Frequently Happens

actual designations of the second sec

That people who make individual loans are bothered in the collection of interest; that they often have difficulty in getting back the principal and sometimes lose it altogether. Those who deposit their money in this bank are not thus annoyed, for here they get their interest promptly every six months, and, better still, they have the satisfaction of feeling that their money is at all times safe and that the bank is prepared to pay back the principal when reselved.

Hill, Watts & Co.

IN THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR

Quick Meal We are Steel Ranges. Headquarters

The demand for Quick Meal Ranges is greater than the supply so we are compelled to postpone our sale to sometime in April.

for Sap Pans, Sap Pails, Sap Spouts, and Syrup Cans at prices that sell them.

Yours,

R. B. Boylan

YES



If you need glasses after our critical examination of your eyes we'll say so; and we'll say no just as quick if you don't' There are a good many people deciding the question for themselves. though, and that's dangerous. The critical examination costs nothing, but it's worth a great deal to you.

Any one can afford to wear our good glasses. The best lenses fitted to our frames after careful test are from \$1.00 up.

The People's Store.

A. D. OLIVER

CARPET SALE Saturday, Mar. 9

We shall offer for 10 days our entire stock of Carpets at Greatly reduced Prices.

> We have a good Carpet for 20c per yard and better ones for 25c, 30c, 36c, 42c and a few pieces of All Wool Extra Supers to close out at 50c and 521c worth 60c.

This is your opportunity to secure a bargain.

LOWELL TO BELDING Another Vote Contest

POSED.

& louin.

Attorney Joseph Kerwin of Grand Rapids interviewed the Lowell handsome high grade bicycle to the this village,

The company represented by Mr. Kerwin propose building a road from Muskegon to Ionia via Grand each of the following townships:

acterior and a properties of the contract of t

to Belding. Such a project would 52 vote coupon with each year's strike Lowell people more favorably subscription. The candidate re-Belding line which was designed to a high-grade 1901 bicycle. pass us by, to the detriment of our rade from the north.

However, the council was not in position to do business with Mr. Kerwin, as it is bound to give Mr. Howard, to whom a franchise was granted last August, till May 1, in which to comply with the terms of his contract with the village. By the date named he is to acquire posproperty and be ready to convey the water system to tne village for \$12,000. Monday evening, Mr. Howard telephoned to Trustee Mrs. Flanagan was sick only a week Rapids for the purpose of closing her to health, up the deal.

Here the matter rests at present; but it looks as if Lowell would get an electric road some time and some-

SARY.

And What Happened to John R. White and Wife Upon it.

Through no fault of J. R., he had birthday on the 14 inst. It was he seventieth occurence thereof.

the unsuspecting John and took possession of house and its belong-

As soon as John comprehended the gravity of the situation he surrendered, which by the way he is not in the habit of doing and his guests had every thing their own way. A feast was spread which all

Old times were talked about,

everybody had a good time. Before the gathering guests went away, Dexter G. Look with a few well timed remarks presented Mr. White with an elegant chair as a memento of the occasion. Other gifts were numerous.

In the evening, when men seventy years old should be smoking quietly and taking an occasional sip of cider, as no doubt John was doing, another invasion occured, disturbing his meditations, making him hastily put on his shoes and get into his coat with a rapidity that would have been a credit to a man of fifty. This second invasion was made up in-dividuals who formerly had been and to the people of Lowell in engaged in foraging around hen coops, barn yards potato patches and suttler's tents, stealing blankets, hams, in fact anything they could carry off. They were aided and abetted by sundry women who seem to have great admiration for the men aforesaid and aid them in many of their undertakings. John im- read the college notes in The mediately recognized them as Delineator regularly. The April kindred spirits and gave them a number takes up the subject of kindred spirits and gave them a

comrade's welcome. Stories of camp and field, of the how this can be done by scholarships picket line, of battles and of com- and more original ways. In the rades left on southern soil were told | Parisian letter of the same number

aforesaid gathered around them and unless fortified by uncommon with many a jest proceeded to strength of character, devour what was in front of them.

At the proper time John was told Working 24 Hours a Day. to stand up and Comrade D. O. Shear with well chosen words presented him with a beautiful willow Pills. Millions are always busy rocker in behalf of the assembled

At a late hour the boys and girls went home after wishing comrade Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste and wife many more years of health nice work wonders. Try then. 25c and happiness .- [Com.

ELECTRIC ROAD NOW PRO- YOUNG PEOPLE WANTED TO ENTER THE RACE.

Branch of Muskegon, Grand Rapids A High Grade 1901 Bicycle the Prize This Time

Village council Monday evening young person getting the most with reference to obtaining a fran-chise for an electric railroad through a manner similar to our spoon con

Haven, Grand Rapids and Lowell, Lowell, Keene, Boston, Vergennes, They claim that right-of-way is Bowne, Grattan, Cannon and Ada. practically secured and that the Candidates may also enter from money to build the road is available other towns. Each candidate must at any time. We understand that agree to make a thorough canvas of the Westinghouse Electric company his or her township for subscriptions furnishes the financial backing. If such if the case, it is ample.

Mr. Kerwin's company propose building a branch road from Lowell workers for their efforts, giving a than the proposed Grand Rapids and ceiving the most votes will receive

The contest will not start unless a candidate is secured from each of the townships named.

For further particulars apply at this office.

Death of Mrs. R. J. Flanagan. Died, at her home in this village, Wednesday, March 13, of pneumonia, Mrs. R. J. Flanagan. session of the Lowell Water & Light | Funeral services were held at the Watts that he was ready to carry out his part of the contract and asked that a committee meet him in Grand

Hattie A. Lasby was born in Acton, Ont., April 17, 1854. Dec. 22, 1875, she married Robert J. Flanagan and they went directly to Detroit where they lived for two years, then removing to Ovid. HIS SEVENTIETH ANNIVER. After four years residence there they came to Lowell, which has since

been their home. Two children have been born to them, Charles, who died ten years ago at the age of eleven, and Erma now eight years of age. Besides this little daughter and the bereaved husband, Mrs. Flanagan leaves three With malice aforethought thirty-five of his old time friends and relatives and a host of friends.

the compass swooped down upon member of the Eastern Star which who have funds to deposit. society attended the services in a body. Though not a member of at the names of the copartners repthe Congregational church she be- resenting a capital of over \$100,000 longed to one of the bands of that is a sufficient guarantee that your church work.

were received at the school district methods. library last week and are now ready stories told and jokes cracked and for the public. Among them are numerous juvenile books including good business. series by Adams and Alger. There are also a number of historical novels including: "The Maid of Maiden Lane" and "Remember the Alamo," by Amelia Barr. Some of the author represented are: Stoddard, Monroe,

in our late sickness.

at L. H. Hunt & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hiler.

Nina and Harold Hiler.

Self-Supporting College Girls.

Thompson, Ward, Sheldon, Robt Barr, Wilcox, King and Riley. Among the books are: "Eben Holden," "Black Rock" and "Alice est in the county, and in strength of Old Vincennes." there is safety. A new catalog is sadly needed.

Card of Thanks. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends

general who so kindly assisted us Music

Paper "The Religious Training of Children" Mrs. Davidson. Recitation Mrs. Johnson,

Jon Morality" Mrs. Painter. Reading "The Influence Every college girl and every girl Reading that wants to go to college, should Mrs. John White Thought"

Barrett. working through college and shows

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, are some words of advice to girls of Again the tables were spread and the old coffee coolers and the women aforesaid gathered around them and unless fortified by uncommon so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood but when all other medicines falied, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr King's New Discovery wholly cured There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life
Pills. Millions are always busy
curing, Torpid Liver Jaudice, Billiousness, Fever and Ague. They banish

50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free aet curing, Torpid Liver Jaudice, Billiousness, Fever and Ague. They banish

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

Are You

the...

Mail

Routes

On One of

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.

No Good Reason.

There is no good reason why the banking business of Lowell and vicinity should not be done at home. There are many good banking institutions throughout the state but our home institutions are on a par with the best. Attention is especially called to the City Bank of Hill, Watts & Co., and its management.

This institution is entitled to the relatives coming from all points of Mrs. Flanagan was an active favorable consideration of those

society and took a great interest in interests will be safely guarded.

Church work.

Its continual and rapid increase in business and number of depositors New Books at the District Library is taken as an indication that the New books to the number of 111 public are pleased with their business

The flicers are pleased to extend every savantage consistent with

Those who desire to start a savings account can do so with a deposit of \$1.00 and 3 per cent interest will be paid on the account compounded semi-annually.

You could not ask for better treatment than the City Bank will give you. Besides it is a safe bank. It is a strong bank, one of the strong-

The Phila A. Clark W. C T. U. will meet with Mrs. Atwater on Tuesday, March 25 at 2:30. The following program will be given: Response at roll call with current

Reading "The Influence of Food

Reading from Union Signal Mrs.

Sick Headache, drive out Malaria. L. H. Hunt & Co.'s drug store.

Mahon Bros,

All kinds of canned fish at Mc

THE MEN'S CLUB

Of The Baptist Church, Lowell will Give a Band ? Tea--Also Coffee at Basement of Church Lowell, Friday Evening, March 22.

Prom 5 to 8 O'clock, P. M., or Until Provisions are Gone

MENU.

This will be elaborate—composed principally of viands of various kinds that

DESSERT Especial attention will be given to this anxiously waited for-by the guests.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTES IN CHARGE.

These have been selected with great care and with especial reference to theiranxiety to keep off the list.

Chief Promulgator J. B. Nicholson Dispenser of Angel Food, Claude Lane Dispenser of Devil's Food, Head Sawyer, T B Carter Head Taster. Chas. Wisner Assistant Taster. His Royal Highness-The Butcher,

Head Dish-washer. Frank White Assistants. Tom Davidson, Harold Oliver, Chief Potato Smasher, Roy Wheaton S P. Hicks 1st Assistant D. B. Davidson 2nd Assistant Benj. Morse Theodore Mason Guard of Dining Room Umpire of Dining Room, Head Extractor Dr. Cambell Food Sampler -Coffee and Tea Maker, Arthur Moore Dwight Graham High Chief Ranger Loyal Collector Crumb Gatherer Dell Kinyon Master of Water Bucket Master of Wood Box J. W. Godfrey

Tooth Pick Circulator Geo. Willard Inspector of Pure Foods Dr. Towslev Assistant Dispenser of Paregoric Dr. Greene Men Review of Compliments Chaplain -Head Dispenser - Rev. D. B. Davidson Roy Wheaton Assistant Waiters, Roy Chambers, Harry Fuller, Arthur White, F. B. Oliver, Jas. Scott, Earl Thomas, Geo. Sherman.

General Admission 15c. All ladies are cordially invited to come to the Men's Supper and bring their ap-petites, their husbands and their bachelor

Good (chin) music will be furnished by

WANTED

A good farm of about 160 acres or more suitable for general purposes or dairy farm. Must be in 1st class condition and good buildings in exchange for beautiful house in Grand Rapids. Large grounds, me and I gained 58 pounds." It's all kinds of fruit, fine grove, On nice absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, avenue. Handy to street cars. Give details. Address DWIGHT BROOKS,

> TREES-Home Grown. Best N. P. HUSTED & CO,

What Has Been Done by Premier Greenway, Hims, if a Leading Parmer.

Hon, Thomas Greenway, Premier of

oct as has been the expriser of those who pursued the same plan in the wheat-producing prairie States to the south of out, but it its far form being the most profitable course to adopt.

This fact is already being demonstrated in Manitoba. Lett fearms in this Western country be managed upon this more than anything else the world as the best of the south of the best western country be managed upon this more than anything else the world as the profit of the prof

offers advantages so great to the agriculturist as does Manitoba. The various branches of farming can be carher. Mr. Cowley was up with the lark,
Grave enough was Mrs. Cowley's face
sense, only fit to go into the fire. I rious branches of farming can be carried on successfully, as twenty-two years of practical operations and observations of what others are doing have proven. To those desiring to make new homes for themselves, the low price of some of the best lands in price this year) offers still great opportunities. To all such the invitable to the invitable see." There is land for all who choose. There is land for all who choose etc. There is land for all who choose here. There is land for all who choose here. There is land for all who choose here. There is land for all who choose when the come land upon which happy to come land upon which happy. which ample resources can be gathered against old age. All that a man

appears elsewhere in these columns.



Hollow Ash ... so Hall so

ed faith in the country as a place broke from a bank of thin white fog, require—at least, for a short sojourn. place once more. "I made sure by your where farming can be successfully car- and filled the whole apartment with a Mr. Cowley might have been less lib- squalling that old Queen Bess, at the

production of the same states and the same states are the same of the same of

will such a course, if persisted in, have will outlive your love. Last night, about to be granted. In her heart she hand, as you seem to have done. No the effect of causing the land to run when you left me you forgot my good- began to feel a little timid, though she more nonsense, Rose, if you please, out, as has been the experience of those who pursued the same plan in thought—"

would have gone to the stake rather than acknowledge it. Catharine shed that you, who were so eager to get two days, and at no time was he able

with these qualifications he is bound to succeed.

For information regarding free homestead lands, apply to any agent or the government whose advertisement served, sympathizingly. And certain-

The national debt of the U. S. is only about \$5 to every \$500 of its wealth. Confidence is a plant of slow growth in an aged bosom.

Lane's Family Medicine
Mores the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headche. Prices 52 and 50c.

Increased means and increased leisure are the two civilizers of man.

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The policy form was exactly opposite, and the plant light of the wintry home. The policy form was exactly opposite, the subject to the approval of the longest reign in Europe, or, indeed, in the world is to be used for the extension of the breaks of his life. But Francis Joseph is by no means the oldest ruler. The possessor of this distinction is neither the supposed, King Christian nor, as is generally upposed, King Christian nor the plant is the construction of which has the subject to the approval of the great of his life. But Francis Joseph is by no means the oldest ruler. The possessor of this distinction is neither the opposite of Austria nor, as is generally uponed, King Christian nor as is generally uponed, King Christian nor the deeper short of the great of his distinction is neither the supposed, King Christian nor the plant is the construction of which has the was so enchanted with he good in the provider of the supposed. The policy of his life. But Francis Joseph is by no means the oldest ruler. The possessor of this distinction is neither the supposed, King Christian nor as is generally uponed, King Christian nor the plant is the supposed of Austria holds the record of the longsters i sense that he engaged her on the spot Still, not the less for fire and candle, to remain at the Hall as servant till did Rose feel the unseen presence of Carrier Pigeons in German Army.

the scruples of the neighboring damthe scruples of the neighboring damsels should be sufficiently overcome to She hurried nervously down the pass- the German army, which has the most cost prices. enable them to serve, with or under age, entered her own room, took a complete pigeon service in the world. The trial of the nine natives charged her, or perhaps to take her place. But book from her dressing bag and refor her opportune arrival, Mrs. Cowley treated without daring even to give a tance is without its pigeon loft, and the presidente of Calamba, because he was might have been forced to make her glance at the caken cabinet in the cor- kaiser distributes numerous prizes for friendly to the Americans, discloses own bed get her own dinner and blick ner. Quicker and quicker she went on long and rapid flights, her husband's boots-for no village her way back, breathing short and feel-

girl could have been induced for love ing terribly frightened, though or money to engage at the Hall till it ashamed that she should do so. She A never-failing cure for hiccoughs ciety, known as Mandoducats, systemwas fairly proved whether Queen Bess to live in a haunted house, and have was there or not.

Mrs. Macarthy, however, was a hast in herself, and the sight of her broad, sensible. And making a brave effort generally sufficient, but if necessary natives.

A never-taking cure for niccoughs at ically abducted and killed Filipinos as much air as the lungs will hold, and the calamba Mandoducats killed 40 natives. The victims are usually Mrs. Macarthy, however, was a nest was indicated state of the sight of her broad, sensible. And making a brave effort generally sufficient, but if necessary, buried alive. smiling face was enough to put the to feel collected at the head of the it may be repeated. most crabbed ghost into good humor if stairs, she heard or fancied she heard

wildly, and ran headlong down, only to find the whole family in the hall, Ex-President Harrison Succumbs to La dently ready to face twenty ghosts, for Gen. Benjamin Harrison died at his Cowley grasped the tongs.

ried on, if pursued upon proper lines.

There is a large number in this province who should rather be called "wheat-growers" than farmers. On account of the facilities, natural advantages. and therefore cheenness and gold upon the vantages. and therefore cheenness are the whole apartment with a wir. Cowley might have been less liberation for the first to search the cabinet.

There were several tollet ornaments at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was in some measure at stake, and he was not satisfied till to who was not satisfied till to who was in some me vantages, and therefore cheapness a small yellow packet and a fragment the thirtieth of November, and anwith which wheat can be grown, no of an old letter. Rose took it up eanounced, with a pleasant smile, that all doubt many have done exceedingly serly and read these words traced in a was ready for the removal. Rose it, and she may believe there are scarcely knew whether to be glad or short far from ideal farming. Not only "And so I send the gift, but I fear it sorry that her often repeated wish was would invent them for herself before-

has attended the growing of wheat o'clock the next morning.

After wheat for years upon the same land have a tendency to make such a land land have a tendency to make such a course as the one mentioned tempting, yet, if continued, wheat growing upon the same land year after year is undoubtedly a mistake.

The writer knows of no country that offers advantages so great to the agribring that horrible thing here?" he President Garfield offered him a place is with gratitude that I state that they

"Mercy preserve us!" exclaimed the horrified British matron. 'Is the man of the state of the horrified British matron. 'Is the man of the state of t horrified British matron. 'Is the man in his senses? Can he think of living there after all that we saw last night?"

fortable she felt. Mr. Cowley had made up his mind to live in a haunted house est smile, she looked up from the obnoxious book into her father's face.

there after all that we saw last night?"

cannot supply you, send to the Dodd's with the distribution of public patron-moxious book into her father's face.

(To be continued.)

ly, after living so many years with
Simon Grimes, she ought to have been a judge.

At last the meal was over, and the situated White Island, which conships, armed with the most approved of the City of Great Falls, was elected as the second state of potents, Paris Gibson, the millionaire ranchman, as sociate of James J. Hill, and founder of the City of Great Falls, was elected of the City of Great Falls, was elected of the City of Great Falls, was elected on the city of Great Falls, It is not what he has, nor even whit he does, which expresses directly the worth of a man, but what he is.

Mrs. Cowley took her breakfast with what appetite she might. At noon her liege ford appeared—dusty, tirted and cross. From him she learned that the cross. From him she learned that the workmen were progressing favorably characteristics should never be used except on Such articles should never be used except on Such a

A Cure for Hicconghs.

most crabbed ghost into good humor if stairs, she neard of lanced she heard by chance she should happen to meet one breathing close behind her—felt, When a woman discloses a secret the week ending March 9. oath of allegiance to the U. S. during one. She worked with a will during or secied she felt, the touch of a cold, it is always with telling effect.

HIS LIFE WORK IS DONE.

"Good gracious, Rose!" exclaimed gaining consciousness. His death was a diamond is real or not. was marked by a single gasp for breath of the stone. Then heat the jewel in

THE LATE BENJAMIN HARRISON.

"What could have possessed you to James A. Garfield for president, so on until I had used seven boxes. It

their opinion would cure I existing evils. I assure them it is nore diffi- ment, in which some of the members of cult to frame a law that shall be safe and practical in its application." and practical in its application."

group drew around the biszing fire. sists mostly of sulphur mixed with ordnance, to enforce the just rights of to the United States senate at 3 o'-

ernment. In order to save cold storage capacity the army will be furnished with ice under contract with the insular government. Employes will be sular government. Employes will be and get your money back. sular government. Employes will be

how the insurgents terrorized the natives even in territory occupied by the Americans. Members of the secret so-IS SURE More than 20,000 Ilocanos took the

TESTING OF DIAMONDS.

How to Show Whether Supposed Preclous Stones Are Genuine. Although you may not be an expert the benefit of whose fleshless noses Mr. home in Indianapolis at 4:45 o'clock on at precious stones, there are three the afternoon of the 13th without re- ways in which you can tell whether her mother, trembling from head to quiet and painless, there being a gradfoot. "What is it? Have you seen ual sinking until the end came, which

"No," said Rose, looking extremely as life departed from the body of the a gas flame and drop it into some cold writes an excellent article to the press, from which the following extracts are made:

The writer came to Manitoba from Ontario in the autumn of 1878, and has ever since been engaged in agricultural pursuits. From the day, nearly twenty-two years ago, when he selectural pursuits. From the day, nearly twenty-two years ago, when he selectured his homestead, he has had unbounded faith in 'the country as a place'

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The writer came to Manitoba from Ontario in the autumn of 1878, and has alred and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal shell, on which Mrs. Cowley lade and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal shell, on which Mrs. Cowley lade and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal shell, on which Mrs. Cowley lade and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal shell, on which Mrs. Cowley lade and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal shell, on which Mrs. Cowley lade and made, drawing and dining rooms swept and dusted; till, from the dismal fancied was follows: Take said of the stairs, and I fancied som tal. The diamond, if a true one, w.li shine a clear white through the water and will be clearly visible, while the other stone will blond with the water in such a way as to be almost imperceptible in the water. Another plan is to procure a surface of striped paper-red and white stripes are the most suitable-and pass the suspected stone slowly over its surface. If the colors show through the stone it is some variety of crystal and not diamond. A real diamond will not show the variety of colors, but will look the same over the red as well as the white stripes.-London Express.

Paris Gibson as a Montana Senaton

Amid scenes of the wildest excite-

COUGH SYRUP Yery small and as cary to take as organ. Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Dee in time. Sold by druggists.

ALARMING MORTALITY THE LAKE SIDE.
The shadows round the inland sea,

and Ailing.

SURING THE TIME DEATH REAFS ITS Along the sky in wavy lines. LARGEST HARVEST.

There is a Way of Eluding the Grim Destrover.

daily life.

Statistics show that at no other season of the year does so many deaths

To him of light and shade the laws
No forest lyric taught;
Their living and eternal cause
His truer instinct sought.

among weak and sickly people.

The reason for this is apparent. The Walled round with sombering pines. body that is weakened by age or dis- God near nim seemed; from earth and ease has much to contend with during the Winter months. Insufficient exercise frequently has been taken. Too Man stood before the Lord. much starchy and fatty foods have been eaten. The system has been allowed to become run down, and when I have I see, In radiant hill and woodland dim, Spring comes with its bright, sun- And tinted sunset sca. shiny days, older people will begin For not in mockery dest thou fill to realize that their vitality has become very low. The same thing is Behind Thy smiling face. true of people who are naturally sickly

This is the season of the year when

up and restores to a healthy condition the fire and advanced the words that famous bachelor organization, after all furnish with every bottle, and I am mained in excellent strength and vigor

perienced benefit from this greatest of Oh, you needn't bother about Van all life-lengtheners, comes the follow- Zandt," answered Asher, as he once when, with glass to lips he was wont seemed to be affected badly all over. ed through the summer and somehow

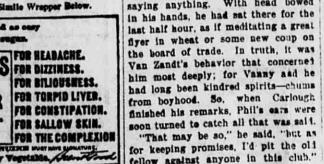
and nerve remedy and in less than to. He's too much a devotee at the three weeks I felt like a new man. I shrine of independent bachelordom; cern.

Probably Paul was a D. D. before he was converted. A Month's Test Free.

If you have Rheumatism, write Dr. Shoop, Racine,
Wis., Bex 143, for six bottles of his Rheumatic Cure,
express paid. Send no money. Pay 45.50 if cured.

talism. Mary Trezevant, from what I

Must Bear Signature of Breuksood



CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Are deepening into night: Slow up the slopes of Ossipee They chase the lessening light. Noticeable Among the Weak Tired of the long day's blinding heat, I rest my languid feet; Lake of the Hills, where, cool and sweet,

> O'er isle and reach and bay. Green-helted with eternal pines. The mountains stretch away. Below, the maple masses sicep Where shore with water blends, While midway on the tranqui deep The evening light descends.

many people are taken away that we have been accustomed to see in our Upon the Smile of God.

Van Zandt's Vindication.

it purifies the blood and gives strength and vitality to the nerves. It tones coterie nestling in easy chairs around brotherhood of Letheans. New York's followed your directions, which you my health returned, and I have re-

ing from the famous General Long- more seated himself in the restful to join in the chorus: street of 1217 New Hampshire Ave., leather covered armchair. "Never knew him to keep an appointment "It gives me great pleasure to add strictly on time; I'll lay you odds of my testimony with many others for five to one he finishes the stretch at He's a jolly good fellow, He's a jolly good fellow, A jolly good fellow is he." Dr. Greene's Remedy, which I have least a quarter hour to the bad. I

Then someone suggested the regular greatly helped by Peruna advised me dition physically previous to this, it to try it, and I procured a bottle the took but little to break me down completely potation, which, for some I am able to recommend its virtues from experience. I have used it for catarrh and have derived help."

Inightly potation, which, for some strange reason, thus far, had been overlooked. Prospects of that which was to follow brought back the good that which was to follow brought back the good the next two months I took five botters, and then felt splendid. Now my and more than I had expected. It not

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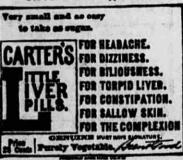
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Nervura. It is cheaper than a doctor's men who allow themselves to be trans. prise, The latter part of Mr. Hynes' advice might be profitably disregarded. however, if you should feel you would like the advice of a physician. You can have such advice and have it free if you will write or call on the greatest known blood and nerve specialist. Dr. Greene, 35 W. 14th St., New York

Wealth is not his that has it, but his

Cenuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

See Pac-Simile Wrapper Below.



"None of us is trying to pose as a

ready to youch for his good sense."

saint, my dear boy," mildly interposed Carlough, "you have placed a wrong construction on what I have sail. We

Every Spring it is noticeable how So seemed it when you hill's red crown,

Especially large is the mortality He saw these mountains in the light

There need not be as many deaths this year as usually take place. A little care will ward off many Spring funcrals. If one is weak or alling they should take time by the forelock and nerve remedy. This great medicine nerve remedy. This great medicine chain of silence. Outside, the air was aglow, strode into the room, wherein which lasted more than three months "I also suffered with dyspensia, and has been in many cases, and will con-filled with particles of swirling snow be would find his cronies. At sight of and which left me with catarrh, when had either to starve or suffer from tinue to be, the means by which the and, all portentous of a night in-doors, black angel of Doub has been delay black angel of Death has been driven from the threshold. It dispels the grim destroyer in a scientific way, for grim destroyer in a scientific way, for vigorously than ever at his pipe. Then | lull in the conversation. it purifies the blood and gives strength he stopped, looked inquiringly at the The possibility of losing one of the

all of the great life-giving organs of the body.

The body.

The body.

Where's Vanny?" asked Collier, he can be considered the unusual quiet, and been passed, was more than the commend the Peruna collins. Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and of the light curiy locks and Arunde- most stanchly hearted of them could to all my friends." nerve remedy will enable those who lian bearing, as he looked at his bear. A mental pall seemed to settle take it to throw off little ills that watch. "He told me he was coming over the little gathering, as if one of prove dangerous only when they at- here at 10; we're due to finish that tie their number was already under the tack a system already wasted and game of billiards, but, as yet, I've seen shadow of some mysteriously oninous no sign of him. Wonder what's the power. He who brought the pervad ing gloom, maintained a rigid silence, From many people, who have experienced benefit from this greatest of "Oh, you needn't bother about Van ont at all in keeping with his conduct, when with close to line he was want

my stomach, and I was always looking tunity to prove her adroitness," said as they went aloft; all eyes were central that gentleman. "Vanny's not the dark side of everything. I beran to take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood chap to allow himself to be dictated future was a matter of so much con-

can now do as much work as is expected of a man my age. I advise woman, at the proper time, may not suited that are of them not saying of course, that the right yelled and it was not until silence en-"To Vanny and his promises!" all anyone who is troubled to take Dr. succeed in breaking this steel-clad sued that any of them noticed the Greene's Nervura. Do not go to a barrier. He's often spoken of it to doctor but get a bottle of Dr. Greene's me; decried the weak-mindedness of looked aghast; so great was their sur-Vanny grasped the back of his chair

ported hither and you by the buffe and as he arose to give response. Something tugged at his throat, a sign of the weakness his companions would charge him with, and which made speech, for the moment, difficult. His heart throbbed fast in the excitement but thoughts of her steadled his nerve and calmed his voice, so that his words fell measurably clear and eloquent. "I've a confession to make," he ad vanced. "It's due to you, I know. since I'm the first to nullify-our bond-of fellowship. Your toast nas taken me completely off my guard. hadn't considered, for a moment, that you knew of the serious turn this affair had taken-how could you?when the amrmations were made only tonight. There were two c. them; the third shall be an invitation to dine with me Thursday evening. Will you

A curious lot cried "Yes, go on!" They wondered what would follow "I don't drink with you tonight.

boys, because-I've quit. Now that's the first promise, and it's one I shall "For the second, you had better ask Miss Trezevant"

PineForest of Arizons. Arizona is supposed to be almost an quer under such circumstances. I've half a mind to believe she wouldn't unbroken desert, but in reality it has try, either, since her mother and she the largest unbroken pine forest in the are so opposed to men who indulge United States, covering an area of over their appetite for an occasional brandy 8,000 square miles. This timber is and soda or a nip of warm Bourbon. usually found in an altitude of between "That may be true," interjected Phil 5,500 and 7,500 feet. The total quantity
Pearson, a ruddy-faced chap, who, of pine timber fit for sawing purposes while innately championing Vanny's within the boundaries of the territory cause, had hitherto refrained from amounts to 10,000,000,000 feet, which saying anything. With head bowed can supply the needs of a populous in his hands, he had sat there for the state for more than a century.

Van Zandt's behavior that concerned him most deeply; for Vanny and he had long been kindred spirits—chums from boyhood. So, when Carlough finished his remarks, Phil's ears were soon turned to catch all that was said. "That may be so," he said, "but as entitled at a coronation to receive a for keeping promises, I'd pit the oli drinking cup of pure gold. He can fellow against anyone in this club." Hotly, "We know how he likes his he likes. The dukedom goes back

toddy; especially at such a cold, blus- more than four centuries.

weigh in the balance against him- AFTER-EFFEUIS

rave a bit of the ancient spirit about each of us, when it comes to a temptand complications which follow the grip are apt to be more serious ing glass or a pretty woman, and you know that Vanny's no exception. In than the acute stage of the disease. his case, unlike the acid and the al-Some people have the grip very lightly. They may be confined

the other; one must give way and I'm to the house only a day or two and yet a long train of disagreeable, disabling symptoms follow. All sorts of tonics and stimulating H. M. MERRILL. Marshall, Mich. Sound of a familiar voice in the cor- remedies have been devised to meet this condition. None of them ridor announced the arrival of the can compare in results with Peruna. Every one who has had the grip ought to take a short course of

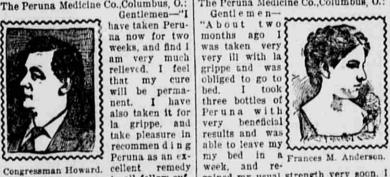
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D. D. Wallace, a of 1313 N. Bryant ave. charter member of Minneapolis, Minn., the International Bar- writes as follows conber's Union writes cerning Peruna: from 15 Western ave., "Last spring I suf-Minneapolis, Minn. fered from la grippe NERVOUS

"Following a severe and was partially attack of la grippe I cured, but the bad after-effects remain I suffered with a severe backache, indi- 1 did not get as strong as 1 was before. gestion and numerous ills, so I could neither eat nor sleep, and I thought I ting my feet wet and attending a lecture in a cold hall, and suffered a renot afford to do. "One of my customers who was followed, and as I was in a weak con-

Mr. Wellington Hynes, Elizabethinduce him to leave Miss Trezevant town, N. Y., writes:

without his customary brief grace for joking, conscious only of the joys good Dr. Greene's Nervura has done me. I was so run down that I could not sleep at night and everything worried me. I had no appetite and could not work, my head ached all the time and there was an all-gone feeling in and there was an all-gone feeling in a letter and TRY it. She'll be the uncomradeship.

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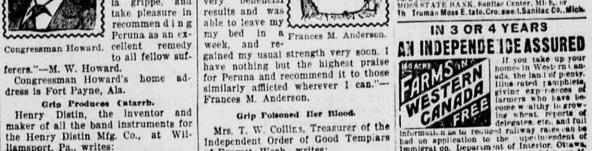
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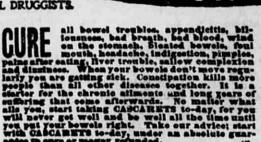
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but a fraction of what he agreed to give Grand Rapids and would do nicely for a town of this size. We have a school library of 4,000 volumes, maintained and conducted at an expense of about \$500 annually. The township library has 1100 volumes and the annual cost of maintenance is probably not less than \$150. The public appreciation of these libraries is shown by the maintenance is probably not less than \$150. The public appreciation of these libraries is shown by the mrs. C. E. Van Deusen, of Kilbourn, Wis, and an giant to say it is the best of six the cough medicines." For sale by D. G. Look, Druggist.

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country, after his retirement from light attack of small-pox. office, predominated over . love Jennie Andrews has been out of of party. His recent speeches and on account of sickness. Extered at Lowell post office as second magazine articles have shown him Bert Fletcher is able to be around the to be at great variance from the Hanna program of world-wide con-

Strikes a Rich Find.

been nominated and once elected by the Republican party to the highest office in the gift of any people. It is not to be wondered at that he should wish to avoid being considered ungrateful and it is probably true that he considered durgateful and it is probably true that he considered the only living ex-president. Our public men do not last like foreigners of the Gladstone and Bismarck type:

| General Harrison's latest utterances | General H

intellectually and that he was not a this week. wearer of "grandpa's hat," but the Mrs. Carl Speaker of Lowell is visiting millions of money, and as a city, there ern Hemisphere and thus tend to bring One of Pingree's pardoned pets, turned loose upon a suffering public death, coming at a time when the

Friday night was well attended.

troubles; that they are a grand tonic

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church

upon three women. The pardoning power should be taken from the him, is greatly to be regretted.

Mrs. Stapelton and son, Clay, of Grand Rapids visited old time friends here last week.

Mrs. Stapelton and son, Clay, of Grand cluded a large part of the city's great and famously beautiful park, and from the lime that week. Results. Immediate and lasting. Before ent moment the interest and energy manifested and the strong intent to Will Be One of the Principal Fea-That Niles bank cashier got away with something like \$150,000. He should be a rattling good fellow and live on the fat of the land all the rest of his days. It takes a smart fellow to get away with a wad like that. Had it been a measley \$10 theft, the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the thief would be doing time that the rest of the several years and after trying other remedies use Rocky Mountain Tea this month. The like month that month the fat of the land all the succeed in every way shown by the month of the first month. The lates and after trying other remedies use Rocky Mountain Tea this month. The like month to succeed in every way shown by the month of the first month. The lates and foriculture, viticulture and floriculture, viticulture and floriculture, viticulture and floriculture and floricult

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Mrs. Jennie Davenport Holden

crushing was meted out to her. one was." During the year 1863 a sister, whom "It is certainly good of you to defend Evelyn's face lighted up. "I have al- The President. hood home in the service of his country, and a friend, who had placed the ring upon her finger which signified the uniou of two hearts, fell in one of the lettled. Its face. Too have heard pernaps of the capture and confession of the real criminal?"

He told her he had just received the news.

"Then," she went on, "the boy will broke out, impulsively:

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nearly died out. She was then supported by sym
Ronald told her he was going to ride to town and persuade the prisoner to pathizing parents and others who finish his journey by rail. had with her felt the crushing blows "Ah, I am so glad, for that is what dealt out by a Father's hand in love, I came to see you about. I have brought

but as seen then it was hard. gaged in teaching until the year not trouble you to deliver it to him."
1870. At this time she was united "I shall do it with a great deal o county, Michigan. Not quite two full years she lived happily in her "There is another thing, Mr. Fan-

with life's difficulties.

She kindly cared for her step-son,
Willie; and brought him safely
through the dangers incident to boyhood. In his manhood he has hood. In his manhood he has see I am getting old. If you would only honored and had a tender regard for allow me to instruct my banker to-"

his foster mother. She was a widow for about thirty say and the flush which had died out ered her head and began to gather up years and in that time has seen of his handsome face returned. much to cause grief and sorrow of "It is most kind of you," he inter-

When still in her teens she was I might be glad to avail myself of your at a camp meeting held in the township of Otisco, Ionia county. For a time she lived and walked very close to God. Through the varied circumstances of life which surrounded her pathway she gave way and lost that sweet communion with God which had been so much. God which had been so much comfort to her. She ever in speaking Then I can only hope and pray that "Then I can only hope and pray that duty, before God, to be by his side—

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bliss she once enjoyed and was He seemed to be reading her on earth." bliss she once enjoyed and was brought to feel so keenly her need that she sought earnestly to be fully restored to the Divine favor. Before the light broke in again upon her soul, she was brought to the borders of despair. When at last faith prevailed and God came, the faith prevailed and God came, the evidence was so clear and bright that joy unspeakable filled her soul. At that time, in the year 1885, she changed church relationship and has since to the time of her demise open a member of the Free Metho-

dist church. until again she felt the unearthly thrills of divine life.

The hour came at last when ap-' She could say: Jesus can make a dying bed

Teel soft as downy pillows are, While on his breast I lean my head And breathe life out sweetly there." She has lived and died where she has been from childhood up to old age. Not a spot to stain the pure page upon which her character is

************* The World Against Him

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Tompkins county, New York, and Kent county, Michigan on the 15th Ronald bowed. "It was the one thing of New York to Michigan in the terday afternoon. There was not a joining sitting-room, winter of 1839-1840. They soon settled on their farm in had threatened to kill me."

Adozen men "hamemoer," said Mrs. Lancaster, Ronald paused and Dave got and they you have a true friend over from the wagon and joined him.

the township of Keene, Ionia county where her childhood days and youth were spent.

had threatened to kill me."

His auditor was bending towards him, feasting on his features with wide-open eyes and hands tightly clasped in the cart and assisted her to her seat. "No with a twitching lip, he stood "why district school and a select school, "I was almost sorry I advised you watching the cart as it rolled away.

then held in Fallasburg, sufficient to try to save him, Mr. Fanshaw, when to enable her teach. At the age of the climax was reached and I realized flowers for the dining table when her 17 years she taught her first term of your own peril; but now that you have friend returned. She held her arms school. She continued to teach triumphed I am glad I wrote you-oh, full of them when the old lady alightwith great acceptability for several so glad! For your work last night ed and came down the walk to her. has shown me what a noble man you | Evelyn studied her face in astonish-

usual haste in such matters is not due | The old woman wiped her red eyes | 14, 1901. to the evil natures of these people, and began to shed fresh tears. Then followed those dark days of but to a certain inability to believe in "He is so like my husband," she said, ident, Pro-Tem Look. the civil war when sorrow deep and the innocence of a man accused as this huskily. "So noble; such a grand char-

she fondly loved, was taken from them as you do," said the old lady, her ways known that, Mrs. Lancaster. Now her. A very dear brother, loved and beloved, died far from his child-his face. "You have heard perhaps of mind, every word that you said and beloved, died far from his child-his face."

then seemed blighted and hope has "Do you intend to see him before he nearly died out."

him a little gift; I understand his Hope revived and she again en mother is old and needy. I hope it will in marriage to William Holden of the township of Wyoming, Kent As she gave him the roll of bills which she took from her purse her

"If I had my way you should have

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FRIEND OVER THERE.

married relation when the death shaw," she faltered. "I hope you will angel came and took away her hus- forgive me if I am presuming, but since band and left her alone to grapple I have heard how hard you are strug-

He understood what she intended to

rupted, "and under some circumstances

fort to her. She ever in speaking of it referred to it as a bright spot on life's page.

In after life she sighed for the on life's page.

"Then I can only hope and pray that all success may come your way, and perfect happiness" (she suddenly thought of Evelyn and sighed).

"Then I can only hope and pray that duty, before God, to be by his side—it would be my duty in spite of my father's wishes, in spite of everything on earth."

Trustee two years, Frank N. White.

Assessor Joseph B. Yeiter.

Minutes of this meeting and of two previous meetings read and approved.

On motion by Trustee VanDyke council faith prevailed and God came, the never to others."

stood up and, offering her hand, she The cares of life have been too pressed his fingers tightly. much for her at times and the clear light has been dimmed but she has all your desires," she said, with a litmade it her business to seek God

proaching death began to feel for heart strings. She was ready to bravely meet the conflict with the last enemy. She said to those near her, "I am ready and willing to

Many friends and neighbors have stood by and with kind hands have helped to lift burdens and do all they could to show their kind regard and sympathy. Many evidence attest the fact that she was loved "REMEMBER YOU HAVE A TRUE had given considerable space to the J S Hooker A TRUE had given considerable space to the J S Hooker CH Constitution of the local space of the Land of the local space of the local space of the Land of the local space of the local spac and prized by her acquaintances. But she has gone, her feet will no the catch in her voice; "all, every one what they would never have said to his F N White longer tread the hard, rough paths of of them, including the love of the face. They made him out even a more arth. We will think of her now as truest, purest girl that ever lived." singing the song of the redeemed in Then she saw his strength give way; was, and added a sting to these state On motion by Trustee Watts the bond heaven and giving honor and praise she felt his hand quiver and grow ments by making a great hero of Fan- of the Village Treasurer was fixed at

atives and many kind friends and how grimly real life is."

neighbors.—[Com. | Tears sprang into Mrs. Lancaster's for his discourse, and among other]

most sobbed, as she wrung his hand was a coward who was so much afraid of his shadow that he did his evil deeds and then quickly released it.

He laughed bitterly. "I never called it hope at any time," he said. "She has only been my dream."

She had reached the door and was of the she had reached the door and was his courage and get even by having it Saturday, the 30th day of March, for the Saturday, the 30th day of March, looking out into the yard where old out with Ronald Fanshaw.

Fanshaw, in his untied brogans, hick
One day Ronald was leaving the cotsuch persons as shall be possessed of the ory shirt and jeans pants, was olling ton gin, which was about a mile from necessary qualifications of electors in said the axies of a wagon under an apple the land he was renting, when Dave tree. She overheard the low voices of rode up on top of a big load of loose which sustained me-made me work his two daughters on the porch and cotton. Her parents moved from the state on to the end. I almost lost hope yes- Mrs. Fanshaw's heavy tread in the ad- "Hold on, thar, Ron," he called out, in the forenoun until five o'clock in the "I want to speak to you."

have told you that,"
"Yes, he refused," and Mrs. Lancasmorning March 15, 1901.

raised a bunch of pink roses to her President Weekes.

"nothing under high heaven can keep and Flanagan,

ter gave his reasons in detail. Evelyn |

a man down with such a God-given pur-

silent, then Mrs. Lancaster caught |

Evelyn caught her eye and smiled,

it has made me unspeakably happy."

"I discovered further," pursued Mrs.

girl, with bowed head and rigid mien,

CHAPTER X.

The summer passed and the fall ap-

proached. The cotton, ripened, burst

stalks till broad fields of snow lay on

all sides of Carnleigh. For awhile Ron-

intend the picking, hauling and ginning

of his cotton. The weather had been

caster again after the day she had called, and about the middle of August

he learned that she had gone back to

Charleston. His informant also hinted

thoughts about her which had beat

pain over the announcement that she

Reports were continually filtering

desperate outlaw, if possible, than he

was going away, he tried to look upon

it as providential.

eves and she choked un. things which reached Syd with almost

favorable and he had made a good crop.
He had not chanced to meet Mrs. Lan-

that Evelyn was to follow her in Octo- Freeman Winters

ber. He was trying to forget certain Jas F Todd

themselves into his heart during the W D Dawson

summer, and though he felt a sharp D C Carveth

There were other things, too, which | F M Johnson

forced themselves upon his attention. TA Murphy
Reports were continually filtering Merritt Wright

fect that Sydney Hart had sworn to be revenged on him for having made him T W Mason

the butt of ridicule on the night of the WH Eddy

attempted lynching. The newspapers | S B Knapp

matter, and the local correspondents, Z H Covert being unknown to Syd, dared to write D G Look

fect that Sydney Hart had sworn to be Rudolph VanDyke

through the gossips to him to the ef- | Jno Roth

ald had put aside his studies to super-

"You have discovered that he loves spectors,

when he made that admission. I al-most cried in his presence." Al- keepers. Carried Polls opened at 8:30.

ing." she said.

still knowingly.

Ronald paused and Dave got down "Remember," said Mrs. Lancaster, "Look heer, have you got anything to shoot with?" was Dave's anxious ques- | mar28 "Not a thing," returned our hero; "why do you ask?" Then, with a twitching lip, he stood

volver from his hip pocket.

1) day of March A. D. 1901.

lowing standing committees:

ook, Nicholson.

ing bills were allowed.

Standard Carbon Co.

Electric Appliance Co.

Freight

L. &. P FUND.

STREET FUND.

GENERAL FUND.

Carried.

(To be continued) COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular meeting of the Lowell

Albion college, Albion, Mich., was not going to proceed, "that the the the pear was not going to proceed, "that the claimed, "you have been crying."

I think," he said, seeing that she went to was not going to proceed, "that the claimed, "you have been crying."

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PROBATE ORDER.

State of Michigan, Co Rooms on Thursday evening, March Rooms on Thursday evening, March
At a session of the Probate Court for said
County of Kent, held at the Probate Office Meeting called to order by Presin the City of Grand Rapids, on the 12th day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and one. Present Trustees Lee, Look, VanDyke, absent Trustees Flanagan, Watts, White.

In the matter of the estate of Leonard A There being no quorum present filed in this Court her petition paying that the administration of said estate may b suitable person.
It is ordered that Friday, the 12th day of

April 1901 at 10 oclock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hear-Adjourned Regular meeting Evelyn broke out, impulsively:
"And he refused to accept it! I could the Lowell Village Council held in the Council Rooms on Friday ing said petition.

And is it further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in Meeting called to order the LOWELL LEDGER a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Kent HARRY D. JEWELL, face; they were the color of her cheeks. | Present Trustees Lee, Look, VanDyke.

Judge of Probate
ALVIN E. Ewing, Register. "Nothing," she said, with conviction, White the President absent Trustees Watts (A true copy) WANTED-ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD For a moment the two friends were ing the result of the annual village election. The Board of Election Inspectors subcharacter to deliver and collect in Michigan or old established manufacturing whole-sale house. \$900 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. Our reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-atcressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, mitted the following report:
Annual Village Election of the Village Evelyn's hand and pressed it tenderly. of Lowell held in the Merritt Wright build-"I made a little discovery this morn- ing, west store, in said village the eleventh ard Floor, 884 Dearborn St., Chicago, 1301

Present President Pro-Tem, D. G. Look Trustees F N. White and J. E. Lee as in-Their promptness and their pleasant effects make DeWitt's Little Early Risers me; I knew that a long time ago, and lee that D. G. Look act as Chairman. Moved by Trustee White supported I Moved by Trustee Lee supported ! Lancaster, "that he does not hope ever | White that Rudolph VanDyke and J. S

to win you." Mrs. Lanoaster's lips Hooker act as clerks. Carried, twitched a little. "It is that which Moved by Lee supported by W twitched a little. "It is that which pains me so much. He looked so grand S. B. Knapp and Z. H. Covert act as gate in effect from Chicago, Milwaukee and Manitowoc via Wisconsin Central Railway to points in Minnesota, North Dakota. most cried in his presence."

"He does not hope?" said Evelyn, and then she caught her breath, low-Ballot box opened and ballots counted

her flowers. "He does not hope?" she and proper proclamation made of result repeated the words as if to herself, and shallot box closed and sealed. Seal derepeated the words as if to herself, and sallot box closed and sealed. Seal demearest ticket agent or address H. W. Mrs. Lancaster rose and followed her livered to D G. Look and key to Frank N. Stienhoff, District Pass. Agent W. C. Ry, up the walk to the house, and as the White. Adjourned. Saginaw, Mich., or Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l. Rudolph VanDyke Pase. Agent, Milwaukee. Wis.

Jan. 1, 1901 Trains leave Lowell as follows: For Detroit and East 7 15 am 11 06 am 4 10 pm For Toledo and South
7 15 sm 11 08 sm 4 10 pm T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

For Grand Rapids, North and West
11 08 am 410 pm8 47 pm
15 For Saginaw and Bav City
7 45 am 6 05 pm Regular Special meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in Council Rooms on Monday evening For Freeport 7 15 am 4 10 pm B L. BRATTON, H. F. MOELLER, Genl, Pass. Agent Meeting called to order by President Present, Trustees Lee, Look. Nicholson,

CRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Watts; absent Flanagan and White President Van Dyke announced the fol-WESTBOUND FROM LOWELL. Finance - Watts, Nicholson, White. No 19 Morning Express to Grand Haven No 13 Mail and Chicago Ex-Fire-Nicholson, Lee, Watts, Light and Power-Lee, Look, Flanage Press to Grand Haven No 17 Steamboat Express Sewer-Look, Watts, White. Street-White, Lee, Flanagan. Public buildings and Parksto Gd Haven & Milwaukee No 11 Western Express to Gd Haven *9 13 : Nos 19, 13 and 17 daily except Sunday. On motion by Trustee Watts the follow-*9 13 am No 11, daily.

15 84 No 12 Detroit express to De-5 00 troit and East No 20 Mail to Detroit 10 29 am 9 28 No 18 Evening Express to
1 60 Detroit and East
16 72 No 14 Eastern Fxpress to
Durand and East 4 04 pm *7 57 pm Nos 12, 20 and 18 daily except Sunday

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D. T Bush of C. G. Stone Election.

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afternoon tor the purpose aforesaid.

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Lowelt, Mich but go and see the doctor at once.

Address all communications to the dictor in his new office in the Tower Block.

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That has been only a dream of mine, a hopeless, vain dream, sent to teach me neighborhood, and was told beforehand that Syd was in an adjoining the neighborhood, and was told beforehand that Syd was in an adjoining the neighborhood, and was told beforehand that Syd was in an adjoining the neighborhood, and was told beforehand that Syd was in an adjoining that the syd was in an adjoining that syd was in an adjoining that the syd was in an

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of it ignite quickly and give out a a military order.

months ago, who, it was fondly hoped, caped, with the officers in hot pursuit, 11th. Loss, \$4,500.

There were 3.145 deaths reported to the secretary of state as having occurred in Michigan in February. This mumber is less than the number related for January, but owing to the capted to live to see a continuous in first the control of the most, the death rate lines for falliway from New York to St. Petersburg by way of Bering Strait. There were 472 more links will be begun within a year." The resultant form the period of the port Valdez on the sea to the Yuken Port Valdez on the sea to the Yuken Port Valdez on the sea to the Yuken From this point another toad is provided from links will period from indicable increase in the number of settled in Nome, and if that should be like in tuberculous diseases, typhoid point another toad is provided from fiver at the mouth of the Tanana, From this, point another toad is provided from fiver at the mouth of the Tanana also increased, but not to as jected to Nom; and if that should be will surfaced from indicable increase in the number of settled in Nom; and if that should be will be also increased, but not to as fairness in the number of settled in Nom; and if that should be will be also increased, but not to as fairness in the number of settled to Nom; and if that should be will be also increased, but not to as fairness in the number of settled to Nom; and if that should be will be approximated to the control of the secretary of the college of the control of the contr

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with the poetic and platitudinous graduating essays of only a generation ago. To be "a good housekeeper," goes as fairly as to say a great scholar." Today, a great scholar. Today, a great scholar. Today a great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,003.67; disposal of white, \$352,03; services of Judge Callephone and electric street railway property. The lock is estimated at \$25. to great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,003.67; disposal of White, \$352,03; services of Judge Callephone and electric street railway property. The lock is estimated at \$25. to great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,003.67; disposal of White, \$352,03; services of Judge Callephone and electric street railway property. The lock is estimated at \$25. to great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,003.67; disposal of White, \$352,03; services of Judge Callephone and electric street railway property. The lock is estimated at \$25. to great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,003.67; disposal of White, \$352,009, bertoit's share being \$1,000. The total receipts from the Philippine Evangelical church in a great scholar trial of Sutton. \$4,0 credit counting toward promotion or he was pumping more wind than gosfor a garde in the Legion of Honor will be given to those officers who send in ber of the council.

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Happenings of the Week Briefly

that she invariably catches cold every 30TH REGIMENT HOME AGAIN.

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market at once. The West Bay City council is consid- new school; to amend an act to established is a commercial success in the Chinese themselves see fit, except in

with army officers from the Presidio, of a creamery in the village.

age of 94, was one of the apostles of One of the burglars was held up by and a quantity of lumber, owned by grade certificates. Agen, of Ludington, was de- The following bills were pass

Capac is to have a chicory plant. All slot machines at Niles must go.

is \$16! .000.

Prepared for Quick Reading for Busy | One death from smallpox was re- assessed valuation for the year 1901, Michiganders Amendments to the Con- ported at Pinconning on the 12th. stitution Must be on Separate Ballots. The coal miners in the Saginaw dis-

tablished by Edward Irving some 70 was arrested, while the other three es- stroyed by fire on the morning of the the house on the 12th: Fixing of cermonths ago, who, it was fondly hoped. caped, with the officers in hot pursuit. 11th. Loss, \$4,500.

would not complete their work before About two miles from the city another From 12, midaight, on the 9th, uning provision of an act relative to a

The senate passed the following bills on the 13th: Raising the salaries of the Wayne county circuit court stenog-Horse thieves are operating at Buch-

ate effect; for the protection of fish in Clam lake. Antrim county; changing the name of Minnie Boorman to Min-

meeting of the Lenawee county super-Counterfeit dollars are being circu- visors; authorizing the village of East 1902 and 19 3, to pay interest on debts; to abolish the board of public works of about 3,500 towns. During the theatrical season there are perhaps 6,000
traveling companies continually on the

will Pingree go Down in His Own Pocket?

Stitution Must be on Separate Ballots.

trict will ask for an increase in wages.

The postoffice at Kitche, Houghton amend the law relative to election pre-Attorney-General Oren has filed his county, has been discontinued. Mail cinets; relative to the time of suits

A system of insurance against strikes prevails in Austria. Holders of cur in their establishments, whether voluntary forced, or sympathetic. The cost of a policy is three or four per cent of the annual policy. The profession is a policy is three or four per cent of the annual policy. The indem-A colored woman in Atlanta, Ga., of the attorney-general, and that thereA colored woman in Atlanta, Ga., of the attorney-general, and that therehas brought suit against a street rall- fore no claim against the state was place 100,000 shares of stock on the there; authorizing school district No. 1 several lost heavily. The statistics be tried for complicity in the outrages

was seated in a crowded car, when the The transport Hancock, carrying the ering the plan of asking the legisla- lish a county road system in Saginaw U. S. vehicle suddenly started. A fat man, weighing about two hundred pounds, who was standing, grabbed at a strap, missed it, and fell into the woman's lap, temporarily crushing the breath out of her.

The transport Hancock, carrying the saking the legislature to change the name of West Bay county; to constitute the president of the Homer, Calhoun county, an extended a strap, dated pretoria, March 12, says Gen. Two communications from Andrew constitution to increase the pay of members of the vicinity have organized a stock company for the establishment out of her.

Judge Magruder stated that plenty of good men could be found it was binteringly suggested by a prominent politician that the judge should accept and he did.

The voyage was a pleasant one and the soldiers are happy over the fact that it was made in quick time. There were in all 875 people on board, of which he did.

Thirty-two girls employed in the schwabach garment factory, at Niles, went on strike on the 11th. They haven't received any salary for several Near Rio Grande City, Texas, an im
Recently a Jackson barber shaved a laso brought 72 prisoners and dismense deposit of an unknown gaseous substance has been discovered. Pieces that delication is also brought 72 prisoners and discovered and boxes after September 1, 1901; and loans money to the county to be equipped with automatic man who said he had chickenpox. The barber new has smallpox, and a gen- reapportioning \$3,333.34 for the Induseral vaccination at Jackson has been trial School for Girls at Adrian; reor- A strange phenomenon was witably long period. It is said by scientists that the substance is either an unknown mineral or ordinary clay highly charged with gas. In either case, the value of the deposit as fuel case, the value of the town-deposit as fuel case, the town

Valentine Woodhouse, who has just died at Albury, England, at the great age of 94, was one of the anostles of the second advent of Christ. Since the first death took place among this band of 12 in the year 1855, that hope has been gradually falling, and with the death of the sole survivor, the expectation of many that he would be

pectation of many that he would be mirac alously preserved must now be surplanted by a renewed confession of failure.

On a total assessment of \$12,000, in each ward for voters; amending returned 8) cents uncollected, and that was on property which had paid no the secretary of state as having occurred in Michigan in February. This

Inquiry in official circles in Berlin

Get Enough Last Season.

gians, 10 Italians and Swiss, and 1

Sugar Beet Supply Insufficient. By statistics recently compiled by native Christians perished. of Marquette to borrow money for a demonstrate that beet sugar manufac- and punished in such manner as the

members of the legislature to \$1,000 life, and of his donation of \$5,000,600 interfered with the movements of the

CHINA WAS NEWS.

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garding the report contained in a dispatch from Washington that Prince-Ching and Li Hung Chang have asked the U. S. and other powers to induce The bonded indebtedness of Pontiac ne Howard; changing the time of THE ENTERPRISE WILL PAY Russia to abandon the M pchurian convention. The Pekin correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger gives statistics as to the number of foreign Christians Raised to Enable the Proprietors to killed during the troubles, exclusive of Operate Their Pactories at Full Capa- the Pekin siege. He enumerates 118 Englishmen, 79 Americans, Swedes and Norwegians, 26 Frenchmen, 11 Bel

German. It is estimated that 30,000 It will be remembered that Arthur brought by Judge Edward Cahill for a drian is negotiating with an east-Lawrence published some time ago a mandamus to compel the board of state volume entitled "The Life Story, Letauditors to allow his claim for legal tory to that city.

Courtland township, Kent county, from liability, because of the failure volume state and the board of state over a piece of land alleged to belong obtained sufficient beets in the last to the railway company and to have in volume entitled "The Life Story, Letters and Reminiscences of Sir Arthur
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The Hancock & Calumet railroad
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The Hancock & Calumet railroad
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ity. The bureau report says further: complete biography, which will be entirely rewritten and contain much new matter.

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the case of six men, who the ministers

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A dispatch from Lorenzo Maronez says that a Mr. Martinisen, who re-By the explosion of a boiler in the signed a post in the U. S. to join the

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AN OUTDOOR ELEVATOR. magnet is properly connected with some convenient source of current. In the drawing below is shown a the keys of the machine are so ar- fire escape designed by a Minnesota Loans, Collections. Real Estate anged that depressing any one of inventor. It is intended to facilitate ance. Lowell, Mich. .hem, no matter how lightly, will turn the escape of persons in high buildon the current, energize the magnet ings in case of fire, and can be utilized He who takes all he can get often gets more and make the latter do the heavy work long after the elevators inside the E. H. CAMBELL, INSURANCE, LOANS! of operating the type-bar. The type- building have been abandoned on ac- Notary Public, Real Estate Agent and Col bar then falls back to its normal post- count of the intense draught caused lector. Over Boylan's store, Lowell. by the open shaft. This apparatus is In the manufacturer's salesroom and intended to be operated by the firebusiness office, where the machines men, the car being already suspended business office, where the machines are in use, a plug has been inserted in the electric light socket, and curies taken from the local lighting iness to be spliced to the one carried sale of Real Estate.

Attorney and Counselor at Law, Train's Hall Block, Lowell, Mich. Special attention given to Collections, Conveyancing, and Sale of Real Estate. rent is taken from the local lighting iness to be spliced to the one carried rent is taken from the local lighting iness to be spliced to the one carried circuit. A flexible twin cable leads by the fire engine. The latter cable the latter cable tice in the Interior Department and all the to the rear of the machine and is con- is carried on a reel connected with the engine, and a small steam engine is The machine can also be operated provided to wind up the cable and

POPULAR SCIENCE.

Animal Invaders of Europe.

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soft potash soap every morning. After

by using five cells of primary battery haul the empty car to the top of the or two small cells of storage battery. building after each load of human There is very little current consumed, freight has been deposited safely at as was shown by a metre measuring the bottom. To regulate the speed of the current used by one machine in descent a brake is provided and the constant service for one month. The car can be stopped at each floor. A Office in Train's Opera House Block bill was twelve cents.

The strength of the electro magnet is controlled by a well-known electrical device known as a rheostat, the handle of which is just back of the magnet, so that the force of the impression is regulated at the will of the operator, according to the kind of work being done. For ordinary work a weak current is used, but for taking carbon copies the strength of the current is increased, so that the type-bar delivers a stonger blow. More than twenty distinct copies with carbon paper have been made at one time, of a quanty not yet attained by any non-

tion automatically.

nected by binding posts.

electrical typewriter. Other advantages of the electrically operated typewriter are thus stated: Only a light touch is necessary, a four ounce touch being sufficient to operate the key; the depression of the key is only about one-third that of non-electrical machines; a running or overlapping touch is easily acquired by the operator and several keys can be depressed in succession without releasing the preceding key; a saving of one action on each word is made by sliding steel door is provided on the making the space simultaneously with side toward the building which can last letter of the word; the printing be closed tightly when passing is uniform as to clearness, as each through flames. With this apparatus type-bar is impelled by the same mag- it is also possible to elevate lines of net, in the same manner, and with hose to the tops of high buildings for identically the same amount of fo ce. putting out the fire.

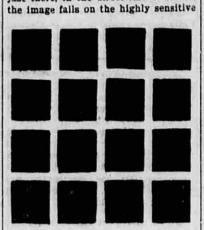
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which dart about among the animal flowers.

Animal Invaders of Europe.

Mr. L. Stejneger showed before the Biological society in Washington at

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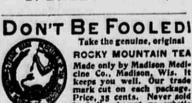
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HOME NEWS.

J. B. Nicholson has a good house to rent.

Girl wanted for housework. Mrs. Orton Hill.

Syrup cans for \$9.00 per 100 at Boylan's hardware store.

Salmon, mackerel, trout and white fish in bulk or kits at McMahon Bros. Stocking's orchestra plays for a dance at Saranac Friday evening, March 22.

Caledonia schools were closed last week on acount of scarlet fever in two families.

Miss Bertha Robinson of the Probate office spent Sunday with Lowell friends.

Another fine line of commence. ment program samples just received at THE L. DGER office.

Miss Helen King has returned to Lowell after an extended visit

with friends in other parts. Miss Lulu Anderson, daughter of

church, is visiting Lowell friends. W. A. Watts, who was laid up with the grip last week, is attending

to business again at the City bank. A farm of 120 acres to rent for cash, 1 mile west of Free Methodist church, in Orleans.

Arthur M. Turner has accepted a position as traveling salesman with the Lowell Manufacturing Co .-

Tonia Standtrd. Vergennes township Democrats will hold their caucus on Monday, March 25, instead of on the 26th as

before announced. James McPherson returned last Friday from Milford, where he was called by the death of his half-

brother, George B. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Combs spent Sunday in Lowell, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Griswold

and husband .- [Middleville Sun. Verne McConnell, of Lowell, greeted his host of old friends here last Friday night and reports the

Springs Clipper. WANTED-A man with horse to act as salesman and collector in the territory of Lowell. I will be at Hotel Waverly, Monday, Mar.

[2w] Lew Smith. Greenville merchants are becoming good. Revival services were held in that town, and nearly eighty tirms closed their stores at 7 p. m., in order to give their clerks a chance to attend the meetings.

A. Bergy of Alto will have an auction sale of household goods, horses' carriages, etc., on Wednesday, March 27, at one o'clock p. m. See bills for particulars.

worse than molasses.

Mrs. John Callier is improving. Oysters in bulk or cans at Mc-Mahon Bros.

Wanted—25 cords of green wood. Yeiter & Wadsworth.

Your money is as good as any body's at Godfrey's. Mrs. B. Needham went to Grand

Rapids last Thursday. D. T. Bush and wife were in

Grand Rapids Friday. Mrs. O. C. McDannell was in Grand Rapids last Thursday.

Miss Ella Wiley returned from

Grand Rapids last Friday. Mrs. Chas. McCarty made a trip

to the Valley City Friday. Sunday and Monday were days of sunshine, the first in a dreary while

Try a package of Bell's Mocha and Java coffee. Sold by McMahon Bros. H. W. Smith and family have re-turned from winter's sojourn in

Boston. Mrs. Phil Althen is recovering

from a severe attack of pleural pneu-The Ladies Aid society will meet

with Mrs. M. L. Bailey Thursday, March, 28. The pension of Mrs. Phebe Tate

of Lowell has been increased to \$17 per month. Fred Barnes has moved his smithy to the old Bosworth stand on the

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kreiger of Irving spent Saturday and Sunday with E. A. Smith and wife.

Mrs. Walsh and daughter, Marguerite, returned Friday from visit with Mrs. Stone of Alto.

Wm. P. Perrine has sold his esidence on the west side to E. D. McQueen, consideration \$1550.

Lost-Lady's purse containing 2 bills and some silver. Finder leave at D. G. Look's and receive reward. Band No. 3 of the Congregation.

Miss Ina Findlay who is teaching above mentioned are said to be among the best on the Thornapple.

Band No. 3 of the Congregational society will meet with Mrs. E. B Crawnext Wednesday, March

Joseph Lasby and Mrs. C. Nicklin both of Acton, Ont., brother and sister of deceased, Mrs. Ross of Feaforth and Arthur Flanagan of the former pastor of the Baptist Parish, Ont, sister and nephew of Mrs. Flanagan and Miss Esma Lasby of Kalamazoo were in town last week, called here by the death of

Mrs. R. J. Flanagan. The electric railroad which is to be built from Grand Rapids to Belding this summer will have to tracks at the latter place. Railroad Commissioner Osborn looked over the ground this week and positively

crossing. There are some typographical errors that give the newspaper man fever heat under his collar. Last trees about town. The intelligent S. Ford. compositor set it up "POPULAR;" and it was not discovered until everlastingly too late. This is only a sample of mistakes that will occur in spite of all we can do, and probably there worse surprises in store for us. If our readers can put up with it, the editor will try to endure it, providing only that these furniture business good .- [Cedar brilliant blunders are not charged

to the latter's ignorance. Grand Rapids may justly feel proud of its newly remodeled became a necessity. Money has not Mrs. Margaret Aisby, Mrs. Wilbur been spared to make the new quarters Turner. modern, convenient and attractive. The savings department is a new field with energy and its large fore. See menu elsewhere. A new baker struck town Monday capital and responsibility will Marks Ruben was much pleased

Old age is a matter of years--Old Sight is a question of

If you find a difficulty in read. ing while for distance your sight is good, you require "old sight" glasses. Old sight usually shows itself at about forty.

A competent of tician should be consulted. We guarantee satisfaction.

THEJEWELER

We make a specialty of teas and coffee. McMahon Bros.

We have a few of those flannelette wrappers left to go at reduced prices.

J. B. Nicholson, Master C. Vere Parks entertained

about twenty-five of his young friends last Friday evening.

object if we have your size.

is a girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. ing secured an option on the pres-Potter, March 20. All doing well. ent electric lighting plant in the

The Lowell W. C. T. U. will hold their annual meeting Friday, March 22, at the home of Mrs.

Brower at 2:80 p. m. Irving A. Anderson, formerly of Lowell & Hastings, but now of Grand Rapids was shaking hands

with Lowell friends Monday. Wanted-Shirtmakers, machine operators and even inexperienced hands at the Lowell Manufacturing

company, Lowell. Rev. D. B. Davidson has been absent on business at Bellevue and go over or under the Pere Marquette Olivet this week. He says there is no scarlet fever in Olivet College.

The young friends of Paul Gramer gave him a surprise party last week refused to issue a permit for a grade Wednesday evening, that being his birthday. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Gulliford have returned to Mancelona, havweek we wrote something about the ing been called here by the illness wind playing havoc with the POPLAR and death of the latter's father, A.

Last Friday evening the young friends of Walter and Mollie Hunter gave them a surprise party. About sixteen couples participated. A

dainty lunch was served. The Democrats of Lowell will meet in caucus in the Nash building formerly occupied by James Murphy on Tuesday, March 26 at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the nomination of town-

ship officers. Unclaimed letters at Lowell postoffice for C. A. Beigle, E. A. Doyle, National City bank, one of the solid institutions of the Furniture City. Scollard, Standard Medicine Co., The business of the bank has grown very rapidly and at last expansion Sucias Hammond, Mrs. Delila Bretz,

The men of the Baptist church will serve a supper in the new feature of the National City Bank. basement dining room Friday even-The directors having delayed adopt- ing, all the cooking and serving to ing this branch of the business until be done by the men. We are posiall other banks had entered the field, tively assured that nothing in the now the National City enters the bill of fare has ever been eaten be-

A new baker struck town monday at 3 a. m., and applied to Weldon Smith for employment. As he only weighs 9 lbs., Weldon thinks he will get out his books will be issued and interest seen for 36 years. The old gentleown bread for the present and not on deposits compounded at 3 per man is 87 years old and Marks has commercial departments. * far distant future.

Farm to rent-160 acres. Enquire of Mrs. Edmund Lee.

The Boy's Union is expected to sing at the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Claude Westbrook of Rhinelander, Wis., to Miunie Flory.

Orel Hendershott of Lowell and Dorothy Buckley of Grand Rapids but formerly of Lowell were married Monday evening.

Fruit prospects in this vicinity are very flattering at the present time for a heavy yield, if no unfor-seen calamity befalls.

Friends of THE LEDGER having business at the Probate court will confer a favor upon the publisher by requesting the Judge to send the advertising to this paper.

The Pere Marquette railroad is beginning to deposit in North Greenville materials for its air line section between Greenville and Stanton on the Grand Rapids and Saginaw line. This looks as if work will begin when spring opens.

Some Lowell men are thinking strongly of starting a basket factory bere; and we would not be surprised to see one in operation by June. This would be an enterprise worth encouraging, and we hope it will not be allowed to go by default. This year's home market alone would give the concern a fine start. Go it, boys, and pass the hat if you have to.

A stock company has been formed by Grand Rapids people who have bought the two water Nicholson has a few jackets left powers at Alaska and LaBarge, to go at a low figure. Price is no for the purpose of supplying elec-object if we have your size. tric light and power to Caledonia, L. H. Hunt is grandpa again. It Middleville and Hastings, they hav-

The police of Lansing are looking for a new swindler who is abroad in the state. He is selling soap. "To introduce it," he sells 12 boxes in a place at \$1 a box and gives a premium rocker to be shipped in a week. He gets the \$1 for 15 cents' worth of soap and the rocker never puts in an appearance. Officers all over the state have been notified to look out for him.

A Marshall minister was walking along the street the other day when he saw a crowd of boys sitting in front of a ring with a small dog in the center. When he came up to them he put the following question: "What are you doing to the dog?" One of the little boys said: "Whoever tells the biggest lie wins him." "Oh," said the minister, "I an surprised at you little boys, for when I was a boy Inevertold lies." There was silence for a while until one of the boys shouted: "Hand him up the dog!"- Belding News.

A Horrible Outbreak.

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C. D. Isbill of Morganton, Tenn, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her, It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema. Tetter, Salt' Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 35c at L. H. Hunt's & Co.

The Sunday school will observe Easter Sunday.

The Smyrna school will have vacation next week. Mrs. Henry Skellenger has been

sick but is again well enough to Mrs. Charles Bignel, who has been dangerously ill, is improving. Little Gladys Ring is quite sick

with fever. Miss Cora Hoppough is visiting friends in Olivet. Albert Northaway and wife visit-

ed her parents at Gowen last Friday, Miss Winnie Purdy has in her possession a bed quilt pieced by her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Kellogg, containing 11552 pieces. It is a beauty and is called the "Rising

Puny children with weak constitutions own bread for the present and not on deposits compounded at 5 per man is 87 years old and blarks has rush the new hand. All doing well cent. Every convenience will be hopes of seeing him at the old can attain an unusual degree of bodily and unental vigor by taking Rocky Mountain Tea this month made by the Madison for distant future. Medicine Co. 35c Ask your druggist.

Cannonsburg

Mrs. Herrington entertained the Ladies' Aid society last Thursday. Carpet rags was the work of the day. A nice carpet for the parsonage is in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Clarksville are visiting friends in this violnity .

George Hall and family of Grand Rapids have moved onto the farm owned by Willis Young and known as the Nesbitt farm. Will Haug and his nephew, Lee Hart-well, of Marshall are visiting friends and

relatives for a few days.

The Democrats of Cannon township nom-inated the following ticket March 15th: Supervisor, William Norman. Clerk, Gaylard Young. Treasurer, Dennis Bellows. Justice of Peace, James Bookey. Bighway Commissioner, James Heffron. Member of Board of Review, W. Laughlin. Constables, James Heffron, Dennis Bellows, Helmer Schoomaker and Charles Young.

Like Oliver Twist, children ask for more Like Oliver Twist, children ask for more when given One Minute Cough Cure. Mothers endorse it highly for croup. It quickly cures all coughs and colds and every throat and lung trouble. It is a specific for grippe and asthma and has long been a well known remedy for whooping L. H. Taft & Co. cough.

Grattan vergennes

Dave Cooper, wife and son of Greenville visited at Charles Jakeway's Sunday. Mrs. Waldo Francisco and son of Belding spent Saturday at Charles Jakeway's. J. Morton of Oakfield called on Jack Malone last Saturday.

Maud Hesler and Gertie Slayton attend ed church at Parnell Sunday

Ersla McGarrety is visiting at John

Nina Grey of Smyrna attended Maccabce meeting at Alton last week Wednesday. Quite a number from Grattan were out sleigh riding Sunday. They probably thought it would be the last of the season

The sick are on the gain. Mrs. Vanderwonde and son, Yellow, spent Sunday with friends in Ada.

My heart and hand another claimed His plea had come too late. It's ever thus with people without pl and vim, Take Rocky Mountain Tea, don't get left

again. Ask your druggist.

Vergennes Station-Alton Logs are still being hauled to the Ring

Mrs. Wingier has sold her John Andrews is sick and under the

Jud Hapeman and wife of East I owell visited his parents at J. Frost's last week Tuesday.

School closes March 22. Mrs. Sinclair is ill with the grip: Mr. and Mrs. Orla Weeks and Glen Ford visited at Ed Frosts in Keene last Thursday

Mrs Fritchet of Bad Axe, Huron county, has been visiting here. Mrs. Matie Reynolds and son

Lowell are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Eliza Sheridan of Maidstone Canada, is visiting her aged mother, Mrs. Delaney, who is dangerously ill.

George Godfrey has rented Mrs. A. Brown's farm. Pern Rennells is visiting in Keepe.

String school social at Water's school house Wednesday evening. Kittie Byrnes spent spent last week in Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn of Lowell were

guests at M. McAndrews' several days last

St. Patrick's day was duly observed here. Green flags and badges were displayed. Mr. Wingier, we understand, will not make cheese this year.

For Sale Cheap

871/2 acres all improved, good buildings good water and fruit. One mile from Lowell. Also, two first-class stallions (Montgom-

erys) Large and speedy.

J. R. BUCHANAN. 28mar When you are billious, use those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers to cleanse the liver and bowels.

They never gripe. L. H. Taft & Co

Do lt.

Will do what? Why, buy as many goods here as you would have to pay twice that sum elsewhere. See our 10c window and our 10c counter and then you'll know for yourself that what we say is true.

Here are a few things 10c will buy

Bazaar.

Cops and Saucers

Removal Notice

I wish to announce that I have moved into the east store of the Pullen block where I shall be leased to see my friends and our mers. Yours truly,

WELDON SMITH.

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Small Fruits, Ornamentals, etc., Standard sorts and improved new varieties of value.

Come and see us and we will please you in Quality. Variety and Price. N. P. Hustea & Co.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT. Potatoe

Apples per bu Flour per cwt Bran per ton Middlings per ton Corn meal per ton Corn and oats per Beef Veal

Map-paper—New stock just received at the LEDGER OFFICE.

Hat a fine Spring Clothing, Hats and Furnishings