# LIFTERS NOT LEANERS

A RE wanted in this great work-a-day world, and so, very early in life, you should learn to become a "lifter." One of the most effective ways of lifting is to acquire leverage through the habit of saving; and this habit of saving comes to those who deposit their spare money with this bank.

3 per cent interest paid.

City Bank, Hill, Watts & Co.

# The Kind That Gives Satisfaction



# R. B. BOYLAN.

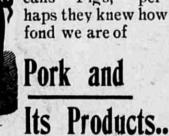


which is but another way of saying "I WANT THE BEST AND SO DO YOU." furthermore like the youngster above YOU ARE ENTITLED to the BEST. Wealways have Boss Watch Cases in

stock and will not try to induce you to buy some cheap imitation.

Favor us with a visit of inspection.

When the Spaniards called Ameri-



cans "Pigs," per-

Kodaks

The kind that go in the pocket, the kind that load

and unload in open day-light, safest from breakage

and most convenient to

We also have several

other kinds if you prefer them and Eastman's and

Seed's Dry Plates, Print-ing papers and Toning solutions, Developers of

various kinds, Tripods,

Picture Mounts and gen-

eral kodak and camera

sundries. We solicit a visit

of inspection from you.

At our market you can have it in all its forms, for roasts, fries or boiling.

Hams, Bacon, Salted, Prime Sausage

and Snow White Lard.

A. L. Weyrick & Co.

and Beans.

Ladies heavy sole shoes with patent tips. New goods. \$1.25. Come while the sizes are unbroken. D. F. Butts.

Need More Help.

Often the over-taxed organs of digestion cry out for help by Dyspep-sia's pains, Nausea, Dizziness, Head aches, Liver Complaint, Bowel Dis-orders. Such troubles call for prompt use of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Closed up at once. They are gentle, thorough and guaranteed to cure. 25c at D. G. Look's

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between W. N. Price and G. W. McKee is this day dissolved. Mr. McKee will continue the business at the old stand where all persons knowing themselves to be in- completely off by a rapidly revolvdebted to Price & Covert or Price ing shaft.

G. W. McKEE. Lowell, Mich., July 16, 1902.

# DON'T OBJECT

BUT WILL NOT TOLERATE BASE INSINUATIONS

And Malicious Falsehoods. Reply of the "Cursers."

Several of our townsmen and business men, who, as Village officials and members of the Lowell Specialty company, have been viciously attacked by the Lowell statement:

"The gentlemen who are reported by the Journal as having cursed and damned its editor, state that as they knew how to employ. They take no exception to the Journal's commenting on the official actions of the Council, so long as its comments are based on facts; but they told the editor, perhaps as he says, in language more forcible than elegant, that the purported facts in last week's issue of the Journal were a tissue of falsehoods and misrepresentations in toto; that there was no ground for his contemptible inbreeder, and in their judgment he the Village. was a deliberate and malicious falsifier."

In closing this incident, so far as this paper is concerned, THE LED-GER would advise its contemporary to get truth on its side before attempting to pose as a martyr. It should remember that a balf truth is often the worst kind of untruth;

Married, Crane-Brower.

At twelve o'clock noon Thursday, July 10; the beautiful ceremony which made Miss L. May Brower and Walter B. Crane man and wife was performed by Rev. D. B. Davidson, Baptist minister, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brower, 62 Monroe St., corner of High and Monroe Sts.

Only a few of the intimate friends and relatives were present. After the congratulations, a three course dinner was served, the table being prettily decorated with white flowers and ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Crane left on the afternoon train for Grand Rapids where their home was all furnished and in readiness for them.

A few of the neighbors and friends met the bride and groom at the Pere Marquette depot as they were about to start for their home and gave them the customary shower of rice, as a token of their best wishes. The many friends of Mrs. Crane will extend congratulations wishing them every success, -- Com.

# Fell Into the Flume.

While eugaged in a friendly scuffle Friday night, A. L. Weyrick | sion, and Al. Morse pitched over into the Weyrick Wisner mill flume. struck his nose on the timbers and now looks as if he had participated in a prize fight. Morse hurt his back some, but thinks the fun is worth the hurt. Weyrick had that very day donned a bran new suit of clothes and was spic span from head

Morse was sitting on the railing of the bridge and hailed Weyrick as he was passing, with "Halloo," Mickey!"

The latter responded:

"Don't you call me Mickey;" and grabbing Morse by the shoulders shook him. Morse lost his balance, and hanging onto "Mickey" over they both went into the drink.

When Weyrick got his head above water he discovered Morse emptying the water out of his pipe and was greeted with: "Well Mickey, you put my pipe out."

# Pulled a Finger Off.

S. W. Gristwood, of the Springbrook mill, met with a distressing not for publication but as an evi-

Notice to Tax Payers.

Clyde Collar, Village Treasurer.

# NO SORE SPOTS

TO CRITICISM ON THE LOWELL SPECIALTY COMPANY.

> Will Build Double the Floor Space in Its Own Factory.

There are no sore spots on the Lowell Specialty company on account of criticism of its members who are Village trustees. Waiving their justly acquired rights in the Lowell Manufacturing company's plant, which they had occupied on a fair understanding, they will move Journal, authorize the following out and again occupy their own building.

On account of their increasing business and to accommodate machinery which was ordered for the they expressed themselves to the gentleman in language as forcible as they knew how to employ. They floor space. This will be done by adding another story to the entire building, and contract for the same has already been let.

The members of the firm are in good spirits, and propose to push their business for all there is in it, which will be good news to the

mechanics employed. Concerning the fairness of the late bargain between the firm and Village, Geo. H. Force, who is sinuations; that they regarded him as a small mischief maker and strife clares it to have been a fair one for

> H. A. Peckham looked the property over and says the Specialty company could not have afforded to fulfil the rent and obligations as-

Mrs. Utter Released from Jail.

Mrs. Betsy Utter, the 70 year old mother-in-law of Ward and and should endeavor in the future Eldridge, who were recently sento tell "the truth, the whole truth, tenced to Jackson for robbing the and nothing but the truth;" also old Fallass homestead at Fallassthat its duty to the public does not require the publication of base and jail on \$200 bail. The bonds were cowardly insinuations against the signed by her son, Orson J. Utter, integrity and public virtue of our a prosperous farmer. Mrs. Utter had been arrested charged with being an accomplice of her sons-in-law. Her son Orson says he thinks his mother is innocent and will see that she is properly defended at the trial. For that purpose he has engaged the services of Attorney W. D. Fuller,-[Herald.

# Farmers Work Badly Mixed.

How badly this strange season of unprecedented heavy rainfall has interfered with the farmers' seasonable work is well illustrated by the following incident.

Yesterday J. W. Weaver, of Bowne drove to town with a load of beans which he sold to Geo. W. Force. On his way saw seven different farmers at work and this is what they were doing:

No. 1 was cultivating corn; No. 2, drawing in wheat; No. 3, planting potatoes; No. 4, cutting hay; No. 5, sowing buckwheat; No. 6, cutting wheat; No. 7, hauling hay.

# Card of Thanks.

We wish to return our heartfelt thanks to the friends and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife, daughter and sister, also for the floral tributes, and to those who furnished music for the occas

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Dennie Mr. and Mrs. George H. Kingdom Charles E, Dennie Clyde M. Dennie Archie E. Dennie Josephine B. Dennie Henry E. Dennie Willard S. Dennie.

John W. Mathews

# Poisoning the System.

It is through the bowels that the body is cleansed of impurities. Constipation keeps these poisons in the system, causing headache, dulness, and melancholia at first, then unsightly eruptions and finally serious illness unless a remedy is applied. De-Witt's Little Early Risers prevent this trouble by stimulating the liver and promote easy, healthy action of the bowels. These little pills do not act violently but by strengthening the bowels enable them to perform their own work. Never gripe or distress.

L. H. Taft & Co. It is through the bowels that the body is

Monarch shirts. \$1,00 each Coons'

Shirts to fit the largest man in town at Godfrey's. Price 50c.

Those who use our item box must sign their names to all contributions,

# Sheep Pasture Wanted

For about 100 sheep. Inquire of H. Nash.

Village taxes are now due and Farm 421/2 acres a rare chance for anyone desiring small farm, good barn, A No. 1 barn, o in Lowell, sell or exchange.

We have

# Something Special

to offer in



Lawn Hose Lawn Mowers Lawn Rakes Ice Cream Freezers Screen Doors Screen Windows

In fact a full line of seasonable i goods at right prices...

Scott & Cambell.

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# Sewing Machines.

I have secured a large stock of elegant and durable drop top sewing machines under circumstances that enable me to sell them at prices which will make you think I stole the machines. I came by them honestly, however, though the story is too long

until you have one.

MUSIC AND SPORTING GOODS.

to tell here. Seeing is believing. See the machines and you'll not be happy

R. D. Stocking,

# Brim Full of Freshness

is our stock of summer goods, and still

# PRICES HAVE MELTED DOWN

to BARGAINS that you can't afford to miss if you need any thin dress wears [white or colored], shirt waists, or under garments for hot weather.

You are welcome to come and look through our stock, and under no obligation to buy, if you don't find just what you want at just the price you want to pay.

Yours for honest dealing,

# J. B. NICHOLSON.

Lowell, Mich., July 10th, '02,

## Prepared Food For Every Meal... Breakfast, Luncheon, Dinner and Supper-R. VAN DYKE.

COME TO OUR STORE. SEE FOR YOURSELF WE COULD NOT BEGIN TO ENUMERATE THE ARTICLES.

> NO TROUBLE TO SHOW OR DELIVER GOODS.

Prices Right and Goods the Best. "If you get it at VanDyke's it's good."

> We are not here to-day and away tomorrow. We intend to live here, do business here and probably die here

R. VanDyke.

### Don't Fali To Try This. Whenever an honest trial is given

Electric Bitters for any trouble it to Electric Bitters for any trouble it barn, etc., in good repair, 2 lots nicely is recommended for a permanent cure graded. 12 rods fine tar walk. Cheap for will be effected. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and Inquire at this office.

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Graduation of the property. bowels, stimulate the liver, invigorate nerves and purify the blood. Its BOATS TO LET. a wonderful tonic for run down 2w. systems. Electric bitters positively cures kidney and liver troubles, stomach disorders, nervousness, sleeplessness rheumatism, neuralgia and expells malaria. Satisfaction guaran-HOOKER & Co. | teed by D. G. Look. Only 50c.

### Fine Residence for Sale. Beautiful location three blocks of Central

school. 8 rooms, cellar, cistern, city water,

Good boats for fishing and picnic parties to let cheap, at Lowell Water & Light Plant. Fine

rowing and fishing. ANTON KALLINGER.

# A Thankful Heart.

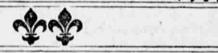
Thou art not rich, thou art not poor, Thy fortune keeps the middle way; No ills thy strength cannot endure, Apportioned to the passing day, Thou art not young, thou art not old, Yet, calm thou seest thy years depart; And joys are thine, a thousandfold-Because thon hast the thankful heart.

A thankful heart for life alone-For beauty in the earth and skies, (And for such share as thou dost own By happy gift of seeing eyes). For human love's endearing bond, Where stauchly thou dost bear thy

part-For solace here, and hope beyond-For all thou hast the thankful heart.

So, to this day of crowning cheer, By easy course thy steps did tend, Since with each day of all the year Some grateful leaven thou didst blend, No chance thy prize from thee can

While life shall last thou shalt not part With that good gift (of all the best), The treasure of a thankful heart. -Edith M. Thomas in Harper's Bazar.



# Realism vs. Romanticism.

BY F. H. LANCASTER.

(Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) by the Woman Who Wrote taking exception to the extravagant praise bestowed upon a modern book.

"It is not true; not possible. If a human woman had attempted to live through such a series of sensations she would have died of heart failure in a week; or, been sent to an asylum for the insane."

The Newspaper Man cut in dryly: "Realism will never appreciate romanticism."

"I wish to goodness that I could understand what is meant by realism and romanticism," announced the

"Why, the difference is just this," responded the Woman Who Wrote. "Realism deals with what would probably happen-every-day flesh and blood. Romanticism with impossible creations of nerve and fury. For in-

stance: "Once upon a time there was a man and a woman in a gaudy little garden and life looked glad. But as the sun hastened to its setting the glow of their gladness began to dim, for to the man sunset meant return to camp, and to the woman, making hot biscuit for supper. So they watched the setting sun and their words were fewer as their eyes grew wistful. For this is ever so in life, novelist to the contrary, notwithstanding. A full heart makes not a ready tongue.

"Then into the garden came the maiden aunt of the woman, and she made obeisance to the man and said hurting him too badly to think of to him in pleasant, every-day, ungrammatical talk, that she would be much pleased to have him make a third at their teatable. Let any man he followed the old maid and the woman into the dining-room that smelled of new bread and sad salmon.

"'We will not bother about biscuit to-night, Polly, if you will slice some cold bread,' spake the aunt. But the man interfered, declaring himself to be familiar with the weapons, and laying hold upon the bread knife, attacked the loaf valorously. Whereupon the old maid went to the pantry for the tea. The door latch clicked in closing and the bread-knife was in the left hand of the man and his right arm was about the shoulders of the woman. His breath raised her hair, and then that happened which will always happen when any ordinary man and woman whose hearts have gone into each other's keeping, chance to find themselves alone together and safe from the eyes of others. For the



The bread knife was in the left hand of the man and his right arm was about the woman's shoulder.

space of a moment, heaven hung over the breadboard, then a loose plank equeaked and the woman began to lay places for six and the man cut slices of a thickness to beat the band.

The man's hand touched the woman's intentionally as he passed plate and platter. Marvel not, ye mortals of mundane flesh and blood, that the in his brain like hammers. tea drank that night was a nectar

come many hundreds of times more. At last they said good-night in the moonlight. And if there be any among you who have not counted the moments by the delicious quiver of a They were sitting on the gallery in heart beat against your own, I shall the twilight and the discussion began | not strive to picture to you that pleasant parting, for no words could make it plain; and if there be those among you who have, neither will I expend energy u pon useless endeavor, for you know that no words may do it justice. So for the sunshine. The shadow came next day with his letter, "My

own dear Polly, The Indians are up



The door burst open, Genevieve Trevalion cprang to her feet.

and we have been ordered against finesse. It is ever so with an ordinary man, pain makes him impatient. Well, the woman felt troubled; be-

cause she missed him, and because all who has learned to prize the presence at once she could think of him only of one woman above all others say as of a still, white face upturned to what was in the heart of the man as | the moon. She went to the machine and made a couple of shirt waists with tucked fronts and insertion as per order, then she read the newspaper to keep from going into the garden. She did not care to talk about it-sympathy upsets one's self-control. But the hurt in her heart grew worse as the day died and when the time came for tea, she felt as though the food was choking her beforehand.

> The eyes of the woman grew warm with tears as she looked upon the bread knife and thought of those great, clumsy slices, but she assented as a matter of course. Her fingers closed over the horn-handle and that haunting, upturned face left her. She saw him again beneath the hanging lamp, his eyes aglow with mixed up love and mischief. Ah! how good to be able to think of him once more as her dear bad boy.

When the house was still, she carried the knife to her room and covered its handle with tears and kisses. Trouble not yourself with idle questionings, whether the man came back from the wars or no; for when a man has won such love from a woman that she kisses handles for his sake, he has seen his Austerlitz; let him beware lest he live too long and so look upon his Waterloo."

"That's realism."

"In all save one particular," commented the Newspaper Man. The Woman Who Wrote spoke hur-

riedly, "Now for romanticism:

"It was a wild, dark night, dark as death. The rain poured down in ceaseless torrents; the wind tore the thousand-year-old monarchs from the forest and lashed the sea into a raging mass of inky waters. Against it all, in the very teeth of the storm, the man held on his way. Heedless of the lightning that leaped from the lowering heavens. Deaf, blind, lost to consciousnss of aught save the sting of wounded pride and the fierce resentment of an outraged love. None save gods or devils would have braved such this wild storm without, compared to the flercer one raging within? The

"The crimson curtains with their compared to which the ambrosia of satin fringings swept to the floor, the gods was but as milk and water. shutting out the storm and the night. script. For all that I have told is very true and has come to pass many hundreds and shrieked like a thousand howled and shrieked like a thousand Both are upsanitary.

Representative Southard of Only, should not shut out the wind that how admits that he does not know for the purpose of marrying they will many stories and that those which he face injunction proceedings. of times, and if the world holds will fiends in torment. Genevieve Traval. Both are unsanitary

the flames. For hours she had sat there cowering under a sense of impending doom; suffering the agony of a hundred deaths. No corture devised by man so intense so agonizing as that of undefined fear. She clenched her hand until the blood sprang from her tender palm and dyed her perfect nails; low moanings broke from her palid lips, 'He would not come, he would not come, and to-morrow would be too late, too late. Oh, God; the bitterness of a luxury that defeats

love." "The man fought on, not knowing that he fought. Over rage and resenther heart on his, to crush her lips be- | sold." neath kisses strong as eternity, eager as life. His foot sunk into deepening water and a stream of heaven's blue fire showed him the bridge-a mass ial distinction as the president of the of broken timbers heaped upon the Society of Daughters of the Revolufarther shore. Before him, wild, wicked water, but not hell a-gape, would have stopped him now. Into the raging water, beating against it defying it, his magnificent muscles strained like whipcords, his face blanched, his lips numb.

"The door burst open, Genevieve Trevallion sprang to her feet. The man stood before her. His grand eyes, black and passionate as the night, burned into hers. His breath came in hoarse, gasping sobs. Pallid, spent, unkempt as the storm, he stood before her. Wet as a drowned rat!"

"Ah, how outrageous!" "But he was wet," she protested. "Bother; if we cannot escape prosaic details let's have tea."

As the Woman Who Wrote arose to

handle?"

"What knife?"

"Why, you crank, you and I have

ter posted on realism. When your way to heaven?' own heart is going like a buzz-saw against it. See? This is realism."

An Effervescent Maharajah.

pur that monarch was deeply interested in the accounts of the refreshing box. A box was brought to the potentate in full court, and the interpreter explained to his majesty rested and brought into court. He dehe put the twelve blue papers, and, having added water, the king drank them." Do not condemn him for it off. This was the alkali, and the breaking it so rudely. His heart was Royal countenance expressed no sign of the hardest, most disreputable of satisfaction.

It was then explained that in the combination of the two powders lay the luxury, and the twelve white powders were quickly dissolved in water, and as eagerly swallowed by his majesty.

With a shriek that will be remembered while Singpur lasts the monarch rose, stared, exploded, and, in his full agonies, screamed: "Hold me down!" Then, rushing from the throne, fell prostrate on the floor. There he lay during the long-continued effervescence of the compound, groaning as surely monarch never groaned before, and believing himself in the agonies of death-a melancholy and humiliating proof that kings are mortal.

Age Limit and Hair Dye.

For a long time there has been close to complete cessation in the manufacture of hair dye, but in the past year or so a boom has developed in that branch of industry. The general establishment of an age limit in the employment of men in commercial and mechanical pursuits is said to be responsible for this unexpected revival. An official of the American Federation of Labor says he knows for a fact of many men who are using dyes to hide their gray hairs and hosts of others who shave constantly to look young enough to be able to hold their positions. Statistics prove that it is every day becoming more difficult for a man past the prime of life to secure employment. The skilled mechanic engineer or employe who wants a job in any service must have youth as well as ability. If he doesn't possess it he must counterfeit it. Presumably the elderly man with a bald head must wear a wig in order to cover his

Repairing Longfellow's Home. The repairs on the outside of the old Longfellow home, Portland, Me., have begun. The house is to have a new roof and the woodwork and blinds are to be painted. The floor in the vestihowl and roar, heedless of the jagged | bule, from the street, is to be restored to its original appearance, and the old stone front doorstep, which has been covered up for many years, is to be raised and used again, as formerly. Over this old step the family have gone from the beginning of the house. a night, but he- Wnat was beat of On it stood Zilpah Longfellow, in 1798. rain and lash of wind? What was the mother of the poet Longfellow, and presented a standard to the Portland federal volunteers, the first uniformed rage of passion that sent the blood military company in Maine. This seething through his veins, and beat company was reorganized as the Portland light infantry, and next year the members are anticipating a centennial celebration.—Boston Tran-

# lion crouched over her fire, her great, Our Weekly Letter violet eyes staring in dense terror at From the Capital

said:

"Mr. President, I have come all this way just to see you. I have never seen a live president before."

Mr. Roosevelt seemed much amused. "Well, well," he said; "I hope you ment a desire had come to him, more don't feel disappointed now that you blinding than the blue flare of the have seen one. Lots of people in lightning. The desire to be with her, these parts go all the way to Jacksonto breathe the intoxicating perfume of ville to see a live alligator. I wonder her hair, to feel the wild beating of which kind of a tourist feels the most

> Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, wife of the Indiana senator, has attained spec-



Mrs. Fairbanks.

tion. She is one of the most popular follow the others, the Newspaper Man women in official circles and her palatial home, at the corner of Massa-"Did you really kiss that knife's chusetts avenue and Eighteenth street, is one of the pleasantest houses in Washington to visit. The Fairbanks "The one I cut ham with that come from Indianapolis.

you can't feel the beat of another straight ahead,' replied the preacher to the crown of his head. without an instant's hesitation."

On the first consignment of seidlitz despite his outward seriousness, is powders to the Maharajah of Sing- really a perennial well-spring of humor, tells a good tale of an episode

down in Bourbon, in his state. A very worthless drunken fellow, who was a common nuisance, was arhow it should be used. Into a goblet | manded a trial by jury, and the court ordered that a jury be impaneled. On the next day when the court met there were gathered in the jury box twelve characters in the county.

"What does this mean?" asked the

"Well," said the sheriff, "I knew that the prisoner was entitled to be tried by a jury of his peers. It was pretty hard work to get them, but in case any of these won't do, I have a few more hovering around a whisky barrel outside." The court looked at the prisoner,

and at the jury. "The case is dismissed," was all he

Representative Roberts of Massachusetts was in court one day in his district when an Irishman named Pat Oulahan was arraigned on a charge of grand larceny. At the suggestion of his counsel the accused pleaded not guilty. The first witness called by the prosecuting attorney was Timo- to his beautiful home are much sought thy Sullivan. As soon as Sullivan's after in Washington society. big form appeared in the witness box Oulahan addressed the court. "May it plaze your honor," he said. "I take back my plea of not guilty."

HE president held an in- | tells are generally ancient, recalled the services of Mr. Thomas B. Re formal reception in his of- the other day an incident which hap- in a case before the United Stat fice recently and a number pened up on Lake Erie, near his home. Supreme court. He met the of visitors were presented An excursion steamer was wrecked, speaker in New York and after conto him. One lady in and it was supposed that everybody cluding the arrangements for present-

> from one of the survivors: news gently to my wife."

Representative Flood of Virginia has a farmer constituent who combines a sense of humor with a thorough knowledge of the Bible. Some time ago this farmer had a cow run down and cut in two by a railroad train as the animal was wandering home at dusk. His wife was away at the time and he wrote her this laconic note: "Cow collided with a train. See Genesis xv. 17."

When his wife turned with some curiosity to the chapter and verse she read as follows:

"And it came to pass that when the sun went down and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace and a burning lamp passed between those pieces."

Down in Virginia, according to Representative Swanson, they have a "razor-back" hog that is very lean and runs like a greyhound at a county fair. An enterprising Pennsylvanian exhibited some fine, fat, sleek Berkshire hogs, thereby exciting the curiosity of a Virginia mountaineer.

"What kind of hogs are those?" he

"Berkshires," was the reply.

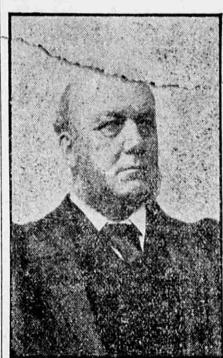
"Well, stranger," said the mauntaineer, "those kind may be fine hogs, but they're no good down in this country. A hog that can't run faster than a nigger ain't worth a d-n." \* \* \*

A lovely symphony in yellow is Representative Roberts of Massachusetts. As he moved sylph-like through the corridors of the capitol the other "Out in my district," said Repre- day he had all the gorgeousness and never been anything to each other." | sentative Biedler of Ohio, "there is a all the stately beauty of the sunflow-"Don't be too sure of that. Remem- very clever preacher. One day a man er. His shoes were yellow canvas, ber the damage I did to your mother's who does not think much of religion his suit is of yellow crash, his shirt china. If you hadn't been as cold as thought he would stump the preacher. is a lovely yellow linen and his tie an iceberg you would have been bet- "'Parson,' he said, 'what is the best is of the same color. If he would only wear a cork helmet he would "Turn to the right and then keep be yellow from the soles of his feet

But there is one good thing about Representative Roberts. All that is with five most important cereals. In Senator Deboe of Kentucky, who, yellow about him is on the outside.

. . .

Horace Gray, associate justice of ready for harvest. the supreme court since 1882, is one of the most learned and entertaining men of the capital. His official dignity put away, he is a splendid story



Justice Gray. teller and an ideal host. Invitations

Teachers Must Not Marry. So many female teachers have mar-

ried and left the schools of New Cas-



CONGRESSIONAL READING ROOM.

"For what purpose?" asked the | tle, Pa., during the last year that edu-

"Why?" questioned the judge.

cational work there has been serious-"To plade guilty," replied Oulahan. ly handicapped. To guard against similar inconvenience in the future "Whoiy?" repeated the accused, the school board has called upon Because I want to save Tim Sulli- teachers to present, in writing, their acceptance of their places. They must also agree to complete the term, and Representative Southard of Ohio, should any contemplate retirement

REED'S FEE TOO MODECT

Ex-Speaker Evinces a Trait Little

Characteristic of Lawyers. A man of national reputation had occasion some months ago to employ troduced herself as from had been drowned. About midnight ing the case for the corporation which Jacksonville, Fla., and Mr. Southard received this telegram he represented, said to him:

"And now, Mr. Reed, I should like "I am saved, but please break the to pay you a retaining fee at once." "Oh, never mind that now," was the reply; "wait until I think it over, and

> I shall write to you." The man was in Washington when he received Mr. Reed's letter. The ex-speaker began by saying that he was "a young fellow in the law business," and was "afraid of charging too much," and concluded by saying that if \$1,000 wasn't too high he might send that amount. The rest of the letter was written in Mr. Reed's characteristic style of droll humor.

> "I wouldn't have balked for a moment at paying a fee of \$25,000," said the corporation man, in telling of it afterward, "but I drew a check and

wrote a letter about like this: "'Dear Mr. Reed: If the young fellows in the profession are going to be such bears in the market, how are the older ones going to make a living? I have taken the liberty of tampering with your bill by inclosing a check for \$2,500."

The next morning the man received the following telegram:

"Washington, D. C .- You are altogether too good for this world.

"T. B. Reed." Mr. Reed won the case for the corporation.-Saturday Evening Post.

CRUDE FARMING IN JAPAN.

Still Agriculture is a Very Old Sci-

ence in the Land. Although Japanese methods of farming appear crude enough to Americans and Europeans, it is well to remember that agriculture is a very old science in the land of the Mikado. It was introduced there 2,700 years before Christ by an emperor who was afterward deified as god of the crops, in recognition of his great services to

The soil had been cultivated in an inferior way before that time, but this enterprising ruler saw the needs of better methods. He taught the peasants by his own example, plowing a small plot of ground and sowing it the course of a few years every hillside and valley in Japan was smiling

This was accomplished, too, in spite of difficulties. The soil of Japan is naturally of very poor quality. The entire country is of volcanic formation, and only one-twelfth of the land, is flat enough for farming. The farms of to-day are divided into very small sections, each hardly larger than a potato paten, but every inch is culti-vated. The implements a crude. After being plowed, the pil is loos-

ened with a long-handled spade, and is then ready for the planting. The sickle used in harvesting is little larger than a curved bread knife.

The recent death of Lord Wantage affords a curious example of how peerages die out. He was the first and last of the line, though the title was not conferred upon him in 1885 with any idea of its being only a life peerage. for he was a very wealthy man. Lord Wantage had no children. There has been a great deal of talk lately about model saloons that are run by peers, but it was not generally known that Lord Wantage was the first peer to run an establishment of this kind. He started a model inn in Arlington long before the rise of the Gothenburg sys-

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CHAPTER XII.—(Continued.) We must have another deal, that's all. Perhaps a better and more generous lover will appear the next time -one who will appreciate little favors at their true value. You can consider yeurself dismissed," with a wave of the hand that should have struck camb terror into the heart of the

only excited his secret mirth. "Thanks, but I shall take my discharge only from the proper authority, and in this case that does not happen to be-ahem!-Capt. Brand."

other, but which, on the contrary,

"Very good. Remember, I am her father, and the rightful custodian of our family honor. Perhaps I may resort to other and more drastic measures should you continue to force your unwelcome attentions upon my daughter."

"You would find me ready and willing to give you back as good as you send, sir."

"Why, you young scamp, I could break every bone in your body, if I chose," almost frothing at the mouth

"Better not try it, captain. In New York state they electrocute for murder, and it's a worse fate than hanging, which you know has terrors enough never to be forgotten."

Charlie, acting upon the spur of the moment, could not help giving him this little thrust.

It was a keen one.

The other's jaw dropped, his eyes momentarily rolled in a spasm of agony, and the sweat seemed to break out upon his brow. Charlie saw and was satisfied.

He had given the conscienceless wretch a body-blow in return for his

Capt. Brand's spasm lasted but a brief space of time, and then he recovered his self-possession.

There was a peculiarity about the captain that seemed very markedwhen in a rage his eyes became quite bloodshot, and glowed like the orbs of a hyena upon the deserts of which he loved to talk.

And just now they were flery, in-

The look he gave Stuart had murder in it, though Charlie showed no sign of alarm.

Here, ia - this public place, the man would never dare assault him. Besides, Charlie possessed the idea that he could hold his own at any time against the fellow. True, he was smaller than the captain, but a life devoted to occasional dissipation must have sapped some of the astonishing a ers which a generous nature had aginally bestowed upon the worthy man of many faces.

But Capt, Brand restrained himself -reason had not quite deserted him. He smiled grimly, and there was a world of meaning in his sardonic

look. "Very good, my hearty! You have chosen to throw down the glove, and from this hour it's war to the knife between us. You may live to rue the day you made an enemy out of one who held out the olive branch. Depend upon it, Arline Brand is not for you. A fond parent must guard the interests of his sweet child. Go your way, young sir; and when next me meet it will be as foes to the death. I wash my hands of you."

> CHAPTER XIII. The Fateful Hour.

Charlie looked after the retreating figure of Capt. Brand, and was in doubt whether to take him seriously or consider his threat a huge joke. He mind Capt. Brand and all he typified, and seek repose.

He gained the sanctity of his room, and, lighting the gas, sat down to have a last deliberation ere retiring.

All seemed capable of running in a smooth groove, but "the best laid schemes of mice and men gang aft agley," Bobby Burns tells us, and who has not found it true in his own experience?

Charlie retired. Whether he slept soundly or not concerns us little, but the tablets of his memory forever. under the circumstances it is hardly probable that his slumber was very

refreshing. There was too great a load on his

He felt very much as a man might who stands upon the brink of a preci-

Success or failure-his whole future depended upon one little wordband.

Charlie's previous bitter experience had caused him to feel more or less caution, with a shade of distrust tod the gentle sex, and against this i to fight.

ould he have known what lay before him, under what fearful conditions he was fated to win his sweet- known. heart, even his bold warrior spirit might have quailed a little.

It is just as well perhaps, that these things are mercifully hidden from our view-just as well that we need only grapple with each difficulty as it apbridges before we come to them.

The day dawned. There was more or less of a bustle

rick's day, no matter weather may be.

Charlie felt he must have something o distract his attention. Artemus was not in sight, the daily paper had been exhausted, and as a last resort

he sauntered out to watch the crowds. Never once did he wander far from the hotel, which fact, later on, he was inclined to believe was a special dispensation of Providence.

The magnet was there that held

He smoked and walked, and so the time dragged by until the hour of fate arrived.

Charlie, the better to see and be out of the anticipated jam, bad mounted a convenient carriage-stone standing in front of a dwelling house half a block from the hotel.

Great as was the excitement around him, it seemed to be doubly intensified further along the line of march, especially in front of the hotel.

He saw the procession break at this point-melt away as it were.

Men ran toward the hotel in squads, waving their arms wildly. Was it an opportunity to quench the thirst that frequently burns Irish

throats on this glorious holiday? Charlie knew of yore all about the battle of the Boyne, and how an orange flag arouses the hatred of a St. Patrick's day parader even as the red flag stirs the maddened bull to

Had some bold and incautious scul dared to invite immolation by thus flaunting in their faces the color they despised?

He supposed this must be the case. To his surprise, however, the excitement spread-the crowd pressed madly forward, mounted officers came galloping back, shouting out something that at first he could not catch.

Never to his dying day would Charlie Stuart forget the intense anxiety of that moment when he seemed to feel as though the fate of empires was at stake-and then he heard distinctly above the roar the stentorian voice of a leathern-lunged officer:

"Turn out! The avenue is impassable! The Windsor hotel is on fire! Turn out!"

Doubtless that stentorian shout sent a shuddering chill to many a heart when those who heard it glanced up at the massive pile and comprehended the hundreds of precious lives that were endangered.

To none could it appeal with more irresistible force than to Charlie

All his hopes and ambitions on earth were centered there-the girl he loved with heart and soul was far up in the doomed structure, perhaps asleep, under the influence of an opiate, after a wakeful night with an aching brow.

At first his blood seemed congealed into ice. Then it leaped through his veins

like boiling lava, fresh from the throat of Vesuvius. Charlie did not waste time in re-

Time was worth more than money

now, worth all the world to him. He had leaped to the pavement like a deerhound, and dashed toward

the hotel in great bounds. Some men would have lost their wits, but it seemed that the greater the emergency the keener became his

Even as he ran and elbowed his way through the excited crowd with had promised her a suite near the irresistible force, he was mapping out

a plan of campaign. Really there seems no limit to the human mind-its capacity is astonishing-it rises to meet the emergency regardless of what is needed.

Now, even when thus fighting his way through the crowd, Charlie saw the hopelessness of attempting to reach the main entrance on the ave-

The space for half a block was densely packed with a whooping mass of humanity, partly imbued with the eager curiosity that always distinsoon resolved to dismiss from his guishes crowds the world over, and at the same time a chivalrous desire to be of use somehow.

If he desired to reach that door he must perforce walk over the heads of the packed crowd.

A better plan suggested itself. He remembered a side entrance which would admit him much more easily.

Now he was at the corner.

He took one look up and around. The picture was impressed upon

No longer were handkerchiefs and green ribbons waving from the numerous windows of the hotel- instead, panic-stricken girls threw out their arms appealingly and shrieked way of illustration, "this is a horse.

in terror. The wand of an evil magician had touched the scene, and transformed it in a twinkling.

Smoke already oozed from several was balanced in the hollow of a girl's openings, proving to Charlie that his first), and the man rides him, too, hopes of the fire being trifling were

It was most serious. The holocaust of the Parisian Charite Bazar was about to be repeated in New York; and that St. Patrick's day would be marked as the most grewsome Gotham had ever

Charlie now had a better chance to push ahead.

Already he feared he had delayed too long. There were many people and much excitement in the side street, but it

pears in view, instead of crossing was of course not to be compared with the avenue where the crowds had gathered to witness the parade. Straight to the door Charlie

New York contains more sons of A man stood there endeavoring to ahead of it only just so far as to be Erin than probably any Irish city out- keep out those who had no business able to lead its march. It cannot neglect to fittingly celebrate St. Pat- such occasions to ply their nefarious fountain.—Roswell D. Hitchcock.

trade, even if they do not at times even create the opportunity.

Ten men could not have kept our Charlie from pushing in.

He shouted that he was a guest, and then rushed inside; nor did the man, after one look at his haggard face, attempt to say him nay.

Charlie avoided the office, where resentative Robinson interrupted him. men swarmed, and orders were shouted that could never be obeyed. His business was aloft.

She was there exposed to a frightful death, and he felt that he lived but to save her! So up he bounded, three steps at a

One thing he must remember—the Windsor was famous as a caravansary where a stranger might easily lose himself in the many passages.

to all his hopes. He found smoke everywhere, and even fancied he could hear the crackling of flames, though the whole place was in such a turmoil that one could

To do so now would be indeed fatal

not be sure of this. He also met numerous persons, flying this way and that, maddened with

Some hardly knew whither they went, and appealed frantically to this cool-headed man beseeching him, for heaven's sake, to tell them where the stairs could be found.

Nor did he fail to direct them, every one, even while he pushed on to the

next flight. Up, up, he went, still finding smoke circling along the halls, through which women staggered, shrieking their appalling distress.

It was a terrifying picture. There were comical elements injected into it, of course, but no one had the heart to laugh.

Charlie knew in his heart a dreadful calamity was impending-nothing short of a miracle could save the great structure now, and the days of miracles appear to be past.

Perhaps scores of human lives

would be sacrificed to the demon of fire-mostly helpless women, employes or guests, who had been viewing the parade from the upper win-

The mere fact that such a draught passed through the halls from these open windows would hasten the total demolition of the whole structure and make it more certain.

Had Charlie no sacred duty of his own to perform, he would have gladly devoted all of his time toward effecting the rescue of these terrified girls. As it was, he could only think of

Her lovely face was before his eyes and seemed to plead with him to make haste. The smoke was growing even more

dense, and he had to push close to the doors to distinguish the numbers, in order to make sure that he was on the right floor. If you wish beautiful, clear, white clothes use Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2 oz.

At last this knowledge came to

The opportunity was in his grasp. Here the same conditions seemed to abound-there was smoke in plenty, frenzied maids and flying figures

darting through it all like spectres. Charlie was somewhat out of breath as a result of his steady climb, but

otherwise in good physical condition. He had the number of Arline's rooms well in his mind-the house had been crowded, and these were the best at her service, though the clerk

McKinleys after that day. What if he could have made a mistake in any way? The wretched consequences almost paralyzed him to

even think of it. Eagerly he had scanned each flying or crouching female figure he met, in the hope that he might thus discover

the one he sought. But as yet he had not found her. Even in that smoke-laden atmosphere he knew he could not mistake her figure, while one note from her voice must have thrilled him through

and through. (To be continued.)

The Talk of Children. It has been said that children speak the best English in the world in that their idea is expressed in the fewest words and to the point.

Mr. Andrew Simonds, of Charleston, is convinced that their powers of vernacular are superior to his talent for intelligible description.

He was one day trying to interest his little girl, nearly 3 years old, by telling her stories of the circus. She loved horses and was particularly impressed by the feats of the bareback riders.

"Now," he said, taking a chair by A man comes in on him and rides him all round the ring standing up without any saddle or bridle. Then directly another horse comes in bareback (putting another chair by the just in the same way, until at last there are four horses, and he rides them all round the ring at the same time. And a row of four chairs represent the four horses. Now, wasn't that fine?"

The little one looked up, very grave, her eyes full of the doubt and credulity that so often puzzle us-"Yes-he had many legs-that

"And I had to go all over that story again, said Mr. Simonds.

True Greatness. True greatness, first of all, is a thing of the heart. It is all alive with robust and generous sympathies. It is neither behind its age nor too far before it. It is up with its age, and

Supreme Court Sustains the Foot-Ease Representative Lacey, who is chair-Trade-Mark. man of the committee on public lands, was recently urging the passage of

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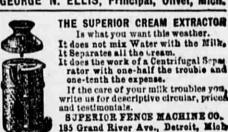
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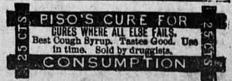
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THERE are some people who never seem happy unless they are stirring up discord and dissension. Mr. Davidson of the Journal appears to be one of that sort.

THE only interest THE LEDGER has in the altercation between the Journal and members of the Village Council is to have the exact truth known, "let the chips fall where they may." So far as we know, that is all said members desire.

THE LEDGER would like to see chapel exercises restored in our schools; but if it cannot be accomplished without attacking the character and impugning the motives and intelligence of our efficient school management, we prefer to have things as they are.

### SELL THE VILLAGE FACTORY.

Since the Council meeting of Monday evening, when the Specialty company waived all its rights in the Lowell Manufacturing company's plant, in favor of the Lowell Cutter company, the situation has cleared up; and it is now probable that the plant will be sold to the Cutter company, which has united its interests in the water power involved with those of the King Milling company.

Both of these valuable local institutions are handicapped by lack is out again. of power in times of low water and it is believed to be right and proper that the old stand-bys should be taken care of in preference to some outside company which might "pan out" as did the cheap shirt concern.

While no official offer has been made by the above companies to the Council for the property, THE LED-GER learns by private interview that friend, Winnie Reeves, at Lowell, returned they are prepared to purchase the factory of the Village at a price satisfactory to all concerned

Under the circumstances and considering the very generous waiver of the Specialty company, we be lieve the best thing the Village can do is to unload on the best terms possible. The money would cer tainly be convenient at the present time and we would get rid of trouble and vexation, the possi bilities of which no one knows.

### THAT "MYSTERIOUS" COUNCIL MEETING.

The Journal of July 9 contains another absurd and untruthful attack upon the Village Council. Probably the most of our citizens have learned to place little or no reliance upon that paper's utterances, so far as the Council is concerned; and we doubt the advisability of them. honoring its vagaries with valuable time and space.

As regards President VanDyke's order to dispense with reading the minutes, it was because of the extreme heat of the evening and of the desire to shorten the session; and Mr. VanDyke so stated. As Mr. Davidson was present and heard the reason stated, his throwing a "mysterious air" about the simple affair would seem to be wilful falsification, particularly so as the minutes which related to the lease of the factory to the Specialty company had been published.

The paper which the clerk handed to Trustee Watts, who is chairman, of the finance committee, was a statement showing that there was not enough money in the treasury to pay the bills. The conference between Mr. Watts and the president was over a request of the latter that Mr. Watts pay the same at his bank for a few days, until the revenue from taxes should make the deficit good, which Mr. Watts agreed to do. It is not true that "then followed the decision, 'we will dispense with the reading of the minutes.'" The matter of minutes

had been disposed of long before. As for the renting of the factory and water power to the Specialty company, that was done by Trustees Lee, Nicholson, White and Winegar; and the imputation of the Journal that there was anything crooked or underhanded in the deal is simply a libel on those honorable gentlemen, as well as upon Messrs. Look and Watts, whose interest in the public welfare

LOWELL LEDGER has been attested by years of disinterested service, and who need no defense at our hands against the yearling editor of the Journal.

As stated in our issue of July 3, the terms of the lease were \$80 per year and the payment by the Specialty company of all taxes, insurance and repairs, which, as we figure it, would all aggregate about \$200 per year. THE LEDGER does not know whether or not the terms were fair; but it is evident that the committee thought they were or it would not have assented to them. To the Shirt company-strangers-

we gave rent, power and light FREE. The Specialty company, made up of our townsmen, is paying as much wages now as the shirt company did and gives promise of doing much more. The men who engaged in i did so because they wished to en courage a manufacturing industry in Lowell. They have not now or never did have anything at heart but the best interests of the village.

The Journal has injected into the discussion insinuations against the honesty and good intentions of these men, and has done all in its power to create discord and dissension among those who should be friends his father, Gaylord Young, and grandand co-workers. There is no occasion for ill feeling or bitterness, and so far as THE LEDGER is concerned there shall be none.

When you awake in the morning feeling ike the end of a misspent life, your mouth Ind. full of fir and your soul full of regrets, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Great medicine. D. G. Look.



Smyrna.

Mrs. Moe has returned to her home, after pending two weeks with relatives in Or-

Miss Cora Hoppough and friend, Mis Ackle, visited in Grand Rapids a few days

Mr. Collins and wife, of Grand Rapids, were in town over Sunday.

Wm. Gardner is having his house wired for electric lights.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morris, July 13, a daughter, weight six pounds.

The social last Saturday evening for Chester Loomis was well attended, the proseeds amounting to \$11.95.

Al Wilder was quite sick last week, but

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# McCords.

Nellie Wood, who has been visiting her to her home last week. Mrs. Charley Campbell is visiting he

mother at Belding. Mrs. F. Clark and daughter Esther vi

ited relatives at Grand Rapids, Saturday. Arch Apsey and wife are the proud pos-essors of a new baby girl.

Winnie Fero, of South Lowell, called on friends in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mrs. H. F. McCormick, of Grand Rapids, called on Mrs. Wm. Patterson Friday ni, h and went to visit her sister, Mrs. F. Forbes,

Clarence Thomas, of Lansing, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Thomas, few days last week.

Mr. Richmond was the guest of John McCord, Sunday.

Ellis VanSickle is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vansickle, at

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellis were in Lowell,

ed on Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Wednesday. Cleveland, are spending a few days with

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### Cannonsburg

The Ladies of the M. E. church will serve ice cream from six c'clock until ten every Saturday evening in the parlor opposite J. F. Joyce's store.

Miss Blanch Thomas, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Thomas, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Clayton Ladner, of Grattan spent last week with her parents here. Mrs. Mary Clinton, of Ada, visited her

prother, Eugene Tuttle, and other relatives Mrs. Wm. McLaughlin and son. Ted, of Grand Rapids, are the guests of her par-

ents, E. B. Joyce and wife Robert Young and wife, of Chicago, having spent a two weeks vacation with mother, Mrs. Mary Young, returned to

The Pioneer Association met at the home of Charles Provin, of Silver Lake, July 4th. About 150 guests were present. Among those from a distance were Blynn Scott, wife, and son, Leo, of South Bend,

Mrs. Jas. Bookey and daughter spent a few days with Rev. Chamberlin's people at Spring Lake; also visited Grand Haven and Highland Park, Lake Michigan. Miss Libbie Joyce and a lady friend, of

Grand Rapids, spent Sunday here. Miss Mabel Bookey returned to Traverse City, July 10th, having spent a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. as. Bookey.

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Logan. called on Ella Ford Friday. Alfred Miller of Freeport was seen on our street Friday.—Mrs.M. A. Pardee and daughter Ella, of Grand Rapids, are visiting at J. Pardee's. Mrs. Weller and son Wallie, of Grand Rapids, are visiting at Ozi Pardee's.—The funeral of Mr. Rosenburger at the O. M. church Sunday was largely attended. Volney Walton and family attended the Wild West show at Grand Rapids Saturday.—Mr. Unger started for the North Monday. E. Heintzelman and family spent Saturday and Sunday at Green Lake. Mr. Brightrail and wife of Irving Saud mortgage came into the holes of Clarendon C. Winegar of Lowell Kent County, Michigan, and Marcus S, Fowler, of South Butler, Wayne County, New York, as executors of the last will and testament of Mary E. Boughton late of the town of Nassau, County of Renssalzer, State of New York, deceived and was assignmen by said executors of Mary E. Boughton aforesaid to William F Boughton of the city of Troy, said county and state on the 28th day of February 1900, which said assignment was recorded on the 12th day of March, A, D., 1900, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Kent County at 11, 1-6 o'clock a. m., in Liber 250 of Mortgages on pages 114 and 115. The amount due on said mortgage at this date, of principal and interest is the sum of One Hundred Seventy-two and 13-100 dollars (\$172.13) and an attorney fee of Twenty Dollars is also stipulated for in said mortgage. on our street Friday .- Mrs. M. A. Mr. Brightrail and wife of Irving visited Samuel Clemens and family Sunday .- George Boyer of Germany has returned to his old home. Wheat harvest has begun in this ordinary as well as ordinary] as shall by any

hursday.

Mrs. George Murray, of Town Line, calldon Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bates' grandchildren, of Mrs. Bates' grandchildren, of Mrs. George Murray are granding a few days with Mrs. Bates' grandchildren, of Mrs. Bates' gra speak. All doctors and remedies failed until I used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was completely cured." Sufferers from coughs, colds, throat and lung trouble need this grand remedy, for it never disappoints. Cure is guaranteed by disappoints. Cure is guaranteed by D. G. Look. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

> Pratt Lake-South Boston. Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson and daughter Mabel, of Hastings, visited at M. D. Sneathen's, recently. We congratulate Miss Lynne An drews for receiving the best Second Grade teacher's certificate in Kent county.—The young people of this vicinity gave Floyd Tapley a very pleasant surprise Wednesday evening, it being his birthday.—Clifton Baker has the mumps.—Charles Rollins, of West Lowell, visited

friends at Pratt Lake, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. N. Hotchkiss and Mrs. Guy Fletcher, of Ottawa Beach, is here helping his father in haying. F. L. Harker and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr.

Some second hand bugg bargain to make room.

and Mrs. Levi Fletcher.

DR. E. D. McQUEEN.

Vergennes Station-Alton.

Mrs. Dell Condon's neice, Miss Converse, of Keene, visited her last week .- Miss Ida Wingier is assisting Mrs. W. Force, who is slowly recovering.—Mrs. Lavender and daughter Frances were called to Orleans last week to the bedside of Mrs David Clawson, who is quite sick.-Lida Dickens, of Smyrna, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. Mosher. - Mrs. Eugene Rennells, of Ionia, visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Kropf.—Rosa Kropf, of Lowell, spent Sunday here with relatives.— Clara Mansor is very sick with consumption .- Ada Potruff is assisting Mrs. R. B. Davis. - Roy Ford returned, last week, from a week's visit with his aunt, Mrs. Fred Soules at Coral. - Mrs. Electa Mosher and Mrs. John Hapeman are sick -- Orlo Weekes, wife and children spent the Fourth with his parents at Murray Lake. - Editor Johnson and family, of Lowell, called on Mrs Carrie Porter, Friday, on their way to the lake.-Mary Covert, of Lowell, visited relatives here recently. - Mrs. Arthur Armstrong visited her parents at Lowell several days recently.-A large number at the lake, Sunday. Miss Leo Weekes, Mrs. Mike McAndrews and Miss F. Sheridan and the Misses Murphy were all at Grand Rapids last week Saturday .- Mrs. E. Ring visited Mrs. Bonar, at Lowell, last Saturday .-Art Condon spent the Fourth at Muskegon.

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### MORTGAGE SALE.

Default has ben made in the conditions of a certain Real Estate Mortgage dated April 1st. 1895, made and executed by Samuel B. Townsend and Emily Townsend, his wife, of Lowell in Kept County, Michigan, as parties of the first part and John O. Chapin of Lowell in the County and State aforesaid, party of the second part, and recorded April 2, A D.,1895 at 8, 5.6 o'clock, a. m., in Liber 224 of Mortgages on Pages 588, 589 and 590 at the office of the Register of Deeds, Kent County Michigan. On the 4th day of November 1895, John O. Chapin, aforesaid, assigned said mortgage to Mary E. Boughton of Na sau, Renasalaer County, New York which said assignment was recorded at the office of the Register of Deeds for Kent County on o'clock a. m., in Liber 233 of Mortgages on page 209. Said mortgage came into the h nds of Clarendon C. Winegar of Lowell mortgage,

Said mortgage also provides, "that the said parties of the first part, their executors, administrators or assigns will pay and discharge within the time prescribed by law all such duties, taxes and assessments jextralawful authority [while the moneys secured by these presents remain unpaid be imposed on the premises above described. And that Saves a Woman's Life.

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No proceeding at law or in equity has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in accordance with the statute in gage and in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described to the highest bidder on Tuesday the 29th day of July, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the North front door of the Kent County Court House in the City of Grand Kapids, Kent County, Michigan, said Court House being the place where the Circuit Court for Kent County is held.

Said premises are described in said mort-gage as follows, to-wit: "All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the Township of Lowell, in the County of Kent and State of Michigan and described as follows to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the line between Sections Six [6] and Seven (7) of said townfriends at Pratt Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hotchkiss and Mrs.

Joe Tallant and son Lyle visited at Walter Blakeslee's, Sunday.—Mrs.

Albert Baldwin is entertaining her sister, Ruth Oliver, from Campbell.

Mrs. Asa Fletcher has been visiting friends in Grand Rapids.—Mrs.

Elson Fletcher and grand-daughter, Mrs. Carrie Ward, of Grand Rapids, are visiting friends here.—Masters Neddie Hodges and Robert Anderson, of Grand Rapids, are spending their vacation at J. B. Fletcher's.

Gough Hert Baldwin is entertaining her ship sixty-three and five one hundredths, 30 the quarter corner post between said sections and running from thence 8outh paralell with the East line of Government lot number Three, 3, One Hundred and One, 101, rods to the North bank of Grand river, thence West at right angles to said East line twenty-two and eighty one hundredths, 22 80-100, rods; thence North paralell with the East line of Government lot number three, 3, One Hundred and One, 101, rods to line between sections six, 6, and seven, 7, thence East along said line twenty-two and eighty-three one hundredths, 22 83 100, rods to place of beginning, being a part of government lots three, 3, and four, 4, on section seven, 7, in town six, 6, North range nine, 9, West and containing Fourteen and one half, 14½, acres be the same more or less."

Dated Lowell, Mich., May 1st 1902.
WILLIAM F. BOUGHTON,
Assignee of said Mortgage. 8. P. Hicks, attorney for Assignee.

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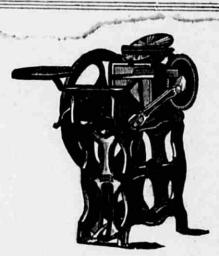
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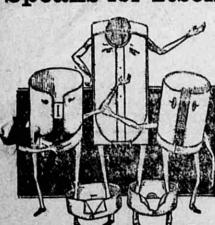
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# COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Special meeting of the Common Street Lights
Council of the Village of Lowell Hand R Hand held in the Council Rooms on Monday evening, July 14, 1902.

Meeting called to order by President VanDyke. Present Trustees Look, Nicholson, Watts, White, and Winegar, the President, absent

Meeting called for the purpose of FN White considering the lease of the property formerly occupied by the Low ell Mfg. Co., to the Lowell Specialty TA Murphy

The Lowell Specialty Company II F Lane communicated to the Council that T Mueller jr in view of the possibility of the J M Myers Water power being needed by the Lowell Ledger Lowell Cutter Company the Specialty company would release the council from the agreement entered into with them and would vacate the property as soon as possible.

Moved by Trustee Watts that the President and Clerk be empowered to execute a lease to the Lowell W Morris Cutter Co., of the water power as controlled by the property formerly occupied by the Lowell Manufacturing Co., for the rental of one dollar | Westinghouse Co (\$1.00) for as long a time as the Freight present management of said Lowell R Williams Co Cutter Company shall continue, for Ecker & Foster for the sole use of their present CO Lawrence plant. Supported by Trustee Look. Dearborn Electric Co

President VanDyke Juled, that the motion was out of order on account of this being a special meet- journed. four years I have kept them on foot ing and a full board not present. On motion by Trustee Watts, Council adjourned

T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

Regular meeting of the Common Council Regular meeting of the Contain Contact of the village of Lowell held in the Council Rooms on Mond y evening, July 7, 1992.

Meeting called to order by President VanMeeting called to order by President VanLook. Present trustees, Lee, Look. Meeting called to order by President VanLook. Tehoison, Watts, White and Winefar. Absent President Van Dyke.

The Street Committee submitted a reMinuse of two previous meetings read and Minutes of two previous meetings read and

The Street Committee submitted a report recommending the building, rebuilding and repairing of certain sidewalks within the er Carr; Mrs Augusta Houser; C M Watters A W Weekes; Mrs H Robinson; A L Peck; M E church; A O Heydlauff; Milo Hiler; John Kelley, Miss Cora Howe; Mrs F F Joseph; Wallace Lang; L T M Foster; Jas H Carey; Mrs Louisa Brown; John Crawford; J B Yeiter; Mrs C G Merriman; J J McNaughton; Wayne Pardee; Frank Davey; Dr G G Towsley; Brown & Sehler; William Pullen; W H Eddy Agt; Goodrich Kopf; U B Williams; Jesse Tompsett; James Gulliford; Harmon Nash; Henry F Clark; Mrs Olive Blass; H W Hakes; Baptist Church; Waldon Smith; C C Winegar; F T King; C E Clark; A L Weyrick; Mrs. Lydia Gardner; E H Cambell; T W Mason; King & Brown; Charles Quick; Mrs Lucy Stone; Mrs E B Hunter; R J Flanagan; W F Howk; A J Lewis; Jas Nicklin; J B Nich olson; David English Est; Thomas Carveth: John Callier; Jennie T Moyes Est; H Ziegler; Jesse Tompsett; W C Denick; C O Lawrence; J A Mattern; Wm B Aldrich; Mrs Iva Khodes; Henry Schreiner; H N Brown; Orinda Barelay; R D Stocking; Brace Hotel; Mrs John McConnell; Mrs M A Harris: J H Covert; Mrs Jane Ranney; Mrs E.Lee; Z H Covert; John Mills; W J Atkins; Mrs M E Hughson Est; R Quick, Chas McCarty; Chas Alexander; M Scott. C D Blakeslee, J Hull; Lydia VanDeusen; D R Whitney; J Friar; Mrs W Rickertts; W Purple Est; John J Mack; N C Ransford; Philip Monks; Mrs Mary Klump; C L Burnett; Mrs M Sayles; C O Lawrence.

On motion by Trustee Watts the report was accepted and adopted and the recom-mendation concurred in and notices ordered to be served upon the owners or occu-pants as above mentioned to build, rebuild or repair their walks as soon as possible after service upon them of such notice; walks to be repaired to be done within 24 hours and walks to be rebuilt to be done within 30 days. Carried. Yeas Look, Watts; White and Winegar, absent Lee

On motion by Trustee White, the following bills were allowed. Yeas Look, Watts, White and Winegar, absent Lee and Nicholson:

and Nicholson.

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On motion by Trustee Look council ad-

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T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

Special meeting of the Common Council of the village of Lowell held in the Com-Meeting called to order by President

port recommending the building, rebuilding the village among which are the walks of R P Morse, B C Needham, Wm P Perrin.

Mrs E A Johnsen, Mrs W Malcolm, Z E alto most open air sports. No remedy and repairing of certain sidewalks within repairing of certain sidewalks within the village of Lowell among which are the walks of Mrs Hardy, Mrs. Hoffm in, Earnest Bailey, John Scott, Clayton Gunn, Oliver Coats, Mrs Golds, Wayne Pardee, Alex Blakeslee, Albert Oliver, Stephen B Knapp, King Milling Co. Harmon Nash, Meritt Wright, Genevive Booth, Milo Hiler, J.H. Hamilton, Mrs. A.P. Hunter, R.Quick, W.S. Purple, Geo Speaker, Earnest McCarty, John C. Scott, Chas Lawrence, F. T. King, John R. Scott, Mrs. Eunice McVean, Ida Chandler, L.H. Taft, Wm Gardner, Ferris Taft, Alice McBride, Elias D. Parker, Mary Hennessy, F.T. King, J.C. Train, Mrs. S.A. Williams; Charles McCarty, Porter Carr; Mrs. Augusta Houser; C.M. Watters W Parker, Albert Richmond, Jennie Kellogg, Ephraim Hatch Est, J C Train, of serious consequences. For cuts, scalds Nathan Blair, Mrs Myra Perry, M N Hine, J B Cambell, Helen King, Mrs R W Graham H A Peckham, Mrs Margaret Johnson, Cornelius Krum; Geo W Rouse, J E Lee,

C S English, E F Denny, Jno McWilliams, Mrs Phoebe Tate, Louisa Lyon, Mrs Geo Cook, W D Foster Est., H J Bosworth, A G Sinclair, Jeremiah Dillenbeck, Jno R White, Sarah Driscoll, Dr R R Eaton, J C Richmond Est., M M Perry, R P Packard, Mrs Chas Doyle, Miss Fern Edmonds, Hannah Robinson, Harriet Wisner, Congregational church, Geo W Parker, Mrs Aun Laughlin, Mrs Julia O'Brien, Wm Whitney, Mrs W R Blaisdell, Mrs Geo B Fuller, Wm Rexford, Sweet & Smith, John Broadbent, Mrs S E Morgan, Mrs Lettitia Miles, E B Smith, John S Bergin, Frank Terry, Rebecca Layer, Louisa Lyon, Silas Braisted, Mrs C Forman.

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T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

Grattan-Vergenues. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hogan are the happy owners of a baby boy. Clara Mansor is reported better. Bert Byrne spent last week at P. Mansor's. -- Mrs. P. Byrne and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Costello, took tea with Mrs. Chas. Francisco, of Lowell, last Friday.—Edgar Byrne returned to his home in Arkansas after an extended visit with relatives and friends here. Mrs. Byrne will remain awhile longer.-Quite a number from around Moseley took in Buffalo Bill's show at Grand Rapids, Saturday. -Gladys Jake way is sick.

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1f your druggist cannot supply you, serd us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

### Town Line.

Miss Maud Ruthruff, of Blanch ard, is spending a few days with Financial Statement of School Miss Florence Burras. - Mrs. Stapleton, of Grand Rapids, visited friends in this neighborhood a few days last week .- Mrs. Emily Murray July 8th, 1901 on hand called on Mrs. Wm. Patterson of McCords one day last week, -The Ladies Aid society will give an Rec from Mill tax ice cream social, July 23. In Rec from Fine money case of storm it will be held the next night at the home of Willie of the village of Lowell held in the Count of the village of Lowell Baid Bonds and Interest oil Rooms on Monday evening, June 30, Hesche.—Bertha and Alice Wes-Paid Interest on Loans brook spent Saturday and Sunday Paid for fuel with their sister, Mrs. Steve Carter, Paid for taking Census

# Vacation Days.

Vacation time is here and the children are fairly living out of doors. There could equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for of serious consequences. For cuts, scalds and wounds. "I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for sores, cuts and bruises,' says L. B. Johnson, Swift Texas. "It is the best remedy on the market." Sure cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. L. H. Taft & Co.

# Keene Center.

[Last week's letter.] Mrs. King is improving in health; There is a case of scarlet fever at Johnnie

Robert McKay is failing and his death expected at any moment. Mr, and Mrs. Ame Vanderbrock visited t Cad Peck's Sunday. Orlow Weeks and family spent the 4th

with his folks at Murray Lake. Miss Jennie Higgins has the measles

Mrs. Strong has returned home from her

# Mark Twain's Cousin,

G. C. Clemens, of Topeka, Kan., the no-

ted constitutional lawyer, who bears so striking a resemblance to Mark Twain, (Samuel B. Clemens) that he is frequent-

ly taken for the original Mark, is a man of deep intellect and wide experience. He is considered one of the foremost lawyers in this country. In a recent letter to the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Mr. Clemens says:

\* \* "Personal experience and observation have thoroughly satisfied me that and is excellent for what it is recom-mended."

Mr. Norman Waltrip, Sup. Pres. Bank-ers' Fraternal Society, Chicago, says:

# Dr. Pain Pills

are invaluable for headache and all pain. I had been a great sufferer from headache until I learned of the efficacy of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Now I always carry them and prevent recurring at-tacks by taking a pill when the symp-toms first appear."

Sold by all Druggists. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

## Annual School Meeting.

The unusually large number of twenty-four voters attended the annual school meeting Monday evening.

Chairman S. P. Hicks presided and Director McQueen read his report, which is published elsewhere in this paper. The treasurer's and librarian's reports were then read, discussion the matter was referred to the Board to dispose of as seen

An attempt was made by D. B. chair entertained a motion to proceed with election of trustees to succeed W. S. Winegar and F. T.

The chair appointed Clyde Collar and D. G. Look tellers and Messrs Winegar and King were re-elected, the former receiving twenty-one and the latter twenty of the twenty-four votes cast. After this, the meeting very promptly adjourned, the promised fire works failing to material

District No. 1, Lowell, for Year Ending July 14, 1902.

\$ 6374 Rec from township Treasurer Ree from Non Resident pupils 360 00 Rec from Primary fund \$9319 51 Paid Bonds and Interest 600 00 31 83 Paid Janitors Paid for Director 115 35 tf Paid for Water and Light Paid for Library rent Paid for Building and Repairs Paid for School Supplies Paid for Insurance

Paid Paper and Printing Paid for Incidental Expenses Paid for Furnaces and Repairs Paid for Teachers 5020 00 Paid for New Books and Magazines 117 50 Paid for Librarian's Salary July 14, 1902 Balance on hand 172 71

\$9319 51 E. D. McQueen, Director.

Rounds out the hollow places; smooths out lines that creep about one's face; woos roses back to faded cheeks. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does 35c.

Just received, a carload of those famous Ohio cultivators. They have a perfect bean harvester attachment. Brown, Sehler & Mc-

# Here's a Good Thing

Something You Can Readily Believe as Its Lowell Evidence.

Mrs. A. G. Sinclair of West Water St., Lowell, Mich., says: "I have no hesitation in recommending The latter recommended the print Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills to ing of a new catalog. After some anyone bothered with nervous headaches and dizziness through the head. I procured some at Look's drug store and found them an ex-Davidson to precipitate a discussion | cellent thing. They relieved the of chapel exercises in school; but the distress in the head and helped me in every way."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50e a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D, are on every package.

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Go to Nicholson's for the newest things in lace striped white goods, for waists and dresses.

Ladies, buy the Bernalda shoe, every pair warranted. Sold only by D. F. Butts.

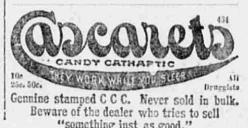
We have the best pivot axle cul 741 13 tivator on earth. Brown, Sehler 19 92 & McKay.

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# **EXCURSIONS**

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MICHIGAN.

The man in the moon must have had oceans of trouble with his canals.

Mrs. Langtry is now a mother-inlaw. The world is no longer at her

Germany, Austria and Italy assert that the triple alliance is still of XXX uality.

Mr. Schwab, having money to burn, gave \$5,000 of it to Pittsburg for fireworks. Sweet may be the uses of adversity,

but sour are the uses of prosperity. Vide pickle trust. Some one has named a cigar after

Mary MacLane. It emits a blue flame

and sulphurous smoke. A Kentucky man who proposed to a girl in a joke a few days ago has been

The fellow who stands on his dignity may discover that dignity is just as slippery as a banana skin.

accepted. Serves him right.

That Russian prince who has been sued by his butler has bumped up hard against the hired-girl problem.

If the trusts had made coal as cheap as they have made matches there would be far less antipathy for them.

It is Sir Charles Wyndham now. It is pretty safe to guess that this actor will never play one knight stands again.

There is no limit to the possibilities of a country that can have snowstorms in June and sunstrokes in January.

When the steel trust advanced the wages of its workmen voluntarily it gave the anthracite coal trust a dreadful shock.

The young king of Spain appears to be quite a sensible child. He is permitting the old men to keep on running things.

If a seaman's hail caused trouble in Venice, what would be the result of a good, live yankee college yell?-New York Tribune.

In employing an Italian composer to work on his libretto Emperor William may have hoped to set the dreibund to music.

America will have to hustle around and develop a case of perityphlitis. It will not do to be behind Great Britain in this respect.

At first it was thought that the Kansas wheat crop would be a failure. Now there is not enough binding twine to tie it up.

The report that Andrew Carnegie has a pseudonym for use on his stock certificates proves that there may be millions in a name.

When a man sits in the shade and watches those at work in the sun, he urday morning. Pieces of an iron bedprefers being called "critic" to "loafer."-Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

Alfred Austin may have a chance to write another coronation ode, but there is small reason to hope that he will be able to do any better next

Science is doing the world a good turn every day. The newest discovery is that the ashes of the West Indian volcanoes are not good for fertilizing

While we are on the subject of statues and monuments it may be well to note the fact that many of the graves of our notable men are unmarked and almost unknown.

While the Ph. D's, D. D. D.'s and LL. D.'s are flying around these classic days, the C. O. D.'s also have their innings at nearly every man's door after his wife gets home from a shopping tour.

A man who had married the heiress to \$17,000,000 died suddenly in Boston the other day. Even if he has gone to mansions in the skies how can he be non-support. expected to find it much of an improvement?

The Moorish representative exclaimed on leaving England for his own country, "I am glad I am returning to civilization again." Which once he is unable to lie down, being kept in more emphasizes the fact that it's all in the point or view.

The philanthropist who thinks it is and another patient is critically ill. necessary to teach youth the art of play probably hasn't had the experience of trying to keep a small boy's knee trousers and ribbed stockings in an unperforated condition.

The Sultan of Turkey says Turkey has enough books and he has prohibited the publication of any new literary works. This edict proves that there are some points in which an autocracy is far ahead of a re-

Involuntary servitude except for crime is all wrong and the Constitution says so, but there is no popular sas farmers are putting tramps to or in other occupations, leaving a acted in it was the marriage of Charles contract price as well as the costs of fore, but gave no reasons for wanting Magruder's Station, Md., Tuesday work in the harvest fields against the shortage in the teaching force of 41. Parker and Miss Marth, Barnard, the suit. protests of said pilgrims.

The Whole Jury Discharged. The whole of the jury impaneled for

discharged peremptorily by Judge Murphy Tuesday morning because of honor put it. This action was taken looking. immediately after Frank C. Andrews' attorneys had announced that they issuing the order discharging the a young man. jurors. Judge Murphy gave no details to show how the "suspicion of taint" he said, "for some day I will be an had been detected. "A situation not only unusual, but probably without precedent, is presented by information furnished me from several sources, he said, "It calls for action which will promptly and completely remove the danger with which it is fraught Our judicial system relies for the attainment of justice upon a fair and impartial trial at the hands of an honest and unbiased jury. Both parties concerned, the people and the accused have the legal right to such a trial by a jury of this character. The legal aspects of the situation have received careful consideration. So far as I have been able to find, the books are without like precedent. But I am as clear as to my power as I am as to my duty. This finding will be entered in full upon the journal of the court, and a formal order in conformity herewith shall also be entered,"

### More Rural Delivery.

Rural free delivery will commence September 1 in these Michigan towns: ter. Carsonville, Sanilae Co. (route No. l); population served, 576; number of

Clyde, Oakland Co. (route No. 1) population, 607; number of houses, 135, Flat Rock, Wayne Co. (route No. 1): population, 550; number of houses, 125. Holloway, Lenawee Co, (route, No 1); population, 700; number of houses

Linden, Genesee Co. (routes 1 and 2); population, 1.178; number of houses 262. Postodice at Argentine to be supplied by rural carrier. Mail to Linden,

Mich. Mount Morris, Genesee Co. (routes 1 and 2); population, 1,687; number of 1008cs, 286, Orion, Oakland Co. (routes 1 and 2)

opulation, 1,061; number of houses. 236. Postoffice at Alert to be discontinued. Palmyria, Lenawee Co. (route No. 1); population 650; number of houses.

Three Oaks, Berrien Co. (routes 1

houses, 260,

Wicked Kalamazoo. The investigation of Chief of Police tial men on the liquor bonds of saloon- ing the opinion that if Sutton returned keepers have endeavored by threats to to Detroit he would never be convicted

facts of which they are cognizant, Every effort is being made by the saloon element to whitewash the proceedings, but a petition has been drawn up for a grand jury, to be presented to Circuit Judge Adams in the possible event of a side-step.

# Broke Jail.

Walter Sherry, Geo. Clifton, James Wilson and Geo. Long, all under var ious aliases, waiting trial at Bessemer for a burglary committed at Watersmeet, about a month ago, broke their good. way out of the county jail early Satstead were used to unscrew bolts and plates holding the ceil door, then an in Montana. entrance was made into the garret above the jail. A blanket rope was tain Wyman, of Bay City, is dying found hanging from the garret win- from lockjaw, caused by an injury dow to the ground.

# Broke Their Legs.

George Thompson, of Pebbles Corners, and Miss Mary Mulbach, visit- having lost her footing while walking ing at his home, were inspecting a glong the path near the top. horse in a stall when the horse let fly,

kicking them both in the legs. Miss Mulbach crawled under a feeding box, while the horse trampled on Thompson and he shouted for help, He pena and Montmorency counties. managed to cut the strap that held the animal, and it ran from the barn.

Miss Mulbach's leg was broken be-

# Two Attempts Failed.

Several months ago, after making an unsuccessful attempt to kill herself with poison, Mrs. Jas. Giddings was adjudged insane, and sent to an asylum. A few weeks ago she was returned as recovered. Last week her husband notified her that he would live with her no longer and decamped. The woman attempted to drown herself, but was rescued. A warrant has been issued for Gidding's arrest on a charge of

The Toy Pistol Victims.

Still another case of lockjaw has resulfed from the effects of toy pistol wounds received by Bay City boys on Stanley Derdowski. He is so ill that a sitting posture, while the cords of his rested, admitted the night's work. neck draw his head back. Two deaths

Co., and Slayton, Kent Co., will be dis- ported that he is suffering from tubercontinued July 15. Both will be supported by rural free delivery.

A company is being organized at Grand Rapids with \$500,000 capital to purchase a 20,000-acre tract of hard- ing. Reading, thinking the town was wood timber in Antrim and Charlevoix again going to be destroyed, sent for counties and lumber the same,

The first battalion, Third Infantry, M. N. G., Maj. Jas. S. Parker, of Flint, have their annual excursion and will the Sunday evening following.

Branch county, outside the graded

Green Old Age:

An old man and a fair young willow service during the present term of clasped hands Saturday at the marthe Recorder's Court of Detroit was riage altar. The groom, a pioneer of Kalamazoo county, was A. G. Corser. 80 years old, His bride, Mrs. Minnie Corser, has seen 23 summers float by "at least a suspicion of taint." as his and is exceptionally bright and good

Corser spurned the use of spectators as he made out the application for his were ready to go on with his trial. In license and insisted that he was still

> "I need somebody to look after me," old man, but not yet. I am good for many years yet.

> The bride evidently thought so, too, for she lovingly clasped his arm and together they walked from the clerk's office to a justice of the peace around the corner. The couple will live on the old farm

at Schoolcraft, which Corser has cultivated for 54 years, and though the groom already has two children, they are grown up and out of the way.

### The Operators Will Weit.

At a conference held between the executive committee of the coal mine operators and the men in Saginaw Saturday the operators, at the urgent request of the miners who are out on a strike, decided to suspend the force of their ultimatum, demanding that the result of the conference of a week ago be acted upon immediately, insisting, however, that the matter be settled either at the national convention in Indianapoils, July 17, or immediately af-

### Read and Unknown.

The lody of an unknown man was found early Friday morning near the Michigan Central railroad crossing in Galesburg. Undoubtedly he was killed by the cars, as the body was frightfully mangled. No clue exists as to his identity except a paper in one pocket, dated July S. which reads:

"This is to certify that J. Burns worked for me in the month of July,

The paper is signed by J. Miller.

### A Mad Dog's Victims,

Riley Davis, of Rivesville, W. Va., and his four children are at the Pasteur institute in Baltimore for treatment. The children are aged respectively 10, 7, 3 years and 15 months All four were bitten by a rabid dogas well as another child, aged 11, who died in convulsions. Saliva from the dying child's mouth fell on the father's hand, and he was advised to come and 2); population, 1,160; number of along with his other children for treat-

Knows Where Eli Is.

Attorney Charles D. Joslyn, of De-Burr Greenfield, of Kalamazoo, con- troit, admits that he knows where Eli tinues to develop sensational testi- R. Sutten is at present. Further than mony. It has developed that influen- this he would not go, simply expressprevent policemen from testifying to on the charge of perjury laid against him in Lausing.

# STATE NEWS CONDENSED.

Eleven deaths and six serious cases of prostration were reported in Pittsburg Monday.

The Adrian school board has prepared plans for a \$50,000 new high school building. The first shipment of peaches for the season has been made from Benton

Harbor to Chicago. The crop promises Arthur Beardsell, son of George

young man, died Thursday on a track tutions of the city. The 11-year-old son of Police Cap-

from a toy pistol on the Fourth, Mary Meme, an Indian woman, has been found dead at the foot of the cliffs, near the Arlington, in Petoskey,

The Turtle Lake Shooting Club is arranging with the land commissioner for the purchase of eight additional sections of delinquent tax lands in Al-

While playing in the yard Saturday Agatha Jones was stolen by her father. Her mother and father had seplow the knee and Thompson's at the arated and Mrs. Jones was living in Harbor Beach. The girl is six years

> A new ordinance provides that all accompanied by their parents or guardians, will have to be off the streets of Marshall at 9 o'clock in the

> An ugly scrap took place in Ann Arbor Saturday evening and as a result Officer "Tip" Ball has a badly battered face and William Pickard, Sr., and William Pickard, Jr., are in jail and will be charged with resisting an

Several business houses in Benton Harbor and St. Joseph were entered some time early Saturday morning. A small amount of cash and wearing apthe Fourth. The patient is 10-year-old parel was stolen. Two Chicago lads. Lester Richardson, aged 16, and Arthur Hemmings, aged 19, when ar-

Gov. Bliss has pardoned William have already occurred in similar cases Steele, sent to the Jackson prison for five years from Manistee county in February, 1898. Steele's term would The postoffices at Siddons, Mason expire in a few months, and it is reculosis and will not live out his sentence if required to remain in prison.

Fire in Jacob Neufang's grocery store in Reading, destroyed the buildald to Jonesville and Hillsdale. The M. W. A. of Wayne county will

commanding, will have an instruction picnic at Bois Blanc island on August field camp at Zilwaukee, south of Bay 8. The county association's excursions. City, from Saturday night, July 19, to of which this is the third, are very On the 10th Petoskey became legally

Elias Clark, the Stockbridge miller, Communication of the Stockbridge miller, suffered a stroke of paralysis and is in a critical condition.

Fred Gauss, a White Oak fermer. had one of his feet nearly cut off Saturday by a mowing machine

Fred Lang, employed ast Booth & Boyd's mill, Saginaw, was caught between two box cars, at noon Wednesday and badly crushed.

Gov. Wenne has appointed Roy D. Matthews, of Owosso, circuit court commissioner for Shiawassee county, to succeed John D. Stockdale, who has removed from the county.

The wooden floor of 496 cells in the Jackson prison have been taken up and replaced with cement. Under the wood was found a thick layer of dirt, This is believed to have caused the typhoid fever prevalent in the past,

Mrs. Sarah McLaren, of Ionia, sprinkled gasoline on thee carpet. Her small grandson struck a match, and there was an explosion. Her clothes caught fire and she rolled on the grass to extinguish it, but was very badly burned.

Thomas H. Winnett, general freight and passenger agent of the Detroit & Mackinaw railway at Bay City, has been stricken with smallpox in a mild form. He was taken sick last Friday. but the case was not diagnosed until Wednesday.

Fire Friday morning destroyed the stables of the Rouse Ice Cream Co., of Benton Harbor. Three horses were burned. James Johnson, an employe, who did noble work in saving horses, was terribly burned. It is thought hoboes caused the fire.

Jas, Cleary, a Grand Rapids character, has been arrested on suspicion of knowing more than he tells of the murder of William Reynolds, who was found dead in an alley near Kent's livery stable. Cleary was the last man seen with Reynolds.

Judge Wisner refuses to dissolve the temporary injunction obtained by the Detroit United Railway to prevent the city of Flint from interfering with the company's traffic for refusing to lay a double track on Saginaw street as ordered by the council.

Theodore Achilles, a Muskegon dentist, was found dead Tuesday night The body was partly on the sidewalk back of an electric light pole. One hand was burned, probably from contact with a live wire stretched four feet from the ground.

The 225x225-foot, two-story barn in Fennyille, owned by "Peppermint" Todd, of Kalamazoo, was burned Thursday night. It was the biggest barn in America. The fire was caused by spontaneous combustion in the hay mow. Loss, \$25,000; half insured,

The famous poker check suit of Representative John R. Gordon, of Marquette, against the Lansing State Savtngs Bank, involving the legality of a debt has been appealed to the Su-

me one entered Jno. F. O'Rourke's orchard, a short distance west of Bear Lake at night, and ruined 161 fruit trees, cutting some down and backing around others. As president of the village Mr. O'Rourke has been active he swore to kill his brother-in-law be. States has done for them, and it is may in efforts to suppress illegal whisky Alfred Jurva, of Houghton, a sur-

face man at Quincy shaft No. 2, was dashed to death by falling down the shaft Tuesday. He was climbing the ladder in the shaft house when it fell back. Jurva was about 40 years old and is survived by a widow and five children. The Bay City game wardens have

disposed of the 1,500 pounds of undersized pickerel which was seized last week. Ten packages of 100 pounds each were shipped to the Industrial school for boys at Lansing and the rest Beardsell, of Hudson, and a wealthy distributed among the charitable insti-The biggest catch of fish made in

that vicinity was brought to Kalamazoo Monday by W. W. Boardman and J. W. Jewell. It consisted of 170 small-mouth black bass, the largest of which weighed five and a half pounds. The fish were caught in Christie's lake, in Van Buren county.

Tuesday's storm caused a destruction of property along the valley of the Ann Arbor railroad that is conservatively estimated at \$60,000. The city of Ann Arbor has suffered \$25,000 in the destruction of seven culverts and the tearing up of streets by the

Twelve alleged violators of the state liquor law were recently cited to appear in court in Saginaw, and now a 10 of them, for having no federal license. One witness, Jas. Hopcroft, children under 15 years of age, unless | was fined \$25 by Recorder Snow for refusing to testify.

President Roosevelt has issued a formal order placing Maj. James W. Long, of Grand Rapids, on the retired list of the army as captain. Maj. Long has served nine years and five months, and will at the end of seven months, be enticed to a 20 per cent addition to his pay as captain of infantry,

The Wayne county physician says: Frank C. Andrews, of Detroit, is not fit to be in court. He is a sick man, Last night he had congestion of one lung and a temperature of 102 3-5 degress. A bad cold has gone on from bad to worse, and now Andrews has got to watch out or he will be in a serious condition."

Torpedo canes in use on the Fourth, it proves, did \$2,500 damage to plate glass windows in Kalamazoo. When three or four pellets were exploded at once the business end of the cane would break, scattering bits of iron in had a toe shot off and a dozen or more received wounds in the legs.

The farmers of Greenbush township, Clinton Co., look upon the recent organization of thrushers in the nature of a trust, and are forming a stock company of their own to buy and operate a thrashing machine at the old prices.

tract for weeding a patch of sugar beets for a farmer of that vicinity. and performed the work as stipulated. Then the man, doubtless thinking that because they were boys he could bluff committed suicide by shooting them-

Kitchener's Welcome Home.

Lord Kitchener reached London Satan outburst of popular enthusiasm as Kitchener was conducted to the

king's sick chamber and his majesty, from his couch, extended a warm welcome to the general and personally expressed his thanks for the termination of hostilities. The king then presented Kitchener with the decoration of the new Order of Merit. The general then saw the queen, after which he drove to Lord Roberts' residence in Portland

### The Cambria Mine Horror.

The extent of the horrible catastrophe of the rolling mill mine of the Cambria Steel Co., Johnstown, Pa., is not capable of being grasped. Saturday, in spite of conflicting reports as to the number of dead, a careful and complete compilation shows that 112 is the extent of the list of the bodies outside the mine.

To this future explorations of the mine corridors may add a few, but it cannot be many. Almost all the em- Mr. Evans' term as governor. ployes who could have been in the mine at the time of the life-wrecking explosion of Thursday are accounted for. Very few inquiries for missing have been presented to the authorities or to the mine officials and this better than anything else demonstrated the impossibility of many bodies still remaining in the death tomb.

The mine officials say there is no use attempting to estimate the number of dead. They say they simply do not know and urge the futility of placing the matter on the basis of guess work. They express the belief, however, that all, or almost all, are out of the mine.

### A Convict's Vengeance.

Thirst for the blood of one of his check given in liquidation of a poker ually cost Harry Tracy his liberty if archipelago, which he states possesses not his life. Pursued by bloodhounds untold resources. preme Court. Gordon won in the court | and hundreds of armed men over more | "The future of the Philippines is miles in one day, without sleep and which obtained in the days of the without food. Tracy has practically Spanish. The climate is splendid, the sacrificed all hope of escape to fulfill people for the most part are amiable a vow he made two years ago, when and appreciative of what the United cause of evidence the latter gave opinion that the archipelago comprises which convicted Tracy and sent him the richest territory in the world."

to the Oregon penitentlary. Sheriff Cudihee and numerous posses practically have Tracy cornered

### in the point of a triangle, The Des Moines Flood.

of Des Moines, Ia., spent Thursday beg for food, although every precaution is taken to provide for them. from the Asiatic station in a short It will take days to relieve the situa- time. tion, and when the water finally reaches its former channel an epidemic of malaria and typhoid fever will pre-

vall, it is thought. Danuage is expected to reach a million dollars

A Very Old Man. Ferry Chesney, the oldest man in Tennessee, and perhaps the oldest in the United States, died at his home on the summit of Cooper ridge on July 4, at the age of 126 years, the day of ject. his death being his birthday. Chesney was born in Virginia on July 4, 1776, and, as a slave, belonged to Jonathan factory that the above decision was ar-Jackson at Clarksville, on the Roanrived at Monday. No official announceoke river. When 12 years old he saw deputy United States marshal is after George Washington. It was four days ment of the fact has yet been made. after his death that his body was dis-

### covered. The Queen's Escape.

Shortly after Queen Alexandra passed or her way to open the coronation bazaar, the decorations across Laugham place, London, heavy and sodden with rain, were caught in a squall of wind and fell, dragging down a mass of coping from the top of All Souls' church. Miss Streathy. believed to be a Canadian, was killed and several persons were injured.

Two men killed, one probably fatally njured, is the story of a wreck on the Canton has cabled the state depart-Toledo, Peoria & Western railway late

Archbishop Patrick A. Feehan, for 22 years in charge of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago, died Saturday, after a long illness.

First Lieut, Matthew E. Hanna, Second Cavalry, has been ordered to Havana, Cuba, for duty as military attache at the United States legation. every direction. In one instance a boy Lieut, Hanna served on the staff of Gen. Wood while the latter was milttary governor of Cuba.

The pageant through the streets and the ceremony at Westminster Abbey will be much curtailed from the original plan. Their majesties will drive from Buckingham palace to the Abbey through the Mall to Whitehall and A couple of Alma boys took the con- thence to the Abbey, the same route as taken at the opening of parliament.

William A. Mahan and Charles H Blaker, two prominent farmers of Sweet Springs, Monroe county, W. Va.,

The Railroad Workers. Conferences between the striking

urday, having landed at Southampton freight handlers and managers of the some three hours earlier. His progress railron's in Chicago did not produce through the metropolis was one of the any definite result last week. All the most memorable of the many remark- rallroads, with the exception of the able of the past three years. The Chicago & Northwestern, Erie and Ilsmall procession of carriages contain- linois Central, refused to recede from ing the general and his staff, in simple, their position and declared that the serviceable veldt dress, lacked spectae. men must accept the terms offered by ular features, but evidently the crowd them on July 1. This means seventeen was there in its tens of thousands to cents an hour and a period of probasee the man of the hour and not a tion for new men. The demands of the pageant. From the moment he set foot men were eighteen cents, time and in London to the time of his disap- one-half for overtime and no period pearance beneath the portal of St. of probation, all men to receive full James' palace, Kitchener received such pay from the start. The Northwestern road offered seventeen and one-half quite overshadowed the demonstra- cents an hour, single time for overtime tions on previous and similar occa- for men employed by the day, but not for men whose wages are paid by the month. The Erie offered seventeen cents, single time for overtime and my period of probation. The Illinois Central declared that it had made an

### A Duel Coming.

cept that or remain on strike,

agreement with its employes since the

inauguration of the strike, and that it

would do no more. The men must ac-

At the campaign meeting of the six candidates for the United States sennte, at St. George, Colleton county, S. C., Saturday, there was a war of words which may lead to a duel between Congressman A. C. Latimer and former Gov. Gary Evans, two rival candidates for the senatorship. Mr. Latimer in his speech said that Mr. Evans had once been his friend. He was interrupted by Mr. Evans, who said: "Latimer betrayed me like a dog."

Latimer in retaliation brought up a story of a \$15,000 bond deal, during

Mr. Evans replied: "I denounce the man who repeats that rumor as a liar." The men started toward each other, but Sheriff Owens rushed in between them, insisting that the court room was no place for dueis. To this Mr. Latimer agreed and Mr. Evans remarked there was plenty of room outside, and plenty of time in the future.

## The Richness of the Philippines.

Lieut, D. C. Lyles, United States army, who served on the staffs of Gens, Lawton, Funston and Smith in various capacities in the Philippines, whence he recently returned, is visiting friends in Baltimore, Engineer, artilleryman, scout, gunboat commander and mapmaker by turns, he had own family, it is believed, will event considerable opportunity of seeing the

than 500 miles of rough country and bright," Lieut, Lyles said, "Order has wilderness, journeying as high as 65 been restored from chaotic conditions

# Reducing the Fle

Secretary Moody has cabled to Rear in the vicinity of Covington, where he Admiral Wildes, the ranking admiral eluded the posse Thursday at midnight, in Philippine waters, instructing him The formation of the country is such to place six small gunboats out of comthat Tracy may be said to be cornered mission. This action is part of the movement recently decided upon to reduce the active naval force on the Asiatic station. It will furnish a con-Hundreds of homeless flood sufferers siderable number of officers and men to reluforce the present quotation on night in school house yards and in the station, which is not at all comdewntows parks, without so much as mensurate with the duties to be pera blanket to cover them. Some had to formed. It is probable that the gunboat Princeton also will be withdrawn

# CONDENSED NEWS.

Gov. Nash, of Ohio, has decided to call the legislature in special session August 25 to enact a municipal code bill for the several cities of the state.

Missouri Democrats in state conven-

tion at Springfield, after a hard fight,

indorsed the Kansas City platform, The report brought in by the resolutions committee had ignored the sub-King Edward will be crowned between August 11 and August 15, His recovery has been so rapid and satis-

James P. Stephens, one of the oldest pottery manufacturers in this country. is dead at Trenton, N. J. Mr. Stephens is credited with developing the manufacture of pottery in certain lines to the highest point attained in this coun-A violent shock of earthquake was

experienced in Caracas, Venezuela, Saturday. Reports from the interior of the country say the shock was felt thereabouts. Slight damage was done at Guarenas, Guatire, Valencia, and La Guayra. United States Conful McWade at ment that cholera is raging in all

towns along the Kwellen river in Kwan Si province. The consul says that 3,0000 persons have died in Pinglok, and over 10,000 in Kwellan, Postmaster-General Payne, who is one of the president's chief advisers, asserts that there is entire accord in the cabinet concerning the president's determination to have legislation acted in the next session of cons

to curb the offensive trusts. "It is ridiculous to think otherwise," he said, Mrs. Elizabeth Meyer has been indicted by the Buffalo grand jury for the murder of her husband, Dr. Jacob F. Meyer, who was shot and killed in

his office on the night of June 20. Gcv. Yates, of Illinois, has granted a respite until Aug. 11 to Louis G. Toomba who was to have been hanged in Chicago Friday for the murder of the Larsen woman on board a boat in the Chicago river last winter.

Samuel Boyd, aged 24, one of Adschools, has 127 school districts. There the seat of Emmet county. The them out of their pay, refused to set- selves while on a hunting trip. Both miral Dewey's orderlies on the flagare 82 certificates in force, 38 of which records were removed to the new court the The boys didn't do a thing but sue were 42 years old and cousins. They ship Olympia at the battle of Manila of rage at the news that Kan- are used by teachers in graded schools house, and the first business trans. the fellow, and he had to pay them the had threatened to kill themselves be bay, was almost instantly killed at

THE COMING YEAR.

year? From toll surcease?

strown: No human heart, secure upon its throne, Holds perfect peace.

What shall I wish thee for the coming What shall I wish thee for the coming Friends loyal and true,

Who ne'er will fail thee in the devious ways Thou trav'lest through?-On these we may not count, for it may

With the to-morrow's sun that sets on

These vanish, too.

What shall I wish thee for the coming What shall I wish thee for the coming days?

Wealth? honor? fame? A bliss unmingled? From all care and The tribute, dear to most, of well earned praise,

A lauded name?-No path on earth is but with flowers Ah! these are fleeting treasures, and their worth Must perish with the perishable earth From whence they came,

year?

A spirit strong; faithful heart; a conscience light and

From sense of wrong.

A hope that soars beyond the bounds of Time:-

That finds its fruitage in a purer clime The ages long.

# Cost of Drink Habit

What the Money So Spent Could

Dr. Polemus H. Swift, pastor of the Wesley Methodist Episcopal church, Chicago, speaking on "The Cost of the Rum Traffic and the Returns from It," said:

"The rum traffic is an enormous business. The direct cost to the people of the United States is the amount of money spent for liquors. That is, for native distilled spirits \$500,000,-000, for domestic beer \$475,000,000, for domestic wines \$60,000,000, for imported liquors of all kinds \$20,000,-000, total \$1,055,000,000. To this enormous direct cost must be added the larger indirect cost. That has been estimated all the way from \$1,000,000,000 to \$1,500,000,000.

"If we take the most conservative the traffic is \$2,000,000,000 we yet have a sum that is all but unthinkable. If that were saved it would give \$400 per year to each of 5,000,-00 families. It would give to each of 10,000,000 families four barrels of flour, fifteen pairs of shoes, ten complete suits of clothing, fifteen bushels of potatoes, and 500 pounds of meat. Before so large a distribution the problem of poverty would disappear as the morning mist before the July sun. The cost of the rum traffic is ten times as much as the churches of America have given for home and foreign missions from their organization to this hour, twenty times as much as all salaries paid for public school teachers in the United States and ten times as much as is expended awful death. Such a system cannot for public education in all forms.

Accomplish for All the People. "The drink bill would pay for all railroads in the United States in three and one-half years, pay for all farms in the state of Illinois in six

months, wipe out all our national, state, city, county and town debts in one year, pay for all farm animals owned in the United States in ten months, and would duplicate all bank deposits in two years. "What are we getting for this enormous expenditure? The saloon and the drink habit furnish the hotbed of crime in our country, for 75 per cen of all crime that curses our land car be traced directly or indirectly to rum. It is the cause of not less than

25 per cent of the poverty that makes life unbearable. Mr. Powderly once said that nine-tenths of all the misery of the working people was due to slavery to strong drink. The drink habit is responsible for large percent age of the disease from which our people suffer. Every physician is familiar with a large class of alcoholic diseases. We have alcoholic phthisis, enlargement and feebleness of the heart, epilepsy, paralysis, dropsy, insanity, derangement of liver and kidneys, and a complete breakdown of the nervous system. The drink habit results in loss of acute sense of feel-

"All this results in a harvest of be legalized without sin."

prompt action rendered impossible.

# Saving the Children

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Warn Them by Earnest Advice of the Danger in Whisky.

It is a well-established fact that in the usual order of events drunkenness would he handed down from father to son, and hundreds of thousands of families would be ultimately wired out by whisky.

It is not true, fortunately, that the son of a drunkard actually inherits drunkenness fully developed.

But a drunkard gives to his son weakened nerves and a diminished will power which tends to make him a drunkard more easily than his father was made a drunkard before him.

The great safeguard of a drunkard's children undoubtedly lies in the warning which they see every day in their home and in the earnest advice which the man who drinks will give to all young people, if he have any conscience left.

If the man who drinks would save his own children from the same danger he can do so better than any other. He need not lose their respect by telling them of his own mistakes, if these mistakes have been hiden from them. Let him simply tell them without personal reference what he knows about whisky, its effect on a man's happiness, success, self-respect and physical comfort.

Whisky gives a great many things \$505 75.

of self-respect, lack of nervous force —lack of everything save the hideous craving that can end only with unconsciousness and that begins again \$7 25@7 50; stags, \$6@6 75. with increased suffering when consciousness is restored.

# Source of Most Crime

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Drink Has Relation to Almost All Moral and Physical Evils.

eye in all directions. It is Whisky, That's All." The however, it is not true to give any whisky and say "that's is no line of business to all others, in a e liquor traffic.

oted editor said: on all different work of rethat line they around the

s to have a re-The drink he moral and lation to all ect humanity. physical evil

all who love their Why shoul fellow men join in a crusade against all use as a beverage of a drink that brings men to imbecility, insanity and premature death?

The other morning as a Northwestern train came near Chicago it suddenly stopped. When the passengers alighted and went to the head of the train they found the mangled body of n. Near it was a whisky bottle. course, no one could say that its contents led the man to deliberately put himself in the way of destruction, after he had accepted the warning whistle once and got off the track, but there seems to be a natural connection between whisky and many of such casualties.

The next morning the newspapers had this announcement: "The unknown man killed near Austin yesterday is supposed to have been a

It is not hard to believe that drink tragic death.

advertisement now meets the of slavery the owner protected his slaves from drink as a matter of selfinterest, just as he would save horses and cattle from using any poisoned

> One great source of degradation and crime among the negroes is freedom to get and drink liquor. The lynching horrors that so disgrace our country are often caused and aggra-

vated by whisky. ter of lawlessness. It seems impos- ber, 10@11c; dark amber, 8@9c; extracted, sible to devise any law that re-strains in any way the traffic in intox-icating liquors and have it strictly

laws forbidding sales on Sunday or to minors or drunkards is found in complete prohibition.

In many places prohibitory laws are more completely enforced than the restrictive features of the best regulated license system. It seems to be "the nature of the beast" to trample upon all laws that interfere with unlimited traffic.

The whole problem of crime and the restrictive features of the best problem of crime and the restrictive features of the best problem. It seems to the seems to the seems to the car-lots f. o., b., Detroit.

Wool: Detroit buyers are paying the following prices: Medium and coarse unwashed tags. See per 18.

Hav: Prices on baled hay now are as the colorest prices on bell than the problem of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices on baled hay now are as the prices of the best prices of the best prices of the prices of the

The whole problem of crime and criminals, the questions of poverty and insanity all have an intimate relation to the drink question. What Mason to establish a pure food factory. are we going to do about it?-Rev. Duncan C. Milner, Joliet.

Necessity of Total Abstinence.

Total abstinence in the sense er was pushing in cars. meant by the advocates of temperance needs no argument. The facts which are always before us speak prize at the annual contest of the Brusled to the tramp life and to the with more power to a thoughtful The dark and never-ending negro guage. We are enlisted for total abproblem in the South is greatly agravated by liquor. In the old days gravated by liquor. In the old days man than any eloquence of lan-

CONDENSED NEWS.

warrant has been issued at Buffale for Charlie Wee, the Chinaman acen, d of the murder of little Marian Murpa

John C. Greeley, a cousin of Horace Greeley, is lead in Amherst. N. H., near the site of the house in which his illustrious cousn was born. He was 83.

Four hundred boilermakers and help- 4. Champaign County (III.) Orchard ers on the Great Northern railway system, who went on strike for higher wages some six weeks ago, have returned to work.

The six shoe factories of Burlington, N. J., are now closed by the strike, 1,500 men and women being thrown out of work, and stagnation has settled over the town.

President Roosevelt told Montague White and William E. Curtis at Oys-States and Cuba will be established by the next congress.

received word from San Francisco attorneys that he is heir to the greater part of the \$6,000,000 state left by Caristian Westenhaver, of San Fran-

Tons of perishable matter lie rothouses in Chicago. The freight handlers will not touch it, the teamsters will not hand it and the ice delivery trial of trees and vines whose hardidrivers will not bring ice to save it ness and fruitfulness have yet to be from destruction.

### BASE BALL.

Below we publish the standing of the American and National league clubs up to and including the games played on Sunday, July 13, 1902. AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago ..... 41 24

ı	Boston.	34	31	.551
t	St. Louis	35	31	.530
	Philadelphia	33	31	.516
n	Washington	32	37	.463
0	Baltimore	31	37	.456
n	Cleveland		39	.443
S	Detroit		3)	.418
	NATIONAL LEA	GUE.		
e	W	on.	Lost.	Per et.
y	Pittsburg	51	15	.773
0	Boston	37	28	.569
k	Chicago	28	32	.513
	Brooklyn		34	.534
t-	St. Louis	21	38	.449
r	Philadelphia		41	.423

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Cincinnati...... 27 40

THE MARKETS.

to 15 cents higher; all other grades were steady at last week's prices. Choice steers, \$6 00%6 50; good to choice but her steers, 1.000 to 1.100 pounds \$5 00%5 75; light to good butcher steers and heifers, 700 to 900 ing and control of the body; judgment is clouded, nerves shattered and pounds, \$4 00@4 50; mixed butchers and fat cows, \$3 50@4 50; canners and common to pers' bulls, \$3 50@4 50; light stockers, \$3 25 (40); good well bred feeders, \$4000450. Veal Calves—Steady: \$4500650. Might Cows and Springers—Steady, \$30 to \$50. Sheep: Best lambs, \$55006874; light to good mixed lots, \$4250527, yearings, \$500 0550; fair to good butcher sheep, \$3950 4 50; extra fat cwes and wethers dull, \$3 00 Hogs: Light to good but hers, \$7.50@ 176; ples and light yorkers, \$7.25@7.50; roughs, \$6.00@6.50; stags, 1-3.off.

Chicago, Cattle: Good to prime steers, \$7 99@8 60; poor to medium, \$4 50@7 60; stockers and feeders \$2 50@5 00; cows, \$1 40@5 75; heifers, \$2 50@6 50; canners, \$1 40@2 40; bulls, \$2 50@5 75; calves, \$2 50@6 75; Texas fed steers, \$4 0@6 75.

Shear, Good to chalce worthers, \$2 25@

good to choice heavy, \$7 9008 25; rough heavy, \$7 2507 75; light, \$7 9007 90; bulk of sales, \$7 60@8 10.

East Euffalo. Cattle: Receipts, light; steady to strong; veals strong; tops, \$6 75@ 7. fair to good, \$9@6 50; common to light,

to men—negative gifts, most of them.

Of these gifts here are a few:

Lack of friends, lack of will, lack
of self-respect lack of nervous force. ewes, \$3 25@4 75.

The situation as regards corn is such owing to manipulations of the market

lowing to manipulations of the market that a conservative view cannot be given at this time. Uncertainty is about the only term left to characterize it.

Detroit—Wheat: No. 1 white, 83c; No. 2 red 80c; July, 17.000 bu at 78c 5.000 bu at 774c. 5.000 bu at 774c, 5.000 bu at 774c, 5.000 bu at 774c, 5.000 bu at 775c, 10.000 bu at 774c, 5.000 bu at 77c; No. 3 red, 78c; mixed winter, 80c per bu.

Corn: No. 3 mixed, 664c; No. 3 yellow, 674ce per bu.

67the per bu. Oats: No. 2 white, 5736c; No. 3 do., 57c; Oats: No. 2 white, 571/2c; No. 3 do., 57c; do. August, 57c; do. September, 55c per bu. Chicago—Wheat: No. 3, 70@76c; No. 2 red, 761/2763/c.
Corn: No. 2, 511/4c; No. 2 yellow, 811/4c
Oats: No. 2, 50@51c; No. 2 white, 541/40
541/4c; No. 3 white, 523/4054c.

Produce.

Dutter: Creameries, extra, 214622c; firsts, 2021c; fancy selected dairy, 1740 18c; good to choice, 16217c; bakers' grades, 13214c. heese: New full cream, 9@10c brick, rated by whisky.

The liquor saloon and its substitute are everywhere, and always the central everywhere, and always the central everywhere. The liquor saloon and its substitute are everywhere, and always the central everywhere. The liquor saloon are everywhere, and always the central everywhere. The liquor saloon are everywhere, and always the central everywhere.

icating liquors and have it strictly enforced.

The same difficulties that affect the Currants: \$1@1 25 per bu.

Currants: \$101 25 per bu.
Dressed Calves: Funcy, 969%c per lb.;
fair, \$68%c per lb.
Poultry: Broilers, 12613c; live hens, 969%c; roosters, 667c; young ducks, 11612c; turkeys, 10611c; geese, 768c per lb.
Raspherries: Red, \$464 50; black, \$2 5063

Tallow: No. 1, 6e; No. 2, 5c per lb.

Thomas C. Sheehan, alias Thomas C. Smith, sent to the reformatory from big railroad gates while the Erie shift-

9c; unwashed tags, 6c per 1b.

Francis MacMillen, a 16-year-old violinist from Marietta, O., won the first sels royal conservatory of music. This also secures for the young American



Last week the writer had the pleasure of visiting the orchards of Senator H. M. Dunlap, at Savoy, Illinois. One of the orchards covers an area of 100 acres and contains about 5,000 trees, all winter varieties. The trees are already well into fruitage and GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM promise great things for their owner. The trees in this orchard are set about 30 feet apart each way, which is reter Bay, that he believed reciprocity garded by Mr. Dunlap as the proper in some form between the United distance apart to set ordinary trees. A second orchard consists largely of old trees and covers 60 acres, but the Thomas Walters, a delivery clerk senator counts this as a forty-acre in a Findiay, O., furniture store, has orchard, as that area would contain all the trees if they were set at proper distances. The third orchard covers 20 acres and contains only summer and fall varieties. In addition there No. 12-Detroit Express to is located on this place and under the ting on railroad tracks and in freight control of Senator Dunlap one of the trial orchards belonging to the State Horticultural society. This is for the found out. There are thus 160 acres in apples alone, besides cherry, plum, pear and even peach trees in abundance. Small fruits of all kinds are being grown and marketed. One may obtain a liberal education in things horticultural by going through these orchards with the senator, who knows Won Lost Perct. and can tell about every experiment that has been tried there.

"There," said he to the writer, "is where my father had 400 trees. When he was away one August my brother and myself thought we would do something great. So we put in the plow and gave the orchard a good going over. We got the ground into fine shape, and the trees soon showed it by starting to grow vigorously-at the wrong time of the year. The result was that the cold caught the wood .403 unripened and the whole 400 trees were dead the next spring."

There are few men that care to WONDERLAND-Aftergoons at 2 and 4, 15c, 15a publish a failure, but Senator Dunlap and 25c. Eve. at 7:30 and 9.15, 16c, 25c and 25c. says that he tells about his failures says that he tells about his failures as well as his successes that others may take warning and avoid his mis-Detroit, Cattle: The very best cattle, 10 takes. These orchards at Savoy will repay a visit at any time. Their owner is doing great things for the horticulture of Illinois by the object lessons that he has established.

Apple Twigs and Apple Stems.

The attention of the writer was last week called to the value of apples as governed by their stems and the character of the twigs on which the apples hung. In a block of the Duchess after the great storm in central Illinois the ground was found covered with the fruit. The owner of that orchard said it was due to the lack of pliability on the part of the twigs of the Duchess. When these twigs are switched by a heavy wind they are so Sheep: Good to choice wethers. \$3 2500 it was otherwise with some Willow 400; native lambs. \$2 5006 50. Hogs: Mixed and butchers. \$7 2008 05; Twigs near by. The long and lithe twigs had so much pliability that they did not snap off the apples, but would need most severe agitation by the wind before they would part with their fruit. After a great storm of last year these same trees were switched for hours before beginning to drop their fruit, but in the end dropped it heavily. A short storm works little havoc with them, and few storms are so violent for hours as to

cause fruit to fall finally. The stems of the apples also count for much in this regard. The Pewaukee has such a short stem that if the apples are not picked as soon as ripe they are found on the ground. Even before ripe they fall off in large quantities if they are exposed to high winds. They lie naturally so close to the twigs that only a little shaking is required to detach them.

These things count greatly in selecting apples for a commercial orchard. The Duchess is a great apple, but this is one of its weak points. It is very hardy, the very standard of hardiness, but it needs to be protected from heavy winds if possible. It is an argument for the shelter belt, at (3) least in connection with certain orchard varieties. If a man have a shelter belt he can more readily plant Duchess than if he has to set out his orchard on a location exposed to high winds. The same rule should make the Duchess of more value near the Great Lakes than farther west, where high winds are more cor, mon and more constant.

Commercial Fertilizers and Onions. In Bulletin No. 206 of the Geneva Experiment station another fertilizer problem is discussed, one of particular interest to onion growers, but also one which again enforces the lesson needed by many farmers, of economy in the purchase and use of commercial fertilizers. The experiments of four years, when different quantities of high-grade commercial fertilizer were used, show that 500 pounds per acre was the most profitable amount A company is being organized at to apply. With good prices assured for onions, larger quantities of fertilizers might be used, but considering all factors the onion grower "runs Cleveland June 23 for grand larceny, great risk of diminished profits when escaped July 3 by walking through the he uses 1,500 and 2,000 pounds of commercial manure per acre." In case of one set of tests on rich soil, it was found that even the smallest amount of fertilizer was unprofitable.

> Chickens require no food whatever for 24 hours after hatching, as there is

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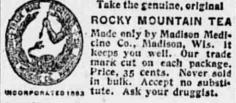
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S. P. Hicks was in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mrs. A. W. Weekes was quite ill last week.

Mrs. Deloss Watters has gone to Chicago for a visit. Ladies oxfords \$1.00.

D. F. Butts.

Clare Wilkinson of Saranac was in town Sunday. Mrs. Austin Miles is visiting her

daughter in New York State.

Carload of American Field fence just arrived. R. B. Boylan.

Misses Lena and Louise Murphy

visited in Grand Rapids over Sun Rev. J. G. Mange is spending

several weeks at Lansing and Coldwater. Mrs. A. C. Sherman has been

spending a week with old friends in Grand Rapids. Dr. M. C. Greene was in Detroit

Monday and Tuesday as a delegate to the Masonic Grand Lodge. Do you like rye bread? Try a

loaf of ours.

Weldon Smith, the baker.

A L. Weyrick has added a handsome new set of counter scales and an electric fan to the conveniences of his market.

been an invalid, suffered a fall rebeen much worse.

One lot of black and white stripe double front and back working shirts at Godfrey's. Going at 25c each. Come and get them

The will of J. David Yeiter, an old resident of Lowell, disposing of an estate valued at between \$5,000 and \$6,000 was yesterday admitted to probate. Wesley Yeiter was appointed executor.

and keep your feet cool.

D. F. Butts. Miss Della Winegar of Lowell was the guest of honor at an afternoon given Thursday by Miss Lina Bostwick of No. 122 Charles street. Miss Lou Lacey won the prize in the gaming contest-Grand Rapids Sunday Herald.

This week, S. H. McDeid, tinner for Scott & Cambell shipped eight peppermint stills to mint growers at Mishawak, Ind., and to Marcellus and Niles, Mich. Mr. McDeid is an old hand at the business and contemplates opening a shop and devoting himself to the manufacture of these stills.

John Blair died at his home at Martin corners June 25, aged nearly 83 years. He was the oldest brother of Nathan Blair of Lowell, who with his wife and grandson, Earl Jones, attended the funeral. Nathan came with his parents to Michigan about 1842 and John settled near Grand Rapids in 1847. Natural seven brothers and one sister. All of the brothers, excepting himself,

Hal S. Merriman gets his mail at Bay View now.

Nicholson has some new things

Butts sells the best old ladies low

visiting her aunt, Miss Carrie Avery.

family Sunday. Do you want a pair of tan shoes

The pension of Charles C. Marsh

per month. Mrs. Wm. Burnett and grandson,

friends at Carlton Center. R. J. Flanagan and A. H. Peck-

ham made a business trip to Grand Rapids Monday.

at Butts'.

Miss Alice A. Barclay of Grand Rapids has taken the place of Miss Mae Lillie at the Citizens' Central

See our men's working shirts, sizes 141 to 20. Full sizes, good goods, good patterns, low prices.

The firm of Price & McKee has friends in Grand Rapids. dissolved partnership, Mr. Price Marks Ruben made a retiring. Mr. McKee will continue trip to Chicago this week.

An idea of the extensive sidewalk Enquire of Mrs J. D. Kelley. campaign now on in this village can be obtained by a perusal of the

Lady, try a pair of our \$3.00 shoes made by John Kelly and you will wear no other. They are equal in value to most \$3.50 shoes.

Unclaimed letters at Lowell postoffice for J. A. Touer, K. Parker, Thos. H. C. Irwin, Frank C. Dresser, B. Carr, L. Agan, Mrs. Jesse Lyttle, Miss Nellie Jones and Miss \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Nellie Bradley.

J. S. Adams and wife have returned from a trip to Chicago where ids visited relatives and friends they "looped the loop" and saw the here over Sunday. elephant. Jack will rest up from the effects of his strenuosity the spending several days with friends rest of the week and resume his and relatives here. labors at THE LEDGER office Mon-

Saranac's ball tossers got sweet Lee, and Mrs. F. T. King. revenge last Thursday for their recent defeat by Lowell, the game Rapids Press editorial staff, was in on Train's park resulting 7 to 5 in Mrs. S. H. McDeid, who has long favor of the visitors. To-morrow afternoon a game is promised here cently and her condition since has between the home team and Alto. Ladies free, gents 15c.

Have you seen our heavy sole patent tip oxfords for \$1.50? Every pair guaranteed. D. F. Butts.

The descendants of Mrs. Eliza Wells are again reminded of another son of the fifth generation. The representatives are: Mrs. Eliza Wells of the first generation, Mrs. S. J. Andrews of the second, Mrs. Ida Tidd of third, Mrs. Gertie Buy a pair of our canvass shoes Shortt of the fourth, and Willian Alexander Shortt of the fifth. Grandma Wells has now living four great great grand sons: Meritt and Maurice Miller, Luther Severy and Wm. Alexander Shortt. - [Com.

Ice cream and caramel cake good

Smith's Bakery.

Winegar **KEEPS** Green

THAT KILLS.

in white goods, lace striped.

shoes ever made. Price only \$1.00 Miss Bernice Ball of Mason is

Miss Florence Davis of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Geo. Avery and [

at a bargain? If so, call at Butts'

of Cascade has been increased to \$8

Willis Eggleston, are visiting their

Men's work shoes from \$1.50 up,

25c, 35c, 45c and 50c each.

the business at the old stand.

Council proceedings in this issue.

D. F. Butts.

My studio will be closed for one bakery or your grocer. week begining Monday. July 21. Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

enough for the gods, ought to be good enough for you.



each at Coons'.

Marks Ruben made a business

FOR RENT-The Spraker house. M. M. Perry was in Grand Rand

Straw hats, lots of them. Cheap.

Roy Hill of Toledo, O., visited his parents, Orton Hill and wife this week.

Misses Bessie Tate and Marguer-Misses Bessie Tate and Marguer- righteous justice begins to clear away the ite Southard are visiting relatives thistle and bramble of "believe" or "think" at Hudsonville.

Try our Franklin bread. It is

made from gluten flour, Smith's

S. W. Boughton, of the Grand

town yesterday on business. Saturday for a week's vacation at his old home at Rome, Mich.

Henry J. Mastenbrook of Grandville visited over Sunday at the home of Mrs. L. J. Lee.

bread of Weldon Smith, the baker. The main room of the Lowell State Bank has been very tastefully painted and decorated in green and

here, charged with criminal assault ter of Rebecca Long. He is 28 years old and has a wife. He de-

We want to win your confidence by fair, square dealing in the grocery business and we want you to feel that every dollar you spend means that you get 100 cents with the goods. Nothing will knowingly be offered here that has not the requisite quality to make it first

Don't be persuaded into taking something

Eye, Ear. Nose and Throat SPECIALTY.

Office: GRAHAM BLOCK, LOWELL, MICH, WOODENWARE,

spite of theirs.

Madras shirts, woven colors, 50c

ids Monday on legal business.

Toe slippers and strap sandals

Miss Kittie Kelly of Grand Rap-

Miss Martie Hine, of Detroit, is

W. H. Lee of Lockport, N. Y., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Edmund

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hicks leave

If you wear tan shoes call at Farm 50 acres, first class. Butts' and get a box of polish free. Don't heat your house this hot weather. Buy your cakes, pies and

Ionia, Mich., June 14.—Charles Pugh of Elmdale is under arrest upon Meda, the nine-year old daughmanded an examination, which was set for Saturday. - [Grand Rapids

R. VanDyke.

said to be "just as good" as Madison Med-icine Co.'s Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35 cts., no more no less. D. G. Look.

G. G. TOWSLEY, M. D.

MB. EDITOR:-It is human nature with some who lack culture and refinement and are guided by the low sentiments of a depraved mind to believe a bad thing in preference to a com-mendable thing about their fellow men. These unprincipled scandal-mongers, prompted by mailtoe, hate and spite, have been circulating the most absurd and highly improbable story that would aim to settle that hideous Klumpp poisoning case on an innocent man and connecting it with my name. There can be no connection between that Klumpp case and my son, no matter how much his enemies may lay the slimy trail of malevolence leading to the door of his respectable and kappy little home. No amount of lies and calumny can destroy his good name that stood the storms of 872 years, and his moral

A Wat ming.

The argus eye of eternal justice watches over him and will thwart the evil designs of those perfidious wretches, who from the badness of their calloused hearts would shatter a truly happy home and blight the lives of its members with remorse. What right have those thoughtless lipslingers to malign the character of their betters? Had the officers of the law followed the keen instinct of their professional sagacity instead of that slimy trail of iniquity laid out for them by the lowest dregs of society, an innocent, law abiding citizen might have been spared the annoyances and indignities incited by those low-born fiends.

If the saying is true that "by his friends you know the man,"which is a very sound logic, then in spite of the temporary stigma laid on his good character, his social position among true men is emphatically vindicated. It is a credit to any man to find such array of law-breakers, perjurers Miss LaVanche Moore is visiting and liars against him as are now arrayed against my son to swear away his life and liberty for just to satisfy that damnable

> Every denunciation of their polluted lips is a praise to his unsoiled manhood and moral recitude. He stands out boldly against them as a rebuke, as a reproach their evil ways. Thereby warn all rency to their dirty work on penalty of being prosecuted for criminal libel. It is not sufficient in a criminal court or to the good judgment of fair minded citizens to believe" or "think" that a person to guilty. No, it is not "believe" equity and justice are after, it is positive knowledge of facts. From this it will be clear that as soon as those evils must skip and seek darkness, they cannot stand the light of reason. This is a fair warning to evil doers. Unless they heed it, stern justice will overtake them if firm determination and money count anything. Yours for business,

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Property of all kinds sold or exchanged on commission. No sale or exchange, no charge for services or advertising.

Prompt attention given to placing and collection of rents.

For price, location and conditions, as to following property, inquire of the undersigned.

Farm, 80 acres. new house, good barns, plenty of first class timber, 12 acres of peach and other fruit trees, all bearing. Fine, never failing spring. Farm 80 acres, first class in every respect.

Farm 70 acres, well improved, good build-Farm 40 acres, firs class. Farm 155 acres, fine building, A No. 1.

House and lot in Lowell. House to rent, in Lowell. Farm, 18 acres, well improved, good

buildings, fine orchard, 2 acres fine Farm 871/2 acres, 1/4 mile from Lowell, first class. Several houses and lots in Lowell. arm 87 acres good buildings, fine spring

affording water for house, barns and stock. Very desirable. J. S. HOOKER & CO.,

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The prices all melt this kind of weather.

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Men's Shirt Waists, at 50c to \$1.50 each. Men's Fancy Shirts, at 50c to \$1.25 each. Men's Working Shirts, at 25c, 35c, 50c, each. Boy's Fancy Shirts, at 50c each. Boy's Working Shirts, at 20c, 35c, 50c each. Men's Belts, at 25c to \$1.00 each. Boys' Belts, at 15c to 50c each. Men's Crash Pants, at \$1.00 per pair. Boys' Crash Knee Pants, at 25c per pair. Boys' Cottonade Knee Pants, at 15c, 20c, 25c. Adamant Shoes for working men,

\$1.25 to \$2.50 per pair. Fine Patent Leather Shoes for men,

### at \$3.00 per pair. STRAW HATS.

We knew hot weather was coming and bought accordingly, as past experience has shown us that there are more calls for straw hats in the month of July than any other month in the year.

Come to Godfrey's, the Clothing and Shoe House. We carry the stock and our prices are always the lowest, at

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Lowell, Mich.

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# To The Public.

Having purchased the Grocery business of PRICE & MºKEE, the undersigned desires to thank the public

for the very liberal patronage given the old firm and to solicit a continuance of the same to the new management. We shall keep, at all times, a strictly

Stock of

and shall endeavor to merit the approval of the grocery consuming public. Yours truly,

G. W. MºKEE.

Groceries,

Excursion to Tacoma, Wash., and Port- CHURCHES land, Ore., Via Grand Trunk Railway

Tickets on sale July 15th to 20th in clusive. Return limit September 15th. 50c extra charged for execution of ticket for return trip. For further information call on local agent or write to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Chicago, Ill. Straw hats, certainly none cheap-

Up-to-Date

BOTH PHONES.

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er than those at Coons.

Wheat—80c per bushel. Oats—45c per bushel. Corn—60c per bushel. Rye—50c per bushel.

Clover seed—\$4 00 **@** \$5 00 per bushel.

Beans—\$1 20 and \$1 35 per bushel. PEED. Corn and Oats-\$300 0 per ton. Bran—\$22 00 per ton. Corn meal—\$28 00 per ton.

Middlings—\$24 00 per ton. VEGETABLES AND FRUITS. Potatoes-50c per bushel. Butter-14c per pound.

Eggs -14c per dozen.

Lard- 12c per pound. MEATS. Beef, live weight -\$2 50 @ \$3 60 per owt. Beef, dressed—\$6 00 @ \$7 50 per cwt.
Veal dressed—\$6 50 @ 7 00 per cwt.
Sheep, live weight—\$2 50 @ 3 00 per cwt.
Lambs live weight—\$3 50 @ 3 75 per cwt.
Pork alive—\$5 50 @ 6 50 per cwt.
Pork dressed—\$7 00 @ \$8 00 per cwt,

"Which and the theme of Chas. Neaso

In the even People's meet the usual time ngregational church, and a al hour of the preaching serv anion meeting in the same place in which another of the "Timely Topics" will be discussed by the pastors.

Congregational.

Next Sunday morning, Rev. Geo.

Extence will speak on the topic:

"Some Men of Power." Union

service in the evening. Societies. Ladies of the W. C. T. U., Lowell union will serve ice cream and cake Saturday afternoon and even-

ing, July 19, at Boy's Union rooms. Cake and ice cream 10 cents.

Boys' Union. There will be a meeting of the board of control of the Boys Union at their rooms Saturday evening. July 19, at 8:30.