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Clark VanDeusen Dies Suddenly In His Chair.

Again is our community saddened AND GET A BIG PRIZE. by the taking away of one its stalwart The Farm Journal 5 Yoors

By special arrangement made with the oublishers of the FARM JOURNAL we his chair last Friday morning.

PAY UP!

of 5-year subscriptions to dispose of The Farm Journal is on solid foundation and perfectly trustworthy.

Commercial and Savings Department-Interest paid on time certificates. that paper to every new subscriber who pays for the LOWELL LEDGER one year all ad; and the same offer is made to o pirtuers-P H Gil k v, Asa Strattor, Or on Hill, W. A. Watts, E. W. Bowman, R S every old subscriber who will pay all back dues and one year in advance-both pa-pers for the price of ours only. In order to get the Farm Journal as a premium for advance payment it will be Dratta sold on Grand Rapids, Detroit ard New York necessary to walk right up to the captain's office, for we have only a limited number 0

have our warm sympathy in their at flictions. Clark L. Van Deusen was born in

home, May 19, 1899, aged 23 years, 9 months and 23 days. He attended the home district school untit his six-

teenth year and then the public schools in Lowell for about a year. In the fall of 1895 he entered Parrish's Business College at Grand Rape received his diploma, April 30, 1896. The following summer he remained at home; but in the fall he was offered and accepted a situation in Grand Rapids where he remained several months. He then returned to Lowell where for sometime he was a clerk for R. B. Boylan. Later he was in the employ of Frank R. Ecker, as book-keeper, until his last sickness On March 28, last, he was made a Master Mason and became a member of Lowell Ladge No 90, F. & A. M. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church, on Sunday afternoon, titue business at the old stand under Masonic auspices Rev. S. G. Anderson officiating clergyman The attendance at the church and cemetery was very large, testifying to the high esteem in which Clark was held.

Epworth League Concert.

The entertainment given by the Epworth League, at the M E church Monday evening, in Lonor of the 10th anniversary of that organization, was a pleasing affair. There was a large attendance and the numbers were all very nicely rendered. The following program was carried out: Piano solo, Miss Cogswell.

ANOTHER YOUNG MANGONE. IN PRISON IN UTAH. Man Who is Supposed to Have Defrauded a Lowell Bank.

About two years ago a man who signed his name R. H. Dwight, passed young men. Clark L. VanDeusen, a fraudulent draft on the Lowell state whose sickness has been spoken of in bank and a warrant was issued for his our last two issues, and who was arrest. He was never captured as R. thought to be making a good recovery H. Dwight, but a man who had sevtre enabled to offer a 5 year subscription died very suddenly while sitting in eral aliases was arrested in Utah and is chair last. Friday morning. Clark was an exemplary and ener-state prison. It is believed he is the getic young man with a host of friends' man who is wanted here and the prosand no enomies The bereaved family centor is in correspondence with the Utah authorities. Yesterday he received a portrait of the prisoner, but

had no sufficient knowledge of the town of Boston Ionia county, Dwight to identify it. It is expected July 26, 1875, on the farm where his some of the officials of the Lowell bank parents now reside. He died at his will be able to recognize the portrait. -[Grand Rapids Herald.

Safe Blowers at Saranac

Sarauac, May 23 .- The D., G. H. & M. railroad station was broken into last night. The robbers devoted their attention exclusively to the mail ids, completed his cause of study and pouches which came in on the 9:05 p. m. train from Detroit, and which are always left in the station over night. The pouches were cut open and all the letters and papers they contained were cut open and rifled.

It is impossible to tell what amount of booty was secured by the thieves. Postoffice inspectors reached here at noon and are investigating.

Business Ohange.

F. L. Fallas sold his grocery stock to McMahon Broth rs. The latter took possession Monday and will con-Arthur and Frank McMahon are two of Lowell's best and most favor- 16 ably known young men. 'Art" has been employed in the Music hall store for seven years and Frank has been for seven years and Frank has been 3 in the employ of C. Bergin for -12 consecutive years. Both boys are "straight as a string" and will have

the best wishes of the entire community in their new departure. Mr. Fallas intends to take a trip west in search of a climate where he can find relief from the catarrh with which he is afflicted. Good luck to him.

Made Him "Dig Up."

one day this week selling "gold"

There was a spectacle man in town

During the balance of May and all of the month of June we will give FREE

REFRIGERATOR

bought of us, ONE MONTH'S ICE, One Ice Pick, One Pair Ice Tongs, One Ice pan. Get it now. Don't delay. You always lose money if you don't find out our prices before you buy.

CLARK & SPRAKER.

Den wyen wyen we wanter water

OLD CARPETS

-MAKE-

BEAUTIFUL RUGS.

handsome and lasting rugs. Our agent, O. A. VAN-

DEUSEN, who was in your city last winter, will again

Ruggedly yours,

Michigan Rug Co.

Save your old carpets and have them made into

Sprinkle your lawns with that Chicago Electric Hose-Fully Guaranteed. Some thing entirely new. Call and see it before buying.

CHALLENGE ICEBERG REFRIGER-ATORS. For beauty they have no peer, for

finds peculiar satisfaction in

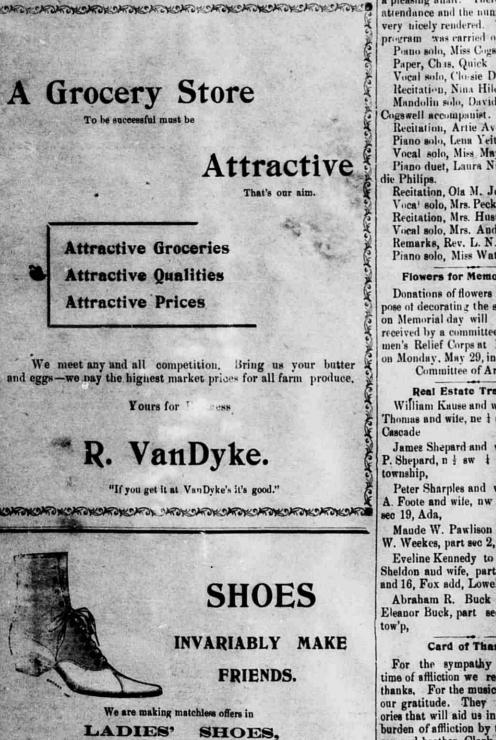
Loves beauty, values comfort and appre-

ciates economy. Hence, every woman

economy they have no equal. A good assortment to select from. Price \$10,00 to \$16.00 according to size.



EVERY WOMAN



Introducing all the Latest Spring Fashions,' Ranging in Price from \$1.75 to \$3.00.

MEN'S SHOES

In Russets, Vici Kid, Russia and Willow Calf, Latest Shapes \$2.00 to \$3.00, including the famous "WALK-OVER" Shoe at \$3,50.

HAMILTON & FOX.

LOWBLL, MICHIGAN.

uuy. Recitation, Nina Hiler. Mandolin solo, David Marge, Miss Cogswell accompanist. Recitation, Artie Avery. Piano solo, Lena Yeiter. Vocal solo, Miss Maynard. Piano duet, Laura Nicklin and Ad-Recitation, Ola M. Johnson. Vocat solo, Mrs. Peckham

Recitation, Mrs. Husted. Vocal solo, Mrs. Anderson Remarks, Rev. L. N. Pattison. Piano solo, Miss Watts.

Flowers for Memorial Day,

Donations of flowers for the purpose of decorating the soldiers' graves on Memorial day will be thankfully received by a committee of the Women's Relief Corps at Engine house on Monday, May 29, in the afternoon. Committee of Arrangements.

Real Estate Transfers.

William Kause and wife to William Thomas and wife, ne 1 sw 1 sec 26, \$400 James Shepard and wife to Casey P. Shepard, n 1 sw 1 sec 13, Ada \$2,500 Peter Sharples and wife to Lewis A. Foote and wife, nw fr t sw fr t \$1,200 Maude W. Pawlison to Augustus W. Weekes, part sec 2, Lowell, \$60 Eveline Kennedy to Willard G.

Sheldon and wife, part lots 14, 15 and 16, Fox add, Lowell \$1,000 \$1,000 Abraham R. Buck and wife to

Card of Thanks.

For the sympathy given in the time of affliction we return heartfelt thanks. For the music and flowers, our gratitude. They furnish mem-ories that will aid us in bearing the burden of affliction by the loss of our son and brother, Clark L. Van Deusen. MR. AND MRS. HIRAM VANDEUSEN, LYDIA VANDEUSEN.

Notice.

The co-partnership of Klark & Klark has been dissolved and all ac counts owing the said firm are pay able to F. B. Clark who will pay all debts of said firm. F. B. CLARK, L. K. CLARK.

pectacles, worth one dollar a dozen, for \$10 each-quite a fair profit, even for a peddler. We did not learn how many victims he found; but he sold (to) one woman; and when her hubby found it out he made tracks for the hotel and found Old Glasses just about stepping into the bus in search shop.

of greener pastures. "Come out of there, you ten cent in Freeport. fraud and dig up the ten dollars you got from my wife for this trash. Come, hustle up or I'll mop up the in Millbrook. sidewalk with you." Ionia Tuesday. Old Glasses "dug up."

New Gasoline Law.

Following is the new law relative to the sale of gasoline and similar liquids, which took effect May 1: "Every druggist, grocer, peddler, or other person who shall sell and deliver at retail any gasoline, benzine

or nachtha, without having the true name thereof and the words, 'explosive when mixed with air,' plainly printed upon a label attached to the can, bottle or other vessel containing the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine not exceeding \$100, or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the

Now is the Time to Build Cement Walks.

court."

John H. Duke, the expert cement walk builder, who built the Flanagan, Eleanor Buck, part sec 12, Lowell McCarty, State Bank, Hotel Waver \$1,000 | ly and Opera House Block sidewalks, and is now building a walk before

the guest of the family of his son G. Music hall, will be in town with O. O. Adams for several weeks, and per V., several days last week,

sons wanting residence walks made can get reduced rates by applying in attendance at the funeral of Clark now. Orders left with Mr. Adams VanDeusen Sunday. will receive prompt attention. All A marriage license was issued Tues-day to Jacob Heutz of sains and work guaranteed for 5 years.

all dogs found digging in the cemetery marms," on Main street east of Hotel will be shot on the spot. Brace that need a little crushed stone FREEMAN WINTERS,

or other attention. SEXTON.

Bergin's for 35c. Try a pound and injuries received in the Civil war and if not satisfied get your money b.ack it is feared that an amputation may scribe now and read the opening This is "straight goods."

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HOME NEWS.

H. Silsby has repapered his barber

Mrs. M. J. Kopf is visiting friends

Joseph Buck is visiting his brother

N. B Blain was doing business at

Taft & Crofoot are renovating the

Mrs. Chas. Buckley visited friends

Ellis Faulkner of Hastings visited

A car of woven wire fence just re-ceived at R. B. Boylan's. juni

D. Easterbrook, of Freeport, was a

A. P. Hunter store.

near Smyrna, Sun :ay.

be open.

Tuesday.

a pension of \$8.00

of his place of business.

his parents in Lowell Sunday.

caller at this office Wednesday.

three months visit to Atlanta, Ga.

walk laid in front of Music hall block.

books on M-morial day. It will not

Don't go to the public library for

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. King and daugh-

Mrs. Lucit da Robinson, widow of

Jud Tinkler is having new hot and

G. C. McConnell of Rockford was

Addie Kopf of Grand Rapids was

There are a lot of "thank-you-

Freeda Schroeder of Caledonia.

cold water baths added to the facilities

Oscar A. Robinson, has been granted

ter Florence were in Grand Rapids

visit you about the first of June.

EXCURSION NOTICE DET. GD. RAPIDS& WEST'N

Detroit, Lausing, Grand Ledge. Sunday, June 4. Train will leave Elmdale at 7.35 a. m. Leave Detroit at 7:00 p. m. Rates very low as usual. A:k agents. Jun1

A Wheel Bargain.

For sale a good '98 wheel but little used and in good repair. Cost \$50. \$20 cash takes it. This office.

Please Call and settle.

Persons owing me will please call at the store of McMahon Bros., and settle as I wish to square accords fore going west. Fred L. Fallas nus be-

For Sale, Rent or Exchange.

A meat market for sale or went or, will exchange for the En-Earl Hunter has retarned from a quire at this office. Chandler Johnson is having a cement

> Excursion to Deproit. Seginaw a Bay City, S

Detroit \$1.70; to Saging City \$1.50 and one fare for the trip between all intermediate stations. A.O. HEYDLAUFF, Agent.

Call at Behl's city bakery for baked goods and lunches.

Ourguarantee with every purchase: Goods the best, prices the lowest'. Bergin, the reliable grocer. 254tf 254tf

COMPOSITE, the best shoe in this neck of the woods, \$300. J.E. Lee & Co.

In its issue of June 1, the LEDGER will begin the publication of a new serial, "A Race for Gold, A New Englander's Adventures in Alaska." This is an intensely interesting story of Adventure in the Klondike gold region, by Capt. J. H. B. Robinson and is one of the very best continued stories we have ever published. Subchapters.

Warning to Dog Owners. Dog owners are hereby notified that

Henry G. Taylor is suffering from the breaking out on one ankle from The best 40c tea in Michigan a 254tf be necessary.

Lowell Ledger.

F. M. Jonnson, Publisher. LOWELL, MICHIGAN

The camera enthusiast isn't apt to exchange snap shots with the croco PEOPLE TO ELECT COUNCIL.

A man who always has presence of mind is remarkably gifted.

love, but they never get too old to want

of the most serious disasters that have ate with the other members of that administration. rison. They were under no legal obli- of an armistice, referring to his wish the war department. gation to go thither, the Spanish gov. for time in order to consult the Fillernment itself being responsible for pino congress. fight them. Such a deed should go far ing the American fleet. toward restoring friendly feeling in the Spanlards toward this country.

It is pleasant to see a man, or to hear of a man, who preaches about dealing Manila, May 23.-In spite of the pres- officers and 1,205 enlisted men, under practices it. The mayor of Toledo is a good representative of such preach-item with military operations coners. Each year he mails to the em- tinue with unabated vigor. Mayor Jones talked and lived equality, icans, if only for the purpose of crush- tion.

like iron," Bismarck once said of Lord inhabitants of other provinces.

minister of states

Cosgrove us. United States n

prove fitness for legislative asignomy | and gunboats to Negros tomorrow to forma.

PLANS FOR THE FILIPINOS. American Commissioners Outline

Scheme of Government.

Men and women may get too old to Gen. Otis Encouraged.

Candaba today.

"Have denied request of Aguinaldo's mmissioners for armistice. 'OTIS."

REBELS ANXIOUS TO SURRENDER. lowever, Are in Fear That They May Be Executed.

New York, May 23 .- A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Man-

The Warren at Manila.

they would have been last year to erward will visit the vessels compos- Washington: Transport Warren arrived 18th inst; no casualties.

"OTIS."

Sixth Infantry to Sail.

After California Oil Fields.

ON SUNDAY.

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saw anything like it, never will see side he puts that man's abominations, hotels, almost without exception, emanything like it. And yet I have to that man's libertinism, that man's sel- ploy orchestras ranging in number tell you that it is going to be destroyed. fishness, that man's godiess ambition. from four to ten men. One of the The king and his princes are at a This last came down, and all the bril- mose prominent of these places estabers. Each year he mails to the em-ployes of his manufacturing plant a check of 5 per cent upon the wages paid the workman that year. This, he check of 5 per cent upon the safe. The since the workman that year. This, he check of 5 per cent upon the safe. The since the places of the sector the sec paid the workman that year. This, he ern provinces. They were all drafted under orders to sail for Manila with Drink to the health of the king! Drink Weighed and found wanting! insists, is not a gift, but a recognition south after the outbreak of the war. the Sixth infantry and a number of faithful service, and the best methof faithful service, and the best meth-od he yet knows of establishing truer rquilibrium between capital and labor. South after the outbreak of the war. The villages on the west coast are al-most deserted, and the llocanos espe-spectrum in command of the exaction South after the outbreak of the war. Soldiers assigned to various regiments. Soldiers ass ullibrium between capital and labor. most deserted, and the localos espe-is natural, therefore, that while desirous of joining the Amermen will-with vacant look stared at into the scales. I can very easily see ers, with gorgeous and voluminous Mayor Jones taiked and lived equality, in the purpose of clush-his own piurality in his election to public office should have been over-whelming. STONED OUR CONSULATE, whelming. STONED OUR CONSULATE, whelming. STONED OUR CONSULATE, whelming. Stocks, dividends, percentages, "buyer ten days," "buyer thirty days." "Get "He is only a lath painted to look friction between the Tagals and the New York, May 23.—A special to the matter, and they look at the same point and be weighed —weighed for this life, down on the East Side seats its dinner. Herald from Washington says: "Com- on the wall. And then there drops and weighed for the life to come." He guests at tables in a cellar, on one side Salisbury. The clever epigram is dis-It is added that the only Filipino mercial jealousies between the cities a darkness into the room, that puts gets in. I find that the two great of which great casks of wine are proved by the singular success with troops now left are 7,000 men, under on the River Amazon are responsible out the blaze of the golden plate, and questions in his life are: "How cheapwhich the premier has conducted the Gen. Luna, at Taltac, and about 4,000 for the insults offered the gunboat out of the sleeve of the darkness there ly can I buy these goods?" and "How the cob-webbed room a band of gyprecent agreement with France. Hence- under Gen. Pio del Pilar. Even tuese Wilmington and the stoning of the comes a finger-a finger of fiery ter- dearly can I sell them?" I find he adforth England will be undisturbed in are demoralized and short of arms and American consulate at Manaos by a ror circling around and circling around mires heaven because it is a land of Hungarian composers. forth England will be undisturbed in her enlightened protectorate of the Nile valley. Everywhere she is re-garded as a different power from what she was when Lord Salisbury took the chanics and materials for so doing. the basis of proper representation to wall the doom of the king: "Weighed ruption, a vulgar interruption, and he che was when Lord Salisbury took the government; richer, more formidable, more influential. The iron chancellor judged all men after his own metal. Unhapplify the golden traits of tact, courtesy and the desire to arbitrate had little place in his conception of a minister of states in the united states, and they are sat-minister of states. Now Death is by and perishable commodities, not the library list of Sing Sing prison and isfed that all proper amends will be ing on the paddock at the Harlem Eins. The sins come down. His op-

before the first proceeding had ter-minated and he had had opportunity to return to his own country. The chief justice held that he could not be from San Antonio, Carlao and Arayat, thus de line with the proceeding to was a perfect balance on the solution of the proceeding to was a perfect balance on the solution of the proceeding to was a perfect balance on the solution of the proceeding to was a perfect balance on the solution of the proceeding to was a perfect balance on the solution of the proceeding to be the proceeding to thus dealt with, reversing the finding where he was joined yesterday by Kob-of the district court for the eastern district of Michigan. (and be today) (and be today) (and be today) (and be today) (be today) (turbed. You can not always depend walk on a hair-hung bridge over and died a hero. The Sherlock Holmes "MacArthur still at San Fernando, nd will occupy cities south and west-contatives of the Standard Oil Comit and deserve it can claim it as a tion; in rampanga and buttern market. The cil industry has grown in the state of the s right. General Henry has stated that insurgent troops; south of Manila larg- to be one of the chief industries of the goods in the wrong way, then the Lord stretching out skeleton hands to putil the people of Porto Rico are abun-est disintegration progressing through southern part of the state and a prom-weighs the goods again. If from the thee down into ruin consummate! the people of Porto Rico are usual est disintegration progressing through large force still maintained; conditions their own land, and this is relied upon by the Porto Rican commissioners to by the Porto Rican commissioners to and sunboats to Negros tomorrow to and there is less than

allay excitement in southern portion of TALMAGE'S SERMON. knows it, and calls upon his recording If some one chould come and put on angel to mark it: "So much wanting in the other side the scales all your im-"THE BALANCES." THE SUBJECT comes in from the country. He has jealousies, all your inconsistencies of apples to sell. He has an imperfect life, they would not budge the scales measure. He pours out the apples with Christ on your side the scales. from his imperfect measure. God reg- Go free! There is no condemnation to From Daniel 5: 27 as Follows:-Mene, Mene Tekel Upharison - Thou Art angel: "Mark down so many apples too broken, prison houses opened, sins cheat ourselves, and we may cheat the world, but we cannot cheat God, and Oh! what a glorious hope! Will you Alle Fresident Will Appoint a Governor and Also a Cabinet-Military Opera-tions Continue with Unabated Vigor-Gen. Otis Encouraged. Manila, May 23.—Prof. Schurman, head of the United States Philippine

the velief of a beleagured Spanish gar. posterous, after Maj.-Gen. Otis' refusal approving message went to him from som, or as though the sky leaned on the Spanish monarchy into the scales, cians wandered from one to the other, the shoulder of a cedar. All this and found it insufficient and condemn- alternating their instrumental selec-Nebuchadnezzar did to please his wife. ed it! The French empire was placed tions with really good vocal numbers. ernment itself being responsible for the safe withdrawal of all its men. They went on the perilous expedition at the simple call of humanity, more rendy to succor their late foes than the valid by the perilous expedition rendy to succor their late foes that the valid by the varies of the varies eighth of a mile high, in which there I not adorned the Tuileries? Have I cians, whose pay was mostly gathered was an observatory where astrono- not built the gilded opera house?" from their happy hearers, were not "OTIS." WOULD JOIN AMERICANS. Filipinos on the West Coast Not Friend-by to Aguinaido. Manila, May 23.—in spite of the pres-Manila, May 23.—in spite of the pres-Manila, May 23.—in spite of the pres-The marent sailed from San Fran-cisco April 20, with headquarters, B, D, E, F, G, H, L and M, Sixth artil-lery, and detachment recruits; total, 25 officers and 1,205 enlisted men, under

of the most serious disasters that have befallen our troops in the Philippines occurred to those who were going to

ture of Convicts.

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 Inis evacuation of the place evacuation of the district of Michigan. The case in-volves the extradition treaty in force between this country and Great Britain for Canada, the particular point at washington. May 23 - The war do for Canada, the particular point at Washington, May 23.—The war deissue being whether a resident of Can-ada who has been extradited and brought to the United States on one charge can be arrested on another case Washington: Conditions as follower: a constraint of the stables. The loss is estimated to make the stables. The loss is estimated the stables. The loss is estimated to make the stable to charge can be arrested on another case Washington: Conditions as follows: In at \$100,000, with ao insurance. The ers whose business it was to stamp to your soul: 'Weighed and found man with the men of his calling. Alex business it was to stamp to your soul: 'Weighed and found Dumas' "Count of Monte Cristo" was

some way the equipoise may be dis- may, after a while, call a halt. We Sydney Carton, who lived a vagabond It is generally accepted that the Porto Rican commission will recom-meed the speedy establishment of a territorial government in that deterritorial government in that de-pendency. Self-government under the United States' constitution is a great United States' constitution is a great privilege, but those under the jurisdic-it and deserve it can claim it as a

Weighed in the Balances PLu Art few-an imperfect measure." We may pardoned. Go free! Weighed in the Found Wanting.

to think of God, is as ungodly us the I who is too vicious to do so.

Golden Wedding of Miss Popular Esteem and Mr. Aver's Sarsaparilla. Fifty years of happiness, fifty years of doing good. The only Sarsaparilla in the world that ever celebrated its fiftieth anniversary and is doing it today with no signs of decay.

Its mission is to cure and to help. No wonder it has fifty happy years back of it.

Get a bottle today of



Lost a Lot of IL Little 5-year-old Willie had been to to do is kiss a girl unexpectedly.

the theater, and upon his return his all right; but I didn't see nearly all of it." "Why, how did that happen?"

ines, which shows the total miles of track cast of Buffalo as 6,114.81. It is, of course, generally known that some of the western lines have a

Dassengers each year

New York & Harlem.... Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris.... New York & Putnam... Troy & Greenbush. Moltawk & Malone and branches.. Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg and branches Troy & Greenbus Mohawk & Malor Rome, Watertown and branches Carthage & Adiro 624.35 ndack . & Oswegatchie

Syracuse, Geneva & Corning and Fall Brock and branches..... Pine Creek

Doing good is the only certainly nov action of a man's life You can't judge a man's religion by his actions in a horse trade.

A CONSTRUCTION Go to your grocer to-day and get a 15c. package of will cure a coll ta one night: will cure sore throat in a few hours. Acts quica. Sure cure for Catarrh in every the bottle. rain=0 It takes the place of cof-

fee at 1 the cost. Made from pure grains it is nourishing and health-

at your groost gives you GRAIN-O.

Anger is like rain; it breaks itself Kansas City

upon that on which it falls.

Around the World in a Day. greater mileage, but their tracks run This globe of ours is a pretty good through a number of sparsely settled sized sphere, but we are told the Deer-states, while the trackage of the New ing Harvester Company of Chicago can York Central and leased lines is all in produce in a single day enough Binder the densely populated States of New Twine to cncircle it, with 3,500 miles fork and Pennsylvania, accommodat- to spare-30,000 miles of twine is a ing, by its numerous trains, millions of fair day's output! A reliable publica tion recently proved by correspondence Here is the mileage of the New York with dealers in all parts of America Washington.

> 6.91 61.21 A poor man without principal is and branches. 181.59 usually devoid of interest.

> > Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? 45.10 13.35 Shale into your shoes, Atten 5 1 00 1.35 Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes Shoes feel Easy. Cure tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures 32.55 Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and st. r Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and 109.70 Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. 1.23 Address Allen S. Olmsted. LeRoy, N. Y.

11.03 The first coins of precious metal were Lane's Family Medicine.

Total number of miles of track and signsBuffalo Express, April 6, 1899. Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures There is nothing more musical than the voice

> A Guaranteed Cure. Nost diffenit to once - Chronie Constipation Y case or money relianded braggists, loc, Se, Se. Many a man's reputation depends on what

m't found out about him.

It poetry runs in the veins some poets should One of the bills in which the liquor be run in by the police. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrap For children techning, softens the gums. reduce infam-mation, alays pain, cures wind colic. If centra bottle.

The man who owns a paying oil well lives of of Detroit now lacks the governor's the fat of the land.

The art of bueso scering regulies more than

STATE LEGISLATURE. Bills Signed by the Governor. The following bills have been signed

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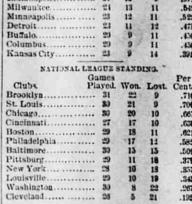
Gov. Pingree has sent to the senate the following nominations: Samuel J. A man doesn't necessarily have to as member of the board of trustees of a physician. he upper peninsula hospital for insane God alone can tell where our perfor the term ending April 17, 1903, sonal influence is going to stop. vice Con D. Danaher, resigned; George -W. Duhphy, of Quincy, as state veter inarian, in place of George Coester, of Detroit, whose term expires next July; Comfort A. Tyler, of Nottawa, St Joseph county, as member of the state live stock commission to succeed Jonathan J. Woodman.

Senator Graham, of Kent county, is working on a bill for the taxation of elegraph and telephone companies to take the place of the law knocked out by the supreme court. He would tax telegraph companies 65 cents a mile on their wires, which is two cents a mile less than they paid under the old law. He would make the rate for telephond companies 50 cents. Graham is interested in a Grand Rapids telephone

The house ways and means commit tee has agreed on the following appropriations: For the expenses of the Agricultural college, \$129,000; \$65,000 for the expenses of the fish commission; \$3,000 for library supplies; \$200,000 for a new state office building at Lansing; \$160,000 for the mining school at Houghton, and \$270,725 for the Flint

BASE BALL.

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men of the state are especially inter-ested, the so-called holiday bill, permitting liquor to be sold on the Fourth of July, was called up in the house on It sometimes happens that the bride is the the 17th by Rep. Burch and defeated best man at a welding. The by a vote of 44 yeas and 49 nays. The debate lasted about half an hour and

The bill abolishing the water board signature to become a law. "We have never had a bottle retarned," prondly as The Lake county state park bill has serie the perfector of Brown's Trething Cordial.

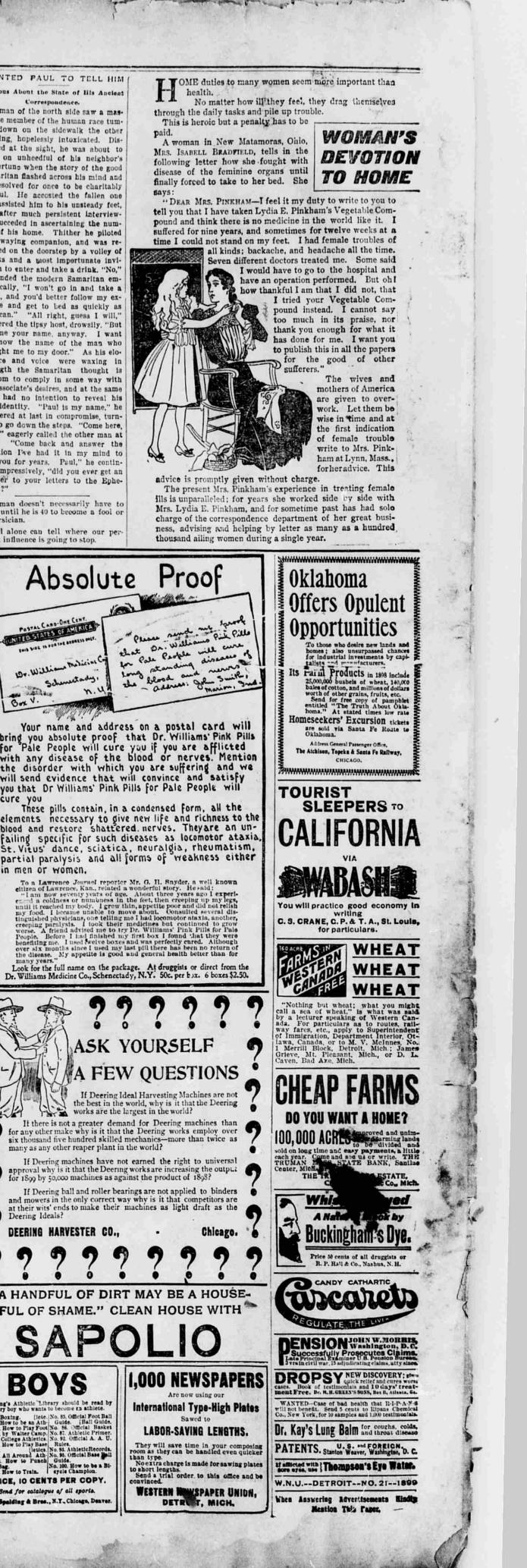
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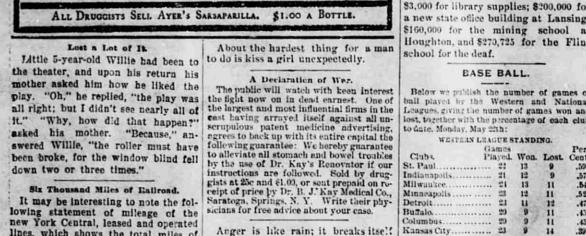
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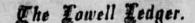
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No sympathy at all.

And everybody scowls at him And hopes to see him fall

- The man who never makes mistake
- Is a confounded bore! He never would be missed if we

Should never see him more.

The feeling at his funeral Would be relief sincere,

And no one on his weed-grown grave

Would ever shed a tear. -Somerville Journal.

women.

girls, reminds one of the barbarities practiced in English prison in the eartoo Late to Mend." One girl was confined in the black hole for 56 days family a prolonged visit. Milton Sterling is moving his house to If that sort of treatment is "home"like, may God save Michigan from make many improvements. any more "homes."

and advertising "preservaline," a A good program has been prepared. preparation for keeping "milk fresh and sweet." "For \$2.00 they will and Mrs. Eugene Scovil, of Los Angeles, UNO send you enough preservatine for \$5,000 quarts of milk." The people introducing the preparation were after the patronage of mothers who would feed their babies upon it. The Michthe patronage of mothers who would feed their babies upon it. The Mich-igan Dairy and Food Commission in its report for April denounces the let-ter referred to as a fraud, says that the use of acid preservatives in milk is dangerous, and "warns milk dealers of the state, many of whom in the the use of acid berge and the state, many of whom in the the tar effective for the state, many of whom in the the tar effective for the state, many of whom in the the tar effective for the state, many of whom in the tar effective for the state, many of whom in the the tar effective for the state, many of whom in the the tar effective for the state, many of the state for the state tar effective for the sta past have used these preservatives, of that a long and intimate friendship ought turned Monday. the dangerous character of this prac. tice." One of Lowell's milk men ment young people might have the oppor- working for the Lowell papers and took tea called our attention to the circular letter; so that Lowell mothers may be sure that no "preservaline" is be-ing fed to their innocents.

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always been the policy of my country, has skipped to parts unknown. There are a great many expansionis s BIBSCRIPTION ONE DOLLAR YEARLY. here, but they dou't appear to be as Spain's Greatest Need.

the interests of the community. The building of the canal at the isthemus, which is a national necessity, I am Positively, no deviation from these told, is held in check by the railroads Chas. Jakeway is on the gain because the water route to the Pacific

coast would interfere with transcon- hopes of recovery. An up-to-date Job Printing Plant in connection. Work done neatly, quickly and cheaply. A trial order solicited.

one wants to buy. Tell your story with James Lewis and family. in plain English and have your home F. E. Rising of Grand Rapids was a The Aid at Mrs. Charles Lampkins will Wheat papers print it. If you have what guest of Mrs C. Snow Sunday. the people want and the price is right Mr. and Mrs. Bert Morse spent Weines- of the first you get th lusiness. That's all there day with her parents, J. Lewis and wife. Robt. Thompson, of North Keene, had Rye Flour per owt you get th business. That's all there day with her parents, J. Lewis and wite. Is to it and the country merchant has Dell Kinyon and wite spent Sunday with a stroke of paralasis and is helpless. New Parenthas a rew wheel.

a dog has for two tails. a Some people seem to be boan lucky. Look at Grover Cleveland's string of big catches. Elected sheriff, mayor, governor and president, in rapid suc-cession, Monday he elected to go fish a dog has for two tails. ing and pulied in 125 pounds of black bass, the biggest catch of all.

of people paving \$10 for a ten cent

must expect to be caught. -----A Narorw Escape.

THR Riverdale young man who
had his ear torn off by the collapse of
his bicycle while "scorching" knows
better now. It takes hard knocks to
convince some boys who know more
than "and all creation
beside.A Narorw Escape.
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THE testimony given in the inves-tigation of the charges of cruelty to the inmate of the Adrian home for girls, reminds one of the bolt o

_____ Lowell Center-Alto.

send you enough preservaline for Cal, LeRoy Scovil and wife and C. J.

IAN MACLAREN ON EXPANSION. a young lady will answer an advertise-Rev. Dr. Watson (Ian Maclarau) before embarking for Liverpool after a tour of this country made two statements that are interesting. Speaking about the Philippines he who seemed to know that he had several wives already, we think they had better "Being an Englishman, of course I take a spring tonic to strengthen their am an expansionist, because that has brains. Such is the case, however, and he BEL KY.

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The ball game Sunday was well attended.

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pair of glasses What a spectacle! THE LEDGER has always done it's share in warning people to leave these fakirs alone. If they will bite they Matt Corrigan is head sawyer at the

> Ring saw mill. Mrs. Electa Mosher dined with Mrs. J.

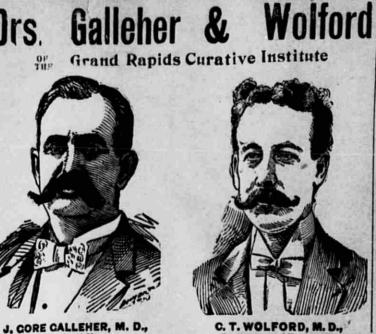
them from our midst but, wish them suc-Mr. Herrington of Cannonsburg visited

his daughter, Mr. D. Church, Sunday. Mr. Church and Mr Aleck Wingier Bowne visited at H. Keech's, Sunday.

Murray's Lake was largely patronized by part of this century, as vividly pic tured by Charles Reade in his "Never Rapids are making Prof. Merriman and James Helmer of Grand Rapids was here Monday.

Milton Sterling is moving his house to the north side of the road and intends to Sunday, June 3d and 4th, a reunion of all the old members of the Alton Christian A very interesting program is being pre-pared for Children's day by the Morse be held Sunday morning. Rev. Mudge This part of the state was flooded Lake Sunday school, June 11, at 2 p.m. will preach upon the "Fruits of Love" in with circular letters, last month, pur-porting to be written by a mother South Lowell M. E. church Sunday night. of Love" in the evening. A cordial invi-UNO

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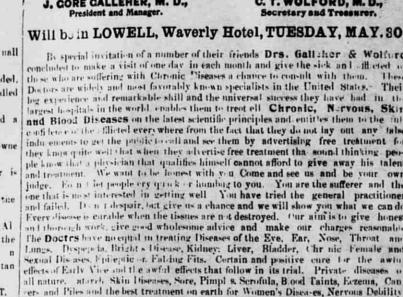
Be special invitation of a number of their friends Drs. Gallahor & Wolfurg concludes to make a visit of one day in each month and give the sick an laff cred these who are soffering with Chronic "iseases a chance to consult with them. They and cheaply. A trial order solicited. NOTICE TO DELINQUENT SUB-SCRIBERS. There is now due the LEDGER on Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Quite a number from Lowell enjoyed a day's fishing at Murray's Lake Sunday. There is now due the LEDGER on Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Quite a number from Lowell enjoyed a day's fishing at Murray's Lake Sunday. Philippines is in direct opposition to the Declaration of Independence, the Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Quite a number from Lowell enjoyed a day's fishing at Murray's Lake Sunday. Philippines is in direct opposition to the Declaration of Independence, the Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Quite a number from Lowell enjoyed a day's fishing at Murray's Lake Sunday. Philippines is in direct opposition to the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the interdition and the interdition of Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Quite a number from Lowell enjoyed a day's fishing at Murray's Lake Sunday. Philippines is in direct opposition to the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the interdition of Independence, the Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called on her brother, Wm. Delaney, Sun lay. Doctors are widely and most favorably known specialists in the United States. Their lay and the interest states they have the interest the public to call and see them by advertising free treatment the sound thinking peo-Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell called Doctors are widely and most favorably known specialists in the United States. The SCRIBERS. There is now due the LEDGER on muscription account over five hun, dred dollars in the possession of many people in sum of from fifty cents io \$6.00. The individual amounts are sin til but the aggregate is large enough to entile the publiciter, if put money in the bank. We want this more, and want it now. Do mot complain by and by that you by missing and attray stake dollars, in the possession of many people in sum of from fifty cents io \$6.00. The individual amounts are sin til but the aggregate is large enough to entile the publiciter, if the principles advocated by their these for 125 years, all we have to the great repople are prepared to abandon put money in the bank. We want this more, and want it now. Do mot complain by and by that you By ITS continual clater about By ITS continual clater about by that you By ITS continual clater about By ITS co spart, to generate the bank. We want this morey, and want it now. Do not complain by and by that you were not notified. The date on your advertising experts," Printer's Ink and ne all in its power to injurch the country press. It has imbued its enders have for the idea that a man in advertisements for it better than the gratis, for nothing.
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His cool appropriation of our millions was a scrious enough offense, without in the look he east upon me; but the millions, of course, but that he should the gratuitous insult to the girl I in-tended to marry. I stepped in front of the fellow and looked him over. feel like begrudging him this bit of tended to marry and looked him over.

were a German, but I'm ashamed to personal interest in the reef-then I also developed a fondness for Charsee that you came from my own coun-try. You will doubtless see fit to apol-Stepping quietly along to the door

for a second or two before he spoke; asked: he seemed to be sizing me up. Finally "Quien llama?"

I dunno who you mought be, stranger, before me in a loose wrapper that but ver kin tell thur leddy I didn't mean | made her look wonderfully pretty. no offense; wimmin's a good deal alike "Dorotea, querida, I'm going for a out here'n thur islands, an' I didn't long sail before daylight. Will you that thar coppera; I want a cargo of it, The request would have been a severe an' I'm willin' ter pay er fa'r price. I'll test of any woman's love, but, with her an 'I'm within ter pay er la r price. I'll test of any woman slove, but, with Eer give the gobernador four dollars more'n thur Manila rate, an' he kin pocket thur difference; but I don't cal'late ter leave Apra without it." "I'm afraid you'll have to. I happen So, while the stillness was unbroke

to know the stuff is worth a good deal save for the rustling banana leaves, we more than the price you name; and, stole away to the beach and put to sea bertin and grandchildren which I hope rather than let you have it, I'll buy it in the proat it was to be for the last to humor as long as he lives.

ly. In the meantime, if you or your waiting for me. She had heard all glance. There were 150 rusty old coins

men to take away the copra, telling pressed the grief of approaching sep-the Senor Lepaspe that he would pay aration, tormenting fears and doubts concerning the future, hers did at that POSTSCRIPT BY THE AUTHOR. said County of Keut held at the Probate Court for Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on

after three pats on the small of my back and a moment or two of ecstatic silence, he reversed the arms, left over my right shoulder, etc., three more Garma Stevens—la Dorotea Catalina de Garma Stevens—will be with us." pats, more silence, kisses on both my cheeks, then an endless string of ex-travagant protestations concerning his face? Have you ever seen the love-life-long obligation to me. I had seen light in her eyes struggle for mastery the thing done many times before with speculations about her trousseau stead's assumed intention of buying the copra at a high figure, on specula-own hands dropped the ladder by tion, and suggested the advisability of placing a guard over it at night. The Another beautiful girl stood with This fleet has been steadily making As it was likely to be a three-months' with delightful impartiality. job, the soldiers didn't relish this; but So we sailed into Port San Luis carrying full cargo and sometimes

stead's return, and breathlessly ask me to promise that I would surely visit them in Granada the following spring. Still, July was yet so far away that child. He couldn't account for the Still, July was yet so far away that my departure seemed only a dim pos-sibility to her-a something which she fact that his daughter was going to be visitors come to Santa Barbara, will

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this time, and had resumed his investi- | asked me-and it was asked in a gentle, evening of May 8 he burst into the go in that line, so much depended upon patio, where we were at dinner, with the girl and her requirements, but his oily countenance fairly shining. He that I thought of risking it if he were still serviceable, while they talk of the ogize to the lady at once." of Dorotea's room, 1 gave a few faint The man's cold, fishy eyes met mine taps upon it, and in a moment her voice of Dorotea's room, 1 gave a few faint

he drawled out: "Soy yo-Enriquito. Open the door "Waal, perhaps I war a leetle hasty. for a moment." In a second she stood "Soy yo-Enriquito. Open the door

myself on speculation." "Oh, ye will! What's ter purvent my Br'er Miguel in time to prevent com- saloon after dinner. His grace, the layin' down my money here on thur plications next day; so, gliding along bishop of Mindanao-otherwise Se-sand an' tellin' my men ter put it in the wake of the guard-boat until bistiano-and Padre Bartolomeo offisand an' tellin' my men ter put it aboard? I reckon you an' that dago ain't goin' ter stop me." "That's where you make another mis-take. Senor Legaspe sent for the gob-erandor an hour ago, and he'll be here with the officers of his staff very short-b. In the magnitude if unged it along to where she sati The officers of his staff very shortly. In the meantime, if you or your men lay a fuger on those bags, I'll shoot you without a second's warning."
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 The was laying for millions, and I meant what I said.) "More than that, as you have grossily insulted the senorita, I'll kill you if you stay another five minutes on shore."
 Thought the man would have a fit of apoplexy; even his vast store of deep-see profanity failed him for the max resting-place than the is arm. Then we headed our tenses the reat in a dill, second the rest. The we headed our to sea.
 The rest were Germans, but enough of them understood English to keep the run of what was going on, and we have grossily insulted the senorita, I'll was an the searce of the senorita, I'll was an the service final resting-place than the gross of the senorita of the se

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ment being the peak of Tiniquio against the astern Abrawa R. He was speechless with rage; but, as I had the sea of the state of the st

the thing done many times before among people of the Latin races, but being kissed by a man was, to say the least, a novelty. Even Legaspe expressed himself in exaggerated terms concerning the way in which I had ination must supply? Because, if yeu called the captain's hand; and, as no haven't, it will be impossible for you to After giving McPherson £40,000, mention was made of his supposed appreciate what occurred that May and paving Ramirez & Co. in full for mistake, he was our very humble serv-ant. Lest other dangers of a similar while the sun reddened every stick of nature should threaten it, however, the proa, and the good old Countess bers, \$1,600,000 each. They then went Dorotea mentioned to her father Hal- steamed nearer and nearer, until her into partnership as steamship owners,

placing a guard over it at night. The colonel's cupidity was aroused, and the guard was set; but, owing to Br'er Miguel's ghostly influence, the most he could make his men do was to pa-trol the shore each night in a proa.

joo, the soldiers didn't relish this; but they had to obey orders. It was the 6th of May when we came so near losing the copra. On the third morning after Halstead was to appear, if everything had gone right with him: and as the time approached I became

ability to her-a something which she must not even think about. I won-dered a little what she would say when she knew, and how the colonel was go-ing to feel. Sebastiano had fully recovered by



and as the time approached I became strangely apprehensive—so much so that I found it difficult to maintain an air of careless case. In fact, had it not been for Doroten. I might have he been for Dorotea. I might have be-trayed my real interest in Guajan a dozen times. But with each day that passed it became more evident that I dozen times. But with each day that passed it became more evident that I had no rival in her heart. Sometimes breakfast-though his daughter and, though he occasionally accepts the see that he suffered nothing on that she would speak with dread of Hal- account-and, by his orders, the load- Halstead, they are careful to avoid passstead's return, and breathlessly ask ing commenced before we rose from ing through his part of Spain when

but he's getting too fat to wear then any more." any more." any more." any more." any more." any more." As for his mother and Gracia Hal-the possibility that Santa Rosa might I could undertake to support a wife. eight or ten miles to the eastward I answered cautiously that I didn't but blood. Sometimes they take from night Dorotea was married, the stories quart of water into a pint measure as

goods.



Judge of Probate.

Saranac, Monday, June 5. Lake Odessa, Wednesday, June 7 MEN, call or send stamp for illustrated boo on special diseases.



of the last will and testament of Mary E. loughton deceased late of Alps, Ren-selaer county, New York. The amount aimed to be due on said mortgage at tate of this notice is the sum of eleven

TORTGAGE SALE.

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andred ninety and 65-100 dollars \$1190.65) as principal and interest, also he further sum of fifteen dollars (\$15.00)an attorney fee is stipulated for in said tortgage. No suit or proceeding at wor in equity has been instituted t cover said debt or any part thereof. ow therefore, notice is hereby given at hy virtue of the power of sale con and in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and proa sale of the premises theirin describe public auction to the highest bidder on riday the ninth day of June A. D., 1899 t 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day t the north front door of the court hous in the city of Grand Rapids, Michigan

Said court house being the place where the circuit court for the county of Kent is held. Said premises are described in said nortgage as follows: All that certain siece or parcel of land situate and being

a the township of Bowne in the county of Kent and state of Michigan and de-cribed as follows, to-wit: East 70 70) acres of northwest quarter of section 35(35.) town (5) north range nine (9) west. Clarendon C. Winegar, executor

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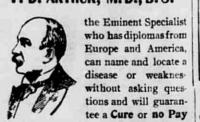
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WAR NOTES.

Prof. Schurman, head of the U.S.

Philippine comtaission, has submitted

the hands of congress, the President, nay "work on" but you



Las Vegas, New Mexico, June 24. Gov. CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. Roosevelt and staff will be present.



NEWS FOR MICHIGANDE

A Whole Regiment of News Items From Michigan Towns

CAPTURED FOR BRIEF READING.

Committed by an Insame Lover in Barry County - The Colebrated Mains Case has Been Brought to a Close -- Howard City Murderer got Life

16th, when Miss Mollie Flagler, of . Dimondale, was found murdered with a bullet hole in her temple, the work of an assassin. Suspicion immediately fell on James Brumm, a well-known

and the same

The Famons Mains Case at an End. At last the celebrated Mains caseless suggestively known as the Consol- of July celebration.

square of Calumet, which attracted so snow storm on the 17th, which may ac-Paw lake summer resort in Van Buren plan is much less comprehensive than to the towns inside the American lines. much attention last winter, is still in count for the chilly condition of the during two storms which occurred a state during the past week. few days ago. The snow mountain has melted considerably from the ef-The Branch county soldiers and sail-fect of the May sun, but is still 20 feet in height. There are a great many bets that the snow, or some of it, will still be on the square on the first of

On Thursday night, May 11, Barvey igan. killed Mrs. Caroline Pierson, h's

W. J. Nixon, of Alpena, was robbed of a goodly roll at Toledo by a man who claimed to be a brother Oddfellow. Frosts prevailed in Ottawa and Alfe-gan counties on the 18th. In the lat-ter county young vegetables and clover were injured. The chief of police of Kalamazoo The chief of police of Kalamazoo The chief of police of Kalamazoo

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS. be 14th

Fourth of July celebration.

Onaway capitalists are going to pros- lie manner.

June 15. The Shiawassee supervisors have let a contract for an addition to the country a contract for an addit

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The boiler in a saw mill located in [DAL Constantine has two women barbers. Marion township, David and Ned Carlin was An inch of snow fell at Munising on instantly killed and D. O. Smith badly injured.

Howell will have an old fashioned The city of Marquette was 50 years old last week, the first settlers having The first American flag was planted | landed there on May 18, 1849. The anon Cuban soil by a U. of M. man. niversary was not celebrated in a pub-

pect for coal in Cheboygan county. Jacob Dressender, a prominent There will be a reunion of the 3d farmer in the northern part of Kent Michigan cavalry at Owosso, June 14. | county, was thrown from his wagon in Nearly all of Carsonville's business Grand Rapids the other day and replaces are now lighted by acetylene ceived injuries from which he died soon after he was taken to the hospital. Eaton County Murder. Not since the famous Canfield child nurder has Eaton county been turned nto such excitement as it was on the ofth, when Miss Mollie Flagier, of bullet hole in her temple, the work

Ypsilanti will celebrate the 75th an- either have to feed them to stock or was made at Cincinnati on the 21st by neither of these officials will be in the new one purchased without troubling

gas at the depth of 125 feet. The whole matter of formulating a system appropriations for their maintenance idated Steel & Wire Co. vs. John Mains, Four members of the class of '98 in flame rises to a height of four feet. He for the relief of transients was referred owing to the acquirement of Porto Are You Using Allen's Foot-Ease? Charles R. Mains and Horace V. the U. of M. have gone as foreign mis-Swarthout litigation—has come to an sionaries—one to Asiatic Turkey, one and will bore further. It is close to for the provisional organization of the state department has Smarting. Burning, Sweating Feet, end. The jury after being out about to Africa and two to Arabia. the village electric light plant. national conference of Jewish charities been retaining the officers at their Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's

West Detroit visited by a young exclone on the 16th that did consider-exclone on the 16th that

county. Over 500 carpenters have been ardent advocates of general currency onal snow weather in the southern part of the at work there the past week and 75 revision have urged, but was adopted to Manila while the laborers are re-

will be among the speakers. James Burns, of L'Anse, was in-devotion to fraternalism. A few days

Foul Play Suspected. Joseph Mortell was found dead on the 17th at the home of Wm. Clayton at Sandtown. Foul play was suspected and a postmortem will be held. Mor-tell's discolored face shows evidence of his having been strangled, though no the A. Van Riper, of Laingsburg. Dr. J. A. Van Riper, of Laingsburg. this having been strangled, though no Dr. J. A. Van Riper, of Laingsburg, lost art. The supervisors have refused, where between 30 and 40 horses were heretofore, to make sufficient appromarks of violence can be seen. He was a Frenchman about 40 years of mite was struck by a fragment and the office of warden.

^a in any other township in southern ^b Michigan. The township also enjoys the distinction of raising the most live stabled Her Neighbors with a Knife. Stabled Her Neighbors with a Knife. life. He took his dose with a smile. the museum of the University of Mich- Michigan. The township also enjoys

the following written propositions to By Telegraph Giving a Brief Resume of the Week's Events. | ion as to the form of government is in

RELIABLE AND INTERESTING, ender his military powers, pending the cannot even "think of ease." action of congress, stands ready to of-

Philippine Islands - The Jews Have by the President; a cabinet, to be ap-Perfected a National Organization- pointed by the governor-general; all the you make it pure by taking New Finance Measure for the U. S. judges to be appointed by the Presi- Hood's Sarsaparilla you have

judges to be either Americans or Fili-of an assasin. Suspicion immediately fell on James Brumm, well-knowly the State department wether for sun addition to the coult were supervisors have between the south south of an addition to the coult were south so

niversary of the foundation of the city with a glorious old-fashioned Fourth Wm. Hilzinger, of Royal Oak, struck seven hours, returned a verdict for the A rich deposit of marl has been A big tin plate mill will be added to was adopted. As soon as it is indorsed posts for some time past in the capa- Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into

we be the properties of the tail did consider-able damage. Houses were tipped over, barns smashed into kiadlings were-carried for half a block. Strange to state no lives were lost and no series personal damage to any individual has been reported. However, about 4 been reported. However, about 4 to the uses belonging to people was destroyed and the loss with the southwestern Michigan mary mere much altered to stand the heat of sum-the will of stand the heat of sum-the will ense with the heat of sum-the will ense with the heat of sum-the will ense were is not of a healthy-be severely feit. The property loss is more halt a time to failing an were with the heat of sum-the will not stand the heat of sum-the will have and the heat of sum-the will not stand the heat of sum-the will have and the heat of sum-the will not stand the heat of sum-the will not stand the heat of sum-and and family. The snow mountain on the public. Sequere of Calumet, which attracted se-much altered to a sum or with the first permitting the minimum-and the first permitting the minimum-and the first permitting the minimum-and the stime of fails ong, as at present; permitting the minimum-and the stime of suilles with the first permitting the minimum-and the stime of fails ong, as at present. This plan is much less comprehensive than and mark on the public. The snow mountain on the public. Sequere of Calumet, the still fails with the first permitting the minimum-snow storm on the lifth, which mary en-source the still fails of fails ong and the fails with the firsthe still fails and the fails of fails and and

still be on the speare on the first of June. New Electric Read. A centhusiastic meeting was held at the other morning, for the 25th is month, and contracts for the series of sening 2000,000 feet of lumbers of Lanse, and it is summer in the context for the series on sening the design, modeled after the any fields have been totally destroyed up.

was a Frenchman about 40 years of age, and had made his home at Clay ton's for some time. Clayton has dis-appeared. Goes Up for Life. The skins of two tamarau cows which Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Low Harman of Homman (it) and the philippines by Dr. Joe Harvey, of Howard City, pleaded guilty to murder at Stanton, and Judge Davis sentenced him to Jackson for Davis sentenced him to Jackson for

Rough Riders.

killed Mrs. Caroline Pierson, his grandmother; Robert Pierson, his un-cle; Irene Harvey, his wife, and after wounding his father-in-law and child, tried to kill himself. While John Fitzmorris was plowing on his farm in Mt. Haley township, tried to kill himself. While John Fitzmorris was plowing on his farm in Mt. Haley township, tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. tried to kill himself. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground. Milland county, recently, a bolt of lighting struck him to the ground structure st He was killed instantly as was the scare the other day. Evans was re- Brogdon waylaid a Mrs. Covington and cendiary origin. Lieut. Winans will shortly open up a recruiting station at Jackson. W. J. Nixon, of Alpena, was robbed of a goodly roll at Toledo by a man which now occupy the site where a

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the Filipinos: "While the final decis- If your blood is impure you

fer the following form of government: The blood is the greatest sus-More Good Farmers are Wanted in the 'A governor-general, to be appointed tainer of the body and when dent; the head of departments and the perfect health in which

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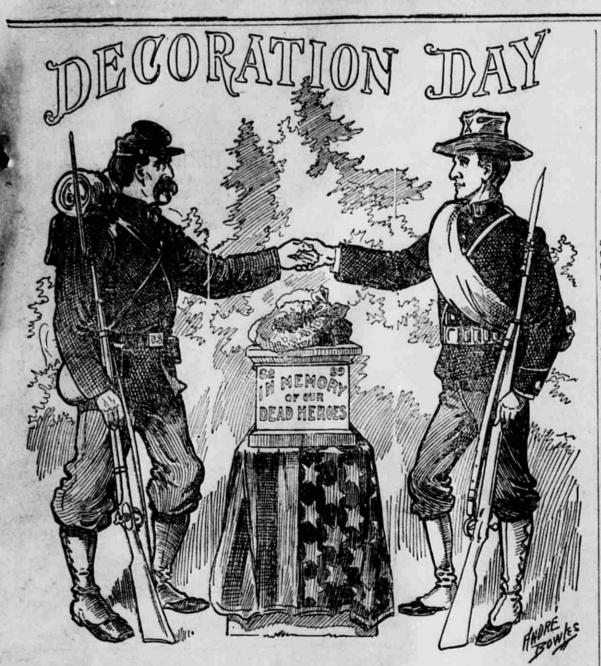
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In the process of manufacturing-figs
county, Pa., jail on the 18th.
The publishers of 46 German daily
papers in the United States have organized an association under the name
of "German-American Publishers' Association."
The first annual remnion of the society of Rough Riders will be held in
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Reunion. By GILBERTE HOLT.

rant spring dress saddened him. In a timid, hesitating way he had your face again." The old man shook his head sor- Once his to made a few inquires for old friends, but the answer was ever the same, War had scattered most of the old familles. Those alohe remained who slept on the morrow, so what matter? the river.

And the Ralstons All were gone. Of the impetuous, high spirited family, only Miss Erma was still alive. The Ralston boys-four of them-lay in soldiers' graves beside their realiant failers. beside their gallant father.

Mrs. Raiston had seen her brave laughing fellows. boys brought hom dead one by one. her husband. "Did Miss Erma still live at Iron- less chap."

* ood ?" cottage down the road, the one al- ran: most smothered in jasmine red roses.

with a brisk step which told of some young blood still flowing in his velas,

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light died out of his tace and he
thought of that long away time when
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How clearly he could see her as such this alloc. The store in draw and to stood then on the low, wide steps, a slim, girlish figure clad in clinging lose her again would be more terrible "I will do it myself. I know how white. Her cheeks were flushed and than not to have found her. Dead, perfectly;" and before I could utter an her mouth tremulous, but the chin was she surely loved him; her action provfirmly set. All through the war he ed it. Would he not better go away in her little hands, and was deftiy re-In the data way from the quiet, sleepy village. The very beauty of its frag- vour face again."
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in the peaceful cemetery in the dip which formed a vale at the bend in the students together. He would pay a visit to their last resting place. He opened the gate and slowly made alone was left of all those merry,

Presently his eye wandered to a But she gave them for her countrys grave somewhat apart from the rest. sake, gladly, but her heart was slowly | The scarcity of its flowers drew his atbreaking. She did not long survive tention to it. He wandered idly toward it, thinking, "Some poor friend-

No. The old plantation was desolate his knees in his eagerness to read the and Miss Raiston lived in a little white | simple inscription on the Leadstone. It

"MERRILL FREMONT " The gentleman took his cane and "Born 1838. Killed at Getusburg.

1863."

young blood still flowing in his velas, started down the street in the warm spring sunshine. The square shoul-ders, erect head and frm tread all be-spoke the soldier. As he came in sight of Miss Erma's amble. For the fraction of a second he paused at her gate, then beat a high arched gate which opened upon the soldier's last tenting ground.

and stood gazing intently at his own her bidding. At last she seemed to name. "It isn't me-but it is some union of the lovely mouth forgot to droop.

soldier buried for me, and he shall By the light of memory the man and rate my own grave," and with a When his torrent of words ceased chuckle Merrill Fremont started brisk- she stood silent for some moments, and ly down the path. As he neared the gate it opened, and said:

a tall, slender figure clad in black en- "'We banish our anger forever tered, followed by an old negro fairly When we laurel the graves of our staggering under the weight of mag- dead."" nolia blossoms. Something familiar in the two figures made Fremont pause. But they did not notice him. The lady turned up a side path and walked would not find me here today. I'd be

"WHY, THAT'S MY NAME."Merrill faced about and watched
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A Memorial Day



SUDDENLY HE CRIED OUT. "ERMA."

"By Jove! It's no use. I couldn't upon the gravel path. He leaned his hands on his stick the soldier boy who had gone away at understand. For a moment the corners

How He Won Her.

quickly toward the end of the grounds Merrill had just quitted, followed more slowly by the old serving man. Merrill faced about and watched Merrill faced about and watched

SPITTORY OF THE he moved away, and spoke to him startled, being unaware, you see, till he spoke that I had uttered my thought aloud. "Yah! yah!" burst out Jem. "reckon I did. marster: used to 'long to him. BY BY CAPT. CHARLESHALE Solo

voice said:

The recognition was mutual.

"Captain Hale!"

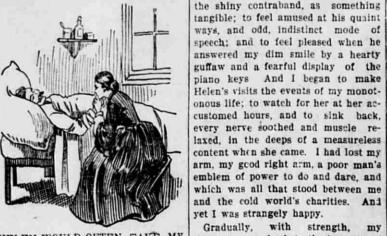
"Mrs. Dumarcie!" time for no more, for the surgeon fol- pared for me.

ing of the word torture during its passage. At last they left me, the ball boots and piano keys, who, she said, nearly well enough to be discharged. extracted and the arm bandaged, but would stay with me all the time, and Helen spoke to me of herself. She told utterly exhausted by pain, long fasting take care of me when she was obliged me of the dreadful parting that was and want of sleep.

she came to me. Her voice roused me from my trance of agony.

It was five years before at a grand my control. Through my dreams flit-Helen Dumarcie, a bride. As a child Time passed in this strange, dream-

who hung upon his arm. She was splendid that night-in hero. some rich dress from her trousseau- I know that I was carefully tended,



A ly. The room is empty, and, as the I did, marster; used to long to him, fever is coming on, he will, of course, me an' all my folks." be more comfortable where pure air "You! Paul Dumarcie's slave! And can be obtained. Give your own or- Helen's now?" ders, if you please, for I am too busy "No, sir. Miss Helen never would own wedem. Tell us to go North, and just now to attend to it." "Do you think you could bear being when she cum I stick to her close, you

moved upstairs?" Helen Dumarcie bet. But I 'spect I own myself, now," said, coming back to me. "There is replied Jem with another laugh and a There was a slight touch upon my an empty room I shall have prepared mixture of negro patcis and Yankee arm, my wounded arm, as it chanced, for you; but first you must have your slang in his speech. that lay beneath the blanket, a touch breakfast. Do you feel hungry?" "Yeu do, of course, Jem," for his last that sent a pang like the piercing of She spoke in a quiet, matter-of-fact remark was half question; "there are a hot iron through it, and a sweet way, as if she had been all her life a no slaves here. But was Captain Dunurse in a hospital, and then sho went | marcle in the army?" "Can I do anything for you, my poor away and presently brought me a "Yes, sir. 'Long of the Confederman? The surgeon will be here im- dainty mess of something that she said ates. When he killed, Miss Helen mediately, and I thought it best to I must eat, because she had cooked it come North to get his body, and, oh. waken yos." It added, as I opened my with her own hands. I had no appe- how she weep when she find he been eyes upon that neat, quiet little figure tite, but I tried to eat, because she hade buried many days! She nebber go which I had long before seen. me, and something of the weary sense back any more. She been here ebber of exhaustion left me when I had fin- since, and Jem with her." ished. About noon men came, and "Ah!" I said. "But I am very with Helen to superintend, lifted my thirsty. Will you bring me a drink, "I did not expect to see you here!" | cot and carried me away to the quiet, Jenn?" I would not question a servant, a mutual exclamation, and there was lone upper room that had been pre- but I had received information enough to think about for one day. lowed by his assistant with a hideouz When they had gone Helen bustled Helen was a widow, then! How

morning and then to an intolerable pain and smarting in my arm. The bandage seemed like a ligature, and there was a burning, as of hot iron. from finger ends to shoulder. I was writhing with the torture, and feeling strangely weak and powerless when

"Can I do anything for you, Captain Hale?" she said, in those quiet, even

had been greatly relieved, and could a blank, whether of sleep or delirium I Once his tangue loosened Merrill gave think of something besides my suffer- know not, with occasional intervals of my eyes to the time I had seen it last, with a ringing in my ears and a and in such different surroundings. fevered restlessness entirely beyond

> I had known her well, and had met her like existence, that was peopled by once or twice as she grew to woman- many another sight, scenes borrowed hood, when she paid rare but welcome from the fury of battle, the sudden terhood, when she paid rare but welcome visits to my sisters. We renewed our acquaintance then, and she introduced me to her husband, a splendid-looking young officer—a South Carolinian of French-Huguenot descent. I was released with his grand courtly man.

tangible; to feel amused at his quaint ways, and odd, indistinct mode of speech; and to feel pleased when he answered my dim smile by a hearty

guffaw and a fearful display of the piano keys And I began to make Helen's visits the events of my monotonous life; to watch for her at her accustomed hours, and to sink back, every nerve soothed and muscle relaxed, in the deeps of a measureless content when she came. I had lost my arm, my good right arm, a poor man's emblem of power to do and dare, and which was all that stood between me

Gradually, with strength, m

yet I was strangely happy.

and I could see a shade pass over Mrs. swer; "Hilled down to Newbern last THE SPITAL NURSE And I could see a shade pass over Mrs. swer; "Hiled down to Newhern last Dumarcie's face as she listened. She followed him just out of earshot, as he moved away, and spoke to him startled, keing unaware, you see, till he

paraphernalia, had come. Then followed an awful hour. I think I received a full idea of the mean-who gave my tired senses a first im-I did not wake until the following to be absent. Then she said some final. Of her journey northward when thing to him apart about "erysipelas" tidings of her husband's death came,

> "My little Phillip died but a month hefore." she said, "and I had no longer any tie to bind me. My dream of love and home was past. Stern, sorrowful calities presented themselves. Inteligent nurses were wanted, and I reelved to take my place among them.

My life is dedicated to the work." "But, Helen, you need not sacrificayour life. You are looking pale and org. When my mother comes to take e heme, go with us. You know how electre you will be."

"I thank you, Charley," she anwered. as if something in my words had recalled our youth, calling me by the old, familiar name, "but my work here; I cannot leave it. After the war is over, perhaps, if I live till

Her tone was very sad, but she looked up as she paused, and a touching swile, full of resignation and hope, dawged over the marble nallor of her face. She rose up and went away. When my mother came she added her entreaties to mine, and even something of the authority which her age and king friendship justified. But Helea, with warm thanks, put her aside, as she had done me. Her work was there, she said; she could not licave it. And so we left her to her patient rounds and mouraful duties. I went home a crippled man. No ball, at the house of one of the diplo-matic corps, in Washington, that I saw and satin, now in plain hospital garb. no creams and successes, no ambiti to be realized. The future seemed a drear blank. I fell into a morbid state French-Huguenot descent. I was pleased with his grand, courtly man-ner, and Helen seemed equally proud of him. Her father's reverses had made her a governess in the South, and there she met Paul Dumarcie. I heard that the Dumarcies felt the marriage a mis-alliance, but I think Paul Dumarcie did not feel that he had condescended in marrying the pretty little creature who hung upon his arm. Shadowy light. Helen would often come in, sit be-side my cot and take my throbbing hand in hers. Sometimes she was ac-companied by a sweet-faced Sister of Charity—cne of those angels of mercy, whose presence in army hospitals is familiar to all wounded soldiers, and whose gentle ministrations have soothed the agony of many a dying scothed the agony of many a dying time was so occupied-but she said little abcut herself.



the fire of Erma's angry eyes." He leaned against the post. The thought of that long away time when he and Erma had been lovers. And he then came the war Heav culcula her diverses and stared. Here and the sets of that long away time when he and Erma had been lovers. And yet then came the war Heav culcula her diverses and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets of the sets and stared. Here and the sets and stared. Here and the sets and stared. Here and the sets and the sets and stared. Here and the sets and the sets and the sets and stared. Here and the sets and the s

but she would not listen. The servant shuffled away down the rest accomes while his mistress Was it not cruel shough that Was it not cruel shough that



liam Cudney of Byron Center and our paper alone.

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throwing Messrs. Teeple in the air. They landed on the pavement none the worse and the building of the Belding elec- for their tumble excepting a severe shaking up.

Etta Davis has returned from a visit at

Jennie Parks of Bowne.

Rapids Democrat

They say that the old fashi med bus tle is coming into style again. A goo . supply fold newspapers at this office. Hus le in and get your bustle before the rush begins.

There was a rumor going the rounds traced to a reliable source and it is with ut doubt false

The band convention will be held at Belding on June 7. Forty bands have been invited to attend, and the solicing committee has already secured \$215 with which to entertain them

The entertainment at the Watter's school house May 17 was well attend ed and a fine program was rendered. Mis. Steketee is the proud possessor of the quilt drawn off that night.

An 'Essence Coffee' from Martin Van Westenburggen, of Grand Rapids is said by the Dairy and Food Commission to be "a mass of roasted chicory and cereals with burnt molasses and no coffee." Do you get any or this?

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright of De. troit were in Lowell Sunday to attend the funeral of Clark VanDeusen. Mr. Wright has been promoted to the superintendency of the Michigan Telephone state line.

A Portland man has just cut down every tree in his peach orchard, over 2.000 in all. The trees were four years old and just about to come into bearing, but now, thanks to the severe cold last winter, all the owner has to show for the time spent in caring for the trees is a choice collection of stumps.

We don Smith, one of the best known bakers in the city, has bought the bakery and confectionery business of D. T. Bush, at Lowell, Mich., and takes possession at once. This will insure the citizens of Lowell having the best baked goods to be found any where. In anticipation of their leaving the city, a large party of friends and neighbors gave Mr. and Mrs. Smith a farewell surprise party Saturday evening at their home, 421 Jofferson avenue. Weldon is a prominent member of both the Bakers' and Musicians' unions, and has held the office of president in both organizations .- Grand Rapids Chronicle.

Suckers in Grand River are dying The next meeting of the Lowell again. This story has been circulated Dist Council P. of H. will be held yearly for several years, but this time at Keene Grange hall on Thursday it's true. At Portland power house June 1st. Open meeting, everybody they are scooping them out of the race invited to be present and take part in by the bushel and burying them, and | the discussions. Westey Johnson,

running by October.

at Wagar's dam, this morning, 130 were taken out. The disease seems to Master. last Saturday that Guy Wheaton be located just behind the gills, and it has an option on the Lowell & The D., G. R. & W. Railroad is only the mullets that are dying .--Hastings railroad and contemplates extending the line from Lowell to

tric road is now claim d to be a

sure thing. It is said cars will le

Weldon Snith, for many years president of the Musicians' union Greenville, via Belding, says the Michigan Tradesman. The Saginaw here, has resigned, as he expects to trains of the system will then run move to Lowell, Mich., after May 20. via Elmdale, Lowell and Greenville, where he has bought a bakery and instead of via Sparta, Cedar Springs soda establishment Weldon has and Greenville, as at present. The been for many years in the employ track of the Grand Trunk system of the Wason bakery on Moneoe will probably be used between street, was always a very ardent and Greenville and Sheridan, as at consistent trade unionist, and the present, although efforts are being wish of everybody is that he may be made to induce the road to conas prosperous in his new enterprise as struct an independent line direct from Greenville to Stanton, thus cently, he deserves .- [Grand Rapids Chron shortening the distance five or six

Fallasburg.

miles.

Mrs. J. E. Tower returned from East

Elmer Reed and wife of Lowell called on their aunt, Mrs. Denny, Saturday. Charlie Booth and wife have gone housekeepirg on the old Goodsell farm. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Post, who have resided at Saginaw for 37 years, have come to make their home with their nieces, Mrs. A. Steketee and Mrs. J. Tower. Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Titus of Keene called on Mesdames Post and Pottruff Monday.

Minnie Steketee visited in Keene Saturthe baby. If baby is not

day morning at 10:30. Sunday school di-rectly after the services.

place by the tooting of the whistle and buzing of the saw.

wo weeks is slowly recovering.

J. N. Hubbel and family visited at A.

G. Steketee's Sunday.

Born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Benson

Mrs. LeRoy Sayles of Keene visited Mrs. Denny Monday.

IMA. | the price.

John Patterson, at one time a Lowell farmer and first class musician, has sold out and gone west. Hon, G. P. Stark and family arrived safely at their summer residence in Ohio. Robert D. Patterson is very much bet-

Died, at the home of his parents, after a lingering illness, Martin Bledwright, in his 47th year.

Grandma is the proud possessor of a palm from the sunny South. Mrs. Lon Stark, who spends the winters in Florida, being the donor.

The Sunday school convention held Christ church Sunday was well attended and good work mapped out for the season. GRANDMA.

McCords.

Miss Lois Todd of Grand Rapids was the guest of John Ellis' family a few days rc-

John Huizinga I st a valuable cow one day last week.

Mr. Abby is seriously ill. J. Smith and wife are rejoicing over

he arrival of a 5 pound daughter, May 15. Mrs. M. B. Thomas spent Thursday with her cousin, Ada Thomas, of Freeport. Dr. Haskin and wife of Alto visited a Ray Haskin's Sunday.

Chas Case and wife were Sun lay guest at Walter Clark's

Miss Winnie Patterson who has been visiting her brother. C C. Patterson, and other relatives in Milwaukce returned home Thursday Mother's meeting at Morse Lake school

was held May 19 The meeting was open ed by Marie Cursiss who sang "Little Feet be Careful" with her usual sweetness and expression. The minutes of the last meet ing were read by the secretary, Mrs. Chaterdon; a paper on Child Study by Mrs. Seeley and was one of the best ever given before the meeting. The next was an original poem "Mother's Mission" by Mary Curtiss was exceptionally fine and added materially to the pleasure of all. Child Study was discussed by all in a lively and interesting manner. A vote was then taken and carried to change the name to Mother's Club. FERN.

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Saginaw Monday.

dav. Elder Gaffin of Saranac will preach Fun-

Life has sprung up once more in this

Mrs. Pottruff who has been ill the past

Mr. Lillie has a sister from near Grand

Jason Scott of Grattan visited relatives here last week.

boy.

Hen y Scott returned from his daughter's in Grattan, Sunday, with a nice string of fish.

