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In this way foul odors and all degrees are deave off making it possible.

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who lived in the Third Century, was called "The Father of Church History." He is also the patron of my Optical De-partment; and every spectacle in my store calls his name to some one of the many poor victims of eye trouble, "Yousee-by-us! You-see-by-us"!

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Surprise

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Prof. J. B. Nicholson Buys the Levitt Stock.

Prof J. B. Nicholson, who has so ably and satisfactorily superintended the Lowell schools for the past year, has purchased the stock and good will of the Levitt stock, and will continue business at the old stand.

Mr. Nicholson will continue his school duties during the remainder of the school year as before, leaving not pound a woman while they were the new business in sole charge of efficient clerks until completing his engagement with the Lowell schools.

This announcement will be a big surprise to the patrons of the school and while all will regret that we are to lose an A, No. 1 superintendent we gain a permanent good citizen and promising business man,

The Board of Education offered Mr. Nicholson \$1000 to continue another year; but considering the business opening excellent and thinking to benefit his health, he decided upon the change. Success to him in his new venture.

"IT MOVES."

Lowell Real Estate Getting a Great

It has come to pass in Lowell that if a man wants a house he must F. Blumrick 1b Bush either buy or build. As material H. Lawrence 2b J. Byrne is rather high just now it is cheaper J. Gray to buy than to build. At least two men during the past fortnight have G. Weirick Speaker If M. Byrne purchased homes in Lowell because C. Reynie they could not rent.

F. W. Davey has purchased the pretty place of R. J. Flanagan now occupied by A. L. Peck, paying \$800; and J. A. Mattern has bought the A. W. Burnett houe on Monroe street, getting a bargain at \$750

NARROW ESCAPE.

Cellar.

There is a house for sale in Lowell and the agent for it the Ledger's friend. If this story is spoiled by the withholding of names and locality it will be because we do not make a very low rate of 5 cents ad-mission for children under 12 years so that none will have an excuse want to spoil the sale of the property in question and deprive our friend Red tickets for children, yellow for in question and deprive our friend of his commission.

One day last spring, Mrs. X. of Grand Rapids came to visit Mr. and Mrs. Z. of Lowell. The heavy fall of snow was melting rapidly and the cellar of the Z. house was flooded to within a foot of the floor above.

The visit had not been pre arranged and Mrs. X, reached the house during Z's absence. Seeing the latter approach and thinking to surprise him by hiding in an adjoining room and appearing unexpectedly, she opened the first door at hand and plunged headlong down cellar into six feet of water. Her clothes be-came entangled with the stairs and he was powerless to extricate her-

Fortunately, Mrs. Z. heard the noise and went to her rescue. Sand in Mrs, X's hair showed that her head at least had reached the cellar

The surprise was very complete, with all parties, to none more so than good Mrs. X of the Valley City. If any of the curious minded want to know what house it is, all they have to do is to find out.

Hotel Central Scorched and Soaked

About 4 o'clock, p. m., last Friday, Hotel Central was discovered to been fire and an alarm was quickly sounded. The fireman responded promptly and were soon deluging the flames. In the meantime many of the hotel effects had been remov-

The fire was put out without extensive injury to the building except by water and axes that opened the way for the hose; but the carpets and other stuff on the upper floor were ruined.

Wm Rexford, owner of the building, carried an insurance; but the new landlord, Mr. Hall had none on his effects.

R. D. Stocking sold a magnificent 71 octavo piano cased Farrand ? Voty organ this week to Firestien's in

A WIFE BEATER.

Neighborhood Was Aroused by a Woman's Screams.

A usually quite neighborhood in our village was thoroughly aroused at the midnight hour one night last week by a woman's screams for help, A drunken man had beaten his wife and thrust her out of doors in her night gown and bare feet. She sucneeded in crawling into a window cut was quickly forced out again botwithstanding her appeals to be admitted to at least dress. Her cries awoke the neighbors and several men were soon at hand to inform the wife beater that he could

The wronged woman was taken in by a kind neighbor; and has since found a good home among friends-To spare her feelings names are

No arrest has yet been made but the affair is not likely to be passed by without action.

BASE BALL NOTES.

Line Up for Saturday's Ball Game.

For the opening ball game of the 1900 season, on the home grounds, Lowell has the Y. M. C. A, club of Grand Rapids to contend with.

The "line up" is as follows:

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cf Pardee G. Rysdale rf Dygert sub Mack

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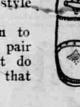
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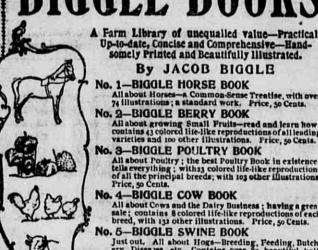
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Dignity aiways begins where boast A pessimist is a person who believes hat whatever is is wrong.

soaked she makes a thorough job of it. A man wisely makes use of the present when he sells a duplicate wedding

The woman who marries a blockad doesn't care to celebrate he

The employer who works harder han his clerk evidently believes in the force of example. Naturally, the United States senate

old-fashioned manner. Grace will ever speak for itself and be fruitful in well-doing; the sanctied cross is a fruitful tree.

is in favor of electing itself in the

The Boers would be sure to regard the recall of Buller as in the nature of taking a mean advantage.

The South African war appears to have got its "second wind;" at least the generals down there are making

Affection is the confession of infe ority. It is an unnecessary proclamation that the individual is not living the life he pretends to live.

nventory of a cargo recently shipped from New York. It contained 6,000 packages of sewing machines 1,100 tons of paper, many organs and pianos, 8,000 cases of canne eats, 111 trucks for trolley cars wagons, buggles, wheels, axles, barbed wire, typewriters, windmills, 1,100 tons of iron pipe, leather, shoes and dry

Pedro Paterno, head of the Filipino y the American troops, and General is' dispatch thoughtfully adds that e was too sick to escape when the coops pursued him. Senor Paterno ould not go unrewarded for his co ideration in thus permitting himself to be surrounded. If Aguinaldo would e kind enough to break a leg or con ract a fever he might yet be captured, but it appears to be impossible for Ger eral Otis to overtake any of the Fil ipino leaders while they retain good

health and active limbs. Among other features of the South African war the new developments I the use of the heliograph are worth noticing. The idea of telegraphing by means of flashes of sunlight first came into prominence during the Francoat once suggested to make the system ndependent of interference from clouds, but the difficulty of getting Works and Office, 24 South Division St. 138 Kent Street. Grand Rapids, Mich electricity in the field has thus far interfered with a successful combination of the two inventions. In the present war the British have made some use of the electric searchlights from their ships for purposes of optical telegraphy, but sunlight is still their main reliance. A writer in the Engineering Magazine for May states that the ordinary range of the heliograph is fifty-five miles, but when the electric arc light is used the range can be ex- Are You Ruptured

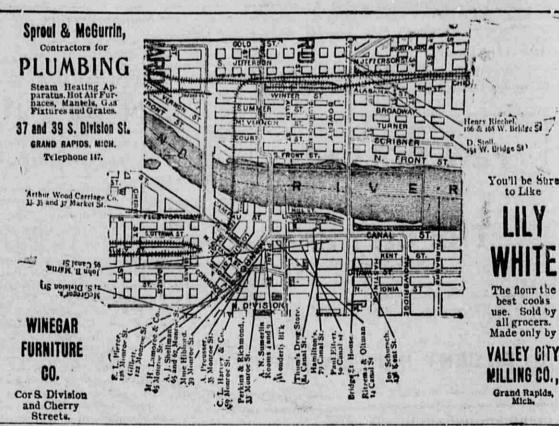
tended to 400 miles. The success with which the heliograph was used in communicating with the besieged garrisons of Ladysmith and Kimberley is a good demonstration of the progress made with this invention since 1870.

The engineering world of Europe has not, it is said, recovered from the surprise over the remarkable performance at Antwerp of a big dredge-boat conat Antwerp of a big dredge-boat constructed in Belgium for the Russian government on plans prepared by an TOWER BLOCK, CRAND RAPIDS, MICH. American engineer, a Chicagoan. Under the contract the boat was to have capacity of 1,600 cubic yards of redging per hour. She recorded a apacity of 1,800 yards on trial. So great was the interest in the trial Window Shades and that most of the foreign ambassadors were present, the Belgian cabinet, commissions from Australia, India, Germany, France, the Argentine Republic and hundreds of engineers from all parts of Europe. Trains were run ONVENIENCES public and hundreds of engineers from at reduced rates to accommodate the people eager to see the American redge, the most powerful in the world and for six weeks boats were kept running at Antwerp to carry visitors to the point of operation. The immediate effect has been to cause orders to be placed for similar dredges for India,

reported to the state department by Consul General Holloway at St. Peters-NEW YORK. The men who manage the affairs of orporations are the only source from whom any information as to their condition can be had. That was well enough in the day of small things. K will not answer now, when the stocks | Next to Powers 61 Pearl St. 6d Rapids. of corporations are so extensively traded in and figure so largely in the wealth of the country. Better facili-

Australia and Russia. The facts were

3½% per cent interest paid on savings deposits.



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The world blushes pink some sea- She knew then that she was in soms. It is in February, and that in the brown man and ate ravenously. the part of the world that Sum See's | The night passed by, Almond Blos-

Therefore, when little Miss Sum See of the Exalted Few, and then, replac- BRITISH CROSS THE VET RIVER was born they called her Almond Blos- ing them in the morning, she began som, with true Chinese symbolism. | another day of weary waiting for the The fact that she was born in Pell opening of the temple door. street, New York City, was nothing At Almond Blossom's home you can against her name. Only she never understand the excitement. They would remind you of an almond blos- mourned her as dead, and thought the som. Rather of a yellow crocus, or, angry devils had spirited her away.

That was how she came to ask Hip seven tapers, for her years. to ask. She has sped away to the the smiling man who sat there.

like brows.

"Yes?" she said, calmly, of the house. The two queues, braid- Almond Blossom did not explain .ed fantastically with blue and white New York Herald. cord, looked funny, standing out from her little round head in an inquiring

"Where the shadows are of pink and the darkness is of silver has your "That would be a nice place to go, Cuba, who now is on his way to Bos- son to believe the Winburg report is



cross legs and smiling kindly at her. "How do you do?" said Sum See in

ows, and there was no turning back. It was pleasant at first, for there were the dolls on the shrine-the less-Sum noticed after several hours two things—namely: That their room had not got beyond the chimney pots, and that she was hungry.

According up his suggestance and the city. He is a reformer of an unusual type in more ways than one. When a policy

she knew that they were getting into criminal's wife and family. the Land of Silver Shades and Star So she sat still and wondered why A peculiar rose has been successful-

should eat for dinner. And then she the sunlight it looks red and in the went around and consulted the Joss.
There he sat, as if made of chocolate creams, and smiled. Below him was a company's building was demolished. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

Over 70,000,000 needles are made company's building was demolished. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

The loss is e afted the end of the cloth that was | England.

cakes-all her fa orite dishes! sons of the year, all in almond blos- Magic Land, and she smiled back at Gen. Hamilton Captures Town o som sleeping profoundly in the robes

That Mafeking is Objective of More ment-Activity on Whole Line-Re They gave up searching for her after When Sum See was 8 years old she awhile, and when the fourth day came moving his armies rapidly northward, lost her mother, and they took her her tea sets and wooden dolls were put the Boers everywhere retreating before

Land of Silver Shadows, Perpetual They would have been horrified at river. On the west Gen. Warren is Sunbeams, and where it overflows with the familiarity of Sum See with his having more resistance, and has evi-Greatness if they could have known, dently fought a severe engagement. This sounded beneficent, but was un- but she said nothing of her conclaves | The Boers, following their customary satisfactory from a topographical with the Ruler of the Destinies of the practice, had evacuated their position Faithful Followers, and as she looked on the Vet river during Saturday

roasted, jars of potted fish, and sweet

joss fat and well they said nothing. night. As Lord Roberts, advancing The food for the departed spirit had along the railway, and Gen. Hamilton "Well, not exactly," answered Hip disappeared, and it was well that the twenty miles to the east, threatened Sing, "but there sits he who knows." religious miracle should be told of. the two wings of the Boer forces, I Sum had staid late to talk to the They did not know that Sum See had would not be surprising to hear that man who soles shoes, and she looked eaten it all, and that she had burned they had also evacuated Winburg. at him reflectively under her thread- the leavings in a pan in the oven Gen. Hamilton's advance will prevent

ored claws and leaned against the wall | acle, and no questions were asked, and | Vet river by Roberts was accom-

Upon the arrival here of Alexis E. of the Vet river. Frye, superintendent of schools in There now appears to be every reaton, plans will be completed for the true, as it falls in with the British plan coming here of 1,000 Cuban school of advance

Sum See got up quietly and ran away him in bringing the matter to a suc- Smaaldeel, six miles north of the Vet when she had asked all she could cessful issue. President Eliot finds river. On the Kimberley side Gen. about her mother, and in the morning that one possible obstacle which had Barton's brigade of Huncer's division been considered can be readily over- fought a sharp action at Ruidam Sattructors at Cambridge competent to The same is the case in Gen. Paget's each by means of the Spanish tongue attack on Warrenton. It is now alfor it is doubted if many of the thousand teachers to come will be able to move up the north bank of the Vaal understand English well enough to univer, thus supporting Roberts. lish language. It is probable that ly some days ago and this is charged some proportion of the Cuban teachers with the relief of Mafeking. Already will understand English, even though Boer reports say the siege has been they may not be able to speak it, but abandoned, but these, at least, are just what this proportion is can be learned only when Mr. Frye reaches probably mature. here. Some of the visitors may be able to take the usual prescribed summer TOWNE TO RUN WITH BRYAN. courses, while for the majority there Populists and Silver Republicans Agree will be arranged special courses within their ability to benefit therefrom, han- Chicago, May 8.-Ex-Congressman

other conditions of this country. Natives Catch the Finny Tribes with J. Bryan was also present, but took Wooden Fishhooks. which was natural, as he was made A party of palu fishers are ready to no discussion as to who shall be the all of wood and painted a dark brown.

She was so interested in the prayer over the place where they burned the populated of the Ellice group, says that she did not recipe the offerings that she did not notice the Chamber's Journal. The night must the leaders that Towne would be ac-Chinaman come in, looked around the be windless and moonless, the latter ceptable as vice president to Demoroom to see if there were any at the shrine, and who then went out and able, although, curiously enough, the and that his nomination would unite shut the door and locked it.

It was the close of the great offering starlight night. Time after time have would declare outright that Towne week, and the shrine room that Al- I tried my luck with either a growing had been settled upon, but neither mond Blossom was in was not to be or a waning moon, much to the amuse- would they deny that he had been. The ment of the natives, and never once ex-congressman himself said that did I get a palu, although other noc- while he was not seeking the nominawish to go to the Land of Ceaseless turnal feeding fish bit freely enough, tion he understood that he would suit Shine and Diamond Stars-do you notably a monstrous species of sea all parties, and if it was offered him know the way?"

The kindly Joss only smiled, of by the natives is made of cocoanut starved Here.

Starved Herself to Death. sensit, four or eight stranded, of great strength, and capable of holding a fif"Poor thing! I have a neighbor boy, a dwarf, who is deaf and dumb. You are like him."

Starved Herself to Death.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 8.—An investigation into the death recently of Mrs. Hermina Meyer, 50 years of age, bas shown that she was a victim of more like him." made of wood-in fact, the same as is starvation following her attempt s Again the Joss smiled happily, so used for shark fishing—about one inch fasting treatment for disease. C. F. and a half in diameter, fourteen inches Meyer, her husband, accepts the death in the shank, with a natural curve, the of his wife as due to heart failure. Presently she went over to the door by which she had come in and found it locked. She had, indeed, started on the way to the Land of Silver Shadows and there was no turning back. Political Philanthropist. New York World: Capt. F. Norton | Henry Ritter, said to be the chief adthem without fear, because of the Goddard, the young millionaire, phil- viser of the fasting cult. Mrs. Meyer anthropist and political leader, is is said to have abstained absolutely

Sum noticed after several hours two keeping up his single-handed crusade from food for thirty-five days. and that she was hungry.

She had had a small bowl of rice and pork that noon in her own home, but now it was getting dark outside, and had a small bowl of rice and pork that noon in her own home, but now it was getting dark outside, and had a small bowl of rice and pork that noon in her own home, but now it was getting dark outside, and criminal's wife and family.

more ways than one. When a policy man he has had arrested is convicted and arrested is convicted was hanged today in the jail yard at the Four Courts. He died bravely. Nettles was convicted of the murder

she could not get out and what she ly cultivated by Japanese florists. In

all along been believed the Boers When the fifth day came they had would make a determined stand, has "Hush!" said Hip Sing, bending over found her there when the josshouse fallen into British hands, apparently his shoe mending, "that is not for you was opened for airing and worship of without a struggle. A part of the British forces have crossed the Vet where she had first seen the cat. the Boer forces in the direction of Her restoration to her fond family Thaba N'Chu joining their main army Sum See folded her small, tea-col- was taken as another part of the mir- near Winburg. The passage of the

shelling out the Boers across the river and an attempt of the infantry under "hopes his casualty list is not great."

teachers for a summer course of in- Gen. Rundle has also been busy with twered the aged man, with a thrust of struction at Harvard college, says the the Boers near Thaba N'Chu. He Boston Transcript. The project is a claims to have forced them off their novel one and is greatly favored by original line of retreat toward Brand's "Did you not see the red chariot and | President Eliot, who, when Mr. Frye | Spruit, a place not on the map. The arrives, will co-operate heartily with main Boer headquarters are still at

dicapped as they may be in the matter | Charles A. Towne of Minnesota, was of language. President Eliot, in speak- practically fixed upon as the most ing today of the plan, said that it suitable running mate for Bryan in she went to the josshouse alone with should be productive of much good, the coming campaign at a conference an offering of two grimy little wooden and if the suggestion can be carried out of Democratic, Populisticand Silver Repirds and a dish of papier mache successfully, so that the teachers visit publican leaders in the Sherman house. ducks that See had brought her one the principal cities of the United States The Populists in the conterence were from the east to the far west while in Senator Butler of South Carolina, She climbed the dusty stairs labori- this country, also visiting many uni- Gen. J. B. Weaver of Iowa, and Conously, and the door was open into versities, the teachers are sure to re- gressman George Shibler of Virginia. the main room of the josshouse (which is the Chinese temple), and she entered undismayed to consult the man who presides there.

Versities, the teachers are sure to restance to restance the first turn to their native country with many advantages gained from study and observation of educational, social and who presides there.

Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota, and ex-Senator Dubois of Idaho represented the Silver Republicans. Vice other conditions of this country. tional committee, Daniel Campau of Detroit, and Willis J. Abbott were the Democratic representatives. William no part in the deliberations. There was

> avail. In despair she turned to the fasting treatment. She consulted

St. Louis, May 8.-James Nettles, of Samuel W. Mann, a conductor of the Suburban street car line.

rific storm struck San Antonio at 4

You know all about it. You are a perfect slave to your work. It's rush through the day and worry through the night. There's no time to eat and no time to sleep. Already you have nervous dyspepsia, nervous sick headache, and neuralgia. Your food distresses you. You suffer from terrible depression. The outlook is dark and forbidding. You feel sure there is but one termination to this-

That's **Nervous Prostration**

And nervous prostration is something you don't want, that's certain. Then don't have it. A perfect Sarsaparilla prevents, this distressing and dangerous disease, and it cures it. also. It keeps you up when especially pressed with work. It cures dyspepsia, and it builds up exhausted nerve tissue. But it must be a perfect Sarsaparilla to do this. So far as we can learn, there isn't but one in the world, and

That's AYER'S

'The only Sarsaparilla made under the personal supervision of three graduates: a graduate in pharmacy, a graduate in chemistry, and a graduate in medicine.'

\$1.00 a bottle. All Druggists. "I first used Ayer's Sarsaparilla in the fall of 1848. I came out of the Mexican War run down in health and badly used up. It did me so much good then that I have always taken it every spring as a blood-purifying medicine. I attribute my robust health at 78 to the use of your Sarsaparilla every spring,"—S. T. Jones, Wichita, Kans., March 29, 1900.



health, good health, is the foundation for enjoyment. Bowel trouble causes more aches and pains than all other diseases together, and when you get a good dose of bilious bile coursing through the blood life's a hell on earth. Millions of people are doctoring for chronic ailments that started with bad bowels, and they will never get better till the bowels are right. You know how it is-you neglect-get irregular first suffer with a slight headache-bad taste in the mouth mornings, and general "all gone" feeling during the day-keep on going from bad to worse untill the suffering becomes awful, life loses its charms, and there is many a one that has been driven to suicidal relief. Educate your bowels with CASCARETS. Don't neglect the slightest irregularity. See that you have one natural, easy movement each day. CASCA-RETS tone the bowels-make them strongand after you have used them once you will wonder why it is that you have ever been

without them. You will find all your other disorders commence to get better at once, and soon



Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York, mentioning advertisement and paner. W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 & 3.50 SHOES UNION PAYABLE MONTHLY.

Amounts of \$20,00 and upwards re-ceived. Write for particulars. Tornado at San Antonio.

San Antonio, Texas, May 8.—A ter
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DETROIT, -:- MICHIGAN.

SUBSCRIPTION ONE DOLLAR YEARLY

Miss Mickey. Space Advertisements one insertion | Nelly McGregor made a | 100 per inch. Same more than once 70 the Valley City Monday, per inch with 10 per cent discount on | Dan Patterson left for M

Page and half-page ads, \$8.00and \$4.00. Business notices among local items 5c per line per issue. Those taking run of Mrs. Frank Wood last week. M. Thomas and wife spent Sunday with

Morgan Boise and family. Card in directory column \$1.00 p ne per year. One inch \$5.00 per year. guests of Chas. Case and wife of Alaska. lards of thanks 50c. J. Renter spent Saturday with rela-Resolutions of condolence, 50c.

The Milestanes o' Life

BY WILLIAM LYLE. O mony are the milestanes good I recommended it to everyone," writes J. E. Watkin's, Clerk and Recorder, An' weary are the footstep Chilliclothe, Mo. It digests what you eat. Taft & Co. tween them mann be trod In the braw licht o' mornis We may skip ane or twa, Fallasburg. But lookin' back we see then

at M. C. Denny's Sunday.

Whilk heart can tell its feelin's When first this stane it sees? "Thretty miles frae auld land syn An' the blithe hillside breeze." h weary markin' milestanes, fer tale is aye ower true,

But whaur's the ane can tell us Hoo far we'll gang frae noo? ed their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mrs. Frank Aldrich and son Leon of etimes we're in the glen, Sometimes we strive an' bicker Vi' oor puir brither men. here over Sunday. But aye we pass the milestane An' aye they tell their tale-

W. S. Musser, Millheim, Pa., saved the e needna try tae cheat them-Ane comes at last a' mossy, e ken oor fortune then, quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, grippe, asthma and all throat and lung An' read wi' heart regretting Three-score lang miles an' ten. cht there-within its shadow-A deep, cauld grave is seen;

My frien's let's coont the milestanes An' dae oor best between. "Our Presidents and how we make them," is the title of a new book Surprising as it seems, Mark manns

atives in Paris township Sunday. J. VanDyke moved onto Mrs. Hennissey's Thus, it really is possible to have too much of a good thing.

MILLER, the New York 520 per

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Mr. Snells of Grand Rapids called on F.

for ten years imprisonment, Yet it's dollars to doughnuts that the next man who makes similar offers, will find plenty of dupes.

Senator Lodge and Governor Roosevel are at odds, all because the latter refuses to take the Vice-Presidency. Lodge wants to run for Presidency. Lodge wants to run for Presidency. Lodge wants to run for Presidency and the series of the way.

The House of Representatives passed 01 private pension bills in some two hours, the other day. It is now in order for the G. A. R.

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to pass resolutions condemning Congress for its apathy in pension matters.

If our claims against Turkey is just, it should be enforced to the bitter end. But we should be very sure that it is just, General Lew Wallace, author of Ben Hur, who knows as much about it as anyone, says that it is utterly unjust and unwarranted, and that the actual damages to missionary property have been tremendously exaggerated. to work it.

THE business man whose advertise ment seldom, if ever, appears in the wife." local newspaper is the one who Harvey Brown raised his new barn last whines the most about people send-ing away to mail order houses for goods. He can't appreciate the fact that it's advertising that diverts trade to the city store and the neglect of advertising that causes the country merchant to lose touch with the people, -Ex.

are deterred by the fact that they

must lose a half-day Monday.

One day last week, one Lowell man

drove to Grand Rapids in order to

get some friends off on the G. R. & I, train going north; and a Mains-

"Twenty dollars a month on a | need not lose flesh in summer farm, says an exchange, "is very if you use the proper means much better than \$35 in a city store. to prevent it. You think As a general thing at the end of nine months the former has \$150 in cash, three pairs of overalls and a EMULSION in hot weather, straw hat, while the latter has two or three suits of clothes, a pair of golf socks, and \$17 in the hole- Yet there are seventy-five applicants for the latter job to one of the former." plain cod-liver oil, which is difficult to take at any time. A MORNING train to Grand Rap-If you are losing flesh, ids would be a great convenience to you are losing ground and

Lowell people. Many people living in the Valley City, who would like to spend Sunday with Lowell friends, you need Scott's Emulsion

Milton Wilkinson and wife spent last

and must have it to keep up May 4; a daughter.

G. C. Anderson of Char

group House Shift and you have been taking it and tique man was recently kept on the prospering on it, don't fail to Capnon friends. road two days going home because be could not leave Lowell in the oughly strong and well. continue until you are thor-

morning. With two railroads to Grand Rapids it would seem that 50c. and \$1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

SEES PER CONTROL OF THE PER CONT SLEEPLESS NIGHNS.

McCords.

Many people are troubled with insomnia. Congregational church. The loss of the

It is one of nature's signals that her laws estimable young man who met with such have been disobeyed and that the system is an untimely death was a great shock to S. Tood of Middleville visited not in a healthy condition. It may be caused by nervousness, stomach or hver disorders. These are the result of impure or imporeriahed blood and general debility.

The chord in a body from the school building to the church to pay their last respects to their beloved schoolmate. The Mrs. Frank Clark and daughter Esther spent a few days in Grand Rapids recently. Mrs. Curtiss has gone to Chicago to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Mickey.

Miss Mickey.

Miss Mickey.

Opiates to induce sleep are a menance to health and should never be resorted to under "schoolmate" on the other were superb.

The deceased leaves a father, mother, three Purify the blood.

The new combination of thoroughly tried community. Rev. Moore officiated. Purify the blood. and tested remedies, Knox Stomach Tablets
is a sarsaparilla in a tablet form, much easier "After suffering from piles for fifteen

Walter Clark and wife were Sunday This remedy purifies the blood, makes the guests of Chas. Case and wife of Alaska. liver and bowels active, and gives to the entire system a normal, healthy tone with power to do its work as nature intended. They cure dyspepsis by removing the cause. Knox Stomach Tablets are not designed to assist in the digestion of the food, but to "After suffering from severe dyspepsia over twelve years and using many remedies without permanent good I finally took the Kodel Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much severe the state of the food, but to drive the impurities from the blood and the kodel Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much satura intended for it unasted here. work nature intended for it unaided by a again. stimulant. A positive cure for dyspepsia. Mrs. A. Nelson visited friends in Grand

A single fifty cent box, containing fifty Rapids Sunday. doses, will tell the tale. Drugeists sell Kuox Stomach Tablets. If

unable to secure them, send fifty cents to the of Mrs. J. Wesley Cilley who has become Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherard of Keene Knox Chemical Co , Battle Creek, Mich., and | post mistrees. a box will be sent postpaid. and Mrs. Richmond of Vergennes visited

Minnie Steketee visited Miss Anna Mrs. James Henry visited with Mrs. Ed Scott last Thursday. Born -To Mr. and Mrs E. Frost May 2, Rapids Friday and came back Saturds Mr. and Mrs. John Scott of Lowell visit-

Amasa Hull and wife of Gowen are visiting relatives in Keene. Lake Odessa visited relatives and friends Mrs. Morgan Titus, June 6. The next aid society will be held with

Mrs. Morgan Titus, June 6.

Mrs. Allie Pinckney is staying with her parents, Mark Hull and wife while her husband is up north.

Mrs. James Henry and Mrs. Wilbur Curtiss attended the aid society at Mrs. Daniel Hunt's in Easton Wednesday.

Mrs. Noble Strong is gaining slowly.

Leroy Hunter and wife of Saranac; and Frank Strong and wife of Easton were guests at Mr. Trask's Sunday.

While Mrs. B. Wilkinson was absent from home May 2 celebrating her birthday aleling the selection of the selection and smothering spells disabled me for any labor. After using three bottles of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure I was entirely relieved of distress and from that time on my recovery was rapid."

A. C. PAYNE, Morgantown, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold at all life of his little girl by giving her One
Minute Ceugh Cure when she was dying
from croup. Is is the only harmless
remedy that gives immediate results. It

Daniel Hent's in Faston W

Died-Mrs. Koetsier, May 3, aged 60 Warren Patterson and family visited rel- Mrs. T. Daniels called and left as a token,

Herrington at Cannonsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Herrington of Can-nonsburg were guests of his sister, Mrs. D. In the matter of the estate of DON M. John Brown and son James have bought

In the matter of the estate of DON M. RUM, deceased. Mary Krum having filed in this court her petition praying for an assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased. Mary Krum having filed in this court her petition praying for an assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased and for the determination of the heirs of said deceased. It is ordered that Monday the 21st day of May, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forence at Eugene Canbell's in Lowell last week Friday.

Maccabee meeting May 12.

Quite a number were out to hear Elder Mudge Sunday.

Chas. Rennells will fill the Weselyan appointment here and will commence next Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Church attended Fred Armstrong's funeral last week at Cannonsburg.
Miss Fern Bachelor spent Saturday and

Sunday at her home in Vergennes. but you can take it and digest it as well in summer as in winter. It is not like the plain cod-liver oil, which is

Cannonsburg.

The L. A. S. met with Mrs. Herrington last Wednesday. Eland Tuxberry and wife of Coopersvills visited relatives in this vicinity Thursday. Hilton Watkins and wife of Grattan called on friends here Tuesday. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hartwell,

G. C. Anderson of Charlotte, Miss Anderson, Horace Smith, wife and two daughters of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. Whitmore has rented the store of J. L. Thomas and put in a stock of goods.

Cannon high school observed Arbor day by improving the school ground. Furniture and Undertaking. Lowell might have a morning train. Suprementation who had gone

They have the sympathy of the entire A tip top, bang-up, reliable, perfectly made harness that will give you years of wear and is to take, with no liability of a mistake in the years, I was cured by using two boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve," writes W. J. worth generally about two times as much as you pay for it? That sort of a Harness is right

Dowagiac to work was called home to

tend the funeral of his brother, Fred.

The funeral of Fred Armstrong who

was drowned May 1, was held at the

for the guarantee we give you or the extra goodness of the leather or the workmanship in the job Chandler P. O. is moved to the home The price is the same as others

P. D. Sneathen is slowly improving. He is well enough to be out of doors. Alonzo Freeman of Ionia was in this

Morgan town, Ind.
Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold at all

How is your Wind? FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY SEST DULL FINISH FOR \$2.00 If you are short of breath; if your PER DOZEN. Remember for a short time only. HAMILTON'S ART CALLERY,

> Robt. D. Graham, Pres., Wm. A. Shinkmen, Cashler, Chas. H. Quick, Vice Pres., Thos W. Stra-Robt. D. Graham, Pres., Wm. A. Shinkmen, Cashler, Chas. H. Quick, Vice Pres., Thos W. Strahan, 2nd Vice Pres., S. W. Sherman, Ass' Cashler, Cashler, \$100,000, Surplus \$14. Cashier. Capital \$100,000 00. Surplus \$14.

Lowell, Mich.

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ATTENTION: County of Kent, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 4th day of May in the year one thousand

ASBESTOS PAINT. THUM'S DRUG STORE. ' 84 Canal St , Grand Rapids.

Cured Meats

Syrups,

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Spices,

Teas Coffees.

Canned Goods,

Prices Right.

Sugar,

Also a 5 drawer, high arm machine, guaranteed for 10 years, only \$16. Other machines in proportion. Needles and repairs for all makes of machines and fine oils. ALTHEN, GLOTHIER, LOWELL.

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ysician and Surgeon. Office, 46 Bridge treet, Lowell, Mich. M. C. CREENE, M. D. physician and Surgeon. Office over Boylan's store, Bridge street, Lowell, Mich.

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ice in Train's Opera House Block LOWELL, MICH.

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Rates \$1 00 and \$1.25 per day. Meals 25c.

We have bought of a dealer in Dental Supplies who is going out of business 1000 sets of teeth which we

WE GUARANTER OUR PATENT SUCTION PLATS WE EXTRACT TRETH WITHOUT PAIN.

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DEWEY & IRISH. PROP ILLS OF AGE

Are Usually Due to Some

KIDNEYS.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills In the evening of life-after the

Kidney-Liver Pills so highly that I tried them, and am now entirely free from backache and kidney disease."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, facturer of Rochester N. V. Mr. Boucher, a hardware manu-Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Monday with his friend Orton Hill E W Rice

Our Styles of

this spring are fine- If you have not seen them you ought to.

PRICES ARE RIGHT. Sherwin-Williams

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For a friendly game Billards or Pool, or

One door west Train's

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Give me a call.

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Tobacco and Cigars

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COME TO THE GRAND PALACE

ably in two fourhand piano numbers.
Mrs. Slade accompanied throughout the program.

Popular Shoes at Popular Prices. Grand Rapids are about to thorough shoe business in this locality, every one desiring to save money on foot-

Their store is at the corner Canal and Lyon Streets.

Ointment. It is positively guaranteed so cure piles, eczema, salt rheum or

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Fancy oranges and banannas McMahon's Clyde Collar of Sunfield was i dent Weekes.

Watts, Flanagan; absent Lee. Vern Carver of Freeport visited

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodsell of L J Hammond Lake Odessa took dinner with Mr. A C Scribner and Mrs. Wm. Rexford last Thurs. O D Rolf

cover. He has a good thing and should make the most of it. Chauncey Townsend and George T W Mason Crosby have recovered sufficiently L & P Fund from their recent injuries to get out among their many friends again. Brown & Sehler have built a large A W Weekes office room between their carriage Chas McCarty & Co and implement apartments and will Jas McMahon use their old office for a harness County Treasurer

Mrs. J. B. Nicholson returned H F Lane from Hadley, Monday, accompanied R B Boylan by her brother, E. J. Hemingway. L & P Fund The latter is invoicing the Levitt T A Murphy

HOME NEWS.

Ask for "Philippine Flip"

Lowell over Sunday.

dry good stock, Mrs. Orton Hill went to Monroe T W Mason last Wednesday and took her daugh. Fire Department ter Marion on a trip to Toledo, calling on her sister at Grand Ledge

before returning home. Rain wanted, Apply any old Freight place in Lowell. Since this was C S English "set up" we have had two fine Scott Fox rains. The potency of advertising A L Knapp is again proved.

J. A. Mattern and family will C M Watters move back to Lowell and they will R B Boylan be heartily welcomed. This will compel H. A. Sherman; to move and F. W. Davey's purchase drives A. L. Peck out. Here are two more families looking for homes.

P. H. Gilkey of Richland, a Flanagan, Look, VanDyke, Watts;

P. H. Gilkey of Richland, a Shent Lee

President Weekes appointed Millard Scott Chief of the Fire Department Appointment confirmed by 745 am 605 pm For Belding and Greenville 745 am 605 pm For Freeport 715 am 415 pm B. L. Brayron, H. F. Moeller, Agt. Acting Genl. Pass. Agent. be heartily welcomed. This will

Bank, is prominently mentioned in | Chief of Fire Department offered

ner.

Miss Amber Pickard gave her first piano recital on Friday evening, May 4, before an invited audience of about forty friends at her home.

An entertaining and highly pleasing program was rendered in which ing program was rendered in which she was ably assisted by her class- Motion to adjourn carried mates with songs and readings.
The "Swiss Chorus" by the Misses
Roth was especially pleasing. Willie Schreiner assisted very credit-

The E. A. Crozier Shoe Co. of y advertise their already extensive ware will do well to investigate their extra inducements to the trade | He went to town Tuesday. this spring.

Grand Rapids A Dangerous Operation. Cheasing, Mich .- Mr. Jas. N. hotel says." I have been troubled and family of Lowell were callers at G. W. nith, head clerk of the Central

Ask your druggist about Dr. Chase's Phil Dickson is quite sick with the hives.

tny of the itching, burning or erup- J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says, " aon of the skin. 50 cents a box, all cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch druggists. A free sample box will Hazel Salve. One box of it cured what all doctors called an incurable ulcer on my Book "How to obtain Patenta"

Regular meeting of the Lowell drafters, Village Council held in the council gennes. ooms Monday evening, May 7, '00, Meeting called to order by Pres-

tees Bergin, Look, VanDyke,

J. W. Everhart of this place has C W Barber been granted a patent on his jar John Shook

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S. P. Hicks. 24 00 35 00 Lowell Ledger

connection with the Democratic the following names as members of nomination in the third district, now the Fire Department; John And-

> Motion to adjourn carried THOS. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

A Fast Bicycle Rider Will often receive painful cuts, No 14 Eastern Fxpress to Durand and East sprains or bruises from accidents.

Buckleu's Arnica Salve, will kill the Nos 12, 20 and 18 daily except Sunday pain and heal the injury. It's the cyclist's friend. Cures chafing, chapped hands, sore lips, burns, ulcers and

piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Try it. Sold by L. H. Hunt & Co. vergennes. Last week's letter. G. W. Crosby is getting along nicely.

Aldie Van Wormer of Grand Rapids was the guest of Phil Dickson part of last week. Miss Bertha Lee closed her school at Fox Corners last week Friday and has gone to Grand Rapids to prepare herself for a kindergarden teacher.

W. A. Watts and family and Will Hakes

hotel says." I have been troubled with itching and bleeding piles for many years and thought I should have to undergo an operation. After trying nearly all the advertised cures and treating with several doctors, I Grand Rapids Wednesday where he and treating with several doctors, I Grand Rapids Wednesday where he and the sound of the same results with less time. The produced the same results with less time. The least of wednesday where he and the same results with less time. The least of wednesday where he and the same results with less time. The least of wednesday where he and the same results with less time. The least of wednesday where he and the same results with less time. The least of wednesday we were the same results with less time. The least of wednesday we were the same results with less time. The least of wednesday we were the same results with less time. The least of wednesday were the same results with less time. The least of wednesday were the same results with less time. was induced to give Dr. A. W. Chase's Mrs. Dickson stayed with their daughter best of modern methods are em-Ointment a trial. I used only one box Mrs. VanWormer, until Sunday when they and now I am entirely free from the returned home. Ed seems very much improved both mentally and physically. to your aid.

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Those wanting Burpees extra Present, President Weekes, Trus- early seed potatoes call on E. P. Sweet, South Lowell.

Watts, Flanagan; absent Lee.

Minutes of two regular, regular

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default has been made in the condi-In the evening of life—after the battles are fought—why shouldn't the old folks enjoy in comfort their well-earned rest?

It is usually the kidneys which first get out of order, and cause backaches, headaches and urinary troubles. As filters of the blood the kidneys work hard to remove from the body the last trace of poisonous uric acid, but they do get tired and cause pain in the back, and unless attended to will leave foul poisons in the blood which wil in the back, and unless attended to will leave foul poisons in the blood which will be well-earned rest?

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3 44 and payable. 9 69 | The amount claimed to be due on said 9 37
mortage at date of this notice is the sum of
Nineteen Hundred Seventy Six and 45-100
dollars (\$1976.45) principal and interest,
also an attorney fee provided for in said
mortgage. And whereas no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been instituted 6 80 Now therefore notice is hereby given that 15 00 by virtue of the power of sale contained i 112 50 said mortgage and in pursuance of the sta \$223 99 ute in such case made and provided, said \$223 99 | tite in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public \$3 14 | auction to the highest bidder on Friday, 2 00 | July 27th, A. D., 1900, at eleven o'clock 3 00 in the forenoon of that day at the north front door of the court house in the cit 3 48 the place where the circuit court of the 29 20 county of Kent is held. Said premises are described in said mortage as follows. 3 00 land situate and being in the township of 12 50 Cannon in the county of Kent and State of 22 00 Michigan and described as follows to wit: 7 20 The south half (1) of south half (1) of north west quarter (‡) Also north east quarter of south east quarter (‡) All on section thirty four (34) Town eight (8)

\$148 59 | north range ten (10) west. Dated May 3, 1900.
Geo. W. Boughton. 80 Atty. for Assignes. William F. Boughton. Mary E. Mattison.

Assignes of said m'tg.

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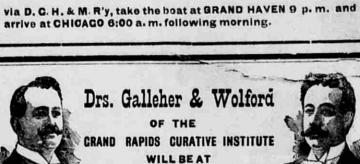
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Judge Wiest made very short work of the request made by Capt. Atkinson on the 1st for leave for Col. Sutton to withdraw his plea for the purpose of moving to quash the indictment because of alleged invalidity in the drawing of the grand jury. Judge Wiest examined the record to satisfy himself as to the entry concerning the plea, and then the concerning the plea, and then the concerning the plea, and then the control of the passage of the recent of the passage Sacred Heart church, Bad Axe, on the the entry concerning the plea, and then emphatically stated permission to withdraw the plea for the purpose of moving to quash the indictment would not hear the matter at this time. This matter the bonds of the proprietors.

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A postoffice has been established at five years at Jackson for larceny, attempted to escape by way of the prison flank were 40 killed. The rear guard A class of 200 was confirmed at St. from the ground. He was given There is much railway forage and corn Patrick's church in Creswell, on the liberties and made a rope from a num- here. The Zand river bridge is repor-20th, by Rt. Rev. Bishep Foley, of De- ber of sheets, which he attached to the ted to have been destroyed. Quartermaster Gen. Atkinson has window sill and swung himself out.

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On the 5th Gen. Barton drove from officers claim that when about three country, have had their wages raised 2,000 to 3,000 Boers from hilly positions miles from Geneva they were over-

MICHICAN NEWS ITEMS. Manistee suffered a fire loss of \$2,000

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From Michigan Towns

CAPTURED FOR BRIEF READING,

Rural free delivery service has been ordered at Durand. The length of the route is 23 miles.

The Satisfactory Jury for the Satton Case has Been secured and the Trial is Now Expected to Proceed Without

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How the New Act Affects Puerto Ricans

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Drumm was taken to the city hospital assigned for the failure of wheat are

We crossed the Vet river this morning, destroyed a great amount of property. by the police patrol and the surgeons the Hessian fly and unfavorable and are now encamped at Smaldeel dressed his wounds. His right leg was weather in the early part of the winbadly shattered and his head crushed. ter season.

Jos. Shuler, a Saginaw convict doing towards Zand river and Kroonstadt. year.

The last Boor train left here on the

CONGRESSIONAL NOTES.

It was suspension day in the house FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE on the 7th, and quite a number of bills

that many who voted for the bill would

They Need Seme Cash.

Gov. Pfingree has received a letter from the secretary of the American library in Manila asking for aid for the library, and stating that money is necessary for the enterprise. The advantages of such a library are fully set forth. As the state has no money for such purposes the governor suggests such purposes the governor suggests that the presse give the needs of the Pingles, and stating that money for the aggregate amount of the purposes the governor suggests.

Cedar Springs, Kent county, on the 15th. Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Hertes, who was rabbi of the Witwatersrand Hebrew ships, has not left Constantinople. The sultan has ordered the formation of a committee to raise a fund for the relief of the Indian famine victims. It is thought that this will tend to neutralize the effect of the recent arrests and exile of members of the young that a detatchment of the famine proceed to the U. S. to study the construction of warships, has not left Constantinople. The sultan has ordered the formation of a committee to raise a fund for the relief of the Indian famine victims. It is thought that this will tend to neutralize the effect of the recent arrests and exile of members of the young Turkish party.

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Tornadoes in Kansas.

WAR NOTES. The Havana police force will soon

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Satisfactory Jury Finally Secured.

Before the court had been in session

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A copy of English ring-neck phesants has been purchased by the Tuscolar county fish and game protective league. These productions have long applied to open the provided with the defense still having the right of four perceptory challenges and the prosecution two. Five of the 24 talesmen who reported in court in the moreing remained undrawn, the cremaining 10, with the exception of one who filled the vacancy in the jury, being excused for various reasons. Prosecuting Atterney Tuttle at once started his opening to the jury and occupied the remainder of the afternoon.

Two thousand areas of delinquent tax lands were sold at the annual sale at Menominee on the 1st, and about that many who voted for the bill would as the prosecution with all the maritime nations of the world, extending the Geneva conference on each pound valued at 10c., 3 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 3 mills; one on each pound valued at 10c., 3 mills; one on each pound valued at 10c., 3 mills; one on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each pound valued at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each dollar's value, 5 -10 cents; and bound at 10c., 5 mills; soap, on each dollar's value, 5 -10 cents; and

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Congress may adjourn early in June.

Klosk and the Turkish minister in Particle Planning to resume fighting during the rains.

A free rural mail delivery will be established at Huron, Huron county, and Cedar Springs, Kent county, on the 15th.

The length of the former route is 23 rabbi of the Witwatersrand Hebrey

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Hertes, who was rabbi of the Witwatersrand Hebrey

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The Republican federal party has won in all the registration board elections in Santa Clara. In Havana the leaders of the various parties are fear-fullest through indifference in the construction of war-fullest through indifference in the construction of the construction of the war-fullest through indifference in the construction

teers was besieged by the insurgents at Catubig for five days recently. The

possible to accurately sum up the dam- insurgent officer except Aguinaldo, was age done. The tornado formed a few captured on the 6th by Lieutenant E. miles south of Ellinwood and passed V. Smith, of Gen. Funston's staff, in over the west portion of the city. At the town of Jaen, three miles norththe Cheyenne bottoms, six miles north, it divided in six different directions and Ecija.

The total amount of outside aid re Ann Arbor will have 31 saloons this ceived by the Ottawa, Ont., fire sufferers up to May 1 was \$396.251. The Dominion house of commons on to suppose that Germany thinks of anthe 1st voted an appropriation of \$100,000 for the Hull-Ottawa fire sufferers.

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nexing any part of South Africa.
An unknown Negro about 20 years

The art section of the American ex- old, was lynched near Geneva, Ala., on hibition at the Paris exposition was the 5th. He assaulted a 12-year-old formally inaugurated on the 1st. Next white girl near Hartford and was capto the French, the American exhibit is tured later and taken before the mayor revernment will be prove the requisition of the state of Krag Jorgenson rifles for the state of Krag Jorgenson rifles for the fallen bridge.

| Country, have had their wages raised to the ground. His upper jaw was crushed and he was injured internally, but he managed to go half a mile to a farm house before the fell in a swoon and taken back to the prison.

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ing the establisament on the coast of How the New Act Affects Puerto Ricans tion of others. Now that the elections Scrofula - "I had scrofula sores all over

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| man. For the rest, Bluebell could see

had now died down, and there was a distinctly. the wagon track. Buf i side the grass turned.

looked green enough. Perhaps it had | "Well, my girl, I'm back again, you received an artifieral shower. All see. Come and kiss me, Bluebell." round the grassy lw in were flower | The girl approached, and the other beds, mostly of trop al Sowers, among man on the hearthrug stared at the Bluebell had gone to Ladysmith, by the superintendent of public instrucwhich the succeler due lily raised its dainty white figure as Adam Leslie riding across the dry, open veldt by tion for the following persons: Walter

could say whether they might not Elizabeth and Bluebell said very little, them. her face. She knew not why the look convolvulus, and the rich glory of red tee and presidential electors, was held neighborhood.

made his money at Kimberley or stirring it.

"You don't always speak like that, were clear and steady, but could look were clear and steady, but could look were clear and steady, but could look were clear and steady but could look were clear and steady but could look

why should we change our customs their own republic in their own way. "Quite right, auntie dear." Bluebell country if foreigners came and settled patted her aunt's bony shoulder with a down among us-Frenchmen or Ger- In Burmah amber is found in a relicoaires. Oh, auntie, I hope father | William the Silent."

eyes. But just now his face was redder than usual and there was a slight want of certainty in his gait as he sprang from his horse that Bluebell sometimes saw no sprang from his horse saw no sprang from hi

was got at all what Bluebell had pic- months; they were, therefore, all the tured him. He was an old man; he more disposed to make the most of "What would you like best tomore Youtsey, H. Whitaker and Richard tured him. He was an old man; he looked shaight-backed and alert, and sat on his horse with an air of negli
But Blubell did not feel that Gerald like to see the school burnt down," re
What would you like best tomes combs, Goebel murder suspects, have been granted a change of venue from like to see the school burnt down," re
But Blubell did not feel that Gerald like to see the school burnt down," regence that showed him a true horse. Moore was going to be any acquisition plied the lad.

ting together at the table, a decanter this country. The lower states were that James Jeffrey came to climate in the United States. No fail-

It was evening—a glorious ever ing that he was somewhat dark in com- that he was somewhat dark in com- when you tell me that this is the sole harness, wagon and a small sum of and Rosabel streets, St. Paul, Minn. Rich as only tropical countries I now. plexion, wearing a short little peaked return you ask for your extraordinary money saved from his wages as a farm The hot wind that had blown and day beard; but she could not see his face generosity?"

She went downstairs presently. Here needs in the air made it delight ful after the sweltering heat.

There had been no win for a long time, and the ground was a pleasant apartment, and the ground was a pleasant apartment, with skins of springbok and other wild animals covering the floor. A lamp time, and the ground was a pleasant apartment, with skins of springbok and other wild animals covering the floor. A lamp to his glass, which had stood full beside him all the time, though Leslie had replenished his several times, he had replenished his several times. dry. Outside the pretty homestead through support was spread. The two men the red sand of the verity and shick and stood by the fireplace talking.

As Bluebell entered her father than so the results and no other.

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It was a week later.

built of stone, and looked quaint and have led her to do; she hardly knew the dry veldt. Coarse, parched grass Arthur, Cass City; Bel Plummer, Man- ado," illustrated, mailed on receipt of pretty with a veranda running round why.

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lawn, clear and distinct on the evening air; and the girl, rising up from her comfortable position, shook herself.

The two men talked politics, discussing the likelihood of Kruger's yielding very much as a wet spaniel might do very might do

very much as a wet spaniel might do after coming out of the water, and started at a quick run for the house. At tall, angular, spinster lady stoud upon the doorstep.

"What a head, child!" was the salutation. "Have you forgotten we are to have company tonight?"

"Well. I do believe I had," retorted safter coming out of the water, and it's what they was the salutation. "Well. I do believe I had," retorted safter coming out of the water, and it's what they deserve!"

In the likelihood of Kruger's yielding to Britain's demands.

"Give in? Not he!" cried Leslie known in the country.

She was just turning into the town when some one emerging from behind a sudden curve came towards her. Bluebell started a little and stooped over Rover, a richer color than exercise had brought there coming into her clieb had," retorted deserve!"

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Bears the Signature of Little Little of the committee committee enter the committee committee enter the commi

the girl. "Don't be angry with me, will you, auntie? Really I couldn't can be no doubt as to which side will help it. I'll never, never do it again. Now dad's going to bring some one "I suppose you have no friends among from Maritzburg, is he? Who is it. The Boars or Afrikanders, Mr. Leslie?"

Cheeks.

In a few seconds the new comer was close to her, and lifting his big gray hat from his head, paused by her horse. He was a young man, perhaps from Maritzburg, is he? Who is it.

Cheeks.

In a few seconds the new comer was close to her, and lifting his big gray hat from his head, paused by her horse. He was a young man, perhaps nearing thirty, attired in gray khaki, whooping cough, 16; typhoid fever, 20; from Maritzburg, is he? Who is it, auntie? Not anyone very great, I hope—Mr. Rhodes, for instance?"

"Don't taik nonsense, child!" returned Miss Elizabeth Leslie. "No, no! it's no one so great as that, only some very rich man, I believe, who has made his money at Kimberley or shade his money at kimberley in the shade

How would we like over in the old

them distinctly.

The first was her father. Bluebell know him well enough not to require to take a second look at him; yet she did take a second look.

Adam Leslie, Esq., of Tiniaverstock, Scotland, who had emigrated to South Africa 10 years ago, was a man of middle age, heavily built, stout, and redfaced, with a heavy thin, a stubborn mouth, and a pair of rather cold gray eyes. But just now his face was red
The first was her father. Bluebell did not red nearly as hospitable without appearing to do so, and saw that the healthy rose in her cheeks had deepened almost imperceptibly in tint, and that her long lashes drooped over and demurely hid her eyes.

The millionaire was to stay at New Kelso—thus Mr. Leslie had named his farm in memory of the Scottish town near which he had lived—all night. Bluebell did not red nearly as hospitable as usual.

New time destruction.

First Class in Optics.

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"In looking out of doors, do you not ducks, 9½ c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 12x per lozen by chickens, 9½ c. Eggs, strictly fresh, 12x per lozen by control of a little girl, whose and the leaves?" asked an elderly gentleman of a little girl, whose home he was visiting. "Yes, sir."

Why does it appear so migh brighter at this time?" he next asked, looking down upon the bright, sweet face with

His companion, the "millionaire," outsider for the space of many

him, as if his presence denoted danger. self. "And yet why should I not? He by the supreme court on the 2d in the Washington and Oregon, also prairie "I don't like him." she said to herhas done nothing to make me dislike of Jackson county vs. the superintendents of the poor and timber lands near railroad or wat-

ting together at the table, a decanter this country from England in 1886 and ure of crops. If you wish to raise of Scotch whisky and two glasses letween them.

They had been speaking in low tones; but now, as the whisky began tones; but now, as the whisky began tones; but now, as the whisky began tones.

They had been speaking in low the removed to Jackson county. He was unmarried and was never aided as a pauper by either county until comark. Take your choice. I have no lands for

"The sole return," Moore replied. He laborer. Jackson county has paid \$419 for his care at the asylum. The circuit Read now died down, and there was a distinctly.

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warmin and healthiness of coloring, purpose here, and makes us remember sages she was thinking as she neared the poor old 'mither' country."

Also softly-rounded, girlish contour, its semiling, half-open, red lips, its clear, and they all sat down to the abundant ling as it seemed in the distance. al-Is miling, half-open, red lips, its clear, copen, chimishly smooth forehead, over which little curls of the brown hair shot with ruddy gold came straying. The half-shut, smiling eyes were very in a somewhat rich, sonorous voice; The half-shut, smiling eyes were very in a somewhat rich, sonorous voice; and somewhat rich, sonorous voice; wide stretches of meadow lands, with the Klip winding its course through the klip winding its clear, at last. She saw the little town nest-ton Lewis and Congressman William the lost and they all sat down to the abundant ling, as it seemed in the distance, allows and Congressman William the lost and they all sat down to the abundant ling, as it seemed in the distance, allows and Congressman William the lost and Congressman William the lost and they all sat. She saw the little town nest-ton Lewis and Congressman William the lost and they all sat. She saw the little town nest-ton Lewis and Congress and Congress and Congressman William the lost and they all sa

made her shiver suddenly every time and yellow bloom clustered thickly on in the armory, Detroit, on the 3d. lawn, clear and distinct on the evening she met it all through her warm, joythe low, dwarf shrubs which covered Each district had its own place on the

(To be continued) Burmah's Amber Mines.

geatle hand. "Besides, likely enough mans-and compelled us to conform gion difficult of access and jealously Chicago he's some coarse, horrid man! They to their customs? They are only like guarded by those who have every incleveland...

Cleveland...

English their brave forefathers in the time of terest in keeping their secret. It is

Kansas City. "We shall soon see him, dearie, so "Doctor Rothes has provided you it is accessible only from the south "Mo shall soon see him, dearie, so "Doctor Rothes has provided you with quite a number of arguments. But politics are quite outside a woman's sphere, my girl, so I advise you not to take them up.

Bliebell ran upstairs to her own moon. It was a pretty little room, "I think Miss Leslie would even make a convert of me" said the mile.

"Doctor Rothes has provided you it is accessible only from the south across low hills forming the watershed between the Chindwin and the Irrawaddy. In one of these low hill ranges are the famous and mysterious mines of golden resin. It is obtained in a very primitive way. After the Doer grades. 4 1064 65 5 25 5 55 5 15 Bitteell rand upstairs to ner own, mot equishing; much furniture, but as dainty as feminine fingers could make a convert of me," said the millounce, bowing gallantly. Again blue bend—it was rather strange that Birehell should smile and blush a little to herself as she fastened the lattle to hersel

Tommy's Only Wish.

An opinion of importance to all the counties in the state was handed down government lands in the states of Down-stairs the two men were sit-

"You are a generous man, Moore!" county in September, 1896. At that it is best to locate, call on me when in time his property consisted of a horse, St. Paul or write me at corner Third

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Caleb Powers, J. W. Davis, H. E.

not be detached without tearing out a piece of the flesh. Death sometimes Granted First Grade Certificates. First grade certificates from the follows, as the pincers are polanous. March examination have been indorsed ONE NIGHT TO DENVER Via Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Long, trumps, shiped flowers; but gave her a sounding kiss on the cheek.

There were a few lagher flowers, too "You see I've brought a friend with the horse Rover. She was a capital Chapel, Grand Rapids; R. N. Culver, Chicago 10 every morning, arriving Chicago 10 every morning Chicago there were a few leaghest flowers, too "You see I've brought a friend with the horse Rover. She was a capital Chapel, Grand Rapids; R. N. Culver, Chicago 10 every morning, arriving me, Bluebell. Mr. Morre—my daughter the horse woman, and nothing daunted North Bradley; P. O. Decker, Eagle Denver 1:20 the next afternoon, Colter, Bluebell."

Torse curefully discussed in the residue of the property of the property discussed in the residue of the residue of the property discussed in the residue of the residue of the property discussed in th Toses, queezly di ser, Bluebell."

They or do Springs and Manitou same every hot day, and there Ralph Hawley; Grattan; C. E. Kellogg, ening. No change of cars. All meals gum and black nettle led to the veldt the same. She did not offer her hand, were signs of coming rain, which made | Elm Hall; Earnest E. Knight, St. Johns; in dining cars. Another fast train at without. Behind the house, which was as her frank custom would naturally Bluebell hurry. Her path lay across Paul L. Laing, Otisville; Jemima Mc- 10:30 p. m. daily. New book, "Color-

"You will remember your native the Drakensberg. A little to the left ran the frequency of the seening the sun, too near its setting to be hot now, was shining of the sleepy brown eyes of a girl who lay full length in the shade of the sleepy brown hand, and she is fleen. Her head was supported by a bismop little brown hand, and she is fleen and seen and seen and the fleen drinking. He was usually a reserved, even tacitum man, stern should be nown hand, and she is fleen and seen and and narrow one. It swelled and undulated like an ocean, now dipping down into a hollow, now rising to the height of a hollow, now rising to the height of a hollow, now rising to the height of a little green-covered kopje. Sometite green-covered kopje. Some shelf. What a boon to such women is Dr. Clark street, and Wells street, and well street station.

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It was a pretty face, too, with its was pretty face, too, with its was not of her messivarith and healthiness of coloring, and makes us remember the poor old 'mither' country."

A plismip little brown hand, and she was soft and she was sending a very happy, contented this tongue and gave her happy thought passed it without the eagles and vultures circled in their sky-piercing flight.

Buelolal through her mind.

It was a pretty face, too, with its a romantic freak; but it serves its sages she was thinking as she neared the poor old 'mither' country."

A plismip little brown hand, and she him a certain coarse frankness."

Quite right, quite right, Mr. Moore!

Bluebell had messages at Lady-smith, but it was not of her messigns the poor old 'mither' country."

There were delegations of Democrats and but feeceives it within the reach of any woman. How distress, and but feece and better conferment.

Bluebell had messages at Lady-smith, but it was not of her messigns the most largely attended political as much. Children may drink it with banguet in the history of the state.

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The destination of Democrats are breakfully in the country is a purpose here, and but feece the distress, and but feece the distress, and but feece the distress, and but feece the content of the poor of the 2d, with about 1,200 persons in attendance.

The was the most l

Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and planted and a covering about seven Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and feet above the ground is spread over Sweating Feet. At an Disease FREE. Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. the orchard. This covering, of course, "Bluebell, Bluebelli where are you, millionaire turned again and again to flowers, white jasmine and climbing members of the state central commitis arranged to that there are opening light and air for the better cultivation of the trees. The covering is to prevent the frost from affecting the or-' chards. This is but an experiment. but is meeting with a great deal of

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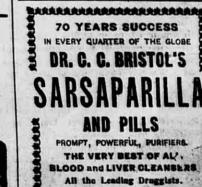
"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-I was very thin and my friends thought I was in

ing of uterus, and my eyes were affected. "Every one noticed how poorly I looked and I was advised to take Lydia E.

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HOME NEWS.

See those new Cameras at Stocking's Jas. Gulliford sports a new car-

Mrs. Geo. Morse visited friends in Grand Rapids last week.

Try Smith's "Philippine Flip" the new soda fountain drink, Mrs. James Muir is recovering

from a serious attack of rheumatism. J. S. Hooker was called to Nash ville by the illness of his son, Roy. It is just the time to plant trees ow. A full line of all kinds at

N. P. Husted & Co.'s Geo. Hunter and wife of Three Rivers visited Lowell friends this week.

Mrs. J. Garrison of Jackson is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. H. Brown.

Delia Landon was the guest of the family of Delbert Beach of Ada last week.

W. O. Brown of Big Rapids has been in Lowell for the past few days owing to sickness

Mrs. William Worden has been visiting her brother, Edwin Lacy of Bowne Center.

E. A. Sunderlin, a former Lowell-ite but now of Person, was the guest will of S. P. Hicks Sunaay.

Geo. Houser and Mrs. Prevost of Big Rapids are the guests of their mother, Mrs. Emma Houser.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Corrigan and niece of Bowne calledon Mrs. Wm. Delaney and family one day last

Strayed-White shoate, weight about 100 lbs, had ring in the nose, Reward for information or return J. R. Lynn of same.

Dog Warden Morse requests those who have bought tags for their dogs to put them on the animals, to avoid

"accidents." The eleventh anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed at the M. E. church pext Sunday

both morning and evening.

Thomas Sherman of Bowne lost his house last week Wednesday through the explosion of gasoline.

Nothing was saved but an organ. Mesdames E. G. Hogle and S. E. Stricker of Hastings were enter-tained by Mrs. M. C. Griswold on the occasion of the Women's Mis-

sionary society meeting. Mrs. Taft, mother of Lyman Taft, suffered a stroke of paralysis last Saturday. She is somewhat im-proved and it is hoped that the gain

be steady and permanent. Lowell Republicans will caucus at Train's hall to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of electing delegates to the county nominating convention. A warm time is

anticipated. Millard Scott was appointed chief of the fire department, Monday eve-ning, and the number of firemen was cut from twenty to ten. The names are given in the council proceedings.

The LEDGER does not consider it necessary to keep up a constant blow about its job printing facilities. Our work talks for itself. However, it is not the kind that gets fired in the waste basket on delivery to it's patrons.

The school board has re-engaged the entire staff of of teachers for the next year. Owing to Mr. Nicholson's [resignation, a new superintendent will have to be found.

The Misses Edith and Ethel Stone entertained six of their girl friends to a tea yesterday afternoon in honor of their twelfth birthday with twelve burning candles was a pleasing feature of the table decora

Capt. S. Alberti, the escaped an exile, will deliver an illustrated lecture on Russia, Siberia and his experience in the prisons and mines of Siberia, at Train's opera house to-night under the aus-pices of the Masonic lodges of Lowell. He comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes highly endorsed. The comes highly endorsed to farm property within the comes hi house to-night under the aus-

Rev. McAllister was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Fine eight year old mare and Jersey R. D. Stocking.

Beautiful medallion free with 10 Armour soap wrappers at McMahon's. "Philippine Flip", the new soda fountain drink at Smith's Bakery.

Mrs. C. A. Slade gives instruction on piano and organ. Jones blk. Arthur Howk of Mt. Pleasant has rented Chas. McCarty's new tenant house on Water street.

Mrs. A. J. McDonald (nee Eva Childs) of Detroit is making her mother and sisters a week's visit.

Wife (bitterly): "You deceived me when you married me," Husband: I did more than that; I deceived myself."

Giles & Co. have put on a daily grocery delivery through Grattan, Vergennes, Keene and South and West Lowell.

Mrs. Olive Caldwell left Monday for Traverse City to attend the marriage of her grand-daughter, Miss Bertha Bristol of that place, who has many friends here.

Will M. Chapman was in town again yesterday straightening up his fences. They were in good condition and didn't require any barbed wire to keep his own "critters" in or the other "feller's" out.

Lady Maccabees of Lowell Hive, at their regular review Wednesday evening, elected Mrs. Bessie Sway-ze delegate to the great Biennial Review to be held in Grand Rapids in June. Mrs. C. A. Slade was elected alternate.

"And remember, Bridget, there are two things I must insist upontruthfulness and obedience," "Yes, mum. And when you tell me to tell the ladies you're out when you're in, which shall it be, mum?"

A very interesting missionary meeting was held at the M. E. church in this place last Wednesday and Thursday. Delegates from Grand Rapids and Hastings were present.

Lowell seems to be a good place for ex school teachers. Mr. Nicholson will be the fourth principal to settle here, and the old schoolmarms can be counted by the score. When we re-incorporate, let's call it "Teachertown,"

Do you want a nice evergreen for the cemetery or peach, pear, apple or plum tree for your orchard? Just the time now to set out. Call on N. P. Husted & Co. and they will fit you out.

Be sure to read all the new advertisements in this issue. It is for your interest to do so. A. J. Howk & Son, A. D. Oliver, City Bank, A. L. Coons, D. G. Look, Brown & Sehler, Weldon Smith, W. S. God-frey U. B. Williams. R. D. Stocking and not only prevents but absolutely

Letters at Lowell post office for: Store. Edd. Adams. James Anderson, A. Trowbridge, Albert Sages, Carl Gifford, Ralph Hazelton, E. R. Hazelton, Fordyce Lynn, Wm. J. Tiske, Belle Beckwith, Dora Baker, Mrs. Lizzie Davis, Mrs. T. Finck, Mrs. E. S. Godfrey, Mrs. Eva Mattle Stone and Nora McCan, Mrs. E. R. Mitchell, A. L. Grand Rapids Saturday. Montcalm, Alice Campbell (package) Lizzie Killgoss, Midget(2), Truna Maymond and Wm. Waters.

Wool merchants in different sections of the state are asking buyers to use their influence to stop the use of sisal grass or binding twine in tying up wool. They say that in the removal of the twine from the fleece, some fibers are liable to adhere to the wool and follow it through the various process of manufature without discovery until the goods are dyed, when every strand shows plainly. Some of the manufacturers refuse to buy wool in which there is more of this twine.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation" were the startling words heard by Mrs L. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney remedy. Cures Dyspepsia and Loss of Appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed. For sale by L. H. Hunt & Co.

Real Estate Transfers.

James E. Houghwaut and wife to Richard H. Bohn, e 1/2 w 1/2 se 1/4 sec 25, Vergennes township \$750.

Valley City Building and Loan Associ-ation to John Miller se 14 nw 14 sec 19 Cannon township \$450.

Jane Stoughton to Hiram VanDeusen, lot 9, blk 4, Lee's add to Lowell, and part sec 35, Lowell township \$450. Hiram VanDeusen and wife to Jane Stoughton and Nina B. Right, lot 8, blk 4, Lee's add to Lowell, and part sec 35, Lowell township \$450.

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Mrs. Phill Dickson and two children drove up to Saranac Sunday to visit her parents, C. Gott and

G. W. Crosby and wife enjoyed a good ride and a good dinner with M. N. Hine and wife of Lowell

Mrs. Epley and daughter Mrs. P. Dennick of Stanton were called here last week by the illness of Mrs. Epley's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Krum. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Godfrey and

daughter spent Sunday with friends in Grand Rapids. Mrs Geo. Krum is improving although not able to sit up but a

short time. This cold weather is rather dis-

couraging for farmers.

Geo. Krum has improved the looks of his house with a new coat

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Intense suffering was endured by witness T. L. Martin. of Dixte, Ky., before he gave this evidence: "I coughed every night until my throat was nearly raw; then tried Dr.King's New Discovery which gave instant relief. I have used it in my family for four years and recomend it as the greatest remedy for Coughs, Colds, and the Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. It will stop the worst cough and Hunt & Co, all have something of interest to say to you.

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THE ALTO NEWS. Items of Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

Bert Clark is slowly recovering from the

Mattie Stone and Nora Hill drove to

Will and Lonie Yeiter and their families visited at Frank Cline's of Bowne Centre

Ida Palous has been spending a few days in Grand Rapids.

The Boylan children are sick with the D. Bryant and wife visited over Sunday with their daughter at Freeport.

George Williams is building an addition on his tenant house. Bert Sidman, wife and little daughter

have been visiting his father.

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Now Milwankee Line Via Ottawa Beach The Pere Marquette R. R. will establish on May 14 a new steamer line between Ottawa Beach and Milwaukee. The steamers "F. & P. M. No. 4" and "Petoskey" will be used in this service, which will be first class in all respects.

Connecting trains will leave Lowell at 8.47 p. m., arriving at Ottawa Beech at 11 p. m. Steamers will arrive at Milwaukee at 6 a. m. Eastbound steamers will leave Milwaukee at'10 p. m., connecting with train leaving Ottawa Beach at 5:50 a. m. and arriving at Lowell at 7:45 a. m. These steamboat trains will carry cafe parlor cars between Detroit and Ottawa Beach, via Grand Rapids, in which supper and breakfast will be served. It is hoped that the new line will be a popular one with the traveling pub-

B. D. Stocking has just completed an addition to his business a new re-pair shop and put in a lot of new tools including a forge, an upright drill bench and vise besides a lot of small tools and will now be able to do first

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Nell Byrne of North Grattan is dange

usly ill of nervous prostration.

Mammie and Patrick Fingleton of Canneburg spent Sunday at J. McGinnis's P. Masten is working for Peter Byrne. Lee and Kent Kakeway spent part of

ast week in Grand Rapids. Will Condon of Lowell was on our stre Tuesday.

E. Walsh is working for Otis Bailey.

EXCURSIONS

PERE MARQUETTE xcursion via the Pere Marquette Grand Rapids Sunday, May 13.

Train will leave Lowell at 11:25 . m. and arrive at Grand Rapids about noon. Leave returning at 6:30 p. m. Rate 50 cents Bicycles free. H. F. Moeller, Act'g G. P. A.

Tolodo, Sunday, May 20. Train will leave Elmdale at 7:25 e. m. and arrive at Toledo about 12:15 p. m. Returning leave Toledo 6:30 p. m. Round trip rate \$1.60. Lake Erie Park & Casino will open for this date with a fine list of attractions in the theater, zoological garden, etc. Aside from this other attractions in the entertainment of visitors. m17 H. F. Moeller, Acting G. P. A.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

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Pork	5 75@	6 00
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Bran per ton	0	16 00
Middlings per ton	Ö	17 00
Corn meal per ton	à	19 00
Corn and oats per ton	@	20 00
Butter	12 0	13
Eggs	6	10
Boof	5 00 @	6 00
Veal	6 00 @	6 00
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