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TIS NOT one in which mould developes, germs breed and poisonous oxides form. How many refrigerators on the market will stand test on these lines? Dr. Geo. C. Perkins has succeeded in producing an article which fulfills the requirements. This we present to the public in full belief that it is without a single equal in the vast number of refrigerators made. It is absolutely dry. This being a fact, not a mere claim, mould is impossible, germs cannot live, nor can oxides form.

This is accomplished in a manner which is simplicity itself, based on the physical law of expansion of gases, which in construction of the box creates a draught, taking in air on one side of the ice chamber and expelling it on the other, after having passed but once through the provision chamber.

In this way fool odors and all dampness are drawn off, making it possible to keep the most susceptible of foods, such as butter and cream, in the same chamber with vegetables and fruits of any kind whatever, without in any way becoming tainted. Meats, raw or cooked, may be preserved indefinitely in the hottest weather; and the ice evaporates instead of rots, less than two-thirds is used as compared with the best of old style refrigerators.

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Will you be sure? We offer you help that helps inite assurance that you do not need glasses or candid and un-biased advice to consult an

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The burden of excessive prices on WALL PAPER don't fail to inspect our line before you purchase. Many people believe that artistic, tasteful surroundings are possibilities only with the wellto-do. We assure you this is not the case.

You can a WALL PAPER 4, 8, 6, 7 cents per roll.

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Increase your sales By placing your advertisement where it will bring results.

THE LOWELL LEDGER is the medium through which you can reach the people of this vicinity and get the results of your labor. Try some liners or a space adv. and be convinced what we say is true.

Grand Rapids have returned to stones displaying the words, "King their farm in Vergennes for the Summer.

Grand Rapids have returned to stones displaying the words, "King of Kings and Lord of Lords," in Summer.

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\$1,600.

The deal between C. E. Clark, owner of the Lowell Woolen Mills, ids shirt manufacturer, mentioned in our last issue, was closed up by the passing of papers on Tuesday, lers for the mental superiority of \$1,600 being the consideration received by Mr. Clark.

Mr. Kinsey has not definitely decided as to what disposition be will Wednesday evening, June 20.

make of the property.

Village President Weekcs informs us that Mr. Kinsey would be willing to move his factory here

under the following conditions:

If the citizens will pay Mr. Kinsey the purchase price of the property and give him the use of the latter for five years, Mr. Kinsey will agree to employ sixty-five people for five years. Says he would probably employ one hun-dred, but will bind himself to employ sixty-five. At the end of five years, if he has lived up to his contract, Mr. Kinsey is to receive a free deed of the property in ques-

Mr. Weekes considers it a very fair proposition, and the LEDGER is of the same opinion and also believes that the opportunity is one that our citizens cannot afford to

let slip. What is \$1,600 to pay for an institution that will pay out that amount in wages in a few weeks? Money that will be brought in from abroad and not taken from our immediate territory. Money that will be spent here in all lines of trade and to the benefit of every business man and owner of property.

If any one has any kicking to do let him go off into the woods and practice on a mule. If a person can't say a good word for an enter-prise, he will do well to keep shut.

MRS. N. PURPLE DIED

VERY SUDDENLY AT TRAV-ERSE CITY

Last Saturday Morning. Sick but a Few Hours.

Mrs. N. Purple died Saturday morning June 2, at the home of her son William in Trayerse City. Funeral was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. II. Nash in Lowell on Sunday, conducted by Mrs. Dunham of Ionia, spiritualist, and attended by a large number of friends and neighbors of the deceased; and the

remains were taken to Fox cemetery.

Nancy, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Spencer, was born in Nova Scotia in 1833. She came with her parents to Hillsdale county when eight years old and afterward to Ada, Kent county, where her parents continued to live until "called home," She was educated in the schools of Grand Rapids and taught school in the vicinity of Lowell until her marriage to Wm. Purple in 1856. The first fifteen years of her married life were spent upon Mr. Purple's farm, now owned by John Eng.e, which they then sold and moved to this village.

The only child, William of Traver City, survives. The father died in July, 1882.

Mrs. Purple was about town, she went to Traverse City to visit her son, arriving there at 6:80 p. m. Friday morning at 10 o'clock she Norton Henry. began to feel badly and by noon was The arch now suffering the excruciating agony caused by gall stones, from the shock of which she had not strength by Frank Coons, and was crowned to rally and she died peacefully in

her sleep, Saturday morning.

Mrs. Purple was a woman cf strong convictions and had the cour age to defend them, notwithstanding the fact that they have not at all times been popular. The high esteem and respect with which she was regarded, was well evinced by the large attendance of those who knew her best at the last sad rites.

The kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Nash and others is greatly appreciated by the relatives and friends of Mrs. Purple.

F. L. Hodges and family of

S. F. KINSEY HAS PUR- CLASS OF, FOR THE LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL.

Lowell Woolen Mill Property for Membership, Organization, Class Honors, Etc.

The graduating class of the Lowell High school for 1900 numbers and S. F. Kinsey, the Grand Rap- fourteen, with about the usual proportion of girls and boys, ten of the former to four of the latter. [Stick-

held at Train's opera house on The roll of membership is as

follows: Charles Fisher, Thornton Howe, Arthur Avery, Otice Post, Mary Whitney, Del Winegar, Hattie Blakeslee, Lizzie Thompson, Nina Wisner, Celia Noble, Lizzie Mc-Mahon, M. Louise Murphy, Mayme

Bergin, Anna Wesbrook.

The class officers are: President,
Harriette E. Blakeslee; vice president, Nina E. Wisner; secretary, M. Louise Murphy; treasurer, Otice

Class flower, American Beauty

Class color, royal red. Motto: "The palm is not gained without dust."

Class honors: Poet, Lizzie Mc-Mahon; valedictorian, Harriette E. Blakeslee; historian, Chas. G. Fisher; salutatorian, Celia Noble.
Prof. W. N. Ferris, of the Big

Rapids Industurial school, will deliver the address to the class on commencement evening and Rev. S. C. Morris will deliver the bac-

calaureate sermon. Commencement program will be published next week

THE ARCH OF FAME.

SUCCESSFUL HOME TALENT ENTERTAINMENT.

The Plot, Actors, Singers and

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid and ocieties of the M. E. church, last Friday and Saturday evenings, was a complete success. The cantata, "The Arch of Fame," was finely performed, the partici-pants being well suited to their several characters. One of the finest features of the entertainment was the chorus of twenty voices, which rendered national airs as each

nation was presented. Clare Findlay represented the Universal King and sat in judgment over the different nations. As the representative of each nation appeared, a stone was brought to form

a place in the building of the arch. The first nation, Russia, was impersonated by Mr. Butte; Great Britain by Mrs. McAllister, with her two pages, Freda Ecker and Ethel White. Mrs. Frank McMahon was then introduced by the Queen as "My daughter, Canada," and rendered a fine solo. The next stone in the arch was India and was represented by George Abbott, after which came a Scotch recitation by Miss Jessie Tilden. H. A. Merriman then came as Germany. A quartet composed of Messrs. English and Maynard and Mesdames Look and Giles then sang Italia, af-ter which came Will Crofoot as Italy and a national solo was sung by Fern Clark. France next appeared Decoration day, in her usual good in the person of Claude Lane and spirits and the next day, Thursday, Mrs. Giles sang a French national air. Japan came next, represented by John Godfrey and Austria by

> The arch now needed a keystone and as the chorus sang America, by Frank Coous, and was crowned by the King. Uncle Sam intro-duced Miss Columbia, Bessie Mc-Carty, who sang Columbia and was addressed by Miss Merriman in a recitation, "To Columbia." Uncle Sam then brought forward "My daughter, Michigan," Mrs. A. A. Husted, and the capstone was laid, as the chorus sang "Michigan, My Michigan."

After this came Christianity, Mrs. C. W. Parks, with an open Bible, the chorus sang Coronation. and the several nations passed out, leaving their crowns at her feet.

The curtain was then drawn and again the arch appeared with "Jesus as the keystone and the other

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Have you seen those

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the fold-up kind? Better make peace with your wife by buying

Come in and see the

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Refreshing Drinks

Delicious Drinks

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We have the celebrated

for children. None better

Look at our entirely new line of

SPREADS...

at prices from \$1.00 to \$3.50 each.

A grand march was then given by sixteen young ladies in white and the entertainment closed with a beautiful tableaux having Christian- prise. ity as the centerpiece, during which

Miss Watts accompanied the vocalists and Miss Whitney played for the grand march.

The performers were all elegantly attired in costumes suitable to their respective characters, but we think or road.
none of them excelled those of Un-

cle Sam and Miss Columbia. Much credit is due Mrs. Charles Quick for the success of the enter-

Look up the bargains advertised by competitors, but save your mon-

ey until you reach here. Chas. Althen.

Horse for Sale,

One good mare, 9 years old, farm Cheap at \$50. Inquire at about two feet, went to the starboard side along the roof about 10 feet, tear-being out one hour and fifty about two feet, went to the starboard side along the roof and cabin, at which point private papers, including proclamations.

After being out one hour and fifty about two feet, went to the starboard side along the roof about 10 feet, tear-being out one hour and fifty ing the roof and cabin, at which point private papers, including proclamations.

Trade With Our New Possessions.

Facts that are figures for commer-being out one hour and fifty ing the roof and cabin, at which point private papers, including proclamations.

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Contemporary to the Series and Series of the West,

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partition, going into the kitchen where t splintered the rafters and set fire Saginaw is raising a \$10,000 bonus fantry, with artillery.

Supreme Court on Sunday Ball.

The supreme court handed down an opinion on the 29th reversing the \$1,000 indexes of suspected "Cuban itch" from Flint.

Scopgale, of Shiawassee county, against for libel secured by ex-Sheriff Rev. John Sweet, who criticised him the Converse Manufacturing Co.

The Pan-American, two Japanese and one Italto impossible to get a reliable description of the terrible explosion.

Cholera in India.

The Veneral Manufacturing Co.

The Vicerous India, Lord Curzon,
of Kedleston, telegraphs that a good

A game of ball to be played at Caledonia July 10, employing 100 men. The com- Gysbert Van Kreiken, of Kalamazoo, scattered showers have fallen else-

Lightning's Deadly Work.

Lightning struck the steambarge Albert Mitchell, building at Langell & Maj. March, with his detachment of Hearty Greeting Extended the AcSon's shipyard, at St. Clair on the morning of the 31st, killed three men and injured five others. The men had find the morning of the 31st, killed three men had on May 19, at Lagat, about 100 miles

Of Our Trade With the New Posjust commenced their day's work at hortheast of Vigan. The Americans the shipyards when the storm broke.

The vessel was on the stocks all ready to be Aguinaldo, whose body was re-URY WAS OUT TWO HOURS. for launching on June 2nd. The bolt moved by his followers. The Ameririson were in the cabin and Medlar was under the boat. The bolt struck the drop from his horse. On reaching the struck the mast. Campbell and Mor- caus on seeing the figures of 25 Filidest and Wife Burst Into Tears top of the mast, broke it off 12 feet and spot they caught his horse which was and the Latter Rissed Each of the then went down through and split the richly saddled. Blood from a badly Jarors - Other Events of the Week, mast. It jumped to the texas roof, wounded man was on the animal and

band and two companies of the 26th in-

over his own signature for permitting will open a plant in Benton Harbor on at Marquette.

July 10, employing 100 men. The comparis, between Owosso and Corunna, the supereme court in a unanimous opinion, written by Justice Grant, says that half playing on Sunday is prohibited by section 5913 of Miller's statutes, and is an offense against the public peace.

July 10, employing 100 men. The company manufactures heating boilers, received word on the 4th that he had fallen heir to a fortune of nearly \$200, the death of a rich relative in the Netherlands. Mr. Van Kreiken is a cellery raiser and a comparatively which are 50 miles; area covered, 65 square miles; population served, 1,396.

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Exceed That of any Various Will

Struction and treaty making with Exceed That of any Year Since 1894 | Spain following the successful close of Is America's Greatest Blood Medicine.

Atty-Gen. Oren was at Lansing in conpublicans will hold their convention at sultation with the tax commissioners Port Huron, June 20, to nominate a In last week's operations in northern have been marching to the relief of tion to adopt an amendment to the regarding this matter recently, and while the exact nature of the proceedings to be taken has not been decided upon, it is probably that the supreme court will be asked for a mandamus to compel the Grand Rapids assessors to compel the Grand Rapids assessors to gun.

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Capt. Abbott of the 42d regiment recently met 250 ladrones near Sinalion. One American was killed and the Fliibinos had eight men killed and four wounded.

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The Dowers Explosion of Nitro-Glycerine as short distance east of Mariteisa, On Mr. Corliss amendment to the constitution to elect senators by the 29th voted to report days. The pewers Explosion of 50 quarts of nitro-glycerine which was being used in shooting an oil well on the Kelly farm. First reports ga

CONGRESSICWAL NOTES. The record of the first session of the

Relief Force has Reached Koomaste. | ment providing for an appropriation of | by Adam Kreger, of Bainbridge town-Saginaw is raising a \$10,000 bonus necessary to secure the location of a stream of threw dishes around. Finally it burnst out of the house on all sides, carrying away asah and glass and breaking holes through the siding.

Although there were six persons in the bouse, no one was injured. The house looks as if a dynamite explosion had occurred. Lightning strack several places in the city, but did no serious damage.

The Rights of the Tax Commission. An amicable suit will be commenced to test the right of the state tax commission to review local assessments.

Although the commenced to review local assessments. Atty-Gen. Oren was at Lansing in complete the state tax conventions at the convention at many control of the remainder of

of Kedleston, telegraphs that a good rain has fallen in Mysore and that The Pan-American Medical congress

A special from Montreal says that the Dominion government secret ser-The state livestocks smitary commission has been notified to investigate sacres of supposed glanders at Hillsdale. Local authorities pronounce the cronble glanders beyond doubt. The horses of supposed glanders at Hillsdale case of supposed glanders at H

Better Blood

Better Health 56th congress is now practically closed, tant work it has accomplished during If you don't feel well today you can be sessions for the Current Year. the last six months. It has been a made to feel better by making your blood busy congress, the busiest, according better. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great to veteran officials, in many years. In pure blood maker. That is how it cures

streemed to the insimulations that he he incomposed immunity to the directors of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has assessed was promised immunity to the directors of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has a suggests rushed San Miguel de May-tuno, province of Bulacana, Luzon, gastant the reciprocity years 1892, 1893 and 1894, when our imports from that is and averaged over \$75,000,000 per anything and it is so timprobable that they will take steps to make complaints against the Kalamazoo people.

| During an electrical storm on the list Geo. Dunn's house at Sity, seven miles south of Midland, was wrecked by lightning. The bolt entering the bed from under them, leaving the matters and boys on the floor unharmed but setting fire to the quilts. It then the companies of the probable setting fire to the quilts. It then the first in the policare frames and glass. Then it we to Dann's bedroom, setting fire to the disting from and broke the picture frames and glass. Then it we to Dann's bedroom, setting fire to the kittlenn where the distance of the policy of



PENSIONS! C. E. FOOTE, Kalarmazoo, Mich. coestul Penalen Claim Agent for past 12 Years 4,600 Claims Atlawed. Clork in Penalen Office nearly Six Years.



LOST VELDT

A STORY OF THE BOER CAMPAIGN IN NATALXXX By H. B. Mackenzie

CHAPTER V .- (Continued.) | gave a faint cry, almost staggering | be better for him if he were. It was a bright moonlight night, and backward, and she heard a fearful She had been stupefied at first by the pale silvery light fell on the long oath burst from her father as he, too, the fearful accusation made against rows of gum trees and netttles, giv- recognized the man. ing a strange white sheen on their It was Gerald Moore. CHAPTER VI. man's villainy Bluebell had slowly

leaves, and tracing a curious checkered pattern on the path below. Suddenly, turned his horse round and waved dow.

her father's voice demanded sleepily, girl uttered neither word nor cry as thought of it.

ringing out clear and strong, though her heart seemed almost bursting and glance from her father. He gave her her as in a vice. her heart seemed almost bursting and her tongue parched and dry. "Rise none. His own face was contorted quickly and get your revolver! The Boers, they are coming up the avenue! tion, the veins in his forehead were paused; the next moment Bluebell

There were only women in the house. Besides her aunt and herself there was Marie, the girl they had had as servant for two years, and two was terrible to hear, so that even the Presently there was another pause.

since learned to use firearms. moment. "Let the villains come on! I'm more than a match for a score of the words were strangled in his side-saddle, to be a horse. throat. He made a wild movement, as if he would have leaped out of the the voice that was so hateful to

pleasantly to them. Perhaps, after all, they have no unfriendly intentions. Why should they? We have never done them any harm. We have allowed to foot, and he fell back against Bluebell, rolled from her grasp, and, falling to the floor, lay there, after one or two convulsive motions, perdective fields. I am going to release your arms so that you feetly still.

at the window. voice from below called out:

"Open the door to us, Adam Leslie, and surrender yourself as our prisoner, and surrender yourself as our prisoner, mand, who proceeded to break down seize her as she was falling from the life, procure an APPLEY TRUSS. Our seize her as she was falling from the life, procure an APPLEY TRUSS. Our life, procure an APPLEY TRUSS. Our life, procure an APPLEY TRUSS. Our life, procure and life, procure

so that hardly seemed to see she looked down on the men below—an army they seemed to her excited mind—tail, stalwart fellows in khaki and wide Boer hats, each man armed, and each with stern and relentless gaze on the window. In front, on a fine, high-stepping horse, sat the man who was sevidently the leader—a young man, dressed like the others; but with a face—not unhandsome though it was a cold chill through Bluebell.

eenth century by the man who, for some reason of his own-Bluebell had never thought it love-wished to make her his wife. She was in the snare of

as Bluebell looked, a horseman shot In the moonlight his mocking, dark been coming out of her stuper, to reainto view—a horse riding straight up face had a look upon it that seemed lize that it might be true.

towards the house. Even as Bluebell, to Bluebell's eyes as malevolent and If it were——if her father, tempted with a sudden little gasping cry drew wicked as that of any flend could be. by the traitorous villainy of the man back, she saw the rider pause. He He was looking straigth up at the win- whom he had called a Judas Iscariot something—it looked like a pistol— There is no necessity for undeceiv- Bluebell could not find it in her heart in the air, as if to some one behind ing your daughter, Mr. Leslie," he to call it a crime, then the punishmen

him; then, turning again, rode straight up the avenue.

Blaebell only walted to see another

Edd; "but, you see, there's absolutely neted out to him might be so terrible no use in relistance—all is known now.

If you don't surrender yourself as sand times preferable. and yet another horseman shoot into prisoner it will be worse for yourself. And then poor Miss Elizabeth, left view, then, turning quickly to her The commando have orders to shoot to face those terrible men, with, perdoor, she opened it and flew along the passage to her father's room.

She knocke' furiously. In a moment beth's lips behind Bluebell; but the louse! Bluebell felt her heart torn with anguish and anxiety as she

her horrified eyes, looking dark and | Again she made violent struggles to "Who is there?" her horrified eyes, looking dark and Again she made violent struggles to large in the midst of her ghastly white free herself. Alas! they were worse swelling to bursting. For a moment heard a long, peculiar call rising on

stairs. The native "boys" slept in an glancing at Moore doubtingly. "I see sound of horse's hoofs, but her hear

that!" cried the girl as Leslie flung open the room door. "Let us speak strange convulsion shook him from the room door. "Let us speak strange convulsion shook him from the room door. "Let us speak strange convulsion shook him from the room door."

one or two convulsive motions, perfectly still.

Miss Elizabeth gave another cry, and moving forward, bent over him. It lay not miss ide, his face still a deep, almost a purple, red in hue, his eyes half open but glazed and unsection and a loud exclamation was uttered. And let me tell you it is perfectly useless; nothing but death can save you from me. On the window myself," said Leslie, in a low voice.

Bluebell stood back a little. At the same moment a sound of shrieks behind to:d her that the servants had been roused from their slumbers. She turned and saw Miss Elizabeth, pale and horror-stricken, in her blue duffle and horro-stricken, in her blue duffle and horro-stricken, in her blue duffle and horro-stricken, in her blue duffle.

One or two dun't make any resistance 1 will take off that the and resistance you make the worse you will be treated. And let me tell you it is perfectly useless; nothing but death can save you from me. Of course Bluebell could make no attempt to release your arms so that you on?

It will take off that the any resistance 1 will the error the worse you will be treated. And let me tell you it is perfectly useless; nothing but death can save you from me. Of cours

or we shall burn your house about your ears!"

Bluebell did not recognize the voice, which, though Dutch in accent, spoke excellent English. Her father answered, in a voice that trembled with passion:

mando, who proceeded to break down the door, and also to force their way into the house by means of the glass (To be continued.)

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Smoked While Being Flogged.

Dover (Del.) correspondence Philaturus have and trush and an exputation, but this present style is superior to anything of its kind. Why physicians call our truss "The Radical Cure Truss." is every to the fact that it constantly the novel, even though he be or we shall burn your house about the door, and also to force their way horse.

with villains like you!"

"I refuse to surrender!" shouted light she saw the Boers, in their sandy-colored clothes, striding through that vigorously on the bared back of

time even to think. Before she knew what was about to happen she was

the fowler, as powerless to free herself as any poor, fluttering, brokenwinged bird.

ing behind was terrible to her as her unknown fate. Her father had seemed dead as she looked upon him. Was he really so? It almost seemed to Blue bell's shuddering heart that it would her father, but in the moments that elapsed between his seizure by th visitation of God and her seizure by

They are almost on us!"

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Wild oath. At that moment it sent a lips twitched convulsively.

Then suddenly his voice broke from momentary pause it was answered. bim, low and hoarse—a voice that Then Bluebell's captor continued his

and horror-stricken, in her blue duffle else to do. The girl is my property For the next hour Bluebell found dressing-gown, her head covered with the ugly whits cap which she always wore during the night, hurrying towards her, followed by the shrieking Marie and the howling native girls.

"Keep them quiet. It will be all right auntle. They can't mean us harm. It is the Boers," Bluebell said, harm, and horror-stricken, in her blue dumed and bridge and horror-stricken, in her blue dumed and bridge and file laim her."

JAMES FICGREGOR, Prop'r: thinking impossible. The horse joint the light that horse joint the light that horse in the horse joint the light that horse joint the horse joint the light that horse joint the horse joint the horse joint harm. It is the Boers," Bluebell said, knew more about him than did most most to unseat her. Bluebell was acin short whispers, for she was listening at the same time to what went on with any dirty private work. My duty on the veldt, but now, disabled by the at the window.

Her father had flung it open. A is to take Adam Leslie, dead or alive, want of sight, suffocated as she was and I mean to confine myself to that." by the cloth over her head and mouth,

He turned to Bluebell. "Bring me beam of light.

But she had no time to speak, no to the awe and wonder of the crowd.

Sproul & McGurrin

The thought of what she was leav-

half-caste Zulu girls, who siept down- Boer leader shrank away a little, Then Bluebell fancied she heard the outside shed. Adam Leslie and Blue- your game now! You urged me to ing was so deafened by the thick cloth bell herself were the only two who could defend themselves against an attacking party, for Bluebell had long have self turned and informed on me! You minutes, however, she knew she had have self turned and informed on me! You minutes, however, she knew she had been correct. She felt herself lifted attacking party, for Bluebell had long have sold my child into your hands up and placed on the side-saddle of for gold! May God Almighty forgive some animal, which she guessed, from

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nearest treee and burn your house and
all it contains! That's the best course

from the room and out to the heal of
the steirs.

All was dark below, only she could
see that the outer door had been
opened, and a flood of moonlight
opened, and a flood of moonlight
instrument of torture used in New-

tween his teeth. sprang forward, and, pushing her father aside, interposed herself between him and the window. With eyes that hardly seemed to see she eyes that hardly seemed to see she that she could not utter a sound be tween the men helps. It is a strong, almost vice-like grip, something dark, close and stifling was fastened tightly around her face, so that she could not utter a sound broken and the window. Brother's Ashes.

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alongside the Boer leader. Bluebell captor was. She had been carried off funeral.

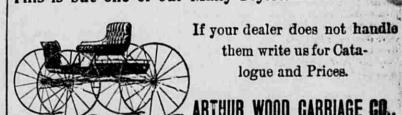
face—not unhandsome though it was—
whose merciless determination struck
the warmth of the air inside to the with the ashes of his brother, Mr. "You make a mistake," she said, and chilly atmosphere without; but she George H. Scripps, who died at the Mir-

"You make a mistake," she said, and her voice rang out clear and sweet after the men's hoarse, angry voices. "My father is no informer. Some one has been telling you a wicked lie. We were always friendly with any Boers that we knew."

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the post office there has not yet adopted the little stamp books used in this country. Hence, it is not surprising that stamps should stick to fingers down there.

Dewex is stated on good authority to have said that he will accept the Vice Presidency on Bryan ticket if he is asked to do so. If he does accept, the only thing the Republicans can do is to conscript Roosevelt after all.

"The Farm Journal is all sunshine," writes S. H. Hale, the great Connecticut fruit man, and the Ledger an interest of the surprise in this vicinity.

Neglect is the short step so many take from a cough or cold to consumption. The searly use of One Minute Cough Cure. We and found that all presons interested in said estate appear before add evisited her parents, D. Fero and family Sunday.

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Procept, Harry D. Jewell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frances E. Langler, mentally incompetent, on reading and filing the petition, duly verified of A. Orin Evans, guardian of said ward, praying for license and authority to mortage the real estate of said ward therein dec.

South Lowell.

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Daniel Erb, wife and daughter of Catchildren's day will be observed at this place Sunday evening June 17th.

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h papers at the price of ours day with J. Greeen . THE clerks whose salaries have Clyde Kinyen of Lowell spent Sunday been reduced to the level of United with his grandma, Mrs. J. Thibos. States rates complain that they might just as well stay at home if they can make no better wages in they can make no better wages in the concert at the Snow church was a Cords Sunday and attended the dedication ders of the brain irritate the Cuba. We are glad to see that some grand success. We hope we will soon hear of West Lowell church. glimmerings of sense are beginning the new church bell.

are a curse, even when they are honest.

The Cosmopolitan for June is an exceptionally good number. An article by William T. Stead, "What kind of a sovreign is Queen Victoria," will be read with interest. "The great Boer Trek," by Stephen Crane, is especially interesting at Children's day exercises at the M. E.

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See the May-pole Friday evening.

Op. W. S. Walkey and wife of Grand Haven visited at Warren Lillie's last week.

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Williamston, Mich. are a curse, even when they are cases of dyspepsia. It is pleasant to take.
L. H. Taft & Co. this time, and "How Presidents are church June 17th.

of money, Mr. Patton said:

"Oh, men of Michigan, what is it to be worthy of such heroes as it to be used for purchasing an organ for the church and sunday School. All are invited. we commemorate today? We are sharers in their glory only as we sions and drills by the school children visited at M. C. Deuny's last week Tuesday. have the impulses and willingness to repeat their splendil deeds. Shall we with such a heritage keep silent when our citizenship is de-Shall we with such a heritage keep bauched, when the right of choosing our own candidates for public office is so prosituted by the debasing influences of hired placemen; when the old tests of our fathers, of fit-

A Wealth Of Beauty

ness, capacity and merit are sneered at by the selfseekers who corrupt our primaries and buy our highest offices, thinking to purchase honor?

Do we not respect such memories when we sit with gagged lips, afraid to denounce, when representatives of the sudgent death of his uncle, John Steketee of Grand Rapids.

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Is, writing of his almost miraculons after measles induced serious lung from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and they may be excused for surrendering rather than dying in a game but hopeless struggle.

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Mr. Mary Lusk who is suffering with a cancer upon her side expects a cancer of money, Mr. Patton said:

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School expect to have graduating exercises at the M. E. church, Wednesday evening, June 20. The baccalaurate sermon will be preached by Rev. Aldrich June 17 in the evening.

Mrs. Richard Thurlby is very low. They had a consultation of physicians Friday who gave little if any hopes of her recovery.

Mrs. Mary Lusk who is suffering with a cancer upon her side expects a cancer upon her si

Mr. Scott filled the vacancy of Rev. J. Wesbrook who was absent Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Harvey spent Decoration Day with friends in Grand Rapids and decorated the graves of her parents.

Adah Booth rode to Lowell on her wheel A. G. Steketee received word Friday Persons have been known to the sudden death of his uncle, John guaranteed for 10 years, only \$16. Other machines in proportion. Needles and repairs for all makes of machines and fine oils. ALTHEN, CLOTHIER, LOWELL.

fore, and that is the way the gain

| Blanchard last week visiting friends. | Mr. and Mrs All Knee spent Sunday with friends south of Saranac. A certain amount of flesh is Anthony Kohn's baby was very sick last

Is often hidden by unsightly pimples, not got it you can get it by eczemas, tetter, erysipelas, salt rheum, etc. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will taking

not got it you can get it by with whooping cough last week.

Ed. Haskins went insane and was sent to the Traverse City insane asylum last

Mrs. Mary Smoke who has been visit-ing relatives here has returned to her home produced the same results with less is in winter, and if you are thriving upon Robert Sparks spent Sunday with his best of modern methods are em-Cad Peck returned from the to your aid.

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State of Michigan, County of Kent, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Kent, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 31st

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David Layer and family attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. 8. Braisted, of Vergeones, May 31.
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The sunday.

Treal estate as prayed for in said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Kent.

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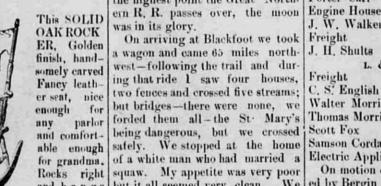
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Was packed full. We had a pleas-positively guaranteed to cure piles in any form, eczema, salt rheum, and any form, eczema, salt rheum, and any of the itching skin diseases now so common. A free sample box will be given to any sufferer who will end then I first saw the beautiful mountains bathed in sunset glow and it was very pretty. We crossed a wooden bridge said to be the highest in the United States which was conditioned to cure piles in any form, eczema, salt rheum, and any form eczema, salt rheum, and any of the itching skin diseases now so common. A free sample box will be given to any sufferer who will end the tidneys are no longer able to perform their duty any form, eczema, salt rheum, and any of the itching skin diseases now so common. A free sample box will be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light be given to any sufferer who will end the light and the light bear of light by the kidneys and the light bear of light by the kidneys and the light bear of light by the kidneys and the light bear of light by the kidneys and the light by the light by the kidneys and the l 260 feet high. I arrived at Kalispell, Mont., April 7, where I was

A good durable It would be difficult to say which Street Lights and a good look- was the most beautiful-moon-rise O. D. Rolf



Heyman Company.

Grand Rapids, Mich ging. Some of them are very re-

dance and it was a very amusing sight. They were all dressed in war-paint, feathers and beads. The language is somewhat different here than in the East. A shilling is a "bit," a horse is a "eay-

GREAT NORTHWEST | migrant wagons going over the trail and the country is being set-

Suffering Rarely Equalled.

Well, I will close with kind regards to yourself and family as well as all old friends. I remain yours sincerely MRS. NETTIE RICKERT.

Frontier, Mich.-W. D. Bailey, well known merchant of this place. says; "I would be very ungrateful not to make known what Dr. Chase's Oint-

Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is significant of my trip and what it is like out sessful in promptly curing the significant of my trip and what it is like out sessful in promptly curing the significant of my trip and what it is like out the significant of my trip and what it is like out the significant of my trip and what it is like out the significant of my trip and what it is like out the significant of my trip and what it is like out the significant of the significant o treated and operated upon repeatedly lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a special arrangement has any trip only it was very crowded. without result, and for five years I

met by my brother. For hundreds Village Council held in the council of miles we traveled, not seeing a house, fence or tree. The stations Meeting called to order by Presare only boards tacked on telegraph ident Weekes.

President Weekes.

Description:

poles. The eastern part of the Present, President Weekes, Trus-Chair of our own Blackfoot Indian reserve contained a tees Bergin, Look, VanDyke, DROBATE ORDER. make, solid as a chair can be made to the solid and the solid as a chair can be made to the solid as a head valley I found it warm, the On motion of VanDyke, sup-Handsomely carved, elegant golden finish, 41 in high, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand cane filled, 3 rounds in front, 17 in seat, hand myself had the mountain fever while there. On the 17th we again crossed the mountains and were in crossed the mountains are crossed the mountains and were in crossed the mountains are crossed the mountains and were in crossed the mountains are crossed the mountains and were in crossed the mountains are crossed the crossed the crossed the crossed the crossed tha their midst, when the moon arose.

or sunset as both were grand and L. J. Hammond when we reached the summit which is 5,000 feet above the level and H. F. Lane the highest point the Great North. Porter Carr This SOLID ern R. R. passes over, the moon Engine House Lights was in its glory.
On arriving at Blackfoot we took Freight J. W. Walker finish, hand- a wagon and came 65 miles north- J. H. Shults

enough for but bridges—there were none, we Walter Morris parlor forded them all-the St. Mary's Thomas Morris and comfort- being dangerous, but we crossed Scott Fox able enough safely. We stopped at the home Samson Cordage Works for grandma, of a white man who had married a squaw. My appetite was very poor and han gs right. It's our made the trip in two and a half level of the squaw and a squaw and a half level of the squaw and a squaw and a half level of the squaw and a for grandma, of a white man who had married a Electric Appliance Co.

they are always at the door beg-VanDyke to adjourn carried pulsive indeed. I attended an Indian

> EXCURSIONS VIA THE

in Lowell are \$2.50 here; calico is good to return until June 16.

21 and 15 cents per yard and other Special Rates June 12. things in proportion.

There is no timber here and no fruit whatever but there will be in time. The nearest railway is 50 miles away; but every week one

Special Rates June 12.

On train leaving Lowell at 9:25 a. m. and arriving at Grand Rapids at 10:30. Returning leave at 6:45 p. m. Rate 50c. You can't afford to miss this great event.

CUT RATE SALE OF Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases, Telescopes, Pocket Books, Lap Robes, Fly Nets, Whips and everything in our large and elegant stock at a big price reduction for a short time.

PAUL EFFERT, 50 CANAL ST. sees the long trains of white im. H. F. Moeller, Acting G. P. A. Trunk and Harness Factory.

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Of Backaches and Headaches, and Remove It by Using

DR. A. W. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

The error of the day in medical treatment is the "doctoring" of effects in stead of getting at the cause. A powder

Regular meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in the council

They remove the cause of headaches, backaches and an endless chain of most fatal and complicated diseases.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are

In the matter of the estate of RICH-ARO GILES, deceased, Albert Heffron administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate, having rendered to 63 this court his final account as such ac ministrator etc., and his petition praying for the determination of the heirs of said deceased and for the distribution of said

4 00 estate.
It is ordered that Friday the 15th day 4 00 of June, 1900, at ten o'clock in the fore-noon, at said Probate Office, be appointed noon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for the examination and allowance of said account and hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Lowell Ledger a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Kent.

HARBY D. JEWELL, (A true copy)

Judge of Probate.

ALVIN E. EWING, Register.

30 00 (A true copy) Judge of Flora 24 00 iun7 Alvin E. Ewino, Register.

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Motion by Watts supported by and payable.

The amount claimed to be due on said PERE MARQUETTE R. R. D. G. Look, Clerk pro tem. mortage at date of this notice is the sum of Nineteen Hundred Seventy Six and 45-100

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 to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described at public

Trains leave Lowell as follows:

7 15 am 11 06 am 4 15 pm
For Grand Rapids and Chicago
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At first it was very strange but I

Bay City and Saginaw Sunday, Indian CRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

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My immense stock of HIGH GRADE

SATURDAY, JUNE

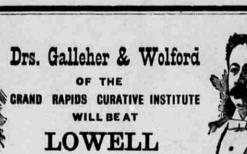
Wheels and they will be closed out at prices that you never dreamed of. Bargains will last only till stock is reduced sufficiently, so do not wait if you want the greatest chance of your life. Remember the opening day of sale SATURDAY,

JUNE 9, 1900, and come early.



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State Rooms and Cabins on the Steamships "INDIANA" and "IOWA" are large, well ventilated, electric lighted, have running water and and call bells. Leave Lowell 4:33 p. m., via D. G. H. & M. Ry and take one of these boats at Grand Haven 9:00 p. m., arrive at Chicago 6:00 a. m.



May 13, 1900. Trains leave Lowell as follows:

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Assignes of said m'tg.

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Durand and East
7 57 pm
Nos 12, 20 and 18 daily except Sunday

Digests what you eat.

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Durand and East

7 57 pm
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A. O. Heydlauff, Agent,
Lowell, Mich

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Description of the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. 15 instantly relieves and permanently cures
Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn,
Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea,
Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and
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smallisize. Book sall about dyspepsia malled from
Description. and Imperialism," given as a premium Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., Chicago with the LEDGER. L. H. TAFT & CO

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Lowell Ledger.

F. M. JOHNSON, Publisher. MICHIGAN state of New York \$100,000. The walking delegates may sooner or later

Coffee, the drink more highly re-

patient taxpayer.

was because he made it from the galis reported to have been derailed. No pression concerning the latest prod- or wounded an officer, supposed to be

River colony, the burghers are reported to be keeping a close watch on president Steyn to prevent him from leaving the commandos in a lurch.

River colony, the burghers are reported and smartpox. Fugitives like and strick the American occupation of the Philippines. There were also found copies of Senator Beveridge's speech, transfelds and roadside ditches. The number of Senator Beveridge's speech, transfelds and roadside ditches.

A great many of the census enutors have given up their jobs in ore or less disgust. When the an-

and the roller process took the place of the grinding process. Water power and steam engines of the most efficient and economical character are being used as motive power. In fact, in America the milling industry has been reduced to the most economical methods.

Of eighteen bushels to the acre. This year the winter wheat acreage is 4,685,819, as estimated by the growers, and the average yield will be larger than that of 1892. If the yield per acre is the same as in 1892, the aggregate yield will be 85,000,000 bushels. The crop in general was never in better

and forks that now grace a wellvariegated display of cutlery and silver. There are forks for the oysters, for the fish and for the roast, and forks as well for anything else that may be served. There are also knives to correspond to the forks that may be needed. These implements that social convention decrees to be necessary to convention to necessary to convention to necessary to convention to necessary to convention to necessary to conve lation. Her common sense told her diamond rings and \$150 in cash. that they were laid out in the regular order in which it was intended that was the right end of the row to start in with. Finally, in despair, she sought help from her next-door neighbor, a prominent physician. "Say, bor, a prominent physician. "Say, as she to start in with the investigation into the postal affairs had been completed. The postal affairs had been completed anxiously as she to be a start affairs had been completed. The postal affairs had been completed anxiously as affairs had been completed. The postal affairs had been completed anxiously as affairs had been completed. The postal affairs had been completed anxiously affairs had been completed anxi

Residents and Foreign Legion Tribune from Washington says that

arouse the latent indignation of the Boers Capture

lery, instead of the floor of the house. British refugees have arrived.

animal dealer, removes the most ex- the subjects of several small captures is also regarded as well fitted to com- ican commander reached Labonga tensive procurer of wild animals of at the hands of the Boers. Lieutenant mand this important station, which where Aguinaldo had made his head modern times. He was the first to introduce rare beasts into European menageries.

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Boxers Killed by Co

Havana, June 5.—The rumors havpointed at the offending objects, "do officials now in charge state that there officials now in charge state that there are most cogent reasons why Mr. have surrendered at Calire, island of

ticinity. No persons or goods from that Havana, June 5.—Gen. Maximo Gowashington, June 5.—The judiciary sand dollars, entrance being made through a back window. The front of Chinamen have died of a disease which may be bubonic plague. There is no plague or of any other discoult in San Francisco.

German professor is predicting downfall of the United States. The downfall of the United States. The particularly pleasing to our ears.

The san in New York and St. Paul closed a deal by telephone after particularly pleasing to our ears.

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WILL FLY PENNANT IN EUROPE

Rear-Admiral Frederick Rodgers has been selected to re-establish the Euro-ACTIVITY AROUND VICKSBURG, pean station, according to the general understanding at the navy department, was shor from his horse. and will probably fly his pennant from

the new battleship Kearsarge in the His Companions Carried His Body Away bant's Horse—Roberts May Try to
Surround the Enemy—Latest News
from the Front.

English channel before the end of Auto Prevent Americans from Getting gust. At the final inspection of the battleship the first of this week by Admiral Rodgers this information was used in Abyssinia in 1875. A Greek first introduced it to England and telegraph to Pretoria is still open, but imparted to the officers of the ship, and they were too delighted to keep their good fortune as secret as the description. The still open, but their good fortune as secret as the description of the ship, and they were too delighted to keep their good fortune as secret as the description.

two questions for 21/2 cents. That's a to the Probate Court that Squire James | fled from Pao-Ting-Fu have arrived | naido or his adjutant, and as the horse waived his usual court fees. Each here. One of them was badly injured. was richly caparisoned it is a fair pretime he appeared with a new will The relief expedition has returned. sumption that it was Aguinaldo.

loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Hazel's Nomination Favored. Washington, June 5.—The judiciary sand dollars, entrance being made

the town is in great confusion. There navy department wished for a month tachment of the Thirty-third regi-A man was arrested for making a silly speech in the national house of representatives the other day, but that was because he made it from the galucts of American naval ingenuity, in- Aguinaldo, whose body was removed Maseru, Basutoland, Saturday, June cluding the superimposed turrets and by his followers. Aguinaldo had 10 The death of Cross, the Liverpool 2.—General Brabant's Horse have been electrical auxiliaries. Admiral Rodgers men, Major March 125. The Amer-The path in front of a bicycle is cleared of substances which would puncture the tires by a new attachment, comprising clamps for suspending a small circular brush in front of the forward wheel, with driving wheels to revolve the brush rapidly on the composition of the path in front of the path in front of the power. When the interest of the definition of the provincial Horse, under Lieutenant Bowker, with a flag of truce to Senekal, to demand the surrender of that place. The Boers captured the entire party and, after robbing the men of all but their clothing, sent them to Urede whence some of them managed to estable display of force.

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Man of Many Wills.

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Cincinnati, Ohio, June 5.—Judge A.

I Pruden who died recently left at 1 Pruden w ment was made that the popula- J. Pruden, who died recently, left at Dohad 2,500 in the same period. The tributary to the Chico, followed it for on canvassers would be appointed on least two wills, and probably more. hospital death rate at Godhera and two days, reaching Tino, where he a certain date there were several thouone document is in the Probate
Dohad was 90 per cent. At Ahmedalearned that a party of Filipinos had
bad the death rate in the poorhouse
descended the river May 20 on a raft Politics was considered very little in the selection of the men, and everything looked promising. When the final work of preparation was begun it resembled clear sailing until the canfinal work of preparation was begun it resembled clear salling until the can-making a new will nearly every thirty Bombay presidency is now presidency is now presidency is now presidency is now presidency in the freshest men, with whom he beat the surrounding country for six days longer, but without finding any trace Boxers Killed by Cossacks. of the insurgents. The Americans

It is predicted in London that unless conditions change American flour will soon compel the closing of the mills of England. In France American flour is able to pay the high tariff duties and profitably compete with French-milled flour. It is claimed that American millers can grind the wheat into flour cheaper than British or French millers. A comparison of the ordinary flour mills of European countries with those of the United States carries out this assertion. Long ago in this country the old-fashioned grist mill gave place to the merchant mill and the roller process took the place of the grinding process. Water power American millers can grind the wheat of Kansas will begin this week to har-

crop in general was never in better clusion would practically prevent the condition."

clusion would practically prevent the manufacture of liver, tongue and blood charge of robbing the government. sausages, which the Germans consume in large quantities. Emperor William granted the extradition demanded by Phoenixville, Pa., June 5.-With a personally ordered a German warship Gov.-Gen. Wood through the war deoquipped and formal dinner table may walise full of gold, jewels and articles of personal adorament, Ben Ali Mawariegated display of cutlery and silhad, a Syrian in native costume, struck and a Syrian in native costume, struck and a Syrian in native costume, struck and silhad, a Syrian in native costume, struck and silhad and silhad and struck and silhad an criminal charges, and afterward was

eastern dinner surveyed her supply of earthly possessions. Among the treaknives and forks with growing trepi- sures in the grip were two splendid lyn, dangerously hurt; Samuel Johnson, Joseph Hopkins. The financial meeting. When the police were asleep, James Christopher Flynn, nationalist member of parliament for North STRENCTH

> New Lisbon, Wis., June 5 .- The Bank of New Libson, owned by W. H. H. Cash, was robbed of several thou-

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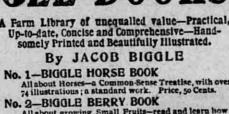
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Peruna as a Nerve and Catarrh Tonic the Talk



symptoms, and was particularly good from Pretoria.

ru-na, as the best I have ever tried." | London. "W. V. Sullivan." Johannesburg to Lord Roberts.

Green-I see your daughter was riculture, says: The crop this year coax his wife to sing for him. married last week. I suppose you will be the heaviest ever known. In "gave her away," as the gaying is? 1892 Kansas had 3,800,000 acres of Brown-Yes, I did; but she's come back | wheat and raised 70,000,000 bushels, an to me again. Green-What! She average of 18 bushels to the acre. This a safe and sure remedy for infants and children,

Below we submit the official standing of the Moves the bowels each day. In order | clubs of the National and American leagues up | force praise

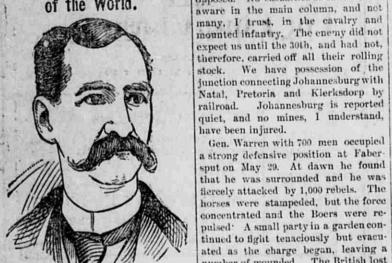
Honora, a Latin name, signifies the

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If you are puzzled write for Mrs. Pinkham's ad- | Newport, Vt. Three deaths have ocvioe. Her address is stance the victim has been ill but two Lynn, Mass. She will days when fatal symptoms appeared.

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.



Hon. W. V. Sullivan, U. S. Senator from 15 killed, including Col. Spence, and 30 thing on the ither days, ye ken!" Senator from Mississippi, in a letter There is no direct news from Pretoria Oxford, Miss., says the following:

"For some time I have been a suf"For some time I have been a suf"For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its most incipient stage, so much so that I became alarminessages about secondary operations. Stores 25c Sample sent EREE Adge, so much so that I became alarmas to my general health. But, hearof Pe-ru-na as a good remedy, I gave it a fair trial and soon began to nasburg, dated at Orange Grove Farm Its effects were distinctly four miles northeast of Johannesburg beneficial, removing the annoying show that on June 2 he was 25 miles

Commandant Kraus has surrendered

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THE MARKETS.

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Wheat, Corn. Oats.

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Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. Peruna has no substitutes-no rivals. Insist upon having Peruna. Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for a free book on ca-

crop in the history of the state. Sechasn't left her husband already? Brown | year the winter wheat acreage is 4,--Oh, no; she brought him with her.- 685,819 as estimated by the growers, and the average yield will be larger than that of 1892. If the yield per acre is the same as in 1892 the aggre-

gate yield will be 85,000,000 bushels. this notice out and mail to Sears. Roeseuck & Co. (Binder Twine Department), Chicago, tathing about how much twine near the condition. stating about how much twine you will require and how soon you will want it, and they will save you money by quoring you a price that will either secure your order or compel the

It is reported that since the cent falls to the lot of the U. S. So is thoroughly reliable. opening of the Nome rush, including states U. S. Consul Winter at Anna-Monday's sailing, forty-seven craft have berg in a report to the state departleft Seattle for the north, carrying ment comparing the relative positions well as to watch and pray. certified lists of passengers amounting of the three leading countries in the to 7,216. Five steamers are yet to go trade markets of the globe. in the initial rush. Boy Forger Given 12 Years.

On the ith Jerry J. Morris, aged 19, of Grand Rapids, was sentenced in the Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new superior court to 12 years in the Marshoeseasy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, quette prison for forging an order for aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and | 835 and passing it upon a local hotelbunions. All druggists and shee steres, keeper. The boy is a confirmed crimi-25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Ad- nal, with his picture in a half dozen dress Allen S. Clasted, Le Roy, N.Y. rogues' galleries about the country.

A daughter's likeness to her mother has been promises and threats. Ophelia comes from the Greek, and out trial.

to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Canad including Monday, June 4th:

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Philadelphia. 24 Flattery is the foe of fathful friend- Boston

Lives with many objects are without | Cincinnati...

Weary Women

other medicine. Its
friends are everywhere
and they are constantly
writing thankful letters
which appear in this

Cincinnati 73@72 42@40 28@28
Pittsburg 58@1514 41@414 28@28
Pittsburg 58@1514 40@404 27@27
*Detroit—Hay, No. 1 Timothy, 812 50 per tot
chilckeus, 94:1 per lb; fowls, 9c; turkeys, 103
ducks, 94:2 Eggs, strictly fresh, He per dozen
Butter, best dairy, 132 per lb; creamery, 203

prevails at West Derby, a suburb of After a hunt of three months in rub-

There Is a Class of People Who are injured by the use of c The following dispatch from Lord Recently there has been placed in Roberts, dated Germiston, May 29, has been received: We arrived at Germiston on the 29th without being seriously opposed. No casualties so far as I am the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-0, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without aware in the main column, and not distress, and but few can tell it fro many. I trust, in the cavalry and coffee. It does not cost over one-four mounted infantry. The enemy did not as much. Children may drink it with expect us until the 30th, and had not, therefore, carried off all their rolling per package, Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Shopping in Scotland. Natal, Pretoria and Klerksdorp by The Scotch have their own idea of a "bargain day," and their view is not without a touch of shrewdness. A London paper describes a conversation between an English matron and Mr. Ana strong defensive position at Fabersput on May 29. At dawn he found
that he was surrounded and he was
fiercely attacked by 1,000 rebels. The
horses were stampeded, but the force
concentrated and the Boers were reconcentrated and the Boers were rethe lady. "Why, I thought bargain days would just suit your people!" days would just suit your people!" "Weel," said he, "that's just it. It was suit them ower weel. If they had bargain days, naebody was buy onything on the ither days, ye ken!"

It is the only cure for Swellen, ator from Mississippi, in a letter of later date than May 31. Gen. Smarting, Burning, Sweating Feet,

Weary Willie-"Ah, lady, I've often eaten jes' such pie as dis ia my A dispatch from Pretoria to the ef- dreams." Mrs. Handout-"In your "I take pleasure in recommending feet that that city has been occupied dreams?" Weary Willie-"Yes, lady; your great national catarrh cure, Pe- by the British has been received at an' den woke up an' found I wuz bitin' a car-truck or suthin'."-Judge.

Coughing Leads to Consumption. Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today The farmers of Kansas will begin and get a sample bottle free. Sold in next week to harvest the largest wheat lays are dangerous.

retary Coburn, of the state board of ag- No one ever heard a married ma Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA.

> Bears the Chart Helteher. In Use For Over 30 Years,
> The Kind You Have Always Bought,

Convention is the soul's barbed-wire fence to keep the cattle off. Of the \$18,000,000,000 worth of com-Our readers will do well to write T. merce done by all the nations of the M. Roberts' Supply House, Minneapoworld England's share is 18.3 per cent, lis, Minn., before buying. See offer Germany's 10.8 per cent and 9.7 per in another part of this paper. The firm

Information cannot take the place of the culture of character in education. Is a constitutional cure. Price, 75c.

The mind may find amusement, but only the Twelve British subjects have been heart can d is caused by dandruff. Coke Dandruff Cure

Flag Salt Cures Headache. A 10c trial package FREE. Address, The Flag Salt Remedy Co., Savannah, N. Y.

A Book of Choice Recipies Sent free by Walter Baker & Co. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass. Mention this paper. Nothing brings sin to life again so readily as writing its epitaph.

Keep looking young and save your hair, its color and beauty with PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM. HINDERCORNS, the best cure for corns. 15cts. I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption say

Manlove Self Opening Gate, Catalog free. Manlove Gate Co., Milton, Indiana. If a young man stays too late the girl's father is apt to kick. Brown's Teething Cordial secures rest for the parents, as well us the baby.

You're not feeling just right this spring, are you? Somehow, you haven't your old-time strength, cannot take hold of things with your usual push and energy. You just drag around, fairly well one day, not so well the next. You are wretched, disconsolate, discouraged; you are miserable

That's Nerve Poverty

To be rich in nerve power you should take a good spring medicine, something that will give you pure and rich blood. A perfect Sarsaparilla will do this every time; not a cheap Sarsaparilla, not one that promises you a great deal of bulk for your money; but a highly concentrated Sarsaparilla, one that has more cure in it than any other Sarsaparilla in the

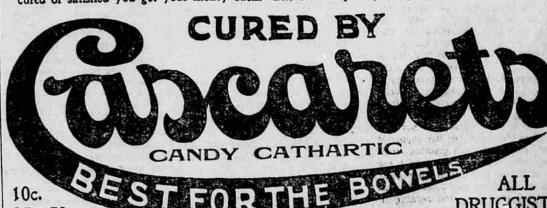
The only Sarsaparilla made under the personal supervision of three graduates: a graduate in pharmacy, a graduate in chemistry, and a graduate in medicine."

"For thirty-five years I have used Ayer's Sarsaparilla, There are many other kinds on the market, but I have great faith in that word "Ayer's."- N. Musesick, St. Anthony, Iowa.



Puffs under the eyes; red nose; pimpleblotched, greasy face don't mean hard drinking always as much as it shows that there is BILE IN THE BLOOD. It is true, drinking and over-eating overloads the stomach, but failure to assist nature in regularly disposing of the partially digested lumps of food that are dumped into the bowels and allowed to rot there, is what causes all the trouble. CASCARETS will help nature help you, and will keep the system from filling with poisons, will clean out the sores that tell of the system's rottenness. Bloated by bile the figure becomes unshapely, the breath foul, eyes and skin yellow; in fact the whole body kind of fills up with filth. Every time you neglect to help nature you lay the foundation for just such troubles. CASCARETS will carry the poisons out of the system and will regulate

you naturally and easily and without gripe or pain. Start to-night—one tablet—keep it up for a week and help the liver clean up the bowels, and you will feel right, your blood will be rich, face look clean, eyes bright. Get a 10c box of CASCARETS, take as directed. If you are not cured or satisfied you get your money back. Bile bloat is quickly and permanently





To any needy mortal suffering from bowel troubles and too poor to buy CASCARETS we will send a box free. Address
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York, mentioning advertisement and paper. Not the cheapest but the best Buggy our factory can build for the money. \$34.47 buys the buggy here illustrated, fully equipped, with heavy rubber or drill top. End springs. Painting, gear, dark Brewster green, body black, with very fine finish. Kerotel leather trimmed. The green, body black, with very fine finish. Kerotel leather trimmed. The carpet. Boot, storm apron, while socket, full drop back, toe nail, nickel carpet. Boot, storm apron, while socket, full drop back, toe nail, nickel line rall, leather trimmed shafts. We have vehicles from 86.68 up, including Road Carts. Road Wagons, Surreys, Phaetons, Traps, Spring duding Road Carts. Road Wagons, Surreys, Phaetons, Traps, Spring on our free Buggy and Harness T. M. ROBERTS' SUPPLY HOUSE Minneapolts, Minn.

We received the following telegram from our buyer which explains itself. "Purchased these bunded as a pestal cred and we will send you a Bicycle Catalogue Free. This catalogue Free. This catalogue Free. This catalogue expects at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill objectles at \$16.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill stelly and a bicycle as good as you can buy for \$40.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at any price, we skill at \$1.47; new \$20.00 or at \$1.47;

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HOME NEWS.

Mrs. Wm. Drew is on the sick

Fred Oliver was in Saranac Satur.

F. W. Davey was joined by his family here last Saturday. E. Sage of Rockford is now clerkat Hotel Waverly.

Mrs. F. B. Clark of Mt. Pleasant is visiting friends in Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gain Bangs visited with Mrs. Mary Kilgus Sunday. Fred Bowen visited at Charles

Buckley's in Grand Rapids Tuesnay. Miss Mary Lee of Bowne was the guest of Mrs. S. Chambers Sunday. Children's day will be observed at the M. E. church, Sunday, June

Jack McCall and son, Ora, wheeled over to Morrison Lake last Sun-

Chas. Kopf called on his old friend, Clarence Kunkel, in Alto Thursday.

The Baptist Missionary society meets with Mrs. Fred Oliver Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Austin of Grand Lowell friends. Claude and Hiram Staal of Grand

Rapids spent Saturday and Sunday with Lowell friends.

C. A. Kellogg left Tuesday for Chicago where he has a situation withe Illinois Electural Co.

Manufacturers are housecleaning and they offer us bargains which we pass on to you. Chas. Althen. Mr. and Mrs. Will Leary of Waterveldt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones Sunday.

Strikingly stylish and sensible neck-wear, the newest creations of fashion's dictation, Chas, Althen,

Mrs. Geo. H. Watts and children left Monday morning for Toledo where they will make a few weeks

Mrs. H. F. Clark went to Detroit, Sunday, to spend a week or ten days with her daughter, Mrs. Fremont Cotton, and brother, C. L. Boyce.

Mrs. Alice Gunn of Shelby has returned home after a visit with Miss Emma White and other Lowell

Island City Rebekah lodge will hold its next meeting June 13. All members are requested to be present to the nomination of officers.

The semi-annual meeting of the Epworth league will be held the Epworth League parlor next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. It is desired that all members be present.

The interior of the Lowell post office has been newly painted. give this timely warning so that patrons of this office may not receive a fatal shock on entering the place.

A. A. Husted left last Sunday for a six weeks stay in Georgia where a mommoth peace crop demands attention. Mrs. Husted has joined her brother, Geo. Severy at

The Hastings Journal says: "Keep your eye on P. H. Gilkey of Richland for governor. Size him up; he's all wool, a yard wide; second democrat with no frills, supports Bryan; a farmer, stock raiser, and manufacturer; raised on a farm in one of the richest sections of Michigan, College education; a sharp logical writer, plenty of snap and money. Couldn't be fooled by a regiment of Whites, Suttons and Marshes, Good all around man, world wide enough to be strictly honest and honorable; a graft from old Vermont stock; in fact just such a man as we are looking for." Mr.

Gilkey is all that the Journal claims, and more. He says, however, that he is not looking for political honors just now. But many a man has found what he was not looking for. The Gazette is for him if he wants the office, and will guarantee that if he is elected, there will be no vouchers signed that he does not know are genuine, and just what they are given for.—[Kalamazoo Gazette News,

House for sale or to rent.

Remember Quo Vadis at Train's opera house, June 14th. For sale-New milch cow, large

polled Durham. C. Guy Perry.

Mis. M. J. Kopf and daughter, Ella, are visiting friends in Freeport. Mrs. J. Pinckney and son left to-day to join her husband at Crystal Falls.

Charlie Barnes, tonsorial artist, is home on a visit from Newberry. He will return.

T. A. Murphy and H. W. Force were in Benton Harbor the first of thd week on business. Miss Ina Gardner of Cheboygan

is spending a few weeks with her grandfather, C. Barney. Mrs. Clayton Gunn has returned

from a visit with friends at Burnip's Corners, Allegan county. THE LOWELL LEDGER has donned

new dress which adds very much to its appearance. [-Saranac Local. We recommend our goods as safely and securely as we recommend

an American gold coin.

Rain interferred with the proposed Y. M. C. A. ball game Saturday and the Jarvis & Daniels game yeaterday, both being declared off.

"A lie stands on one leg, a truth on two." Kindly investigate our trustworthy, two-legged trousers. Chas. Althen.

Mrs. S. B. Perry of Fremont reurned to her home yesterday after a visit with the family of M. M.

Mrs. M. Bisby, who has been staying in Grand Rapids, was unable to get here in time to attend the funeral of her friend, Mrs. N. Purple; but came Monday to see the friends, returning the same day.

THE LOWELL LEDGER appeared last week in a new dress of type and looks neat and clean. Bro Johnson is putting out a good sheet and the people appear to appreciate it.—
[Caledonia News.

The Lowell W. C. T. U. will observe Flower Mission day at the home of Mrs. E. Watts Saturday evening, June 9. A nice program Rapids is spending the week with Lowell friends. will be given, also ice cream and cake will be served. A general invitation is extended.

A purse was lost a week ago Sunday and an adv, was placed in the LEDGER Thursday and the owner received the purse Friday at noon. For quick work and good results advertise in the LEDGER.

An Independence ball will be given at Train's opera house, Lowell, on Wednesday evening, July 4, 1900. Music by Adam's full orchestra. Floor committee: A. Bruner, C. H. Alexander, tf.

Mrs. A. C. Stone's special sale of potted plants-advertised in the LEDGER—amounted to \$53 in five days. She will keep a nice line of plants and flowers throughout the season and will fill orders for cut flowers for special occasions at all times. Just now she is arranging for a special sale of gloxinias and

Among the delegates to the State convention elected by the Republican county convention are: Ada, D M Winters; Bowne W H Watts; Caledonia, Charles Clark; Cascade, J W Hulbert, Vergennes, Peter McPherson; Lowell, W. S. Winegar; Cannon, John Joyce; Grattan, Asa Wood. The delegation stands 38 for Stearns and 9 for Bliss.

It took a ribbon of paper four feet wide and 225 miles long-further than from Philadelphia to Bostonto print the January Farm Journal. You should have the Farm Journal. It fairly bristles with good things. We have a clubbing arrangement by which we will send it for nearly five years, the remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903, and 1904 to every one who pays up promptly for the LOWELL LEDGER, both papers for the price of one,

THE LOWELL LEDGER SAYS, in speaking of the lavish use of money to control the primary caucuses "Oh, for a Moses to lead us out of the wilderness," Didn't you know, brother Johnson, that Moses was leading the people some forty years in the wilderness but that Joshus took them into the promised land. We need a Joshua to take us to the land of political purity and honordon't leave us in the wilderness .-[Saranac Local, All right, Elder Potts; we accept your amendment, and no Josh-ing about it either.

FRANKLIN

SMITH'S BAKERY.

There May be A Wedding....

To which you have been bidden. You don't know just what to buy for a present—It's a hard question to decide. Drop in and see if we can't help you out of your dilemma. We've a fine line of Gold, Silverware, etc—things that look well among the other presents and that will bring joy to the prospective bride and groom.

Seeing the things will suggest what you ought to buy and the price will not deter you from buying anything in our store.



Wanted-Girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. Orton Hill.

John Rogers, a very highly es-teemed and the oldest and wealthiest farmer of Grattan, died May 30, at the age of 82. He leaves a wife but

William S. Purple and wife of Traverse City, Thomas Purple and daughter Edith of Ada, and Mr and Mrs Bowen and John Shear of Bowen Station, were present at the fun-eral of Mrs Nancy Purple Sunday.

We were shown several limbs today from the Frost orchards north of Alton and Charles Wilson's orchards four miles north-west of Lowell, and they are as perfect as could be desired, the wood being perfectly free from gum disease and the foliage is bright and healthy. The fruit on those limbs will have to be thinned out, it being so thick. The leaders seem to be the Oceana, Michigan, Chilli and Triumph. Their showing for hardiness and productiveness seems to be remark-

Card of Thanks.

We as a family wish to express our heart felt thanks to the singers kind neighbors and friends for their sympathy and kindness in our sad bereavement in the loss of a wife and mother. Mr. S. Braisted.

Mrs. G. Wilson. Mrs. D. Layer. Mr. F. Braisted.

Obituary.

Mary Jane Austin was born in New York, Chattanooga Co. 1843, moved from there with her parents in 1854 to Talmage Michigan and was married to Silas Braisted in 1858 and settled on a farm four miles west of Lowell living there until the time of her death, May 28, 1900. Four children were born to them one son having passed away nine months ago, one daughter Mrs. Geo. Wilson, living in Lowell, Mrs. David Layer five miles south of Lowell and Frank Braisted four miles west of Lowell. The deceased being a devoted Christain for many years, we believe our loss is Com.

The Hang of Your Hand. There is a great deal in the hand of the hand when free and at eass. A man drope his hands to his sides by a

purely unconscious action in the ma-jority of cases, and all unconscious actions are important to a would be judge of character. Sit at a window and watch the passerby. The man whose first and little fingers are stretched straight down, with the two others curled inward, is endowed with accurate judgment and precise foresight.

If a long and well formed thumb

hangs parallel with the outstretched ingers, all his actions will be the re-sult of thought and his words well weighted before spoken. Unlers the upper phlange of his thumb shows a tendency to turn outward, he will be

Another, whose forefinger alone points downward, is by profess on a teacher—possibly a preacher. The same man, when 1 stening intently, will have a habit of resting the finger

on his temple,
The characteristies of the te cher and the man of judgment, combined in the right and left hands, respectively. denote_some one in the capacity of a judge—a man who is constantly ac-customed to weigh a point and lay it down as his dictum.

The forefinger and second finger, if seen hanging down (less tysether, mi...) denote the judge's clerk, whose business leads him to turn over papers with a hand constantly ready for the

The average man of all clauses walks with his fist half doubled. Market charac eristics are in his case unusual or too undeveloped to be demonstrated by the firgers in this way.

This instance might be brought for ward in corroboration of the theory advanced by professors of palmistry, who say that the seat of the will lies in the thumb.—Pearson's.

OLD PAPERS AT THIS OFFICE

ROUSE-THOMAS

Wedding in This Village Last Evening.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rouse, in this village, last evening at 8 p. m., Miss Minnie and Mr. Asa Thomas of Grand Rapids. The ceremony was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives being present.

The bride was dressed in gray

and was attended by Miss Casson of Grand Rapids as bridesmaid. Geo. Rouse, Jr., brother of the bride,

officiated as groomsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas leave today for Grand Rapids where they will find their future home in readi-

METHODICAL SUICIDE.

ness for them.

Ionia County Farmer Blew His Head Off With an Old Rifle.

Lake Odessa, Mich., June 4.-John Karrar, an old resident of Campbell township, shot himself in the head with an old muzzle-loading rifle. He laid the rifle on a table, attached a string to the trigger, seated himself on a stool and placed his forehead against the muzzle of the gun as he pulled the string. Just before the shot was fired he called to his wife, saying: "Ma, good-bye to you all." He leaves a widow and three grown children in good circumstances

Caught in the Act.

For quite a long time people who have had occasion to erect notices or signs of any kind have been pestered by lawless individuals who destroy or mutilate such notices. Last week Viliage Marshal Mason pasted some printed "Warning" cards in Island Park. Within an hour he caught a young man in the act of soiling one of them and gave him due notice that if detected in another lawless act he would be prosecuted vigorously, and it wouldn't make any difference whose son he was either.

"Boys, have all the fun you can, but don't do anything mean." Second notice.

To Whom it May Concern.

As a certain unscrupulous agent is misrepresenting to my patrons and others that I am not in the insurance business and cannot renew the insurance and, etc., I take this means of informing the public that I am in the insurance business and have been for years and with a constantly increasing business, naturally resent contemptible competition as as the above referred to and if con-

tinued I shall prosecute the offender. day evening, June 12. R. D. Stocking is agent for the following companies: America of Newark, N. J., North-western National of Milwaukee, Wis., Girard Fire & Marine of Philadelphia, Pa. Security of the New Haven, Conn.

Read "Coin on Money, Trusts and Imperialism," for sale at THE LEDGER office, only 25c.

EXCURSIONS PERE MARQUETTE

Grand Rapids, Sunday, June 17 Train will leave Lowell at 10:50 . m. Returning leave Grand Rapids at 6:30 p. m. Rate 50 cents. Great attractions at Reed's Lake now, summer theater, menagerie, etc., etc.

South Boston-Elmdale. Children's day will be observed at ti

Congregational church next Sunday. Mrs. Livermore and Miss Barber spen

Sunday with Mrs. J. Lusk and daughter. Miss Ethel Taylor is visiting friends at Alto and will take a trip to Grand Rapids Thursday. Geo. Ince of Woodland visited his sister

Mrs. A. Race Sunday. John Klahn and family visited brother, Chas. Klahn last Saturday.

Clarence Farnham and wife visited i Saranac Monday.

A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this malady is felt on organs, nerves, muscles and brain. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure Best in the world for stomach, liver. kidneys and bowels. Only 25 cents at L. M. Hunt & Co., Drug Store.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT Corrected June 7 1900.

Wheat		
Potatoes	20	1
Beans	1 60	21
Pork	5 75@	6
Corn	9	-
Oate		
Rye	0	5 3
Flour per owt	@	2 1
Bran per ton	@	16
Middlings per ton	0	16
Corn meal per ton	. 0	19
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Beef	5 00 @	6
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We are now ready to attend to any wants you may have in the DRY GOODS and CARPET lines. We are very grateful to the public for their liberal patronage of the past and will endeavor to merit it in

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McCords.

Mrs. A. Butters of Okemos was the guest of Mrs. E Higby a part of last week. Mrs. Frank Clark and daughter, Esther, visited relatives in Grand Rapids Saturday; country for much and should memorize

and Sunday. Miss Winnie Fero of South Lowell spent Sunday with John Ellis and family,

Mrs. Will Lowe and little son of Hudson who has been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity for the past two weeks, returned home Saturday. Miss Ida Paulus of Alto was the guest

of Donna Wood Sunday. F. Elmo Robinson, teacher of Morse Lake school, will hold commencement exercises at the West Lowell church Tues-

Our newspaper announcements are equivalent to our personal pledges, just as sacred.

Chas. Althen. The Ledger \$.100 per year.

25 OLD PAPERS, 5c this office.

Z H. Covert and F. Hinyon of Lowell are buying and loading potatoes to ship for Mr. Loveland for the past two weeks. Last Thursday we had four bags of mail and Friday three owing to a misunderstanding all around last week. We were two days without mail in or out.

Vorgenues Station-Alton.

Gleaner meeting June 14. The L. A. S. met with Maud Condor

D. Church and family visited at Mr. Herrington's in Cannonsburg Sunday and

Miss Florence returned with them. Mrs. Geo. Ring and daughter of Smyrna visited her wister, Mrs. John Andrews, Saturday and Sunday and attended church

Miss Gertie Potruff of Grand Rapide spent Memorial day with her parents. Monta and Orren Sayles' people were here from Grand Rapids and decorated

the graves of their dead. Art Helmer of Grand Rapids visited his

cousin, Kirk Ford, several days of last Mrs. John White of Lowell was a gues

at Fred Ford's last week Tuesday. Mr. Tredenick, the Vergennes dog ward en, made his rounds in this place last week Mrs. Ben White and son of Belding visited Mrs. Goble several days last week. E. Ring went to Clarksville last week

Mrs. J. D. Frost is a great sufferer from nflamatory rheumatism

Mrs. Addie White of Lowell reme her deceased relatives with an al of beautiful flowers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jce Richmond of Lowel visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. Frost, Sunday. Charles Rennells preaches next Sunday. E. Ring contemplates in going to Alto

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Cannonsburg. Memorial day was observed by the citizens of Cannonsburg. The discouraging appearance of the morning did not interfere with the day, for the clouds broke adorned the cemetery and the flags that &Co., Druggist. Guaranteed .

marked the graves of our fallen heroe impressed upon the minds of the school children the solemnity of the occasion. Memorial day stands in the history of our the men who died to give us our homes and our nation. And in a suitable manner we should acknowledge our independence and thank the Great Muster for all the exercises that has been lavished upon us-Cannon cemetery never looked purer and s certainly worthy of notice.

Dorus Church and family of Alton speut Sunday with Mrs C.'s parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Herrington. Mort Wheeler and his sister, Ollie of Austerelitiz, attended Children's day ex-

Children's day was held at the M. E. program was rendered. Dr. Crosby acted as master of the services. Rev. Phillips gave a short talk on the beneficial purpose; for which the money, which was collected on that day, would be used. The church was very prettily decorated with national colors and also flowers. The recitations

were listened to with interest. Mrs. Wesley Hartwell visited her daughter, Mrs. Smith, at Grand Rapids Saturday

and returned home Sunday. Mrs. Crosby of Englishville is a visitor at Dr. Crosby's.

Rev. Phillips and family visited his father at Grandville last week; while there was taken ill and could not get home for the Memorial sermon Sunday evening. May 27, as intended.

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Grattan-Vergennes. Too late for last week.

Miss Maggie Byrne visited friends in Grand Rapids Saturday and Sunday. Miss O. Bailey is visiting relatives Charlie Kropf is working for A. Bloser.

P. Costello of Parnell begun May 28 to earry the mail from Parnell to Alton. Mrs. Emma Cumming is visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rennells. Miss Neltie Byrne is visiting her sister. Mrs. E. Burt of Belding.

The dance at Stellers' Saturday night was Helen Weekes is working for J. Byrne. Maggie Weekes is working in Grand

Rapids.

Miss Florence Jakeway called on her unt, Mrs. C. Jakeway last Thursday. Glorious News

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