WHOLE NO. 400.

To-day To-Morrow

HE present shapes the future. What you do to-day concerns the things of to-morrow. If you are at all anxious about your financial future you should quickly seize the opportunity to save money.

An account with this bank affords an easy way for saving money.

The City

HILL WATTS & CO.

We handle the Genuine Pocahontas Coal.

We have just received a car of Pocahontas coal fresh from the mines. Buy the genuine and get the We have just received a car of Pocahontas coal worth of your money.

We have a few stoves left that will burn soft coal to perfection that we will sell cheap to close. Yours,

R. B. BOYLAN.



The Brownies have taken up their headquarters here with a full ine of the Best Kodaks to be found on the market and the prices Also a full line of Photo Supplies, plates, etc

The People's Store, The White Front.

A. D. OLIVER

Grand... CORSET SALE

Now On

We shall open our Special sale on Corsets and any lady who wears corsets will then have an opportunity of supplying her wants in that line at a great reduction in the sale of Leslie's health. He was improving when he suffered a with relatives. Mr. Herstons price. Every Corset in stock is marked down.

30c Quality Now 28 1 00

We have arranged with a large manufacturer of Ladies' Skirts to place on sale for two days, commencing, Monday, Feb. 25, their line in all grades and a lady representative will be here to tell you about the goods; and any special styles or sizes that are not in stock she and any special styles or sizes that are not in stock she will take measurements and make to order. Come in and look them over. Remember the dates FEB. 25th and 26th.

Was in town yesterday and announced that his town will have a fast ball that h

KILLED WHO GETS SPOONS? INSTANTLY

P. M. ENGINE.

and Ribs Broken.

Merinda, wife of Joseph H. Adams of this village was struck by a Pere crossing at four o'clock, p. m., and find the result thus far as Thursday, Feb. 14, and instantly follows:

killed.

Eli Burdick, Wm, P. Perrin and Mrs. R. B. Boylan Wheeler Hull were the first to reach Miss Ella Wiley the unfortunate woman, within three | Mrs. O. C. McDanne'l minutes after she was struck, Mr. Burdick thinks, and at that time there was no evidence of life.

Justice Walker was summoned and designated Frank Pickard, Wm. P. Perrin, Bela Needham, Eli S. Burdick, Fred Clark and Wm. Rexford as coroner's jury.

The finding of the jury on the

day following was as follows:
"The deceased, Miranda Adams, came to her death by being struck by the pilot beam of the engine on train No. 35 on the Pere Marquette Mrs. M. C. Griswold railroad from Belding to Lowell at "D. B. Davidson the point where said track crosses Main street in the village of Lowell Mrs. on the 14th day of February, 1901, at about four o'clock in the afternoon of said day. She came to her death by her own carelessness. We further recommend a gate or watchman to be placed at said crossing."

There are many conflecting rumors concerning the accident, but the fact seems to be that no one actually saw Mrs. Adams struck or saw her on the track before she was struck except the fireman and the engineer who sounded the alarm. It seems that she tried to cross infront of the engine and almost succeeded, the fireman testifying that a foot more would have cleared her.

Dr. McDannell examined the body and found fractures of the neck, back and several ribs.

The saddest feature of the whole sad affair is that Mr. Adams is left to bear the great shock and sorow alone, his daughter, Mrs. Maynard, having departed for her new home in California only two days before.

Merinda A. Whitcomb was born at Battle Creek, Nov. 21, 1840. When about five years of age she came with her parents to Castleton, Barry county, and Jan. 16, 1861 she married Joseph H. Adams. Six children were born to them, four of whom died in infancy. In 1880 Mr. and Mrs. Adams moved to Lowell coffee. McMahon Bros. and purchased the pleasant little place which has since been their the funeral of her friend, Mrs. J.

Besides the sorrowing husband and two children, Elmer S. and Mrs Cora M. Maynard, two brothers this village. and Almon H. Whitcomb, all of whom have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

Mrs. Adams was a member of the Congregational church and was an Judson M. Wheeler and Millie C. energetic and conscientious christian | Johnson both of Cannon Tuesday. worker and one whom none could

but respect. the residence Sunday at 2 p. m., Mrs. J. H. Adams.

and as it was not known where a telegram would find her none was sent. Sad indeed will be her welcome to her new home and the sympathies of all Lowell friends are be glad to show them to you.

N. B. Blain,

Lestie Marshall.

Word has been received here of the death of Leslie Marshall at El Reno, O. T. He was the son of the Rev. Henry Marshall, former pastor of the Second Congregational church, who left here about three spent several days of this week with a fatal attack of the grip. The with relatives. Mr. H. returns young man was formerly employed by the Citizen's Telephone company and had many friends here who will neighbors of Mrs. Maggie Ryder regret to hear of his death. -[Grand | met at her home Thursday afternoon | accommodation for all who wish to Rapids Herald.

Round Up at Lausing.

Michigan State Farmers' institute will be held at the Agricultural

MRS. J. H. ADAMS STRUCK BY THIS WEEK'S VOTE ON THE AWARD.

Hurled from Track with Neck, Back "Have You All Voted" for Your

Lowell, Feb. 21, 1901 I have this day counted the Marquette engine on the Main street | ballots in the Ledger voting contest

733 772 65

" Hannah Monks " Amanda Gibbs " M. M. Perry

" John Bergin " M. C. Greene
J. W. McAllister " W. S. Godfrey

" W. A. Watts " C. C. Winegar

Miss Anna Maynard Miss Myrtie Taylor

" Dan Bush " Eugene Lee " Jud Tinkler

" Geo. Avery "R. McGee Mrs. John Woodcock

J. S. Hooker, Com. Notice to Coasters.

Coasting on sidewalk, on Peck's

hlll is strictly forbidden. By order of Village Council.
T. W. Mason, Marshal.

HOME NEWS.

Chicken pie supper to-night. Willie Hull has gone to Manistee. Rowland Rider is quite sick with the grip.

A. E. Culver is quite ill with pleurisy.

Oysters in bulk or cans at Mc-Mahon Bos. Miss Nina Hiler is very sick with

typhoid fever. Good warm caps at Godfrey's at

spring prices. B. E. Quick has returned from

his Colorado trip. J. J. McNaughton of Prairieville was in town Friday. We make a specialty of teas and

Miss Brown of Cascade attended

H. Adams. Earl Brown of Belding visited his mother and sisters last Sunday in

Last Sunday F. F. Joseph and

wife celebrated their fourteenth wedding anniversary.

Elmer S. Adams and Cornelius

Whitcomb and wife of Hastings The funeral services were held at were called here by the death of

taken her departure for California remain until warm weather,-Grand Rapids Herald. Please call Monday or Tuesday and see the large stock of rainy day

skirts and under skirts. We will

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holmes of Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maynard of Fallasburg and Mrs. W.E. Johnson of Lowell were guests of J. D. Harvey and wife Sunday.

Miss Dwight of Grand Rapids

About thirty of the friends and and gave her a genuine surprise, go. the occasion being her seventy-ninth birthday anniversary. Many tokens The sixth annual round up of were left as evidences of kindest wishes and esteem.

Rapids Democrat.

Are You On One of the... Mail Routes

We have some Good Mail Boxes

A Steel one with lock, on a seven foot steel post and one without the lock, on post. Also Galvanized iron boxes with and without locks.

Come in and look at the samples. We have sold a good many for the route going south

Spraker & Cambell

Sewing Machines Going

To make room for Bicycles which will soon be in, I must reduce my large stock of Sewing Machines and in order to do so as soon as possible, I shall for a short time only offer inducements that will be a great money saving opportunity for anyone needing a fine Sewing

A few good second-hand ones going also very cheap.

CAUTION—As certain Chicago Department stores are offering imitations of some of the genuine makes I sell, I wish to call attention to this fact so that people will not confound one with the other.

R. D. STOCKING

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Chicken pie supper to-night. Wm. Fox was in Clarksville Fri-

Godfrey's prices on overcoats are doing the business. Remember Blain's special skirt

sale Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Ed Taylor of Grand Rapids

was in town over Sunday. Mr. Graham of Bancroft visited his brother, Fred, last week.

Salmon, mackerel, trout and white fish in bulk or kits at McMahon Bros. Allen Bancroft and wife are visiting their daughter in Louisville, N.

If you want the best, always the best, buy your teas and coffees of John Giles & Co.

Mrs. M. J. Kopf and Don Craw-ford are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Harnish of Cincinnati, O.

The W. R. C. and part of the G. A. R. spent a pleasant evening at Merrit Sayles' last Friday.

The anti-saloon league will hold a meeting at the Congregational church next Sunday morning. In the evening there will be no meeting conducted by Rev. I. B. Jones.

But two days previous to Mrs.

G. of Paris avenue left yesterday

Adams' death the only daughter had for Summersville, S. C. They will dresses a union meeting at the Methodist church. His talk will be illustrated with stereoptican views.

Baptist Church Notes.

Next Sunday at the morning service the pastor concludes his remarks on the second coming of Christ.

The Sunday school teachers' meeting will be held at the close of the prayer meeting on Thursday evening.

The young peoples society will hold their conquest meeting next Sunday evening at 6:80 p. m. The subject to be considered, The womens foreign mission societies and what they have accomplished.

The women's band have arranged for a sleigh ride and oyster supper at Mathew Hunter's Friday evening. Sleighs will start from Blain's and Winegar's stores at 7:80. Ample

Free ! Free !

A full 50c box of Dr. A. W Chase's nerve pills will be given away free on Saturday, Feb. 28, at Oscar Reyberg, the Alto druggist, was in town yesterday and announced D. G. Look's drug store from 10, a. profitable program has been pre- enough to beat Lowell, Clarksville system, we take this method of pred. L. J. Post is down for a and other neighboring towns. The paper on "Plums and Cherries." team this year, Mr. Reyberg says, will make last year's aggregation the original Dr. A. W. Chase of re-Kersey pant sale at Godfrey's. look like a four minute horse in a ceipt book fame. Bring this slip mean what I say, practice what I two minute class race.-[Grand or mail it to the above name and get a full box free.

EXCURSIONS PERE MARQUETTE GRAND RAPIDS

Republican State Convention. One are. Sell February 27 and 28. Return March 1st.

KALAMAZOO

Prohibition State Convention. One fare rate. Sell March 4 and 5. Return limit March 6.

LANSING, MICH. Farmers' Institute Roudd Up. One

fare rate. Sell Februsay 25 and 26. Return March 1st. WASHINGTON, D. C.

Presidential Inauguration. One fare rate. Sell March 1, 2 and 3. Return March 8.

Had to Conquer or Die.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rose Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C., "I had Consumption so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month. but I begin the use of Dr. King's new discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and a n now stout and well." Its an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe, and Bronchitis; infallible for for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Hay Fever Croup and Whooping Cough. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1 00 Trial bottles free at L. H. Hudt & Co.'s

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Michigan for old established manufacturing wholes ale house. \$900 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-adcressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 384 Dearborn St., Chicago. 1801

Reports show a greatly increased death rate from throat and lung troubles, due to the prevalence of croup, pneumonia and grip. We advise the use of One Minute CoughCure in all of these difficulties. The only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Children like it.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

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That the truth is far stranger than fletion has been demonstrated in Escanaba by Joseph E. Reinger inheritagi S180,000 with several years' interest from an uncle who recently died in Spain. The remarkable part of the story is the romance connected with it which is as follows: Mr. Reinger father came to this country several years ago from Brussels, Belgium, leaving behind a younger sister and his year he is going to plant 50 science by the name of Lantigo Fenoll, who was at the time an attache of the Spainsh legation in Brussels. A few months after the marriage to a young Spanish womants after the marriage to a young Spanish womants after the marriage Fenoll was promoted to a responsible position in Valencia, Spain, and moved there with his wife. After that Mr. Reinger ceased to hear from them. Last December a letter was received from Mr. Fenoll, telling of his fees.

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ment of the city of Detroit. The pres- the present owners of the acted calling for the appointment of a superintendent of public works who aged 70, who courted Mrs. Mary Schaus of two.

The new telephone line from Hanover to Jackson is now completed.

A stock company has been formed and stock subscribed to the amount of \$25,000 for a new opera house at Cadillac.

John S. Slack, of White Pigeon, arrested charged with attempting wife murder, shot himself dead on the night of the 11th.

J. D. Anderson, of Floodwood, trapped the largest wildcat on the 14th ever seen in the northern country. The animal weighed 97 pounds.

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Maude Bronson, of Hudson, wrote 11,-188 words on a small size postal card, 1800 and a manual report for 1900 were 288. The total disbursements in deaths and disabilities since organization, was \$1:
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company. The opinion was written by Justice Hooker and concurred in by Justice Hooker and concurred in by the entire bench. It covers 32 types written pages. The tax commission is jubilant over the decision.

In all probability Pontiac will secure the state fair this year.

The new telephone line from Hantle and Inches of In

Brighton is to have one free mail delivery route March 1.

Such was the Good Fortune of an Escanaba Resident.

The Belding Shoe company filed a chattle mortgage to secure creditors on the 11th.

There is considerable talk at Pontiac at present about erecting two operathouses there.

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Sufferers from sick headaches are not users of Garfield Tea, for this practice.

LLED TO HIM BY AN UNCLE

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Si 100,000 per month.

South Africa on a flac mission.

By the spreading of the rails on the grand Trunk line near Mr. Clemens

izing supervisors of Bay county to fix salary of chairman of the board.

The fever season at Lorenzo Marquez is exceptionally disastrous. on the night of the 9th, 18 new, heavy

The following bills were passed by deaths of prominent British subjects laden coal cars were piled up and the the senate on the 15th: To incorporate have occurred. The majority belonged

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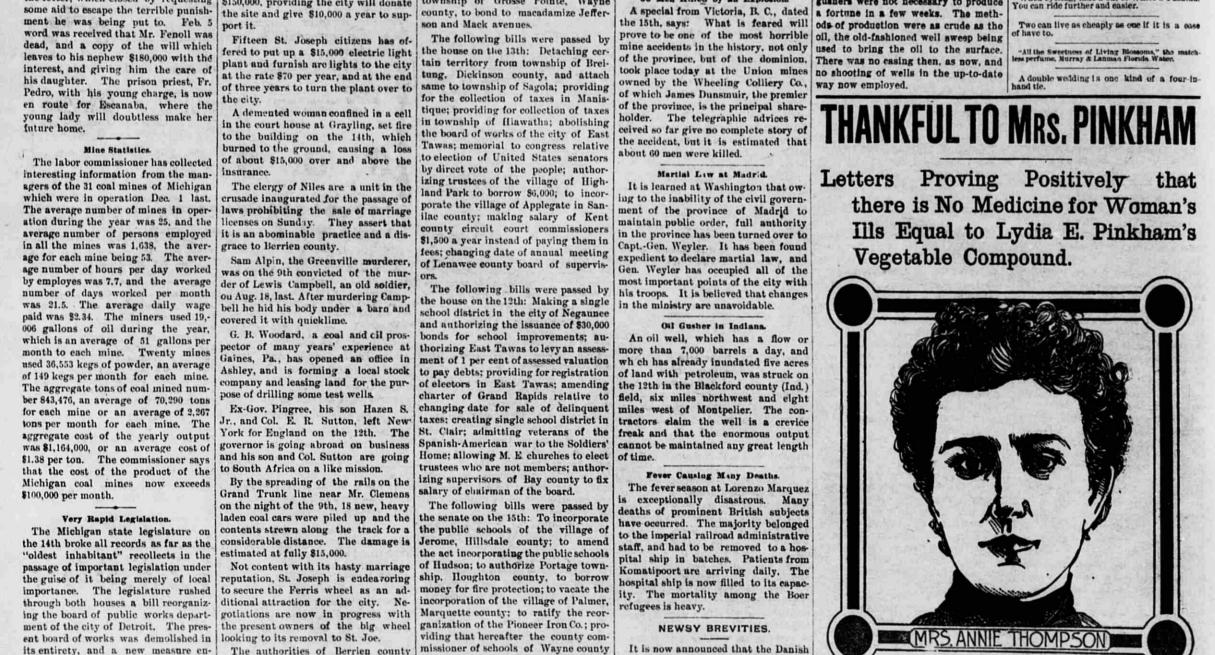
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Fever Causing Many Deaths.

NEWSY BREVITIES.

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stoped to the situation and ming his own staffs and making all board appointments. The term of office is four years, and the salary \$5,000. D. W. H. Moreland, former president of the board, has been appointed to the position.

Street Car Company Must Pay Taxes.

The supreme court on the 13th arising framed the decision of the Wayne circle cuit court in the case of the Detroit Street Rallway company vs. the common council of the city of Detroit. The board of assessors assessed what are more board of assessors assessed what are hourd as the order of the sound as the old lines of the case of the Detroit of the distinct of the clips of the decision of the Wayne circle and the case of the Detroit of the case of the

cine, and now have better health than

85000 REWARD. —We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lynn, \$2000 which will be paid to any person who can find that the above testimonial letters are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special power injusion.

TALMAGE'S SERMON. government. At the nead of th's uni- in the eventide. Good cheer to all of

Way to Conquer the Effect of Ad- I have to do is to accomplish the work were thrilled with the first.

vites the vulture and in most cases its

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candle. The dire diseases which under whom I have believed and am per-

other names did their fatal work and suaded that he is able to keep that

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verse is a King whose eye is omnis- you. Your best days are yet to come. cience and whose arm is omnipotence. You are yet to hear the best songs, see ure. He cannot be defeated. Better ing friendships, and after ten thoutrust him in the management of his sand years of transport you will be no as poponent, and made him look as cheap world and of all worlds. All you and neares the last sentence that when you world and of all worlds. All you and nearer the last rapture than when you gospel from the 3d Michigan district is

well-managed orchestra the players pleases you. Archbishop Leighton's whom he argued was glad to get out (Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch.) upon stringed and wind instruments desire for heaven was a longing for of the chamber. Gardner wears a G. Washington, Feb. 17.—In this dis- do not watch each other. The co net- Christ and purity and love, and he has A. R. button, and the row began over course Dr. Talmage shows how anyone ist does not look to see how the violin- found there what he wanted. John a discussion of the rights of ex-soldiers can conquer the effect of years and ist is drawing his bow over the strings, Foster rejoiced at the thought of heavgrow younger in spirit; text, Psalms clii, 5, "So that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's."

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The flies out from my text the most majestic of the universe without restraint, and he has been regaling him self in that research. Southey thought of heaven as a place where he would of heaven as a place where he would not my text the found from the found fro an eagle. Other birds have more the universe which our Lord is leading, meet with the learned and the great-old soldiers. beauty of plume and more sweetness and we all have to watch his command Chaucer and Dante and Shakespeare. Owners of naphtha and electric of voice, but none of them has such power of beak, such clutch of claw, such expansion of wing, such height other performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak, such clutch of claw, solves about the success or failure of the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak, such clutch of claw, solves about the success or failure of the power of beak, such clutch of claw, solves about the success or failure of the power of beak, such clutch of claw, solves about the success or failure of the power of beak, such clutch of claw, solves about the success or failure of the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers. If you want to respect to the power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers are power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers are power of beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers are power of beak and do our best and not beak and do our best and not bother our communion. The great and good Dr. bother performers are power of beak and do our best and not of soaring, such wideness of dominion. new your youth, better stop managing said he thought much of the time in until 1902, at least, taking chances, said he thought much of the time in until 1902, at least, taking chances, Its appetite rejects the carrion that inthe affairs of the universe.

| Said ne thought much of the time in the affairs of the universe. | Said ne thought much of the time in the affairs of the universe. food is fresh and clean. Leveling its neck for flight, in spiral curve it lt will take all time and all eternity science. The "twelve manner of fruits" ing themselves and their launches into the coroner's custody. Gen. Grosve-nor, who has had charge of the bill to

swings itself toward the noonday sun. to fully appreciate the work of Van spoken of in Revelation means al nor, who has had charge of the bill to it has been known to live 100 years. Meter on this side of the sea and of kinds of enjoyment in heaven, for require pilots and engineers of such What concentration of all that is suBarnardo on the other side in putting twelve manner of fruits includes all federal officers as to their qualifica-What concentration of all that is sublime in the golden eagle, the crested eagle, the imperial eagle, the mart al eagle, the booted eagle, the Jean de Blanc eagle! But after a while in its looks ragged and worn and unattractive and feels like moping in its nest on the high crags. But weeks go by, and the old feathers are gone and new ornithological attire is put on, and its beak, which was overgrown, has the surplus of bone beaten off against the crested in the color of the other side in putting poor orphan children in good homes in good homes in America and England. Through that process waifs of the streets have passed up from poverty and wretchedness into bright homes and churches and pulpits and legislative halls and senates, and many have already been crowned in a better world, the work begun in asylums on earth completed in the palaces of heaven.

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Whether by such adoption of children in good homes in America and England. Through the chief fruits that are grown on trees. I suppose there will be as many kinds of enjoyment in heaven as there will be inhabitants.

You will have in heaven just what you want. Are you passion-ately fond of sweet sounds? Then it will be music. Are you stirred by ple-tures? There will be all the colors of the new heavens and on the jasper geal and the weekly newspaper publishers cannot have the bill passed the will be music. Are you stirred by ple-tures? There will be all the colors of the new heavens and on the jasper geal and the weekly newspaper publishers cannot have the planches. Submit to examination of the chief fruits that are grown on trees. I suppose there will be as many kinds of enjoyment in heaven just what yo

focks, and it gets sack its out capacity for food, and again it mounts the heavens in unchallenged and boundless kingdoms of air and light. David, the author of the text, had watched these monarchs of the sky and knew their habits and one day, exulting in his own physical and spiritual rejuvenescence, he says to his own soul: "You are getting younger all the time. You make me think of an eagle which saw yesterday, just after its molting season, swinging through the valley of Jehosaphat, and then circling around the head of Mount Olivet. Oh, my soul, 'thy youth is renewed like the eagle's."

Simple Habits and Longevity.

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Some one will say: "David might remembrance or from present occupancy, cannot equal the heavenly home and get younger by changing their so much there is no such thing for me physical habits. The simpler life one are revivification." You are wrong. physical habits. The simpler life one leads the longer he lives. Thomas Parr of Shropehire, England, was a plain man and worked on a farm for a livelihood. At 120 years of age he was at his daily toil. He had lived under nine kings of England. When 152 years of age, he was heard of in London. The king desired to see him London. The king desired to see him London. The king desired to see him and the properties of the lives of the single of the under nine kings of England. When the new the oriental hero in many a battle, made moral mistakes of seedens with the destroy him properties. Sickness will ever come there, for it is promised "there shall be no more pain." No parting at the front door, no last look at faces never to be seen again, but home with God, home with each other, home forever. And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever in the second term of his administration. John W. Griggs, of New Jersey, the each other, home forever. And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever." And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever." And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever." And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever." And that right after the molting season, when "thy youth is renewed like the each other, home forever." And that right after the molting season, when "the promised "there shall be no more pain." No parting at the front door, no last look at faces never to be seen again, but home with God, home Wings to hover free O'er dawn empurpled sea; Wings 'bove life to soar And beyond death forevermore.

the circulation of the blood, made post mentia to escape assassination, ran mortem examination of Thomas Parr, against Ahithophel's betrayal and Exigencies That Might Arise if England

The extractions and professions have stored. Higherstations of civere were ence. Highportarise, the father of medicine, lived olly vara, and among the season and the seaso

were considered almost incurable, now in majority of cases are conquered. Vaccination, which has saved millions Daniel Webster, the greatest of Americal Particular of Jefferson were saved from Vaccination, which has saved millions of lives and balked the greatest scourge bours said: "I had intended to pre- liamson and his little daughter were chicago 752754 432405 25254 Aller Chicago 752754 432405 25254 Aller Chicago 752754 432405 25254 Aller Chicago 752754 432405 25254 of lives and balked the greatest scourge of nations, and surgery, which has advanced more than any other science, have done more than can be told for the prolongation of human life. The witness to the ground like to bear like the prolongation of human life. The witness to the ground like to bear like t the prolongation of human life. The X-ray has turned the human body, which was opaque, into a lighted castle. It is easier in this age to renew one's youth than in any other age. When Paul stopped the jailer from suicide by commanding: "Do thyself, so harm," he showed himself interested in the physical as well as moral life of man, Among the blessings which God promised was that in which he said: "With long life will I satisfy thee," and David, in my text, lillustrates the possibility of palingenesis of the throne and felt a cold that pierced him to the heart when his pierced him to the heart when his successful to the struggling prior, after the struggling prior, a

thee," and David, in my text, illusrates the possibility of palingenesis or rejuvenescence.

The Omniscient King.
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I do not advise you to be indifferent to these great questions that pertain to course of preparation. The capital has been largely subscribed by owners of Chicago office buildings and department of Chicago office buildings and depa to church and state and nations, but doubt, but the warm hand of welcome, "Spheres of influence" embrace pret-

and I have no doubt that since ascen-

surplus of bone beaten off against the rocks, and it gets back its old capacity for food, and again it mounts the heav-

mortem examination of Thomas Parr, he declared there were no signs of senile decay in the body. That man must have renewed his youth, like the eagle, again and again.

All occupations and professions have afforded illustrations of rejuvenescence. Hippocrates, the father of med
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CONGRESSIONAL NOTES. For the first time this session, Con-

rancing Years—Simple Habits Lead to that is put in our hands. This is all we have to be responsible for. In a In heaven you will have what most we have to be responsible for. In a In heaven you will have what most his politeness, but the Texan with

will not be appointed. The President wants an attorney-general not over 50 Mrs. T. Pelton, 562 St. Anthony avefor the last forty years, but there are years of age. Atty.-Gen. Griggs was nue, St. Paul, Minn., writes:

a vast multitude of women who have "Peruna has done wonders for me. never heard it yet. Catarrh may at-

The ship subsidy bill is getting to It has cured my headache and palpita- tack any organ of the body. Wom The ship subsidy bill is getting to be a target for jokes. Claims that it whole system. I cheerfully recommend Peruna to all sufferers afflicted cases of catarrh of the pelvic organs to moters of it, but they are very mild.

Senator Spooner, of Wisconsin, who was relied upon by the promoters to

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25025% of the city.

WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES

TELLS HOW TO GROW YOUNG and whose earn is omnipotence. You are yet to hear the best songs, see and whose heart is infinite love. His government is not going to be a failightful journeys, form the most elevative. He cannot be defeated. Better long friends line for the tables on his said that he turned the tables on his said that he tables on his s GRIP AND CATARRHAL DISEASES.



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Mrs. Belva Lockwood, the eminent barrister, of Washington, D. C., is the only woman who has ever been a candidate for the Presidency of the United States. She is the best known woman in America. As the pioneer of her sex in the legal profession, she has gathered fame and

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Mrs. T. Petton.

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The doctor

and am thoroughly convinced that it is a reliable family remedy."—Julia C. Brown.

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In the inaugural procession, Senator Hanna will ride with the president while Roosevelt will occupy the second carriage. How appro-

HAVING been granted power to increase the standing army to 100,000, the president is now about to Popular Lady Coupon demand an army of 150,000. After awhile, people may discover that there is something in "imperialism"

Some Republican papers are now so hot against the subsidy bill that it may be necessary for Mr. Hanna to call to his aid the man who changed their minds on the Porto Rican tariff question.

CUBA will be released, of course, but only on conditions. Nothing was said about these in the origina war resolutions, which declared that the people of the island were already free. But then, that was nearly three years ago.

Our hog tariff system inaugurated to make billionaire trusts by grinding taxes out of the poor is bearing legitimate fruit in the retaliation of Russia upon our manufactures. However, the sugar trust must have the pound of flesh. Say your prayers to Mark Hanna, good people, and grin and bear it.

REPRESENTATIVE BABCOCK, Chair man of the Republican Congressional Committee in the last campaign, has appalled his colleagues by intro-ducing a bill to abolish the tariff ducing a bill to abolish the tariff The oyster supper and the selling of the duties on steel and iron, asserting quilt at the grange hall amounted to \$4. that this is the only way to crush the big new trust. No doubt the Democrats, who have been urging this for so long, will welcome the assession of so distinguished a Republican as Mr. Babcock to their ranks. that this is the only way to crush

THE dangerous character of the Pere Marquette crossings in this village was pointed out when the extension was made and the remark was many times heard that "some one will be killed." That thing week, is improving. has come to pass. No 7 wil proper steps be taken to guard against more accidents of the same kind, or must there be other victims and more desclete homes and broken hearts. What stands in the way of the appointment of a flagman? Money, money. That's all, nothing but a little filthy lucre. Precious lives on on one side of the balance and not even a little money in the other. Flesh and blood so chean other. Flesh and blood so cheap respect and exteem. and money so dear! Shall this continue to be true? If not, let a de-

the dumb phool proposition to tax a man a dollar a year for the privilege of catching sun fish and bull-heads. The Observer says it so well that Lake Odess. The Observer says it so well that there is no occasion for The Ledger to add anything but: "Amen."

The Michigan Game and Fish League will ask the legislature to enact a law requiring a license fee of one dollar from residents of Michigan for fishing in any waters of the state in any manner. Now isn't that a bright idea? That is protection with a vengeance. Suppose a resident of Portland wanted to take his wife and family to either

Manton Wilkinson had bad luck last Thursday night with his team of buys. While standing in the stable one horse knee and broke it. It is not decided at this writing if the horse can be saved.

B. F. Wilkinson and wife were guests of Manton Wilkinson Tuesday and on Friday spent the day with her cousins, Car Jones and wife in Baranac:

Florence Bowen was the guest of her cousins, Prank Carr and wife, Friday and to take his wife and family to either

Manton Wilkinson had bad luck last Thursday like last this will lage Council Rooms on Monday evening Feb. 18, 1901.

Meeting called to order by President Weeks.

Meekers.

The Village treasurer submitted his annual report which on motion by Trustee Lee was accepted, adopted and ordered published.

Florence Bowen was the guest of her cousins, Frank Carr and wife, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Chad Lee and Mrs. Ches. Lampman

protection with a vengeance. Suppose a resident of Portland wanted to take his wife and family to either of our rivers for a day's fish; he would be required to pay a dollar for the bill ayas all residents. Mrs. Chast Learnage was the guest of Mrs. Miltion Wilkinson last would be required to pay a dollar for the bill ayas all residents. Henry Abbott is quite seld.

Mrs. Chast Lea and Mrs. Chast Learnage was the guest of Mrs. Miltion Wilkinson last would be required to pay a dollar for the bill ayas all residents. Henry Meyers of Saranae is working for as much.

But that isn't the worst of it. It is the injustace, the tyranny of such as law that makes it hurt the most. The idea of a poor man, a farmer past whose farm a stream runs, or a tarpayer being compelled to pay a dollar for the privilege of catching fish now and then. It is worse than foolish—it is downright idiocy to even ask that such ideas be put into law. There is a limit to forbearance and patience in such things and the people will not submit peaceably to having all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, especial-vising all their privileges and pleasures taken from them, es

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ly in this case, when the poor man has a right to get freely what a club of wealthy "sportsmen" would compel him to pay for by legislation.

Let the state game and fish league ask the people along Grand river what they even think of such a proposition and they will soon find out that they are trying to crowd an Delinquent Taxes obnoxious law down their throats. Every member of the legislature who votes for such a bill as this

Total receipts

FIRE DEPARTMENT

should have his political throat cut. Same more than once 70 If the Observer thought there was Page and half-page ads, \$8.00and \$4.00. the remotest chance of such an assinine bill becoming a law it would Business notices among local items 5c advise that a delegation go from here to Lansing to personally protest against such an infamous measure; but it does not seem possible that men in their right minds would en-

act such a bill into a law. Poor men have few enough rights now under fish and game laws, but this

outrage of justice and liberty.

ONE VOTE FOR

Pratt Lake

John Wilson, Sr., is moving his family to Roy Cilley has the mumps.

Quarterly meeting at the South Lowell
M. E. church Sunday, March 3. Quarterly
conference Saturday, March 2. Preaching
at 10 80 a. m. Mrs. A. M Andrews has an attack of la grippe.

M. I. Sneathen is drawing baled traw to Grand Rapids, receiving \$5.50 per ton. The friends and relatives of Will Warner will be pained to hear of his death in Wash ington, his team running away and killing

to cure the very worst cases of indigestion

to cure the very and it always gives instant relief L. H. Taft & Co. west Lowell S. Gristwood and wife spent Sunday in Muir with old time friends.

Ethel Rolf who was on the elck list last

How to Cure the Grio

cent degree of care be taken to prevent any more crossing accidents like that of last Thursday.

THAT FISHING TAX.

The following from the Portland Observer expresses our opinion of the dumb phool proposition to tax. - children on dutte

Keene Center

Mr. and Mrs I. Cove spent last week in Lake Odessa.

Manton Wilkinson had bad lack last

Regular Special meeting of the Mil'ard Scott Sewer fund

Council Rooms on Monday evening

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1901.

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS To balance Feb. 15, 1900 (cash on band) G. R. B. & S. Ry, Expenses of Atty drafting ordinance, Hose, etc. From sewer fund for fgt. paid Liquor license From St. fund(return of borrowed money Fines from Justice Courts

DISBURSEMENTS

Hose wagon \$250 00

Fire hats

Wrenches

To street fund

" sewer "

Members of Board of Review

ax receipts and notices

Judge Wm. E. Grove Incidentals

Printing and binding assessment rolls

Expenses of Treasurer to Grand Rapids

cent on poll tax, postage, etc.

GAR for Memorial Day expenses

Purchase of Lowell woolen mill prop-

erty for park and other purposes Recording deed to same Hydrant rental

Night watch Clerk

Assessor
Special Police
Island Park improvements
Incidentals, bedding for jail, wood,

Total disbursements

Balance Feb. 15, 1901, (cash on

nails, stationery, postage. etc.

To balance (cash on hand Feb. 15, 1900

Delinquent Taxes

Collections per St. Comr.

26 Avery plat

Street lighting Cleaning snow off side walks

Repairs and grinding

Hardware, nails, etc

General Street Labor

Total disbursements

Gravel

Transfer from general fund

Total Receipts

Transfer to general fund J. E. Fallas sidewalk approach

R. J. Perkins for constructing walk on North side of lots 4 and 5 Block

Balance (Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1901)

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

STREET FUND

RECEIPTS

DISBURSEMENTS

Marshal

Freight on sewer pipe Expenses of Trustee Van Dyke to Ohio in

for settlement with Co. Tress. 4 per

connection with street railway fran-

E. O. Mains

Engine house lighting

Election expenses

Taxes rescinded

Health officer

185 00

60 00

71 05 Sinking

1 40 General Fund

Sewer

L. & P.

188 91 Received for Labor

500 00 Interest on Bonds

181 20 From L & P Fund

Merchandise purchased

9 48

1800 00

\$9709 86

2694 62

1850 00

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168 32

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GENERAL FUND.

STREET FUND.

L. &. P FUND.

Bosworth & King

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DISBURSEMENTS \$1742 11 Survey and Profile of Sewer 236 05 | Incidentals, repairs, telephoning, etc. 4 90 Cement and Sewer Pipe 50 19 Freight and Cartage 1237 50 Sewer Pipe 5726 06 Lumber for ourbing 500 00 Labor 45 50 Manhole covers and rings 123 60 Cast iron pipe for outlet 2 00 Sewer Brick 1 45 Grates and Hoods

Transfer from General Fund

SEWER FUND

To balance (Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1900) \$ 23 68

Deficiency balance Feb. 15, '01 (overdrawn) 10 40

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T. A. MUEPHY,

Finance Com.

Mrs. G. M. Parker was in Lowell part of

last week helping care for her sister, Mrs. Henry Hiler.

Phil Dickson and wife, Dan Dickson and wife and Mrs. R. P. Waters made a busi-ty ness trip to Grand Rapids one day last week and went to the theater in the evening, thus

107 05 Lute Bailey made a business trip to Low-\$127 20 ell last Monday.

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24 00 39 00 \$20 34 08 9709 86 LIGHT & POWER FUND RECEIPTS To balance (Cash on hand Feb. 15,1900) Lamps, fixtures and other supplies sold esidences, factories, etc., for Light and Power 4470 97 From Citizens Light Co., Belding 1000 00 Engine house lighting Street Lights 1350 00 81 60 £10684 68 37 84 DISBURSEMENTS Paid for Lamps, Fixtures, Wire, etc.

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Total Disbursements

Barnings of L. & P. Plant, Feb. 15,1900 to Feb. 15, '01

L. & P. PLANT

on hand Inv. Feb. 15, 1901

Balance (Cash on hand Feb. 15th, 1901)

Receipts from Lighting and Power, stores,

used for extensions

L. & P. PLANT

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Accounts for Mdse. Labor and Light and

Accepted, adopted and ordered published

SINKING FUND

RECEIPTS

\$500 00 General running expenses, Insurance, Taxes,

Power due Feb. 15, 1900 89 60 Feb. 15th, To balance (net gain 1 yr)

Approved, D. G Look, Pres. Protem.

W. A. Watts

R. VanDyke

Frank N. White

Hardware, Oils, Carbons, etc.

Engine House Lighting Accounts for Merchandise, Labor and Light

and Power due Feb. 15, 1901

Citizens Light Co., Belding! Street Lighting Merchandise sold

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I correspond with Mr. Fanshaw?" she

and eves which flashed like diamonds

asked, sternly, coldly.

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By WILL N. HARBEN

"Dey ain't no use fer to fret an' pine, Steady on de way, believers.

It's de same ole wor!' w'en de sun don't host too well to impugn it, or to render dence."

is over, anyway," he whispered. "That | cowardice; that he knew well enough | blamed thing always gets the best of that a man in my position could not

"It's de same ol' worl' in de sun an' de He retired like a whipped cur." Same on de hilltop an' same on de plain.

So keep up yo' shoutin' an' keep on yo'
from the line of the colonel.

"And you did not explain or apologize?" slipped almost unconsciously life?"

ly moved by her song.

"I knew I would stop your game," she laughed, "you are too polite to enjoy life. Come, Evelyn, let's take Capt. Winkle paled and interlaced "I realize that Mr. Fanshaw is a love with you."

"I realize that Mr. Fanshaw is a love with you." enother stroll."

arm they enjoyed it silently. The moon had risen and hung like a great globe "Perhaps," spoke up Mr. Hardy, "My danger?" Evelyn emphasized the of yellow light just beneath a floating canopy of filmy clouds. Two rows of wind-moved elms stretched out past the great iron-wrought gates and between gleamed the white chert that he was not wearing his togs to-

what you said?"

"I don't like to think for a moment,
"Of course," the captain was saying,
"I meant to cut the very soul of that
"I don't like to think for a moment,
Winkle saunterin
towards them. "the fellow's challenge was a great sur- little coward, if he has one," the girl beneath us in any respect." against him out of pure devilment, for ought to have exposed him to the others that is still another proof of your before whom he was posing as a brave peril; you even want to feel that he is Evelyn's voice sounded harsh when sumptive ass he was, an' I wanted to man when he is no more than-"

ly that her words ran upon one another that you may know him to be mentally, plain that he wants to have it out with and became a jumbled, unintelligible morally or otherwise cannot make him | me. I think I can manage him."

to make him see the absurdity of the "I suppose not," returned the colonel, in a noncommittal tone. Whatever may have been his secret opinion of the colone his secret opinion of it," answered Evelyn, after a moment's family as Mr. Fanshaw's."

It would break his heart to locate you anything, and yet he could not consent to your marrying into such a family as Mr. Fanshaw's."

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It would break his heart to locate the hammock beside its occupant, but Evelyn promptly stood up and leaned against the balustrade. Here are consent to your marrying into such a family as Mr. Fanshaw's."

of the dapper captain, seemed deep- form. I am so glad your experience did ly, as if she were treading on ground

his fingers tightly on the smooth top of friend of mine, and that Capt. Winkle The view from the veranda was the mahogany table. For one second has tried to humiliate him in public." teautiful, and as the two walked back he glared like a condemned man at the "I did not mean exactly that," the and forth across the wide floor arm in speaker and then the fierce stare of her widow corrected, quickly. "It is your

you that nothing but disaster could

they had walked several minutes in up. It had a beautiful moral."

"You need have no fears in that dissilence they paused at the window With that parting shot at the cower-rection," she averred. "We have neithfrom which they had reached the ver- ing victim of his own folly, she drew er of us thought of that." anda, and looked in on the players. Mrs. Lancaster again out on the ve- "But," gently persisted the old lady, pass through the figure in her arms.

shine.

Steady on de way, believers."

The colonel was dealing the cards, but he made a mistake in the count, and with a low laugh he threw the cards down. "I must wait till that one cards down." I must wait till that one cards down. "I must wait till that one cards down." I must wait till that one cards down was greeted with a grunt of discons. "You can trust me, dear," the sweet old lady assured her.

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"You intend the moonlight it looked ghastly."

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challenge was a proof of downright cowardice; that he knew well enough that a man in my position could not fight a man in his. That settled him.

He retired like a whipped cur."

"And you did not explain or apolo-"And you did not explain or apolo-"And you did not explain or apolo-"Caster, "who you said had saved your for the caster, "who you said had saved your for the left of the mansion, and from its intricate, lanelike streets came three to calminess only by extra effort.

Evelyn kept if in motion with her sliphave only prayed that he might triumph over all the obstacles in his way to success and happiness."

The negro quarter, consisting of a village of about thirty log cabins, lay on the left of the mansion, and from its intricate, lanelike streets came three to calminess only by extra effort.

"I shall feel it my duty as his friend, knowing that he would disapprove of it, and that you are doing a most foolish that a man in his. That settled him.

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humiliate him by cutting off the but- had finished the old lady remained time, but he ought not to be hampered still room. She turned towards the humiliate him by cutting off the but- had finished the old lady remained by anything, and I know of no greater tons and shoulder-straps from his unisitent, then she asked gently, cautious- hindrance to a young man than for him not end that way. The truth is your case was far more agreeable than the "Do you realize what all this means,"

"Do you realize what all this means,"

"Do you realize what all this means,"

"In love with me?" the words were spoken scarcely louder than a whisper,

who could report such a lie to you," he sharp self-censure for what he had

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Evelyn had been speaking so rapid- your equal, when, my poor child, an

mass.

Mrs. Lancaster turned Evelyn's high standing of your family. It would white, impassioned face towards the break his heart, Evelyn."

light of the moon and grasped her rigid hands. "You almost frighten me, darpetulantly from the girl's lips.

Mrs. Lancaster rose as the officer drew near.

"I think I shall ask the musicians to play my favorite," she said, speaking at Winkle, to whom she had nodded. hands. "You almost frighten me, dar-ling," she repeated; "what has wrought "It would break his heart to refuse

Winkle's valor he knew his duty as deliberation, "but it must be in confi- Evelyn's face was very white, and in action was greeted with a grunt of dis-

mulatto musicians, carrying a guitar, "I have for some time anspected that in the moonlight. from the lips of the colonel.

"Yes; do you remember him?"

"You do not correspond with him?"

"It have for some time anspected that you were allowing yourself to become the steps and began playing."

"You do not correspond with him?"

"He has never written me a line in the moonlight."

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Steady on de way, believers:

Fur peace come 'long w'en you done wid pain.

So keep up yo' shoutin' an' keep on yo' prayin'.

Steady on de way, believers:

There was just the faintest quiver in slone noticed, and a hint of moisture slone noticed, and a hint of moisture in her eyes as the melody died in the reyes as the melody died in the revent as the melody died the had as united the music.

I don't think I ever saw a finer specime of this as the revent as the melody of the man till to-night that you were in the lust correspondence with him."

"Most of your dream till to-night that you were in the lust correspondence with him."

"Most of your dream soccur at night, do they not, captain?"

"Most of your dream till to-night that you were in the lust correspondence with him as the revent as the the music.

I don't think I ever saw a finer specime of all you told me of his struggle to beta the him as the done of all you hindrance to a young man than for him

Evelyn to laugh out immoderately.

She was so agitated that she avoided the others who were listening to the wrote me about the shearing process." I negroes as they sang a spirited ballad. For a moment the captain could only stare stupidly, then a lame defense If Ronald Fanshaw could have witcame to his lips.
"I could not think of anyone class

"I presume you might as well; it is

As she moved away the captain start-ed to sit in the hammock beside its oc-

would write me a deliberate talse-hood," she returned, still smiling tan-with a product of his example that talizingly. "He is quite truthful and

done in the heat of passion. He had "Then I am not to believe that it re- always looked upon duelling as radially happened?" queried Evelyn.

"The very idea is absurd on the face he had gone too far in further humiliof it," was the captain's perturbed reating a man after he had tacitly thrown himself on his mercy. Before he had quitted the colonel's wood that

nessed what passed at Carnleigh that

evening, it might have softened his

Eves Tested Free ----

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Winkle, in a white heat. "You have back on your coat, but you are fight-

been in the house all the afternoon, and ing with a woman now, and I besides no one but him could have—shall retain them. I may need them

Winkle found himself sliding into a He shrank from her as if she had

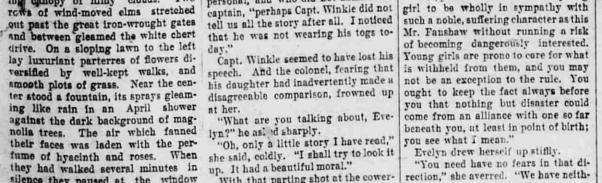
pitfail of his own making, and the struck him in the face. And with a startled vacuity of his small face caused little taunting laugh, Evelyn left him.

in the future."

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Ars. Lancaster again out of the players.
Mr. Hardy was dealing the cards and Capt. Winkle was relating some sort of experience of his own which seemed to have roused the interest of his bost.

Mrs. Lancaster again out of the players.

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"At this juncture the couple saw Capt.

"I don't like to think for a moment, what you said?"

"I don't like to think for a moment, towards them.

prise to me. I confess that I did drive said, fiercely. "I almost feel as if I "Ah," interrupted the older woman, widow; "shall I leave you alone with

"You need have no fears in that di- "I SHALL REPORT THIS TO YOUR FA-

of St. Joseph, Mo., leaves \$20,000 for in the Mine Which Is Afire.

mony.

The new Japanese cruiser Yakumo, which was built at Stettin and recently sailed for Japan, has so far given the greatest satisfaction. The system of ventilation is so perfect, it is asserted, that during her passage of the Red seasure as ay, was little. After the explosion the temperature of the engine and boilter rooms was not much more than hair the temperature of the engine and debris, are sixty at the pit head and willing workers thurried and have large families. In a very few minutes crowds gathered at the pit head and willing workers thurried here and there, the majority, sailed for Japan, has so far given the greatest satisfaction. The system of whatever could be done, which, sad to say, was little. After the explosion there came fire, and, entombed in this hell of fallen coal, broken and crushed at the earliest.

A special from Shan Hai Kuah, how the provided Christians, recently reported. Sharp and sure justice is meted out to criminals of all kinds, the result being that when the guardians of the public pace succeed in bringing a thug to the bar they are seldom called upon to hunt him a second time.

Furthermore, there are few court delays in Canada when a criminal is brown to book. They have no Dreyer classins, recently reported. Christians, recently reported.

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Among the colors so employed are subject of artificial coloring and pres- which covered the ground in the vi- ended. ervation of food is now receiving great | cinity of the head with a layer of

means by which the liquid was drawn the broken mining timber is burning wise.

means by which the liquid was drawn off for use.

The Hungarian government is about to take steps to effectually put an end to the wandering of gypsies, who are so frequently to be met in that country. The stalwart Hungarian gypsy, with his multi-colored cloak, his dark—

the broken mining timber is burning is not certain. Rescue parties tried inseffectually also from the pit of No. 6 to get down to the burled men, but they were unable to get to the bottom, the cage not being lowered with safety more than two-thirds o the way down. At this writing volunteers and the officials are straining every muscle to get to the bottom, the cage not being lowered with safety more than two-thirds o the way down. At this writing volunteers and the officials are straining every muscle to get down to the burled men, but they were unable to get to the bottom, the cage not being lowered with safety more than two-thirds o the way down. At this writing volunteers and the land is said to be nominal. Besides these lands, the several railway companies have lands to sell; also the British yeomanry, while skirmishing, were captured by a commando near Vryburg, which was forced to retire.

Twenty-seven Australians. Cape po-

Captain Cotton of the Norfolk navy 1861 and served as captain, major and movement. yard has made a report on the damage lieutenant-colonel in the 9th Illinois Gen. French has occupied Ermelo, in crican goods are actually selling at resustained by the torpedo-boat Eriesson | volunteer infantry during the war and the Transvaal. Six thousand Boers | tall in this market. As this is the very on Jan. 2, when she touched bottom in was brevetted colonel and brigadier- retired.

ally given to the coin bearing the baby's effigy.

Brenthan, who died here, was one of the rebel in the famous soldiers of the rebel in the famous soldiers of the rebel in the famous soldiers of the rebel in the province.

When scarcely more than 15 years of the province.

Mr. James MacIvor, the librarian of When scarcely more than 15 years of the province.

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Mr. James MacIvor, the librarian of the King's the battle of Shiloh he displayed relican and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relican and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relican and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women he women has been the battle of Shiloh he displayed relicant and 200 Filipino women he women he was a shiloh baby's efflgy. died in Essex, Conn., has left what is markable coolness and bravery and organized at Manila.

died in Essex, Conn., has left what is called in sporting parlance 7,000 "bones" to two dogs which she had picked up on the streets. During her 65 years of life Miss Schroeder lived in a tumble down shanty and devoted her days to visiting the sick of the town and picking up stray dogs and cats. During one of these missions she picked up a child and adopted her as a daughter, Greatchen Schroeder, as the child is called, will inherit what remains of the \$7,000 should the dogs of the streets.

Markable coolness and bravery and was afterward known by the sobrique of the sobrique of the present generation. He was called the perpetuated in song and drama.

Heavy Snow in Texas.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 18.—News from Canyon City says the greatest snow in the Texas panicats. During one of these missions she picked up a child and adopted her as a daughter, Greatchen Schroeder, as the child is called, will inherit what remains of the \$7,000 should the dogs and general ranch interests.

Maxico experienced her first snow storm in about 50 years on the 17th. In the high suburbs of Mexico City the ground was white, but in the city it most disastrons fire in the history of the life history of the life history of the history of the streets in memory of the present generation. He was called Abraham Lincoln were held in many places throughout the U. S. on the 12th. Mexico experienced her first snow storm in about 50 years on the 17th. In the high suburbs of Mexico City the ground was white, but in the city it most disastrons fire in the history of the life has just ended. The snow is markable and one of the present generation. He was called for several years with success. He prefers here, here the present generation. He was called for several years with success. He prefers here, here the present generation. He was called for several years with success. He prefers here to the bustle of orensic life, and accepted for several years with success. He prefers here of the present generation. He was called for several years with success. He p

CHINA WAR NEWS The situation in Pekin is again be-

at Cumberland.

The Worst Is Feared.

Fatal Explosion in Alaskan Mine ever. It is reported that the signa ada have just cause to be proud of street, Lowell, Mich. action of hotelkeepers which in seven action of hotelkeepers which in seven that the early action. Count von Waldersee is the population of over 6,000,000, shows that physician and Surgeon. Office over Boylan's population of over 6,000,000, shows that physician and Surgeon. Office over Boylan's early action. Count von Waldersee is there were only twenty-five indictions. pears has paid over \$390,000 to the families of members.

Willing Workers Tolling in Haste in What Seems to Be a Fruitless Effort, of St. Joseph, Mo., leaves \$20,000 for a free memorial library in that place, and \$10,000 to the municipal hospital.

Willing Workers Tolling in Haste in What Seems to Be a Fruitless Effort to Rescue the Sixty Men Imprisoned in the Mine Which Is Affre.

Willing Workers Tolling in Haste in the imperial court. All appearances indicate that China's immovable obstinacy is merely intended to facilitate the active preparations she is making for a renewal of hostilities in the Canada is a country of vast proportion.

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with his multi-colored cloak, his darkeyed, fortune-telling wife, and his

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the officials are straining every muscle
to clear out the obstructions of the
lice and dragoons were captured by

Twenty-seven Australians, Cape police and dragoons were captured by crowd of half-naked children, is one shaft and to reach the unfortunates of the most picturesque figures in this below. The fan and hoisting gear is below. The fan and hoisting gear is from Ballaspruit, Feb. 6, after a fight commercial invasion continues to grow

"DEALING WITH CRIMES IN CANADA."

(From the Chicago Times-Herald, o coming complicated, and the prospects

Jan. 12th, 1901.)

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turned out on short notice and of a settlement are more remote than

The citizens of the Dominion of Can
Physician and Surgeon. Omce, 48 Bridge it will be good honest, up-to-date tures of the Chinese plenipotentiaries to the peace conditions are not in correct form. It is believed that Sir Erntics of the Dominion, which has a

Charles C. Rumsey, whose equestrian statue of a North American Indian has been accepted by the managers of the Buffalo Pan-American Exposition, is a member of the junior class of Harvard.

Venice is trying to revive the picturesque ceremony of wedding the Adrivative which has been discontinued since the last Doge was expelled in statue of a North American Indian has been discontinued since the last Doge was expelled in statue of a North American Indian has been discontinued since the last Doge was expelled in statue of a North American Indian has been discontinued since the last Doge was expelled in statue of a North American Indian has been discontinued structures and of Cumberland, which lies across from Cunion bay, where all the Alaskan line field Marshal Count von Waldersee, telegraphing from Pekin, under date of the 11th, says that from Pao-Ting Fu onward, five of the chief places in the district, lying within the German sphere, have been occupied permanently of very year than the wide stretch of territory, making police surveillance particularly difficult and in many districts impossible. Yet a city like New York or Chicago alone furnishes a far greater criminal list every year than the whole vast stretch of territory from Quebec to Vancouver.

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riatic, which has been discontinued since the last Doge was expelled in 1797. Plans have been made for building a Bucentaur on the model of the last state galley used for the ceremony.

The new Japanese cruiser Yakumo, which was built at Stettin and recently sailed for Japan, has so far given the since the last Doge was expelled in imprisoned in the mines ixty men imprisoned in the mines of the following are obtainable:

Walker and two sons, John White, Thomas Lord, Robert Steel, George Turnbull. Many of the men are married and have large families. In a very few minutes crowds gathered at the pit head and willing workers hurried here and there, the majority sailed for Japan, has so far given the since the last Doge was expelled in sixty men imprisoned in the mines ixty men imprisoned in the mines of the following are obtainable:

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the temperature of the engine and boiler rooms was not much more than half
that in British ships.

Attention is called by the London
Lancet to the fact that canned tomatoes are now being extensively colored, in order to make them look attractive and as if made from ripe fruit.

Among the colors so employed are semi-official press that Count von Wal- one court to another until witnesses coal-tar colors and cochineal. The From the force of the explosion, dersee's usefulness in China is about die of old age or opportunities for corruption can be found.

Nor does this swift method of treatship which carried her was surrounded by natives bringing gifts of all kinds, fruits, vegetables, fowls and even pigs. There was music, dancing, a great feast, and the whole steamship was decorated with their garlands.

An original device for evading the prohibitory law was recently unearthed by plumbers in a house in Rulland, Vt. The liquor, stored in a secret nook, was conveyed in hidden pipes to a radiator in one of the principal rooms of the house. A small faucet attached to the radiator was the means by which the liquid was drawn

set to the shaft of No. 5, which is a mile and a half away. A mounted man dashed across at once to that phoce and a search party was sent down into the workings from No. 5. After getting near the doors between the two shafts this party was forced back, having encountered fire damp, and they had to race with all speed backward in order to guard being overcome by the quick travelling gases. Between the two pits fire was found to be removed to Canada. The fact hat he late queen left her grandson's respect. It is understood that one of the best Indian Reserves in the famous of the country opened up this year, and an invitance of the disorder, three additional cases are an some idea of the many inducements held out for Americans to settle in the district known as Western Canada. The fact hat he late queen left her grandson's respect. It is understood that one of the best Indian Reserves in the famous of the country opened up this year, and an invitance of the disorder, three additional cases are an some idea of the mmunity from crime that exists in Canada, and this is one of the many inducements held out for Americans to settle in the district known as Western Canada. The fact hat he late queen left her grandson's respect. It is understood that one of the best Indian Reserves in the famous Valley of the Saskatchewan will be opened up this year, and an invitance of the disorder, three diditional cases are an one to the immunity from crime that exists in Canada. The fact have for the ma

part of Europe.

The Siecle announces that M. Osiris, a well-known Paris philanthropist, has instituted a prize of 100,000 francs to instituted a prize of 100,000 france to be awarded by a committee of the Paris Press Syndicate to the author or authors of a work adjudged by the committee to be the most meritorious, whether from the artistic or industrial point of view, or on the ground of general service to humanity.

It has been remarked in connection with the lete Lord American connection with the lete Lord American connection with the lete Lord American compensation of the superintendent of the superintende It has been remarked in connection with the late Lord Armstrong as not a little singular that while he was the founder of Elswick, the argenal of the north, a member of another branch of the same family was the founder of the same family was the founder of Elswick, the argenal of the he same family was the founder of the same family was the founder of the royal arsenal at Woolwich in 1716. This was John, a scion of the Liddes-fall armstrongs, who became a very celebrated military officer and engineer, serving with the highest reputation under the duke of Mariborough and Prince Eugene.

Connection with the late Lord Armstrong as not will strict, says Gen. Letter the manufacture of bos s and shoes and of hosiery (including underwear). A few days ago large underwear). A few days ago large manufacture of bos s and shoes and of hosiery (including underwear). A few days ago large manufacture of bos s and shoes and of hosiery (including underwear). A few days ago large manufacture of the late that the late Lord Armstrong as not seed the Oranic Armstrong as not sele in volume, and, to cap the climax, Amhome of the British industry, it is not

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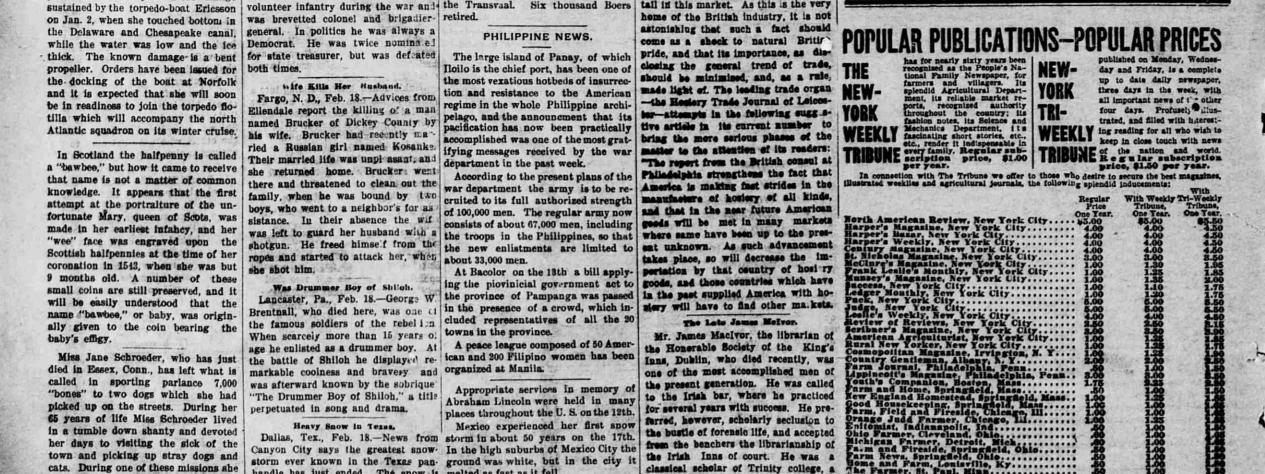
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examination of a number of sub- true to a certain extent, but the weeds stances, including certain foods and fall far short of the clover as green frugs in common daily use, in the manure, and the value of the sod will preparation of which sulphuric acld is be reduced in proportion to the abunised. It will be found, after a few dance of wee moments' consideration, that a fairly engthy list of articles of every-day ing, since the basis of artificial ma- potash, the average increase has been nures-namely, superphosphate of 7.2 bushels of wheat, 8 bushels of corn, bone ash with common oil of vitriol. hay.

cise an injurious effect on the health alone. of man and animals. The question arises, therefore, may not the arsenic

cation of Prof. Goff's paper on of the refuse to the farms is made by the apple blossom. We do not the railway. usually devote so much space to

topic of this kind, but in this case Realizing that the country tributary feel that the paper lays the foundation to Edmonton and Strathcona in North-. . .

there are just as honest men in the years to come.

business as we are, and if they prop- Question Puzzles interestin at Exteris business as we are, and if they propagate and cultivate in the same way and with as much care as we do, why not use their surplus goods when we are short, and they reciprocate?" That may be all right from the standpoint of the nurseryman, but is it honest? If a man buys of one nurseryman he forciculture. Viticulture and Floriculture.

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There has been so much said and such as we are, and if they propagate and cultivate in the same way and with as much care as we do, why not use their surplus goods when we are short, and they reciprocate?" That may be all right from the standpoint of the nurseryman, but is it honest? If a man buys of one nurseryman he frequently does so because he has confidence that the man of whom he buys will sell him only what he wants and he does not want stock that has passed through a number of hands before it reaches the man of whom he buys.

There has been so much said and There has been so much said and reaches the man of whom he buys, ternational law. A collection was written about alfalfa that it has be- This is doubtless at the bottom of a taken up for the little stranger, and You can always depend upon the sin

growth. This has led to a good many To illustrate: We know a man in Il- being shipped to Antwerp. farmers experimenting with it in states where red clover grows abundantly and where there is no pressing nursery. The Illinois nursery being need for the growing of alfalfa. Whenever asked about the matter the advice of the Farmer's Review has been sent to a nursery in Missouri and filled ity, is about to build a sailors' home and keep it on hand for use the mother of the order. The trees sent from the and hotel for the accommodation of ment it is needed. If neglected, the for the farmers to be satisfied with Missouri nursery were not the kind the officers of the fleet at Waterfall. The grippe brings on pneumonia. KEMP'S red clover in the states in which it man had ordered of the home nur- merchant prince already furnishes the BALSAM prevents this by keeping the sery, but he did not find this out till vessels stationed there with supplies cough loose and the lungs free from in years after when his trees came into to the value of over £200 (\$978) per flammation All druggists, 25c and 50c. Michigan and the neighboring states bearing. He was, of course, righteous- week. there is no necessity for the growing by indignant and reported the facts to the Illinois nursery. At that time he,

the plant would most likely prove a for the first time, learned that his Returns All Broken Up to His Home failure if tried. There are a good goods had come from another nursery. in South Dakota. many reasons why we should stick to red clover. The first reason is that it can enter into the rotation with the other crops. Its rooting is not so deep that it cannot be disturbed, and it does not take years to get it well rooted. With alfalfa the case is different. It is regarded as a permanent crop and grows better after having been permitted to take a few years in estab. mitted to take a few years in establishing its root system. The great
difficulty in getting a catch of alfalfa
is during the years when its roots are

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into the regions of eternal moisture, The quality of a sample of clover tain of the 1st Minnesota Cavalry, and delays are dangerous. 10, 15 or 20 feet below the surface, it seed depends upon its cleanness, the in 1862 was for fourteen months in will grow on forever. It is said that percentage of germinable seed, the continual service in warfare with the God may rob us of our finery that in Chile there are fields of alfalfa vigor of germination, and the origin Indians, is now an honored member of may better run His race. that have not been disturbed for 200 of the seed. The cleanness of a samyears and yet annually yield good crops. This will readily show how little it is fitted for the rotation.

Without the abundant sunshine to which it is accustomed it is difficult to cure alfalfa, and this is a very serious

of the seed. The cleanness of a sample depends both upon its freedom from broken seeds, dirt, and other interested and upon the absence of weed seeds and the seeds of other cultivated plants. The seeds of timothy, white, and alsike clover are often the continues: "I am now an old soldier, seventy years of age, and enjoying almost perfect health, and all thanks for this is due to Dodd's Kidney Pills. I found after having used the continues: "I am now an old soldier, seventy years of age, and enjoying almost perfect health, and all thanks for this is due to Dodd's Kidney Pills. I found after having used the first few boxes that my faith was not cure alfalfa, and this is a very serious present, and although they must be first few boxes that my faith was not present, and although they must be matter in a country of clouds and frequent rains. We note another thing in regard to alfalfa grown out of its natural habitat. It is smaller and does not yield the heavy crop that is credited to it. The writer has in mind in particular a crop that was grown a few years ago at the Michigan Export want to pay for clover when he is the considered impurities, they can not be called injurious. Timothy may sometimes be present in such quantity as to be objectionable, not from the nature of the plant, but because the seed can be purchased at a much less cost than clover seed, and a farmer does not want to pay for clover when he is results that anyone could wish for. I a few years ago at the Michigan Experiment station. We doubt if in that case, under the best of conditions, the crop was as large as would have been realized from red clover.

than clover seed, and a farmer does not want to pay for clover when he gets timothy. More serious is the presence of a considerable quantity of weed seeds, especially if among the lot are the seeds of some of the more dangerous weeds.

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We republish from "Lancet," of Engnd, the following interesting bit of clover seed are demanded because the formation:

In some localities low grades of clover seed are demanded because the formation: and it is thought that the weeds will Marquette cost the county \$9,000. During the past week our Laboratory furnish green material for plowing uncommissioners have undertaken the der and can thus do no harm. This is

use may thus be drawn upon. The re- In the experiments of the Central sults are not yet ripe for publication, Station at Wooster, Ohio, where wheat but we feel bound to divulge one im- has been grown in rotation with corn, portant result since the disturbing an- oats, clover and timothy, the average nouncement has this week been made increase per acre from plain acid phosby the analyst of Manchester that arphate, applied at the rate of 160 pounds senic has been found in malt in a per acre to wheat and 80 pounds per quantity equal to that found in glucose or malt substitutes. Moreover, pounds during the five years of a ro-arsenic was found in beers which were tation, has been 4.6 bushels of wheat, known to be brewed from malt and 3.6 bushels of corn, 7.2 bushels of oats hops only. Now that this remarkable and 500 pounds of hay, while from the statement has been made, we may say same quantity of acid phosphate, carthat we have found, in the course of ried partly in acid phosphate and the inquiry alluded to, artificial ma- partly in tankage, but re-enforced by nures to be rich in arsenic easily sol- the nitrogen carried in the tankage uble in water. This is hardly surpris- and by a small addition of muriate of

lime-is made by acting on ordinary 8 bushels of oats and 1600 pounds of The important point is that it has The cost of the acid phosphate used been established that plants to which on an acre in five years has been about arsenical manure is applied take up \$2.40, while that of the mixture of acid arsenic in their tissues. Cabbages and phosphate, tankage and muriate of turnips gathered from fields manured potash, has been about \$3.75; but the with superphosphate have given un- average increase from this mixture has mistakable evidence of the presence of been so much greater than that from arsenic. It is probable that arsenic acid phosphate alone as to give a toaccumulates in the soil which is con- tal net profit, over the cost of the ferstantly being dressed with superphos- tilizer, of about \$12 per acre in five phate, so that plants raised on such years for the mixed fertilizer against soil would absorb arsenic, and exer- about \$6 for the acid phosphate used

Utilizes the Garbage. in malt be traceable to the somewhat A number of British cities lease for In malt be traceable to the somewhat large amount of arsenic inevitably present in artificial manures? This aspect of the subject is very serious, and needs further inquiry. We shall return to it in a future issue, when we hope also to be able to record the results obtained in an examination of other more or less familiar articles, in which arsenic may possibly be introduced through the employment of impure sulphuric acid in the course of manufacture.

A number of British cities lease for a long term or purchase outright hundreds of acres of bogland or other waste land for the use of the city. Glasgow has about 800 acres so employed. The city garbage is used for filling in and for fertilizing purposes. In the course of a few years many acres of land are redeemed and made to blossom as the rose. Hay, oats, potatoes, and other grains and vegetables are raised and turned in toward the supraised and turned in toward the support of the department. These municipal farms are located from two to fif-We begin this week the publi- teen miles from the city. The transfer

for much future work. The principles ern Alberta was adapted to hog raisillustrated here are applicable elsewhere and should be thoroughly un-derstood by every plant culturist. We ing sows, which were sold to farmers believe that a close perusal of the pa- desirous of improving their herds at per will abundantly repay our readers. reasonable prices. Considerable amount of pork is already being produced and A Wisconsin nurseryman, in some shipped to the kootnay and other minadvice to nurserymen, says: "It is ing districts. A packing company has impossible to produce all you sell if been organized to take care of all the you do a big business. There is no extensive nursery in the United States that does. We take it for granted that the district which has a first-class curing plant capable of there are there are the district for there are the district for the district which has a product of the district which has a product of the district which has a district district district which has a district dis district district district district district district district

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Purchasers are being attracted by the trade winners of teas and coffees sold by John Giles & Co.

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James Wright and family and John Wright and family spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. W.

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Mary Covert visited her grandmother, Mrs. Jane Church, and other relatives at Alton last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. DeWitt and Mrs. Daniel Nei and little son, Derwood, of Grand Rapids spent part of last week with Mr! and Mrs. C. W.

Among the jurors drawn for the February term of the Ionia circuit court are: Jay Cooley, Otisco; Henry Lee, Keene; Hiram Olmstead, Boston; George Robbins, Campbell.

The annual village election takes place, Monday, March 11. The terms of President Weekes, Trustees Van Dyke, Lee and White and Clerk, Murphy and Treasurer Althen ex-

Last Saturday Misses Jennie and Verna Wright pleasantly entertained the Saturday night carrom club. Head prizes were won by Bertha and George Lee. Consolation prizes were won by Jessie Wright and Thomas Reed,

A new company has resurrected The Pilgrim magazine and THE LEDGER has been assured that the new company will fulfill the contract made with us by the old and that the full number of magazines due those of our readers who took it as a premium will be sent. The February number came to hand last week and is a choice one.

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Mrs. Clyde Moffit of North Dakota and Miss Viva Moffit of Ionia have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. S. O. Littlefield, this week.

Phila Clark W. O. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. N. L. Merriman on Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 2:30 p. m. A Frances E. Willard memorial program will be given. For Sale—The millinery stock and entire outfit of Mrs. M. Hiler, deceased, Lowell, Mich.,. A grand pening for a first class milliner. Write at once.

Band No. 2 of the Congregation. al church will give a supper in the Boy's Union rooms over the City bank, Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, from 5 till 8. Proceeds for the benefit of Boys' Union. All go.

Mrs. Alice Campbell will entertain the W. C. T. U. Friday, Feb. 22 at the usual hour. All members are earnestly requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

The M. E. Sabbath school will L. H. Hunt & C. 's drug store. give a concert in the church Friday evening, March 1. A fine program consisting of vocal and instrumental music, exercises by children and beautiful songs illustrated by stereoptican views will be rendered.

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The March number The Delineator is admirably suited to the various needs of every woman. There is something in it of a practical character for every woman who has household cares or who wishes to under-stand the tendency in modern styles. One of the most valuable articles is on "The Servants We Do Not Keep," by Prof. Elleo H. Richards of the Massachusatts Institute of Technology. This is a subject that should interest every woman who has troubles with the domestic problem.

Greatly reduced one-way rates will be in effect from Chicage, Milwaukee and Manitowoc via Wisconsin Central Railway to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia each Tuesday commencing February 12th and continuing until April Soth.

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THE ALTO NEWS. Miles Easterbee of Ionia is spending a

Mrs. D. Weaver is visiting her parents at

Mr. and Mrs. Mishler visited in Hastings recently.

Mrs. Cheslea and daughter, Beatrice, spent a few days at F. W. Hinyan's last week.

Minnie Fairchilds is assisting Mrs. Ed Higbee of McCords with her household duties this week. Mrs. Ethel Cudney visited at Freeport last week.

Married at the home of the bride's par ents, B. F. Thompson and wife, Miss Hattle to Mr. W. D. Harris, Rev Freeman officiat-ing. It was a quiet wedding only immediate relatives being present. They will reside in Alto where Mr. Harris is engaged in the hardware business.

Will and Lona Yeiter made a business trip to Clarksville and Hastings last week. M. Bergy of Caledonia was in town Wednesday. Geo. McKee and family spent Sunday in

Miss Blanche Cheslea returned to her ome in Grand Rapids Wednesday. Mr. Konkle is quite sick.

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Vergennes Station-Alton Seigel Norman is going to put a base ent under his barn.

Orren Ford is hauling logs to the Ring saw mill in order to make improvements on his farm.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Godfiey of Clarksville was buried here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Church entertained com-

Jennie Wright drew the pieced comfortable of the L. O. T. M.'s Two brick houses will be erected here next spring.

Frank White spent Sunday with Cannons-burg friends. Mrs. E. Rennells and Mrs. M. Church were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Plorence Herrington of Cannonsburg has been been staying with her sister here. Mr. Ward and family of Vergennes move

Colorado soon. The gleaners entertained company from the Grattan Arbor last week Friday night. They will hold a shoe social on the evening

of March 1 with supper and dancing.

Two of our most popular young people, Miss Mand Condon and Mr. Raiph Ford, were united in marriage Tuesday. We wish them the best blessings of life. The Valentine exercise at the school

passed away very pleasantly. There were twelve visitors present. It seems to me that it is about time fo our mid winter gathering. What say you all to a sleigh ride to Grandmas's and hold it with her soon, very soon.

The log drawers are covering Perry Purdy's farm with them.

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Grattan Vergennes

Kittie Byrne spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Burt, of Belding.

Fernie Wall is visiting in Grand Rapids. Edwin Adams and Bert Hill of Langeton spent a couple of days with friends in this vicinity.

Waldo Francisco, wife and son of Beld ing spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. C. Jakeway.

Pat Presnehan shipped a carload of sheep from Mosley last week. Will Rexford of Lowell called on P. W

Byrne Monday. Little Leo Burt of Belding spent last

The mission at the Oatholic church be gins next Monday and will continue all next week. There will be three missionary

Mrs. Terry Corrigan and Mr. Sullivan's son, both of Bowne, were buried at the Grattan Catholic church last week. The party at O. Bibbler's last Saturday evening was well attended and an enjoyable time was had by all present. Refreshments

were served and cards furnished the leading amusement of the evening. Pat Mansor's family are all sick with

buried Thursday. The funeral was held at the Mason school house and the remains were brought to Podunk for burial. She was a loving mother and a good neighbor and will be greatly missed. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the commun-

Fred Shaw spent Sunday with his brother Fred of Belding.

The box social at Wm. McCarthy's last Friday evening was a success. The highest box went for \$3.75, Dick Heffron being the purchaser. The owner of the box was little Veronica McCarthy.

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Cannonsburg.

Mr. Holmes of Belding is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bailey.

Mrs. Jessie Armstrong, who has been very sick, is gaining. Jas. Howard and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. Rogers.

Fred Reeves and wife of Otisco were guests of C. S. Judson Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for their home in Hastings Friday.

Milton Hartwell who has recently moved to Marshall, finished moving his cattle from the farm of L. P. Thomas. Take Rocky Mountain Tea. See it exterminate poison. Feel it revitalize your blood and nerves and bring back that happy, joyous feeling of boyhood days.

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Jan. 1, 1901

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State of Michigan County of Kent } Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Kent made on the 11th day of February A. D., 1901, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Fred L. Hodges late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Proquired to present their claims to said Pro-bate Court, at the Probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, for examination and allowance, on or before the 13th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Tuesday, the 18th day of August next, at ten o'clock in forenoon of that day. forenoon of that day.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Mich., February

HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate

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