Now you, the ommercial travelers will prome the stone you from the straight line, it is an awful bargain that a man and marked. You have the must price you are to stand firm, and from what prices you are to stand firm, and from what prices you may retreat on a long excursion. You have pour parties and illustration and the work. By unremitting labor the way from Newport, it. I., a clever not construct the movable editice, and in a few days it will be dedicated.

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The building is 17x28 feet, and rests will get out in the snowbank and have in agitation, wondering what his boy felt on the mainland opposite Venice Matthew's Episcopal church, has stud- on a heavy truck with wide-tired, low to walk three or four miles until you had been doing, and the head men of to walk three or four miles until you had been doing, and the head men of by reason of a fatal disease that has appeared among draft horses. The disappeared among draft horses. The disappeared among draft horses. The disappeared among draft horses appeared among draft horses. The disappeared among draft horses are described by reason of a fatal disease that has all the problem of attendance. He is wheels, on which it can be moved from the firm said: "Why, your son stood the firm said: "Why, your appeared among draft norses. The discussion of the contingence of the years in various parts of the continent, received. The transways are suffering most from the effects of the plague, the service in Bologna being seriously impaired, in Bolog

Had Extraordinary Luck in Getting Two Shots at a Deer Almost Within Arm's Length.

Senator Allison is having his semi-

during the battle of Manila Bay that

Words of French origin now used in emperor's command. Political sanitation in the German empire thus deals with the French microbe in one of its

undergoes repair and renewal during this time the deer began to move off day are without window glass.

and about to die. Miller shot again, WHY A MAINE SHERIFF HAS card, stenciled in black letters moved "THE MIDNIGHT EXPRESS anywhere, but peculiarly killing in the evenings, and I will tell you where he up from under the deer's belly and LEFT THE WOODS, presented itself to Miller's gaze. The And Resumed Service of Process—He card contained the following cheerful, "The Charlots Shall Rage in the Streets, this world, and the other to show you is your room with the books. There information: "You didn't touch me."

> FRENCHMEN USING "SMART." Nahum 2:4. English Word Which They Affect, But

TRAIN" AS SUDJECT.

has still to learn to pronounce it. They you saw the white take plunging want that book near you. Am I not make fortunes—great fortunes—but 'smarthe," and Figaro confirms them toward you; then you heard the shriek wise when I say put in the Bible? they icse them. with a tale of a young girl who, being of the whistle that frenzied all the



fact that this central organ literally and fired two shots in succession. At One-half the buildings in Dawson touted more than \$200,000 among the the vineyards that grew them. Un- port them, and for that purpose he families of deceased members. They derstand all about the laws that con- postponed his own marriage day. He are ubiquitous, unique and tremen- trol commercial life; about banking. thrived in business, and after a while dous for good or evil. All the tenden- about tariffs, about markets, about set up his own household. Leaving cies of merchandise are toward their navigation, about foreign people that city for another city, I had no multiplication. The house that stands | their characteristics and their political | opportunity for three or four years of back on its dignity and waits for cus- revolutions as they affect ours; about making inquiry in regard to him. tomers to come, instead of going to the harvests of Russia, the vineyards When I made such inquiry, I was told seek bargain-makers, will have more of Italy, the tea fields of China. Learn that he was deed. The story was, he and more unsalable goods on the about the great commercial centers of was generous, and kind-hearted, and

> I think commercial travelers can stand a sermon of warm-hearted sympathy. If you have any words of good cheer for them, you had better utter promised land. When you are wait- of his dissipations, died in Kirkbride them. If you have any good, honest ing for the train, hour after hour in insane asylum. prayers in their behalf, they will be the depot, do not spend your time Oh, commercial travelers, I pray for greatly obliged to you. I never knew reading the sewing machine advertisea man yet who did not like to be ments, and looking up the time-tables There are two kinds of days when you prayed for; I never knew a man yet of routes you will never take, going are especially in need of divine grace. that did not like to be helped. It the twentieth time to the door to see The one, the day when you have no seems to me this sermon is timely. At whether the train is coming, bothering success—when you fail to make a sale, this season of the year there are tens | the ticket agent and the telegraph op- and you are very much disappointed, of thousands of men going out to erator with questions which you ask and you go back to your hotel disgather the spring trade. The months | merely because you want to pass away | comfited. That night you will be temptof February and March in all our the time. But rather summon up the ed to go to strong drink and rush into commercial establishments are very great essayists and philosophers and bad surroundings. The other day, busy months. In a few days our na- story tellers and thinkers of the ages, when you will especially need divine tional perplexities will all be settled, and have them entertain you, and then look out for the brightest

rank as one of the great cities of the country, no matter what the figures of the census report may say about the anniber of her population.

Italian dispatches state that alarm is

Talian dispatches and accessories of a pretty little edifice. Within it looks to the fighting into the valise and I congratulate you on all these comfortable articles of apparel. The seasons are so change and take your son away; he will never make a merchant."

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Talian dispatches are lating. The train stops. All the terminus. The train stops. All the terminus. The train stops. All the terminus of its took for eternity. Show your ticket on all these comfortable articles of apparel. The seasons are so change and take your son away; he will never make a merchant."

Talian dispatches are lating. The train stops. All the terminus of its tooks for eterminus of its tooks for etermi it inconvenient to attend services. and accommodations for camp chairs, caution too many. Some night you make a merchant." The father came

front platform. Side boards are placed around the truck, giving the chapel the appearance of a permanent structure of a permanent structure.

DEER GUNNER'S LUCK. down the path, apparently wounded TALMAGE'S SERMON, gard to your line of business. Then back to the hotel. Now comes the type-small type is bad for the eyes eler. Tell me where he spends him joit of a rail train. Put your railroad | will spend eternity, and I will tell guide and your Bible side by side- you what will be his earthly prospects. the one to show you the route through | There is an abundance of choice. There They Shall Jostie One Against the the route to the next world. "Oh." are the Young Mea's Christian Asso-Other in the Broad Ways"-From you say, "that is superfluous, for now ciation rooms. There are the weekin all the hotels, in the parlor, you night services of the Christian will find a Bible, and in nearly all the churches. There is the gambling sa-(Special Letter.)

Don't Pronounce Correctly.

the arts and discoveries which we support the first and property Sheriff Abe Miller of Cher
Englishmen and Americans newly the arts and discoveries which we support the house of infamy. Plenty of places Deputy Sheriff Abe Miller of Cherryfield, Me., having spent two weeks in the northern woods looking for deer after devote his energies to serving ways are much amused by a recent after devote his energies to serving of Washington county as the courts shall direct. The reason why he has abandoned hunting for the law is well discovered the word small direct. The reason why he has abandoned hunting for the law is well and of London and New York, and two young lawyers who attended him cagerly adopted it, applying it even to go which we suppose dwere peculiar to our own age are merely the restoration of thousands of years ago. I suppose that the past century knows. It seems to me that they must have known thousands of years ago, in the days of Nineveh, of the uses of steam and its application to swift travel. In my text I hear the rush of the rail awkward without a copy. Besides that, you might get bad news from home. two young lawyers who attended him eagerly adopted it, applying it even train, the clang of the wheels and the you might get bad news from home. or happiness, or commercial success, during his campaign in the woods. more indiscriminately. Clothes, jew- jamming of the car couplings. "The I see you with trembling hand open-They had been hunting around Chain els, vehicles, horses, entertainments, charlots shall rage in the streets; they ing the telegram saying, "George is ter. "Well," you say, "I guess then I They had been hunting around Chain lakes for a week without success, when a sharp snowstorm came on that enabled them to follow deer tracks all come smart as it was once chie. Now abled them to follow deer tracks all come smart, as it was once chic. Now mings."

home, you will have no taste for fine over the country. In two days Oak the vocabulary of the young Frenchhad build a fat head and Clifford had lands may have the good effect of closing the quarrels among our army officers at home.

Have you ever taken your position the vocabulary of the young Frenchhad killed a fat buck and Clifford had men who affect such an epithet is by in the night, far away from a depot, you must keep your thoughts emlong the united far away from a depot, you will go stark make \$1,500—then you will lose all.

Then some at full speed? At first you you will want a Bible, whether you as to start one as to start one.

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You will nake \$1,500—then you will borrow some money so as to start anew. You will make \$50, shooting anything bigger than a clings to smart only the more stren- heard in the distance a rumbling, like read it or not. It will be a comfort you will make \$100, you will make uously, forgetting it only when he is the coming of a storm, then you saw to have it near you—that book full of \$600—then you will lose all. These excited or embarrassed. Unfortunately, the flash of the headlight of the locosay the English and the Americans, he motive as it turned the curve; then people in like calamity. Whether you how to tempt you. But mark this: has still to learn to pronounce it. They you saw the wilder glare of the fiery study the promises or not, you will All gamblers die poor. They may

repeatedly praised as smarthe, won- echoes; then you saw the hurricane "Oh," you can say, "I have no taste But now the question is still open: dered why long-standing acquaintance dash of cinders; then you felt the jar for reading." Now, that is the trouble, Where will you spend your evening? dered why long-standing acquaintance persisted in calling her Marthe.

The Ziac City.

Every house and household utensit that can be is made of zinc in the town of Bareira, situated on the coast of Portuguese East Africa. Even when a man falls down through the heat in the streets he is carried to the near est hospital on a zinc stretcher, and he hospital itself, and the beds and everything else within it, are made of the same metal—zinc. Again, when any one dies he is put into a zinc cofof the passing earthquake, and you but it is no excuse. There was a time. Oh, commercial travelers, how much any one dies he is put into a zinc coffin, which rests on zinc settles, and it is placed on a zinc carriage and carried to a zinc church, and then buried dropping of the brakes, familiar with the side of the composition of the brakes, familiar with the size of the composition of WHAT MILLER SAW.

In a zinc-lined grave, if the deceased hedgehog. Two days before they broke camp Miller grew disgusted with his company and started out alone. When the was away his companions skinned the deed huck which Coak had shot the deceased all the railroad signals, can tell you about as much metaphysics and near a commercial traveler; I am a for the deceased what is the next station, how long the train will stop, what place the passing the train will stop and the latter luxury. The reason is the cheapest man lacking information in the train will stop and the rail reason the train will stop and the rail reason the proposition of the train will stop and the rail reason the proposition and the deed with his son is that zinc is the cheapest man lacking information in the train will be about as much metaphysics and near a year of civil law in old folio!" There is no excuse for a man lacking informat the dead buck, which Oak had shot, and stuffing its hide with brush and stuffing its hide with brush and where Window Glass Is a Luxury.

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The dead buck, which Oak had shot, and the dead buck, which Oak had shot of the dead buck, which Oak had shot of the dead buck, which Oak had shot of the dead buc knowledge and subtic meditation; his head shall be forever among the stars."

Is not the antithesis itself a sermon?

More sleep, with more regularity in taking it, is a prime need of our exhausting modern life. People talk of giving a rest to their minds; but it is not likely that the mind itself ever interest to his shoulder and blazed tract of it, may need repose; and it seems a well-established physiological fact that this central organ literally supderses rougis and revent during and fired two shots in succession. At snow, hung it up a leading line in the Dawson will soon be "Dawson City" are on the 8 o'clock morning train, on blowing the bellows, set his book hotels, wanting to show you all the

shelf, and will gradually lose its con- Carthage and Assyria and Phoenicia. genial, and social, and he got into the trol of the markets; while the great, Read all about the Medici of Florence, habit of "treating" customers and of enterprising and successful houses will mighty in trade, mightier in philan- showing them all the sights of the have their agents on all the trains, thronies. You belong to the royal fam- town, and he began rapidly to go and 'their chariots will rage in the streets; they shall jostle one against another in the broad ways; they shall seem like torches; they shall run like thropies. You belong to the royal family town, and he lost his position in the church of which he was a member, and turn the years of weariness into years turn the years of weariness into years house, of which he was the best agent; of luxury. Take those hours you house, of which he was the best agent;

> grace, will be when you have had a day of great success, and the devil

Teacher-Who built the Sucz cangly small Boy-Nobody, sir. It wuzn't THE DYING WAIF.

By Blat co Langdon Ammen, following case came under my notice. | done with all He'd gimme; then if I'd | There had been brought into the char- used all them things just for my own ity ward a boy of about twelve years of pleasure, and not tried to do no good age. He was hadly mangled, and 1 fer Him, I'd be short when I checked knew from the moment I saw him that up. He told me of a beautiful home ie could not recover.

you happen to get all broken up this havin' a home, I fell to longin'-I "Well, yer see, I'm a newsboy on the a home, yer know."

Does it tell you of some little streaks of gray? Are you pleased? Do your friends of the same age show this loss of power also?

Just remember that gray was here." After a pause he mur- in' with all He gimme." hair never becomes dark aured, "I spose I must have fell over- There was silence-silence which I without help, while dark hair

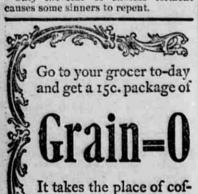
the color of youth. It never that heat melts snow, or that water quenches fire.

It cleanses the scalp also and prevents the formation of dandruff. It feeds and nourishes the bulbs of the hair making them produce a luxuriant growth. It stops the a fine soft finish to the hair

as well. We have a book on the Hair and Scalp which you may obtain free

The discomforts of this month can you, Jimmie." be escaped by taking advantage of & Nashville Railroad to one of the good to me. I wisht I could tell yer, for reaching the cities in the South, the winter resorts of the beautiful guif coast, of Florida, of California, and more, General Passenger Agent, Louis-ville, Ky., for folders descriptive of Florida or the Gulf Coast.

Only the fear of endless torment







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SLEEPERS TO

You will practice good economy in ly he says, says he, "We've all got to C. S. CRANE, C. P. & T. A., St. Louis, of that?" for particulars. When Answering Advertisements Mindly

CONSUMPTION He said it was sumthin' similar to my a mouse.

poard tryin' to catch 'em."

piteously, "Am I short, tell me, tell child had shown Him to me. piteously, "Am I short, tell me, tell me, am I short?" Then there would be incoherent words and moans ending, oftentimes, in heart-rending sobs. I concluded that he must be worrying once the words are and I provided that he must be worrying once the words are and I provided in recommending your great medicine.



I have time."

things. I tell you I was scared awful; mist and rain. Relief at Last I took him to be a 'Spotter,' and I Praised by thousands of atished ladies as safe, always reliable and without own stuff now and then; 'tain't right, a cual. Ask druggist for yer know, but all the fellers do it. own stuff now and then; tain't right, yer know, but all the fellers do it.

Well, I lowed I had to face what was

On most of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that other women who suffer as I large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 423 Regent of the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that the redingote dresses and the redingote dresses and many of the princess gowns for dressy that the redingote dresses are the redin

sometimes we're short. This old chap telasse on a deep cream ground. he listened and asked the most questions about all I'm a-tellin' yer. Final-

in. He said he was connected with my employer would expect me to come home seekers' excursion tickets March somethin' or nother. I don't just re- down town to-morrow and work un- 7 and 21, with favorable time limits, to member now; then he said he wusn't til the hour set for the funcral."referrin' to business, but that we all, Chicago Record. when we died, would have to give an account to the One what give us our | Women are naturally tender heart-

timme some stock,—such as my health, my right senses, lots of chances fer doin' good, and no on the like It was while I was resident physician o' that, and when I died, I'd have to

t the Emergency hospital that the check up, and He'd ask me what I'd e could not recover.

"Himmie," I said one day, "how did their stock. When he talked about never knowed what that wus-to have

P. & R. rond, and I was a passin' Jimmie paused for a moment, then through the train a lappin' all the lat- with the saddest expression I ever saw, est novels. (Yer know how they does he murmured, "but that's not fer the in trains). And as I was agoin' from likes o' me, it's too late now; if I'd one car to the next with my arms piled only a-knowed sooner, I might have high, the train give a lurch and my had some show, but I've got to check books took a tumble; next I knowed I up just as I am, and I never done noth-

could not break. Why could I not "You had better have lost them, Jim- comfort this dying boy? I was able to Hon. Thomas C. Fletcher, the noted mie," I said, stroking his thin little relieve his body, but his soul was suffering now. Several times I essayed is a great friend of Pe-ru-na. He "Oh, but yer don't know what a time there'd a been with the boss when I checked up." His eyes flashed, and his spent life reproached me. Should I spent life reproached me. Should I contains the checked up." Should I spent life reproached me. Should I spent life hand trembled with emotion. "Them's tell him that that which he had lis- afflicted with chronic catarrh, which awful times, sir, when yer comes in tened to was a mere fable, or should I has gone through my whole system. lirium, he taiked incessantly of "check- Here in the presence of death, I knew use Dr. Hartman's Pe-ru-na. After the ing up." Sometimes he would cry I did believe-there was a God-this use of one bottle I feel like a new

concluded that he must be worrying once the words came, and I preached Very respectfully. about these books, therefore I decided. to him Christ-I, the doubter, the atheabout these books, therefore I decided, the next time his mind was clear, to ist, told him of Jesus and His love; set him at rest about them.

So I said to him, "Jimmie, you died that we believing on Him might to him Christ—I, the doubter, the atheties, the died of the people is a legitimate subject of the people is a legitimate subject of comment to the real statesman. Cure, manufactured by F. J. C. So I said to him, "Jimmie, you needn't worry any more about those books, I've paid the debt, you won't come in short."

how many, many years ago He had died that we, believing on Him, might center that home and be saved. He had paid all our debt with His life, and set true statesman looks out on the world us free. Jimmie listened eagerly, tears as it is, and seeks, as far as is in his taken internally, and made in Toledo, Oa F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonmis free. He looked at me blankly for a mo- trickling down his cheeks-"And I've power, to remedy evils and encourage ment; then he sighed. "I sin't a worrynever done nothin' fer him," he said,
in' about no books."

Catarrh in its various forms is rap-

I wondered, as I stroked the long locks that Jimmie had been asking for me. past forty years. Prominent men have that's what this new corn past forty years. back from the oldish face, what bur- I went over and stood by his bed. He come to know of its virtues, and are

low to hear the whispered words-"I'll not be short. He'll make it right. Six Chicago skaters were carried out

MOTES IN A SUNBEAM.

"checking up."-Ram's Horn,

They May Now Be Counted and Classihar of sunlight sounds like one of work of the little conqueror are com- Hang o o break the spirits of little heroines | representative and each but gives added in the German folk stories. Something more than this, however, has been praise and daily showered on this Health for Ten Cents. achieved by modern science, which is modern wonder-worker from all parts Cascarets make bowels and kidneys act ow able to count the particles float- of the Union. Speaking of her expering in any given portion of the atmos- ience a lady of Grand Rapids, Mrs. billiousness and constipation. All druggists. Is a variety which brings from 5 to 7 cents per phere, says Pearson's Weekly, and de- | Jno. Gardner, who resides at No. 309 |

termine what proportion of these are Second Street, says: "For over 20 years I was bothered you a little bill promises to pay it in time. dangerous germs and what are mere with kidney trouble, and despite treatdust. Dr. Frankland's experiments have shown us how to count the microorganisms, and now a Scotch scientist. I received no permanent relief until I "AND I'VE NEVER DONE NOTHIN' by a totally different method, has been tried Doan's Kidney Pills. No one exfee at \(\frac{1}{2}\) the cost.

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"AND IVE NEVER DONE NOTHIN'
FER HIM."

by a totally different method, has been enabled to take stock of the more in lot kidney complaint can tell the tortune that one endures. The constant pain across my back extending up the right side, totally unable to lie on my first side, totally unable to lie on my right s the little life that was slipping away air in a room. In the outside atmos- of my limbs; the excruciating pain so fast, so I said, "Jimmie, tell me; - | phere in dry weather the same meas- is something much more easy to think urement of air yielded 2,119, whereas about than to express. Many a time set of the surrounding vacancy. Then he told me his story—words that touched my heart as nothing else had ever done.

urement of air yielded 2,119, whereas after a heavy rainfall the number was only 521. That this power of prying into atmospheric secrets will eventual-vailed on me to try Doan's Kidney "There was a feller on board my ly yield very important results must be Pills, but as I had used dozens of other train tother day," he began, "a nice obvious to all. Among the most curi- remedies I had very little hope of find lookin' old chap-and he says to me, ous discoveries already made is the ingrelief. They persisted in their adsoon as you're through, I want to talk direct and constant relation which ex- vice and in the fall of 1897 I used three to you about yer job and some other ists between dust particles and fogs, I was in better health than I had been in years. The pain in my back left, I slept well at night, I could do my housework as well as I ever could, and own stuff now and then; 'tain't right, On most of the redingote dresses and I give the entire credit to Doan's Kid-

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I got hurt. I'm glad I seen him. I never knowed about them things he talked about afore." His lip quivered, "I oughter a knowed afore, it's too late now."

Then things he talked about."

Then things he talked about."

"What did he say?"

What did he say?"

"What did he say?" "He asked me about the office, and I skirt edge. The bodice portion is told him as how things wus. Yer usually open-fronted and low cut, job if he isn't that way himself. know, I works the 4:30 train to New above a gimp of shirred silk muslin York. The boss gives me a basket of over silk or satin, gathered into a stock, and I'm held responsible. I beaded band around the neck. At a carry all the latest novels, candy, ci- public entertainment of a fashionable FORMA gars, Florida oranges, bananas; yer hotel recently to hotel and stock to the boss, and he checks gray, repped silk and wool, and the ager, Room H. Arcade, Century Building, us up; sometimes we're right, and gimp of pink, crimson and green ma- way, St. Louis,

Business Pressure.

check up' some day, do you ever think | "Are you much rushed now, Foor-"I asked him what business he wus | "Rushed? If I were to die to-night numerous points in the West and South

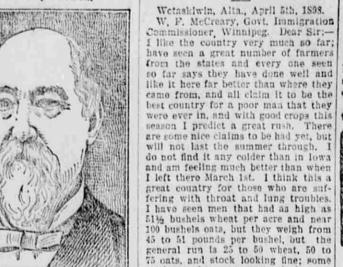
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write you when I want to go. Thank-

is mercury will surely destroy the series



GOVERNOR T. C. FLETCHER. ket flesh. I expect to return to the

short." Feeling that he had talked enough, I went on down the ward examining others. As each day passed, he grew steadily worse. In his delicition, he talked incessantly of "check-" Here in the ward of death I know the special and no one knows the torture and misery I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to was a mere fable, or should I and no one knows the torture and misery I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to was a mere fable, or should I and no one knows the torture and misery I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to was a mere fable, or should I and no one knows the torture and misery I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to so tenaciously were false?

E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the Receivers, is strenuously denied at doctor has prescribed various remedies, and I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to so tenaciously were false?

Illium, he talked incessantly of "check-" Here is the stand which and no one knows the torture and misery I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to so tenaciously were false?

Here is the dead to was a mere fable, or should I and no one knows the torture and one knows the torture and other stand which and no one knows the torture and other stand which and no one knows the torture and other passed through. My doctor is the receivers, is strenuously denied at the Receivers and Ohio Railrond, had reported rate and no one knows the torture a pure and simple. Contain Mercury,

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"Well," I said, sitting down beside him, "what is it? Tell me."

He lay perfectly quiet for a time, and The next morning the nurse told me

slowly."

"Yes, you have, Jimmie, you have undoubted remedy has been discovered by Dr. Hartman. This remedy has been thoroughly tested during the back from the oldish face, what burden there could be that could so torture the soul of this dying child. Suddenly he turned his large hollow eyes upon me, and looked piercing into my face out a plan whereby he may obtain wealth, but—

Disagreeable February.

Disagreeab

escaped by taking advantage of "Oh, I'm not a-kickin' about you, nor winter excursions of the Louisville the nurse, neither; you've been real I'm—" I could not hear what he into Lake Michigan on the ice. The would have said, for the spirit, which | change of wind caused the ice to break | copply many pleasant resorts of the South. This line offers unsurpassed facilities

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The south though, all what worries me; but me, was now giving an account of the me, was now giving an account of the care them was made, but they drifted about the care the c me, was now giving an account of the deeds done in the body. Jimmie was found them was made, but they drifted about of Dainty Underwear. It is one thing to have pretty belowings, and another to keep them so.

AFTER 20 YEARS.

ings, and another to keep them so, nothing can this be more truly said to f woman's underwear, so gener rulned in washing with strong, imp soap, and by hard rubbing. Silk woolen underwear should never be was on a cloudy day. When ready to do work, half fill a tub with warm was Counting the dancing motes in a Many extraordinary cases of the articles through it with the hands, rinse in warm water and squeeze, but do not wring water and squeeze, but do not wring Hang on the line and press with a hot those hopeless, never-ending tasks ing to light in Michigan. Hundreds with which malignant fairles delight of them have been investigated by our

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were ever in, and with good crops this taking your Vegetable Compound, and am now ready to sound its praises. 1t has done wonrelieving of a tumor. ders for me in relieving me "My health A has been poor forthree years. Chapge of life was working upon me. I was very much bloated

ing you all for past favors, I remain, den to myself. Was troubled with most respectfully yours, smothering spells, also palpitation of (Signed) Dr. D. E. Strevell. the heart and that bearing-down feelsmothering spells, also palpitation of ing, and could not be on my feet much. Baltimore Feb. 1: -The story sent "I was growing worse all the time, out from Chicago that General Pas-senger Agent Austin of the Baitimore until I took your medicine.
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THE OLD MAN SPEAKS TRULY. the past four weeks is improving. In his speech before the convention

of county supervisors at Lansing the past week. Gov. Pingree paid his respects to the We are glad to note that H. Jay, whose inc. of Sandusky, O., is visiting her brothcorruptor of public servants in very leg was broken some weeks ago, is able er, Chas. Lampkins, and other friends in plain terms After calling attention to be about again on crutches te the unmistakable fact that lobbyists for individuals are practically H. Carey and wife, for a short time. unknown, he said:

"The crime visited with most awful penalty in this state is that of treason. But the man who arms himself with his gun and joins with his neighbors to fight his coun ry and flag is not so he is nearing death's door. great a criminal, nor so dangerous, as the bribe-giverwho takes the corruption funds of great corporations and to Grand Rapids one day last week. trusts and with them pollute our Chas. Jakeway and wife called on the

There are men called gentlemen, ing, Wednesday. sitting about the house and senate | Kent and Lee Jakeway made a trip of our own legislature, who ought to be serving life sentences in Jackson Barto school commenced Monday a and whose crimes are red with treason a week's vacation. to the government of Michigan."

These things are true and no man to Horace Week's house. possessing the slighest familiarity with capitol can honestly question them.

The names of many of the creatures

Miss Lizzie Hamliton was at home So to whom the governor had reference day.

are well known. They are always on Mrs. Bert Whipple of Orleans is visiting Their business is perfectly understood Grandpa Skellenger spent Sunday with by those whom they seek to influence, his grandson, Andrew Skellenger, of Mrs. 1 godly, while men whose crimes are, Walter Beebe and wife of Belding spent comparison, mere peccadilloes, Sunday at Geo Northway's. languish for years in prison and are

ostracized after their release. The governor well understands the

press indignation at what they will Daisy Cahoon of Grand Rapids is visit-be pleased to regard as the governor's ing her sister, Mrs. Willard Hunter. ficult to explain why the lobby is has returned to her home in Lowell. maintained year after year if it never Mrs. James Smith is better. plaints are most likely to come from those who have the best or worst reasons to know that hizzexcellency's strictures are just. The governor's words conjure up a series of portraits of men whose faces are very familiar in the state house, but who would never be seen there if there were no approachable legislators.

—[Detroit News.

Againan dair and wife visited at Daniel Blanding's in Vergennes recently.

The next aid of the Disciple church will meet with Mrs. Chas. McIntyre Wednesdav.

A good time and attendance at the mush and milk social at Mr. Peters.'

Bert Sydman is sick with the grippe and tonsilitis. Mr. Lay's family are sick with typhoid-pneumonia. David Layer and family have scarlet fever.

Mrs. Peters and McIntyre of West Low.

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West Low.

With the grippe.

A victim of spinal meningitis.

Mrs. Fanny Voorman who has been very ill is improving.

The C. P. pedro club was entertained by R. Spaulding and wife where a good time was enjoyed. Head prizes were won by Etata Davis and John Fish while consolations were awarded to Lucy and Wm. Van-Houten.

Miner Patterson's family are all afflicted with the grippe.

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church not far away, says an ex. week, a son. church not far away, says an exchange, that the ladies sit on one side
change, that the ladies sit on one side
church, March 5.

week, a son.

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I think Grand Rapids wont try to run us
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haps we don't know it all in Cascade; but
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, who remove their hats in courtesy like e gentlemen, can sit where they

Mrs. Blair of Lowell is visiting

Mrs. E. Stinton has been seriously

Grattan-Vergennes.

Maggie Weekes and Jack Byrnes we

Lowell Center-Alto.

The sick are on the gain.

A petition is being circulated for a new evolution in "sweet revenge" as any. postoffice and we hope to have one nearer thing we have heard of lately, May than 5 miles before long. the scheme extend all over the United Mrs. J. Thibos visited her daughter,

. Mrs J. Leece, near Ada, Saturday and The proposal of a Michigan legis

lator to make a state law prohibiting the riding of bicycles on sidewalks To be bound hand and foot for years throughout the state, is a fair sample the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manches Advertisements one insertion of the way our statute books are being chester, Mich., tells how such a slave was Business notices among local items 5c who is more capable of looking after hem than the people who walk over them every day? Lowell can take Card in directory column \$1.00 per care of her sidewalks and bicycles of for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, head-ache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a Godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by L. H. Hunt & Co., Druggists. without any assistance from the legis-

lature; and it is only fair to suppose Lutic Rogers is preparing to give an en-Positively, no deviation from these that other villages are equally capar tertainment the last day of school, March ble and willing. The best thing the 17.

> The cemetery society held at Mrs. Roband \$1.60 taken in. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Will Covert's of Pot-

ter's Corners. Mrs. Ed. Frost is visiting her sister Mrs. Will DeGraw, of Belding. Mr. Kahn is very ill.

V. Hull is ill. Mrs. Robert Sparks and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson, and wife of Saranac, Saturday. Mrs. M. Martin and son were called to The cemetery society will have a "hard Vickersville Friday by the death of her times" social at Mr. and Mrs. Jame

Mr. Ingersoll and wife of Lowell are Mrs. Molly Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A visiting their son, J. Ingersoll, and family Stuart are sick with the grippe. Mrs. A. Rowland who has been very ill Mrs. N. Strong is very sick-

Mrs. Chas. Frost, Jr., is visiting her pa ill ents in Orleans. Mrs. Lottie Ickes and daughter, Cathe

Emma Cary is visiting her grandparents, Mary Abbey went to Ann Arbor to finish her course of studies, Friday. Mrs. Chas, Sayles one of the old marks of Keene died Saturday night. Her funeral was held Tuesday at the Keene

Dell Ford is no better. At this writing church. and Mrs. Titus Thursday evening. (Too late for last week.)

Mr. Burhans of Portland took dinne at B. F. Wilkinson's Tuesday. He is work latter's sister, Mrs. Chas. Krum, of Belding for school commissioner. Mrs. Dell Bowen is the owner of a r

The teachers association will be held at our best wishes. John Kropf and family have moved through Keene.

> will recover soon. Alfred Bowen is very ill with pneumonia and heart trouble.

Remarkable Rescue. Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she weeks so her pupils will have a vacation.

The governor well understands the difficulty of proving this class of crime and advises the people that their hope lies in watching closely their representatives, in judging them by their records, not by their excusses, and in rewarding the faithful and punishing those who betray their trust.

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inductations upon the honesty of the legislature; but they will find it difpart of the winter with Mrs. N. P. Allen, of J. Patterson. The L. A. S. meets at Richard Slater's. Miss Mollie Graham of Eardleyville is accomplishes its purpose, and com- Nathan Blair and wife visited at Daniel a victim of spinal meningitis.

again. S. Brobst is very ill with pneumonia.

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On account of our pastor being ill we when I heard of his tripping the "light Corn have been without preaching at the church fautastic" with a sprightly sister. I have Oats for some time. We hope Mr. Wesbrook come to the conclusion the chair is all Rye

by those whom they seek to influence, and by everybody else about the state house and hotel lobbies. They are known to be the most dangerous and dastardly of public enemies, yet legislators, public officials and prominent citizens do not hesitate to be seen in their company or to count them as friends. They may shake hands with judges and mingle socially with the surface of the sick of the sick in her father's famility.

Grandpa Skellenger spent Sunday with his grandson, Andrew Skellenger, of Smoky Row.

Miss Cora Hoppough is home on a visit. Chloe Douglas of Bartonville visited with his brother, George, Saturday and Sunday.

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Mrs. Frank Fox entertained her sister, Wool unwashed Mary Babcock of Lowell last week.

Mrs. Stauffer is very ill at the residence started for his home in Fillmore that day and needed his son's assistance.

were no approachable legislators.

[Detroit News.]

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schoes of toldes floated from all parts gradually altered our course around of the ship; liquid, blackguard patois | Point Sur, heading northeast toward from the crew, lounging about the for's le head; limpid Andalusian clear San Miguel islet at the northerly aughter, with now and then a snatch | end of Ticao, great flames of red shot of song in a clear girlish voice, from up across the eastern horizon. The

at the starboard end of the bridge, and gleam spread across the heavens. would have plumped down on the gratings and pattered out prayers to the saints; but outside of emergencies he seemed to be a pretty fair officer.

Dick not only had good taste in the wave cigars, but he knew just whereto

sage, it has been but imperfectly surseed and is thick with submerged

being out of the world in those islands, out of humor.

could be free Press year book for 1899, for an other states of the free Press year book for 1899, for an other states o rocks, navigation among which is rendered still more dangerous by a rapid been through the strait several times and knew his bearings perfectly, but we were well around the end of Tican before he ventured below for break-

no suggestion of sea-sickness among our passengers, and the ladies had that afternoon were a little ahead of , side, etc., etc.

Almost every one has experienced ing due east in the open sea north of the rest and momentary inaction Espiritu Santo. As on the previous which come between periods of ex- evening, we stopped to chat with the attempt that is likely to be a severe after the meal, then went on deck to tax upon the energies. It was some- size up the situation.

thing of this feeling which gave addi- "To begin with," said I, when we tional relish to the tobacco as we sat | were finally secure from interruption | there in the starlight, thinking, plan- in our quarters, "where am I least ning, speculating. Diaz understood likely to attract attention when I go I determined to carry it out if possible. but little English, and, with the full ashort at Agana? Will it be advisable length of the bridge between us, there to take lodgings in a private house, or was scarcely a possibility of his com- had I better go to the best hotel?" prehending what we said; so now and | Halstead's eyes opened in amaze-

then we ventured a remark which ment, then a broad grin appeared showed the drift of our thoughts. At through his beard: by men who are now beyond the possi- with cocoa leaves and have a pounded a little

and sunshine?

Halstead's tastes, like those of most seafaring men, ran to snug country places on shore, racing studs, and good

Places on shore, racing studs, and good

Commany though all within and good

Caliber are usually quartered upon the governor himself—free of charge, mind you. Fortunately, I happen to know Col. De Garma; Ferdinand Jose Felipe Jesus de Garma y de Lopez is his prise; "why, I've never even seen the lade." This richtway is a second of the commany though a little. She asked me, curiously, if I were very fond of Senorita Dorotea.

"Fond of her!" I exclaimed, in surprise; "why, I've never even seen the lade. This richtway is a second of the lade. This richtway is a second of the lade. This richtway is a second of the lade. in a perfectly equipped town house.

He would mutter, between the puffs of smoke, "Gad, old chap, a fellow could have one of the finest places in could have one of the finest places in could have one house parties reing.

Surrey and keep house parties reing.

house as his guest will be rather favoron you, four years out of style?"

Neither my Spanish nor her English was perfect, but we managed to get along very well indeed.

"Indeed yes Senor Stefans; but I did

I were counting our chickens not only before they were hatched, but even while the eggs lay at the bottom of the western Pacific. This realization came to us after awhile with crushing force. western Pacific. This realization came to us after awhile with crushing force, along toward midnight, when the air had become pretty damp and we had become pretty damp and we had "She is a beauty, isn't she? What an "Good Lord, no! I've got more sense "Good Lord, no! I've got more

citement of the attempt will be something worth remembering, whether always, and she isn't by any means the that for a girl you did never see! A we succeed or not,"-in which my untutored barbarian you imagine her woman's vestida cost much, senor. I

no about eight miles in width. As we "Pickings?"

health, any more than United States you-er-?" senators. Then Guajan is one of the pido! How may I the size know unwhich means opera, cafes, bull-fights, wine, and innumerable eigarrillos, for several years. It takes a good deal of genius to work an influential relative looked! Not at all of them?"

"That's the fault of her blasted face and neck were a delicate pink. cousins in Manila. I lost my temper, but, to my relief, she laughed until the a lot of clothes down to the steamer girl, of any class, is possessed of confor me to take to her. There was nothing but a flimsy string around the pack. instance, that modesty consists in somewhere down on the main deck; grayness overhead lifted, like a fog muffled echoes from the stoke-hold bank. There was a fresh and exhilarat muffled echoes from the stoke and bank. There was a restaute constant ing dampness in the air. Then, as the ing dampness in the air. Then, as the top rim of the sun appeared, a broad top rim of the sun appeared, a broad are, to be sure! Let me you both give and trying to guess which matched and are, to be sure! Let me you both give and trying to guess which matched and a little warning. Never the senorita Diaz, the mate, was lounging over the tingeing every line of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a himself. Had we grounded on a rock or run into another ship, he probably deck, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deek, the barefooted second mate, Moder than the star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. Down on the main deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the steamer's rigging and the sides of her funnel a deep crimson. The star-bard of the star-bar

> that they are plenty good enough." have, I must say," he growled; "leave only \$1.75. "What a beastly shame!" me to dig out dry facts for your bene-"Yes; isn't it devilish! And that lit-fit while you calmly appropriate the current setting in from the Pacific; "Yes; isn't it devilish! And that lit- fit white you calmly appropriate the current setting in from the Pacific; the girl likes to be well dressed just only available girl on the ship. But A Valuable 550 page Book Free as much as they do. Got a heap bet- I'll have the cinch after you go ter taste, too. Here, just look at these ashore—provided you're not engaged things in the box, will you?—they're to her before you leave. You wouldn't almost as antiquated as the dress she's | play a mean trick like that on me, wearing in the picture." We gingerly | would you?"
> lifted out one garment after another, | "No, I wouldn't, Dick; honest Inspeculating as to the use of those we | jun. You shall have her all to your-

"No, I don't. I'm carrying hard- her all about the box of clothes, and

I might expect to find among the is- size." lands, suggestions in regard to the "The devil she does! Between you, Farm A complete record of the war with lands, suggestions in regard to the handling of catamarans at sea, and contact the contact that the handling of catamarans at sea, and contact the contact that the handling of catamarans at sea, and contact the contact that the ments; but I couldn't keep the Senor- the blamed things, or smut 'em with published; has a large colored map of the Ita de Garma out of my mind. It finger-marks, or get 'em mixed so's state; complete list of members of the legite flavor and thoroughly seasoned. Capul, and by dinner-time were standdeal of her before I left Agana, and the meanness of her Manila cousins

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"Nonsense! She's a woman, ain't , Do not delay but take advantage of the meanness of her Manila cousins and the m made me speculate somewhat as to the effect of such surroundings upon a died 'em before? I'm trying to figure time only, by special arrangements with cessive mental or physical effort, especially upon the eve of some decisive

passengers, the two padres and the cially upon the eve of some decisive

Palacios especially, for an hour or so

congred to me. But fearing his oh
Congred to me. But f occurred to me. But, fearing his ob- Garma girl'll get something nice next si 75. jections upon various grounds, I didn't trip, if she don't this one. Besides, mention it to the captain at the time. | the senorita only wants to look at |

> which I absently put in my pocket-CHAPTER IV.

Senorita Palacios asked me at breakfast if I could play accompaniments on the piano, explaining that first the possibilities and obstacles of "Oh, I should stop at the best hotel, she had brought a number of songe the undertaking filled our minds; but by all means, if there were such a and wished to try them. This seemed after awhile the narcotic influence of thing within a thousand miles. You a favorable opportunity for putting the tobacco and our silent gliding would be far more likely to attract atalong through the tropic night set us | tention in any of the private houses, | made a forenoon of it, much to Halwhich are made of bamboo thatched stead's disgust, for he was more than

by men who are now beyond the possibility of want of the relief and overcomfidence which come with the first small successes in fortune-building. They are rays of light which brighten the years of weary effort and discouragement; and the eternal, irrepressible hope that they bring with them often stimulates a belief in continued success which leads to many a bad cropper in the struggles yet to come; yet what would humanity ever accomplish without those same rays of hope and sunshine?

with cocoa leaves and have a pounded mud floor; there's usually but one room, you know, and the whole family live in that quite sociably. Say, old man, what kind of a metropolis did you think you were going to? Why, besides the forts, the church, and government quarters, there aren't a dozen stone buildings in the town. No; being a white and presumably wealthy stranger, you will find yourself a big gun in Agana. And ordnance of your caliber are usually quartered upon the governor himself—free of charge,

company, though all within sight and sound of the ocean. Mine, on the conit to memory, too; because if you hap.

Lady. This picture was given to Capt. Halstead by the colonel, last voyage. trary, 'ke most men who sail the sea for its witching pleasure and know nothing of tops'l reefing or foc's'le hellishness wave centered wave and selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave and selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave and selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave the selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave the selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave the selection of the sea hellishness wave centered wave the sea hellishness wave hellishness, were centered upon thou- the matter a little, and have concluded mean, when you had sent your money sand-ton steam yachts, alternations that your staying in the government to buy nice new gowns, if relatives between delightful cruises and months house as his guest will be rather favor-

Surrey and keep house parties going all the year round on the income of a them, with the officers of the colonel's million!" To which I would grunt an staff, taken with the patio. It's a pret- women feel about such matters. I-

million!" To which I would grunt an appreciative assent, followed by, "And think of the clipper yacht, triple-expansion and celluloid bottom, that a man could keep in commission; yes, and the town house, too. I could build one in the middle of Mayfair, with electric lights, modern plumbing, marble baths, and plenty of ground around it, for a hundred and fifty thousand." By which you will see that the captain and suppreciative assent, followed by, "And ty fair likeness of the crowd, considering the size. What do you think of the man could keep in commission; yes, and the town house, too. I could build only in the mark of the photograph carefully.

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smoked too many eigars. I could feel infernal pity to hide away a girl like than that. I hope. I meant that I'd my heart sink down, down, like a lump that in a forgotten hole where all the lave substituted the new gowns for of lead. But, before turning in, I thought: "Well, the voyage will make a new man of me, anyhow, and the ex-

friend quite agreed with me. to be. They lived in Granada and Mad-did alway hear that los Americanos Shortly after four o'clock I heard him tumble out of his bunk, and, be"Then what the devil did they know that they were generoso." ing too restless to sleep, I soon followed. It was not yet daylight, but the gray shadows in the east were tinged with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection with a rosy reflection against lieutenant colonel, the old man's ordered with a rosy reflection with a rosy reflecti the gray shadows in the east were tinged with a rosy reflection against which were outlined the bold promonwhich were outlined to be a standard pr tories of Point Bugui, the northwester much ice in Madrid. Out here, as shall see that the Spanish people are bring without being observed?"

the barrangays, or tax districts. suppose I might; but-but what do "You didn't tell her we'd been go-

"I wish to put it on, of course, estn- good Lord! And she didn't go below? quite a respectable pot of savings, which means oness only bull-fights.

Special Offer "I-I believe so. You see-er-the "His six years must have nearly ex. rest of the er-things weren't quite To our Readers pired by this time: I notice the sen-orita's gown isn't exactly up to date." so bad as the gowns. In fact, the tears came in her eyes. Your Spanish siderable sense; she doesn't believe, for thinking evil and blushing at her

Although there is plenty of water way of cigars, but he knew just where to all through the San Bernardino passes of the speen but imported by any of the world in those islands, out of humor.

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It seemed somewhat risky, yet after one of the dresses; she didn't ask for another look at the photograph-

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yes, that was the word she used, a

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The Annual Report of Gen. Pond Shows foundry. Cut His Throat in Spite of His Child. | toskey, June 21 and 22.

The annual report of Gen. C. V. R. ported from Ludington.

been a gain in membership of 48. Harbor will be 400 tons per day. organized and three have surrendered their charters. The losses in memberexpended from post funds for the re- Albert Heysler, of Burkettville, who the order and by the Woman's Relief bas changed its name to the St. Johns mer, work beginning as soon frost is out of the ground. \$5,000 additional.

Cut His Throat in Spite of His Child. Wm. Corv. of Ynsilanti, committed suicide while tempororily insane, by severing his jugular with a razor. ing the cold weather. Cory had been suffering from ill-health Thirty-three damage suits, aggregattragady occurred he left the house, of Washtenaw county. ering both windpipe and jugular.

Gotshall Gets 10 Years.

Stricken Down in the Paloit. While in the middle of the morning sermon in his church at New Holland. Rev. Abraham Stegeman, aged 42, suddenly fell from a shock of apoplexy. dving a few moments later while being carried to the parsonage near by He leaves a widow and three children The tragic incident created great excitement among the congregation.

New Life Saving Station. spring, so that the station can be in 200 per year.

of a great deal of good. Berrien counties are working unitedly | mite would budge it.

vere weather has been death to the are at present first class.

were weather has been death to the game birds, particularly the quail.

This bird is more easily affected by cold weather than any other game of the had she continued the journey she probably would not have been smothed by setting fire to huts adjoining their cold weather than any other game.

A young woman named Miss Edith conditions of the same person. Phillip imagined Dolan same person. Oats

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STATE COSSIP.

Plainwell is threatened with an epitreme heavy ice may make trouble for demic of diphtheria. the dam owners. If one gives way the The Methodists of Leonidas will build a \$3,000 edifice this spring. Electric cars are now running be- at Otsege, one of the landmarks of the tween P.ymouth and Northville. town, has been closed, and will be torn RELIABLE AND INTERESTING. Traverse City will have a new in- down to make room for a modern dustry in the shape of another iron brick building. The old hotel was built in 1838.

perous Condition-An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Per responsible for divorce is evident from the fact in Van Baren county, where One dead and several injured, as the there are no saloons, there are 17 diresult of a sawmill roof falling, is re- vorce suits on this month's decket of the

circuit court. Pond for the year ending Dec. 31, 1898, There is a movement on foot looking Gogebie county has entered into a for the navy department shows that places the present membership of the toward the consolidation of Oscoda and contract with the sheriff to board all the total number of claims filed to date the

instatement, 553. Four posts have been of time, has sidetracked Belleville. There is now only one train a day of the each way.

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The records show that the total the bill goes are almost solidly against number on board the Maine at the time the present bill.

Shiawassee county farmers are profit- of the explosion was 355. Of these of the explosion was 355.

Table Co., and reduced its capital from The latest electric railway project in jected to. The senate bill to reimsouthwestern Michigan is a line from burse governors of states for expenses Large numbers of wild ducks have Allegan to South Haven to connect incurred by them in the organization been gathered on the ice in Thunder there with another running through to of volunteers for service in the war Bay which were frozen to death dur-

Chicago to be not more than \$1. of 155 to 15.

pay the expense of driving a test shaft

to see if there is coal in paying quan-

when the train rolled in on the appointed day and she failed to alight, the disappointed would-be bridegroom reconciled himself to his lot and said:
"I sead her no more cash." He has resumed his employment again and is a sadder but wiser man.

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legislature to establish a heart, killing him instantly.

Ice cutters at work at Owosso the many others.

Ionia county fruit growers have other day found a small mud turtle To Form a New Cabinet. Ten years at hard labor in the state formed a horticultural society to swap frozen in the middle of a cake of ice. The emperor Francis Joseph has inrich years at hard 1300r in the state formed a norticultural society to swap frozen in the middle of a cake of ice.

The emperor Francis Joseph has inmore than three of the twelve members house appropriation, while the amount trusted Koloman-Desszell with the from Wayne are in favor of such a of continuing contracts is increased John H. Gotshall, received in the cir- unscrupulous commission merchants. | ing to the surface for air, swam into task of forming a new Hungarian cab- measure. cuit court at Flint by Judge Wisner. Ingham county people are keeping some slush ice and was caught in Jack of forming a new Hungarian cabinet in succession to the ministry pre-This is the penalty that Gotshall must their mental balance very well of late. Frost's icy grasp before it could escape, sided over by Baron Banffy, who and he has offered to compromise with their mental balance very well of late. pay the people for the burning of the barns of Lee and Aitken in September, to an insane asylum for several months.

There has been but one of them sent to an insane asylum for several months.

About 5,000 tons of beets, netting nounced the ministers intention of representation bill, to which it had devoted over a week without making any important amendments. The 1897. When asked by the court what he had to say why sentence should not be pronounced, Mr. Gotshall arose and simply said: "I am not guilty of the simply said: "I am not guilty of the charge"

Contracts have been let for 12 large and 6,500,000 pounds of sugar have been broken for the a \$50,000 hotel is to be built at Calu-year \$500,000 will be distributed to the a \$50,000 hotel is to be built at Calu-year \$500,000 will be distributed to the amendments. The smallest particle of the Atkinson bill, and in addition to the ridically denies the whole story.

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over the move by the Bay county representatives to detach a part of the village and throw it into Hampton thermometer.

France's President Dead.

After a brief suffering of only four hours President Felix Faure of France succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy. He township Congressman Geo. Spalding, of Monroe, whose term of office expires March
3. has secured the appointment of postdivided as follows: preparing ground.

Prof. C. D. Smith, of the agricultural was the sixth president of the third republic of France and by his death all the sovereigns of Europe are in divided as follows: preparing ground.

What do you think of that.

Both the house and senate are more than 200 bills behind the record of two \$333,238, and raised the total to \$105,
and the sixth president of the third republic of France and by his death all the sovereigns of Europe are in mourning. A new life saving station will be 3, has secured the appointment of post- divided as follows: preparing ground, mourning.

built at Grand Marias early in the master at Monroe with a salary of \$2,- \$2.50; seed, \$1.50; sowing, 50 cents; Canadians Grabbing Territory.

of old copper mines in Ontonagon Co. an outbreak of angry Americans. | constitutional and otherwise objectionand a life saving station there can be parts of the state. It has been so cold at Grand Rapids seems to be putting new life into the half-dead towns of that section and Russians and Chinese Come Together. Wants a Separation.

Wants a Separation.

The attorneys of Kalamazoo and Berrien counties are working unitedly to get a bill through this legislature to separate those counties from Van to get a bill through this legislature Bogus quarters and half-dollars are tonagon, which event will occur soon. question of taxes.

to get a bill through this legislature to separate those counties from Van Buren and Cass and make Berrien and Ralmazoo judicial circuits by themselves. The business of either county is sufficiently large enough to warrant it.

Bogus quarters and half-dollars are being circulated quite extensively at Grand Rapids. Both bear the date of 1898, and are excellent specimens of the Port Huron tunnel for fear of being sufficiently large enough to warrant it.

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As the close of the time for the introduction of bills draws nigh a great to visit a daughter at Manistee, and the county for the success of the project to visit a daughter at Manistee, and the county for the success of the village of Paco bushes of the village of Paco bushes.

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bird. The quail have been increasing sane person. Phillip imagined Dolan Smith, aged 25, strolled into the police wind changed and the flames spread in grant teachers' certificates valid for bird. The quail have been increasing very fast for the past few years, but the cold weather has killed them.

Simth, aged 25, strong that the points with a bundle in her arms the cold weather has killed them.

Simth, aged 25, strong that the points with a bundle in her arms the opposite direction, destroying fully three years' course at agricultural was conspiring against him.

Wm. Conklin, of Battle Creek, aged morning with a bundle in her arms to shacks and houses.

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oil was inspected in Michigan and a sad blow for the teacher, but the and destroyed it. The peach men By the burning of a dwelling house Hammond thinks lawyers should be the entire year there was not a single Medical aid, however, restored the use but indications now are that the ma- to witness the burning of four of her bring in a bill to that effect. the entire year there was not a single explosion in the state.

Jos. F. Weston, aged 25, committed

Medical aid, however, restored the use jority of the trees are also killed. children. She with a baby in her arms jority of the trees are also killed. There is a chance for some Michigan This is a repetition of the big freeze of jumped from a second story window fever in the island of January amounted to \$115,
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STATE LEGISLATURE. People living along the Grand river in Ionia county are afraid that the ex-

others below it will doubtless follow. By Telegraph Giving a Brief Re-The old moss-covered Exchange hotel sume of the Week's Events.

> Maine Claims Have Been Filed to the ciae-Other Items.

locking the front door after him. His oldest daughter, a mute, followed him and grappled with him in the front yard, taking from him a razor and throwing it as far as she could.

Andrew Carnegie has leased the morning, although he was talkative enough for anyone in the afternoons.

Two brothers inet by chance on the street at Cheboygan one day last week, and throwing it as far as she could.

Stewart's big flouring mills, located and recognized each other instantly.

of the leading young men of Grand Marais, was to take place last week. His bride was to meet him there, having furnished the collateral. But when the train rolled in on the appointed day and she failed to alight, the disappointed would-he bridgergoom.

Geo. Dent, of Lapeer, lost 4,000 bushing and one of the chair would manufacture beet sugar in Michigan this year, and would expect to claim the bounty offered by the employes of the been received by the employes of the customs and postal services at Santiago and the local papers daily urge Gen.

A consolidation of the Bank of Saginaw and the American Commercial and Savings bank has been effected. The factory will have a capacity of 40,000 tons of beets.

W. E. Eberlein, aged 54, of Mill by his do something for the relief of the Salaries Unpaid at Santiago.

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The having furnished the collateral. But who days that they would triumph, but after four hours.

Wood, governor of the department, to do something for the relief of the salaries for January have not that no storage charges can be made.

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farmers and 20,000,000 pounds of sugar great international Saengerfest build- bill authorizing the commissioner of

Prof. C. D. Smith, of the agricultural was the sixth president of the third re-

The following bills have been signed When Rep. Corliss sprung his Pacific the governor: Muskegon school cable bill as an amendment to the sunboard; vacating township of Wheat- dry civil bill, a point of order was field. Montmorency county, and incor- made by Chairman Cannon of the apporating it in Vienua township; vacat- propriations committee, that it was ng those four Crawford county town- new legislation. The objection was ships, over which there was so much supported by Rep. Bennett, of New rouble; relief of the treasurer of York, who advocated the consideration Home, Montealm county; detaching of his bill to pay a subsidy to a Pacific certain territory from West Bay City cable company. Corliss contended the G. A. R. Society to be in a Prosperous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. A. R. will be held at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. Will be at Perous Condition—An Ypsilanti Man Michigan G. W ing office and for the use of the allied the naval appropriation bill of 1891 trades printing label on all state print appropriated \$25,000 for the survey of ing has been reported out favorable in the route was made. He then asked

sive raises in the price.

Hereafter the farmers of Benzie Co.

been passed by the house under susvote on third reading and was given propriation of \$20,000,000 for payment

manently to annex the islands was ob- rental of armories of military compan- posed the appropriation on principle

Rep. Nevins, of Allegan county, of- by a vote of 149 to 56. Chicago. The fare from Allegan to with Spain passed the house by a vote fered a measure in the house that proposes to license tipplers at the rate of bill has been passed in the senate. S5 per year. The licenses are not After a spirited debate over the amend-Cory had been suffering from ill-health for the past six months and at times had been demented. The day the traggedy occurred he left the house, of Washtennaw county.

The probate court of Ionia had a queer case of insanity before it last week. The victim was a young man of Washtennaw county.

The probate court of Ionia had a queer case of insanity before it last to jail for 30 days, while the dealer who seems of week. The victim was a young man of week. The victim was a young week. week. The victim was a young man who refused to speak a word in the ported here that the native crews of sells to any person not holding a li- New York and Washington and Atlocking the front door after him. His Andrew Carnegie has leased the oldest daughter, a mute, followed Michigan Iron Mining company's prop- morning, although he was talkative Padre, Don Jose and San Joseph Grense, The proceeds derived from

and throwing it as far as she could. With unwonted strength the demented man threw off his child, reached the keen blade before she could, and quickly drew it across his throat, sev-Aguinaldo at the beginning of the lowed to charge over 5 per cent, possi-company war. lowed to charge over 5 per cent, possi-bly 3, with the proviso that all pledges must be kept one year before sold, and whole, when the chair held that the

port the Detroit school board bill pro-posing that all school inspectors shall be elected at large. It is said that not

smallest particle of the Atkinson bill, ing any important amendments. The

There is one representative in con- pay the tax on telegrams and packages

years ago at this time, and the indica- 533.638. tions are that the total this year will The President has definitely decided thinning and weeding, \$8; harvesting, Word has been received from Alaska approximate 500 less than the record to nominate Rep. Samuel J. Barrows,

able features of the other bills on this

had she continued the journey she made a bold attempt to burn the quar- Seventy-five were introduced in a sin-

order to the effect that the 35th Michigan and all other volunteer regiments be mustered out of service. The mustering out of the 35th regiment will take place at the present camp grounds in Georgia.

State Oil Inspector Smith has made his annual report. Last year a total of the sum of his annual report. Last year a total yawn with a result that her jaw be of 15,645,417 gallons of illuminating came locked in that position. It was a splendid crop until the snap came of 16,645,417 gallons of illuminating came locked in that position. It was a splendid crop until the snap came of 16,645,417 gallons of illuminating came locked in that position. There was every prospect of the crocks and rivers of the state.

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DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

A statement prepared by the auditor the senate and placed on the general consent to withdraw the bill, but this

county prisoners for one year for \$3. on account of the Maine disaster, unagainst 15.831 at the close of the preceding year, showing a net loss for the year of 300. As a matter of fact there will not be so many county by survivors, amounting to 8123.342. Of these 92 are claims for indemnity by survivors, who advanced the county prisoners for one year for S3.45 on account of the Maine disaster, under the disaster, under the disaster, under the act of March 30, 1898, is 325. The Atkinson bill in the house.

The Atkinson bill in the senate looking to a compromise on the army reorganization bill. The amounting to 8123.342. Of these 92 are charges as formerly. charges as formerly.

A common article on the bill of fare

in many Middian box of the second of the composition of the composi was a loss of 348 by death during the year, and therefore there has really been a gain in membership of 48. Herber will be 400 tons per day.

A common article on the bill of fare in many Michigan homes from now on hand awaiting evices, who in turn should bring in a for several months, as a result of the loss of 348 by death during the common article on the bill of fare in many Michigan homes from now on hand awaiting evices, who in turn should bring in a for several months, as a result of the loss of 348 by death during the common article on the bill of fare in many Michigan homes from now on hand awaiting evices, who in turn should bring in a sthe the first advance on the part of recent extreme cold, will be, "pommes dence, and 30 cases are yet to be heard compromise tax bill to cover all kinds as the the first advance on the part of There were received during the year by muster, 534; by transfer, 252; by re
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the bill goes are almost solidly against ing, and many felt that they would go The house judiciary committee made a favorable report on "Pop" Goodell's to meet them half way.

expended from post funds for the relife of over 200 families of soldiers, and
this amount does not include a large
relief given by individual members of
the order and by the Woman's Relief
The St. Johns Manufacturing Co.
The St. Johns Manufacturing Co. and would resort to any technicality to defeat it. The point of order was debated for hours and finally sustained

The military neademy appropriation

the extent of about \$2,000,000 over the

amendment was sustained, 155 to 96. ing at Cincinnati. The contractors are the land office to sell or dispose of the Petitions from all sections of the

LIVE STOCK.

\$58,472,315 against \$50,827,714 in 1898,

THE VETERANS. Washington's Old Headquarters to Be Cincinnati Enquirer. Removed by Capitalistic Vandals-Has Occupted Its Present Site for One Hundred and Forty Years.

Poor Dampier Drake: a paltry stake you played for, when from Spain

You flung on board the galleon's hoard,
sacked in the Spanish main;

Gamery a Changery at Change and the ground every day as acre fed with animal manure. This is not said to encourage farmers not to Hall to the modern corsairs brave, who lan, is now going on in official circles first three weeks they were hustled feed grains and make more manures, such chormous numbers and with such worldwide navies steer.

And rob in might a people's right, while

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Sping chrangel contributed to the rethat they were let go — Emma Clearthat they were let go — Emma Clear-

So here's a health to lust of wealth, played by Maxim and rifle. It seems here's to the world, our prey:
From sunset west, from Isles o' the that the rife fire of the British infan-Our booty weaking nations, our guerdon rabbles' cheers,

War lords in fight by right of might, the

Our booty weaking nations, our guerdon rabbles' cheers,

War lords in fight by right of might, the

Our booty weaking nations, our guerdon colns had certainly a hot time of it. dumpish, turns pale about the head, comp becomes black, droppings are good one, the cost of fertilizers. Of lect fields as remote as possible from wounds of any sort; cures sore throat,

Within the past few years the per markable degree, says the Forum. army. As regards the army army army army army field battery fired over 500 rounds—one side and outside; clean out the nest chase of commercial fertilizers. The fields very badly infected. This meth-Compared with the conditions which nearly double that number. There boxes, whitewash them inside and out. use of 75 to 100 lbs. of commercial od consists in the drawing of a long diseases of every sort. existed twenty-five years ago the change is almost marvelous. One need only to go back to the '80s, for instance, to recall the laxity which attended enlistments. The recruit who easily entered through the front door made his exit from the army with equal smeethness; the result being that, for a time, the desertions outthat, for a time, the desertions outnumbered the enlistments and became must have descended on the dervishes are desc numbered the enlistments and became a national disgrace. The necessity for during that battle. Truly, the claim about the size of the following powder, about the size of the following powder, about the size of the following powder. a national disgrace. The necessity for reform was evident and this reform that it was a gunners' day is not witha national disgrace. The necessity for reform was evident and this reform that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without that it was a gunners' day is not without the size of pea, three times a day until patient is relieved, using a distribution of farmers is that they are purchasing the poorer grades of fertilizers instead of the higher grades. Manufacturers are putting force of the dervish onrush was broken. The work alike of rifles and the size of pea, three times a day until patient is relieved, using a little flour and water to make the pills: Two oz. carpsicum, 2 oz. pulverized asafetida, 1 oz. p until last year only about three men pated. were accepted to every ten rejected;

moral or physical requirements. moved from the site it has occupied will seldom if ever have the cholera can be gotten for the asking at home. farmer who will carefully cull out the simplicity of the combination, but also to emphasize the fact that the army Press. This mansion, now known as of the United States is American in Earlecliffe, was built in 1758 by Col
Improper Feeding of Bens.

Earlecliffe, was built in 1758 by Col
Improper Feeding of Bens. every sense of the word. It is a legal onel Roger Morris. At cra time in the list and easy matter for a comparation of actual value \$40 fertil- ly pure-bred males. Even with the Co. only, and we wish to impress upon requirement that the accepted soldier revolutionary war it was Washington's tive novice in poultry keeping to becountry's flag or of heroic defense of of furniture in it. the national honor, whenever the lat-

ter is assailed. cial is so active. The dock yards in time of war are kept in a state of incessant activity, and every shipbuilding yard in the land is in full work, seeking to perform the almost impossible task of keeping pace with the wear and tear of war time among the state of milk produced from any its the sale of milk produced from any its the

CAMPFIRE SKETCHES. this lends extra netivity to the clothing industries. But, all things con- Last May I put one chicken hen with sidered, shipbuilding undoubtedly is 55 ducklings, and promised to write GOOD SHORT STORIES FOR the industry most benefited by a war, the sequel to her large family. They MATTERS OF INTEREST TO the roots while the adults were found Even when the war is over a long time | were put off somewhere near the 5th | clapses before the shipbuilding trane of May and were sold the 10th of June.

Finding Comez.

first week they were fed bread made of cornmeal and shorts, half and half, baked done, the crust soaked in water As the sun dropped behind a fringe and fed, the soft part fed so. The of trees we saw a man in the distance, bread was mixed with milk when obsays Leslie's Popular Magazine. He tainable, water otherwise, soda and

forth, apparently looking for somefin-de-sleck ways;

Knew not our blessed cotrine—the fit
alone survive,
The strong in fight have alone the right
to hold God's earth alive.

Shall men forego, we'd like to know, the

Grith, apparently looking for something. I heard a deep-down voice say.
"Take those candles!" and then the
ment head went back and a face about the
bed went back and a face about the
color of coffee with a little milk in it
forth, apparently looking for something. I heard a deep-down voice say.
"Take those candles!" and then the
month especially exercised scarcely
any. When we soid them, the loth of
June, they averaged 3½ pounds, beload. This costs the farmer in reality
tween six and seven weeks of age. Shall men forego, we'd like to know, the blessings manifold

Of modern life so free from strife, so full of joys untold;

The thrill of murderous battle when under their ranks and mow their flanks

We thin their ranks and mow their flanks

We then the ranks and mow the flanks

We thin the ranks and mow the flanks are the flanks

We thin the ranks and mow the flank

Gunnery at Omdarman.

firing shrapnel contributed to the re- that they were let go.-Emma Clear- consider that any manure is worth just its work is of the same character, and At any drug store, 50 cents. sult of the day, and as to the part waters in Farmers' Review. try was comparatively small. The Lin- Symptoms - The fowl becomes fertilizers is to first see whether the treat. So far as wheat is concerned, it Macdonald's Soudanese. The esti- yellow or greenish yellow, and the vic- course in this calculation it is fair to pastures or meadows, from which the croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails. at more than 30,000, but there is as before you notice them being sick. dered the soil. It is quite safe to say is the capture of the hoppers on tar- man who did not hope. vet no reliable information as to the When you notice that cholera has set that the crops of potatoes, small fruits pans, and the trouble and expense inarmy. As regards the artillery, each the house thoroughly, whitewash in- repay any expense incurred in the pur- its profitable application except in Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's were in all five batteries, and thete. Take water and add one oz of sul- mixed fertilizers on an acre of buck- strip of sheet iron, the upper surface of expenditure of shot which recalls the infect it. And use carbolic acid free- all up when the crop is cut and in-

or, to be exact, while 29,521 recruits were obtained, 98,277 applicants were

Washington's Headquarters.

until all signs of cholera have disapment on peared. However, if houses are kept farmers gain in paying freight and peared. However, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected, around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions around our farms, I do not see where ers, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected; around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions around our farms, I do not see where ers, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected; around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions around our farms, I do not see where ers, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected; around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions around our farms, I do not see where ers, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected; around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions are despendently around our farms, I do not see where ers, instead of from eggs taken indispersed to every ten rejected; around our farms, I do not see where be hatched only from the best productions are despendently around our farms. rejected as lacking in legal, mental, Washington Heights is going to be clean, and poultry free from lice, you sacking expenses on something that criminately from the egg basket. No is due not only to the originality and In the first place, it is worth while for 140 years, says the New York in your flock.—B. H. Westlake.

Can be gotten for the asking at home. Farmers should buy the higher drones need depend on breeders to the care and skill with which it is

shall be a citizen of the United States. | come dissatisfied with the breed of than two tons of fertilizer that has an should not be overlooked. There are true and original remedy. As the or shall have declared his intention to Several years ago General Ferdi- poultry on hand, no matter how good actual value of \$20 per ton. Do not drones and idlers in aristocratic flocks genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured shall be a citizen of the United States, or shall have declared his intention to become a citizen. So well is this fact become a citizen. So well is this fact known, that although nearly 130,000 sion and the grounds attached to it, ing and careless attention, it is learnknown, that although nearly 130,000 sion and the grounds attached to it, ing and careless attention, it is learned to the place of the recruiting officers last year, about 5,000 their home. Finding the property a flock the same of a global standing of the Callereen presented themselves to the recruiting officers last year, about 5,000 only were aliens, and these were, of course, promptly rejected. Of the 29,521 accepted applicants, 24,450 were native-born and 5,031 of foreign birth. These figures afford pleasing evidence of the fact that the American youth does not regard the army with aversim. So long as this percentage of moving buildings, that it is expected pattern.

War I. Life.

War may be "hell," but there are

The barbarous usage of killing the wounded has become traditional in breed to another, or adding breed to the one original-breed after b War may be "hell," but there are various enterprises which depend enit must be looked upon as a painful dissatisfaction, and prove eventually prothorax, and two on the scutellum. Cayed sod or manure are to furnish tirely upon it for existence. After the manufacturers of war materials the I saw them with my own eyes, and on

wear and tear of war time among the Those people who eat trustingly of port. sea-going craft. Of course, there is packages sent them by unknown perextra wear and tear with goldlers, sone through the malls appear to extra wear and tear with coldiers' sens through the mails enpour to hercioning in an active campaign, and bean overlooked by the fool killen.

FARM AND GARDEN. Myration has, I think, never been verified, it may be questioned whether some other form was not observed on

assumes its normal level of activity.- There were none lost from any cause, Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cul-Floriculture.

shouted a challenge across the savanna salt being stirred in as if for table use. The form Farmers' Review: It it pays broods each year, the larvae of the to grow a crop at all it pays to use first brood appearing in May and ma-O'er rolling deep, where tempest kings hold sweep, and until two rods in first broad appearing in May and may and shorts were fed raw. They were said shorts were fed all they to use for fertilizing the piece. In other words, it does not pay to work four times a day. After eating all they were fed all they to use for fertilizing the piece. In other fed all they for the first broad appearing in May and mean them the fed all they other side of which gleamed many lit- made of planks V shaped, and there for ten cents per bushel, but we can- September and October. While it is friends, which is the real cause. Purify China's dying, too; other side of which gleamed hany it.

Like vikings bold in days of old, we'll the camp fires, lighting up with circles were enough of them to accommodate not tell when we plant a piece to poposible there may be a greater number of them to accommodate not tell when we plant a piece to poposible there may be a greater number of them to accommodate not tell when we plant a piece to poposible there may be a greater number of pieces. Further than the real cause. Like vikings boid in days of the yellow crew:

Shall grasping German eagle, shall coverage and second the grazing and sround the fires were bord lines and second to plant them at all. But as we groups of tattered and torn men.

One truth we teach, one creed we preach,

One truth we teach, one creed we preach,

Constitute of the yellow crew:

Shall grasping German eagle, shall coverage tethered by long lariats were can be found that the grazing and sround the fires were large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow vessels, and of cool times it was slightly were large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow vessels, and of cool times it was slightly warm while they were small. The considerable circums in common weeden pails as soon as they were large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow vessels, and of cool times it was slightly warm while they were small. The considerable circums in common weeden pails as soon as they were large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow vessels, and of cool times it was slightly warm while they were small. The constitution of the fires were are all that have been determined with certainty. Adults are donot know it is best to plant enough for home use any way and these ought to be well fertilized that the tubers are large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow do not know it is best to plant enough for home use any way and these ought to be well fertilized that the tubers are large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow do not know it is best to plant enough for home use any way and these ought to be well fertilized that the tubers are large enough to reach it. Before that it was given in shallow do not know it is best to plant enough for home use any way and these ought to be well fertilized that the tubers are large enough to reach it. Before that it was slightly and the creation of the fires were all that have been determined with certainty. Adults are determined with certainty. One truth we teach, one creed we preach, the sacred right of pelf:

Let the under wight I' the sorry fight set up and save himself:

Our gospiel flaming cannon with screaming shrappel crammed.

Our gospiel flaming ca Our creed is short—the world our sport, the weaker blokes be dammed!

Continued the heart of the We once heard tell of One—ah,hell: a Jew of lowly birth,
Who dying taught, but all for naught,
Who dying tau Who dying taught, but all for naught, that the mesk should hold the earth!

Forgive our scornful laughter, Lord sooner a high-caste Jew

From thy footstocl's face sees swept a race, than lose a bond that's due.

Tis plain that he of Gaillee knew not these latter days,

Their up-to-date new creed of hate, their fin-de-sleele ways;

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The of nights, finally roosting all night on the grass with the older ones, she gave it up and went to laying again.

Every morning a handful of sharp sand was mixed in with their feed, and they gave it up and went to laying again.

Every morning a handful of sharp sand was mixed in with their feed, and they put it on very liberally.

Now it is no uncommon thing to see 40 loads of manure drawn on to an area of land for the corn crep.

and there were no weakly ones. The

gard at all times. The coop was reventive in soft feed every morning, the filling of cheap fertilizers is vidual excellence on the part of the a tablespoonful to every dozen hens, worth no more than the earth owner results. The young stock will

after having selected a breed it is poor jury would seem to deserve. The adult It should not go so deep as to make policy to change to some other without insect, the form now most abundant, the percentage of this decayed vegeta-The barbarous usage of killing the giving the first a fair trial. Changing is about three-sixteenths of an inch tion in the broken soil small for the

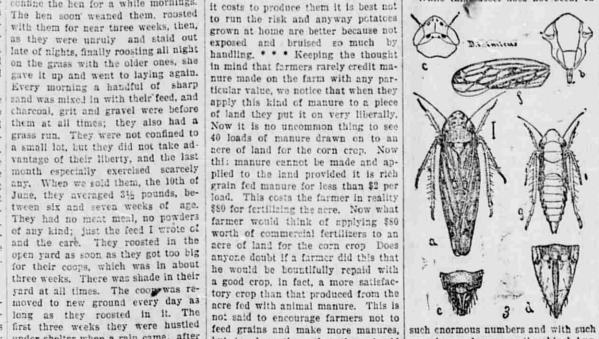
manufacturers of war materials the substitutional contentions. In these days of commercial enterprises, when every and fired one last round at our adargeat nation has its trading fleet as various fleet as a losing investment.

I saw them with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own body—sometimes raised themselves between the first two moults are distinguished by the presence of a conspicuous black margin from the eyes back.

Both larvae and adults are concerned to be available. For this reason manufacturers of war materials in which my own eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on one occasion nearly felt with my own brown eyes, and on the first two moults are distinguished by the first two moults are distingu great nation has its trading fleet, as well as its fighting ships, the risks run owing to the necessity of obtaining supplies abroad are enormous. The scouring of the seas by the hostile cavalry troopers before he was finally fleets, the sinking and the final fleets and surely lead to impoverished animals; milk poor in per cent of solids, and consequently high in the per cent of fleets, the sinking and deadened spots and the fleets and suck the sap, thereby causing weakening of the plant, especially fleets.—W. M. Destroying Canada Thistles.—W. M. Douncan, a student of the Agricultural weakening of the plant, especially fleets. flowing of the seas by the hostile cavalry troopers before he was finally consequently high in the per cent of flowing and capture of despatched. Still, when all has been ables, so diminish the number of vessaid in defense of this practice, it is hair from the tail, scurvy, and suspense and capture of hair from the tail fr sels on the seas that no industry out- certain that in many cases wounded centibility to tuberculosis, and other are made. According to the first rec- way lines in Eastern Washington for side of that which provides war mate- dervishes, unarmed and helpless, were dangerous diseases. The law prohib- ord concerning the insect—that accom- the purpose of destroying the Canada ria; is so active. The dock yards in butchered from sheer wantonness and its the sale of milk produced from any panying the original description—the thistles. Where the patches are small

on the plants above ground. AGRICULTURISTS. The insect is probably primarily a grass-feeding species, as it occurs in tivation of the Soil and Yields as upon a variety of other grasses, Thereof-Horticulture, Viticulture and where it feeds the year through, but its

shows that it finds in the young plants a very attractive food. From Farmers' Review: If it pays broods each year, the larvae of the



what it actually benefits a crop. • • • there can be no question as to the efwhether it will pay to use commercial the chinch-bug, it is a difficult insect to Bacon was Shake's peer.

grades of fertilizers only and no produce breeds for him. Pure breeds manufactured by scientific processes

The larval forms are yellow, and after the material on which the crop is to

member of this family, and as the ob- fatted to make a good growth,

Are Early Shown."

Just so evil in the blood great abundance in blue grass, as well comes out in shape of scrofula, pimples, etc., in children abundance in wheat fields in autumn and young people. Taken in time it can be eradicated by In blue-grass there are two distinct using Hood's Sarsaparilla.

> saparilla cured him permanently. He is now four, with smooth fair skin. - Mrs. S. S. WROTEN, Farmington, Del. Hood's Sarsaparilla

> > Never Disappoints tood's Pills care liverills, the non-irritating and

The woman who takes in all a man tells her often does it merely for the purpose of taking him in. "I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores cov-ered my body. I seemed beyond cure.

B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Gas. Hutton, Berville, It is safer to learn from the enemy

than it is to instruct a friend.

Hives are a terrible torment to the little folks, and to some older ones.

No one has been able to prove that

ammunition used by the Egyptian in do not lose any time, but cleanse and buckwheat are always better and volved in this may be too great for "A dose in time saves lives." Dr.



native blood is annually injected into to lift the mansion from its foundathe army there will be no lack of entions and place it on the site selected. There are breeds for various purposes, scription, when its character was into the depth to which the plow should nauseate. In order to get its beneficial. thusiastic and noble devotion to the without as much as disturbing a piece and one should decide what is desired dicated in its name, but it is not given be run depends on the quantity of deof the fowl before stocking up, and the attention which its power for in- caying vegetation on and in the soil. the Company-CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. BAN FRANCISCO, Cal. LOUISVILLE, Kr. NEW YORK, R. E.



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HOME TNEWS.

Gossip and Chat about People land Things You Know.

Village election, Monday, March 13 F. L. Fallas for clover and timothy

J. J. McNaughton was in Grand Rapids last Friday.

Clover and timothy seed,

S. S. Courtright has severed his connection with the Journal. J. V. Denick was a recent guest o

his brother Will and family. Theodore Lott of Smyrna made

this office a pleasant call Monday.

Farmers, F.H. Fallas wants to sell you clover and timothy seed.

Mrs. M. Thompson is slowly improving from an attack of the grippe. Mrs. Will M. Chapman of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Lowell

Advertised letters-G. W. Brethaner, Bert Boomer, Theo. Bleaster, J. M. Ward.

O. A. Van Deusen of Battle Creek was in town on business several days

Miss Nina Wisner went to Olivet Friday to spend a few days with her sister, Donna.

Mrs. V. J. Obernauer and little son returned Wednesday to their home in Cincinnati, O.

Mrs. Adams will entertain the ladies of the Phila Clark Union, Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Mrs. W. R. Blaisdell, who has been seriously ill for the past few weeks is improving slowly.

Mrs. M. A. Parmlee of Grand Rapids is the guest of the family of nephew, F. M. Johnson.

Mrs. Will Cogswell writes to old friends that she is much pleased with her new home at Sylvester. Geo. White and wife spent Satur-

day and Sanday with their daughter, Mrs. Will Brown, of Middleville. C. W. Parks was called home Tues-

day on account of the severe illness of his mother, Mrs. W. R. Parks of

The Lowell W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. John Wright Friday Feb 24 at 2:30 p. m. good attendance is requested.

Wm. A. Lally was fined \$10 and costs by Justice Cowan of Grand Rapids for neglecting his team one day during the extremely cold weather.

About forty guests assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Ecker, Monday evening in honor of Earl Hunter, who left the following morning for an extended vi-it to Atlanta, Ga. The occasion was a very enjoyable one.

Louis Lite, a Bowne township farm er, was sent to jail for thirty days upon conviction of having whipped his wife, in the justice court yesterday. The respondent is 60 years old and his wife is 54 years old .- [Grand Rapids Democrat, Feb. 17.

Last Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Loomis were happily surprise! by a few of their friends dropping in upon them, it being their twentieth anniversary. A pleasant evening was spent, refreshments were served and at a late hour, after wishing the worthy couple many years of wedded joys, the company broke up.

Postmaster Line is getting quite a bonus in the shape of extra time in his official capacity, through the failure of the administration to appoint a successor. Mr. Hine has given eminent satisfaction in his work and has always kept a cheerful staff of clerks. Probably there would be no "kick" from the patrons of the office if Un cle Sam kept him in all summer.

Amos Andrews returned home Tuesday to his parental roof in this village. Amos' home-run extended from Holdredge, Neb., to Clarksville, Mich., and he says he is awful glad to get back, too. Since leaving this state last August he has been in the Dakotas, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Nebraska and Iowa, taking in the sights in general.-[Clarksville

Francis King, R. Van Dyke, W.A Watts, C. Bergin, James Murphy and F. M. Johnson attended the Bryan meeting at Grand Rapids, last Friday evening. The occasion was a complete success Five thousand people packed the auditorium, which was magnificently adorned with the national colors; a splendid orchestra was in attendance, and the famous orator. William J. Bryan, fully sustained his great reputation. The Lowell delegation is under obligation to the local managers for courtesies extended.



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Robert Thompson of Plainwell visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Thompson, last week.

W. H. Eddy has been attending the A. O. U. W. grand lodge at Ann Arbor this week.

Mrs. M. E. Hughson has returned from a six weeks visit with friends at Cadillac and Rig Rapids.

Mrs. Chapman who has been very ill at the home of her daughter. Mrs. Dr. Green is now recovering.

The annual business meeting of the Old Resident's association was held at President Matthewson's office yesterday and it was decided to hold the annual reunion and dance on Friday evening, March 10, the re-union at Train's opera house and the dance and at Music hall. Com mittees meet to report at president's office Tuesday next at 3 p. m.

Peter Kennedy of Ada was brought to jail yesterday by Supervisor Ward for safe keeping. He was a raving maniae and gave Mr. Ward much trouble to control him. At the vil lage of Ada be broke a vay from him and it required the efforts of nearly the whole village to recapture him. At the jail he was given quieting drugs and last night was resting quietlv .- [Grand Rapids Democrat, Feb.

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Ask your physician this ques-tion, "What is the one great remedy for consumption?" He will answer, "Cod-liver oil." Nine out of ten will answer the same way.

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BEGGARS GAIN WEALTH.

Number of European Mendicants Who Left Pretty Snug Fortunes.

The wealthiest known living profes sional beggar, Simon Oppasich, an Austrian, was born without feet or hands, and sympathy for his infirmities brought him a large fortune in the shape of alms. In 1880, when he was 47 years old, he had saved £12,000, and in 1888 he had increased his fortune by speculation to £25,000 in cash and about £40,000 in Trieste and Parenzo estates. Since then he has quadrupled

his wealth by speculation on the bourse, says the London Mail. When Tori, well-known Italian beggar, died last year, bank books, securi-ties, gold and silver and other articles, to the value of upward of £80,000, were found in his rooms. His heirs were two nephews, who had been existing in a state of miserable poverty for years.

A beggar who died in Auxerre, France, in 1895, was found to have bonds to the value of 1,000,000 francs in an old trunk and 400 bottles of wine of the vintage of 1790.

The French seem to be a generous pation, for in the same year an old helping to care for Dell. woman, who lived in a wretched garret in the Rue de Sevres, Paris, died, leaving government securities representing an annual income of £21, all made by begging.

A beggar named Gustave Marcelin. of Avignon, died in November, 1892, and left £20,000, in French government Porter Monday. bonds, to be divided equally between the city and the Bureau di Bienfaisance, the great French charity society.

BATHS NOT HER SPECIALTY.

A Chicago Hospital Patient Who Had Not Had One in Six Months.

This actually occurred in one of the hospitals in the city where a number of patients from the lower walks of life are brought for free treatment, reports the Chicago Chronicle: One night the police ambulance brought a young woman who was suffering from a severe case of rheumatism. The first part of the treatment accorded patients is a thorough bath before they are placed between the clean sheets, and the unpleasant task of administering the scrub is a part of the duty of the probationers, as the nurses are called during the first six months of their training. The one who attempted the work in this case found a hopeless job on her hands, and after much vain labor she went to one of the older nurses for advice. It being a case of rheumatism, they disliked to risk putting her in a tub, but there seemed to be no help for it, so they soused her into the hot water and used soap, soda, alcohol and everything else the place afforded, and they rubbed, scrubbed and scoured with but little success. At last the elder nurse exclaimed: don't believe you ever had a bath before, did you?"

"Yes. I did." replied the patient, in tones of indignation.

"When was it?" "Just before I was married." "How long ago was that?" "A little over six months."

Many Clocks in Windsor Castle. The queen has 250 clocks at Windsor castle. Some of them run for 48 hours at a winding, one of them for 12 months and it is said that in order that the winder may not torget the latter one it is wound every year on his birthday. The oldest clock the queen has belonged to Anne Boleyn. It is quite a modern looking affair, but for the heavy weights that work it. One of the clock cases contains Gen. Gordon's Bible.-Chicago Chronicle.

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Odie Stanton returned Saturday from Wisconsin, well satisfied to stay in Michi-

gan hereafter. Miss Clossie Denny and Harry Earl of Lowell called on Miss Ada Boothe Satur-

W. Beech of Lowell visited at Ira Pot-

truff's Sunday. Mina Lillie has been visiting in Coopers

Mrs. Holden visited in Grand Rapids

last week. Ben Sage who is visiting his sister at

Lowell is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Grove Sears of Grattan

isited the latter's parents, Henry Scott and wife, Sunday. Messrs. Hoag and Shepherd of Lowell honored our Sunday school with a visit,

We are pleased to see Henry Scott out

Miss Lillie is improving but not able to teach school. We are grieved to hear of the sad death

of Mrs. Charles Sayles and deeply sympathize with the bereaved family. Lonny Watson visited his uncle,

Converse of Keene Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hudson of East visited L. Watson and wife Sunday.

Frank Sherrard and wife of Keene, Elmer Richmond, children and sister, Lucy. visited as M. C. Denny's Sunday.

Charlie Colvin and wife of Grand Rap ids and Carrie Colvin of Belding, visited their parents a few days last week J. E. Tower went to Grand Rapids on

Mrs. Titus and Misses Raymond of Keene called on Mrs. Pottruff and Anna Friday.

Alton.

The revival meetings closed last week Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell have gone

Saugatuck to hold meetings. Mrs. Newton Coons has had a relapse. Mrs. Agnes Stevens is at Clare Ford's

Col. Porter had water freeze in his cellar 6 inches through but did not lose his potatoes or fruit. Ino of Smyrna called on ye scribe Sat-

Charles Andrews was a guest of C. R.

A number of our young people spent Saturday evening at A. Godfrey's in East Lowell. Mr. Heath, who has been absent a num-

per of years, traveling, came one day last week to see his uncle, John L. Covert, not knowing that he had crossed the river of death and his family in Lowell.

Wm. Delaney had a calf kicked to death by a horse and another one troze its ears last week.

Mrs. John Hapeman visited her sister, Mrs. Cooper, in Segwun Saturday. Horace Weekes and wife spent a couple of days last week with their daughter, Mrs.

Jud Hapeman, in East Lowell last week. Guy Norton and wife were in Grattan he latter part of the week. Otis White goes to Jackson as delegate

o state convention. Willis Purdy is building an upright to

his house. Wiley Rennels and wife of South Lowell were guests of relatives here Saturday and

Elder Hudson of Lowell was here to church Sunday. Our grippe patients are all recovering. Rhoda, Willie and Lida Dickens of Smyrna visited their grandmother, Mrs.

J. Mosher, last Saturday.

South Boston-Elmdale

Mrs. A. Parson of Hastings visited Mrs. A. P. Burras the latter part of last week. John Christie and wife went to Caledonia Sunday to attend the funeral of her brother's child. They returned Wednes-

Mrs. Chas. Klahn is expected home in a few weeks. Jessie Fletcher who has been sick with pneumonia is better.

Jude Fletcher is on the sick list. The South Bell school celebrated Washington's birthday with a short pro-

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