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This is the sesson for the famous American dish. Ham and Eggs. We have the finest HAM that ever happened, not too fat or too lean, too salt or too fresh but JUST

A. L. WEYRICK.

Celebrated by their Relatives and

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Yeiter, of Alto. celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Friday, March 13, without previous preparations on their part, as they were unmindful of the date until reminded of it by the arrival of their relatives and friends



They received many beautiful pres ents and the occasion was a happy

Mr. and Mrs. Yeiter were married Mr. and Mrs. Yeiter were married in Crawford county hio in 1853, shortly after which they moved to Michigan and occupied the farm now owned by A. R. Denise. Two years later they moved to the farm now owned by their sons; Lewis and Fred, and lived there until seven years ago when they moved to the farm near when they moved to the farm near Alto, where they now reside.



Mr. Yeiter is 75 years of age and Mrs. Yelter is 70. Of eight children born, seven are living, all of whom were present at the golden wedding except John D., oi Denver, Colorado.

### REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

For Township Offices. White for Supervisor.

Two-hundred and forty-three votes were cast in the ballot for candidates for supervisor at the Republican township caucus yesterday. F. N. White received 158, L. H. Hunt, 83, and C. O. Hill 2.

Hon, A. W. Weekes presided and 8, P. Hicks and D. G. Look made the nominating speeches for Messrs. White and Hunt respectively.

The chairman read an extract from the election law and ruled that none but Republicans could vote. On the first ballot several were challenged and taking oath that they were Republicans, were allowed to vote. Following is the ticket nominated:

Supervisor, F. N. White. Clerk, C. G. Stone.

roes to press.

Treasurer, H. J. Coons.
Justice, M. M. Perry.
Highway Commissioner, C. O. Hill.
School Inspector, J. B. Nicholson. Board of Review, A. S. Stoughton. Constables, Benj. Morse, George Paylor, Chas. D. Blakeslee, M. D.

hatterdon.. The Democratic caucus will be

TWO OLD RESIDENTS GONE

held this afternoon after this paper

### Daniel Newcomb and Sanford Walt

at Rost.

Daniel Newcomb, an old and re-spected resident of this village, died just before noon today, after an illss of three months of consumption. He was foreman of the R. Marshall cooper shop for many years. Fun-eral services will be held at the house Saturday at one o'clock, p. m.

Samuel Wait died last Thursday morning, March 19 at his residence in Lowell in his eighty-first year, after a lingering illness of several months. He was one of the oldest residents in this portion of the country and highly respected by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and two daughters. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, Rev. G. L. Sprague officiated.

### To Correspondents-Last Call.

Don't miss the re-union Saturday. Fine time in prospect. Married peo-ple, bring your partners. Firt-class phonograph entertainment begins at

Best on earth overalls at Godfreys

## ATHLETIC CONTEST.

STRENGTH.

#### Music, Marching, Wrestling, Tug of War, Jumping, Rusuing, Etc.

Everybody remembers how interesting was the evening of last year's school Athletic entertainment. This year's entertainment will surpass that of last year in every particular. It will be given Friday evening March 27, at 8 p. m., at Train's opera house. As usual, the admission will be 10

During this week, preliminary contests are being held to select the final contestants. Engraved silver medals. now on exhibition in Stocking's window, will be given the two boys winning the most points in High school and grades respectively. Intense rivalry assures most spirited contests. Tickets are now on sale by the pupils. Read the following program:

Piano duet ..... Misses Lawrence and Davidson. March.....Boys of Central School Wrestling......High School ... High School .....Grades

Hand wrestling... Hand wrestling... Tug of War.... Tug of War.... ...Grades High School Standing Jump ..

Standing JumpHigh School "The March Winds"Six High School Girls.
Part 2.
Flag drillGirls of Grades
Dash, length of hallGrades
Dash, length of haliHigh School
Relay Race8 vs 7
Relay Race 6 vs 5
Pole VaultHigh School
Pole VaultGrades
Rope ClimbingHigh School
Rope ClimbingGrades
High JumpHigh School
High JumpGrades
Judges: Messrs. Look, McMahon, Nicholson—High School.
Messrs. Winegar, VanDyke, and Sprague—Grades.

### Announcer, S. P. Hicks; Starter, Dr. McQueen; Scorer, T. A. Murphy. CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Morning worship at 10:30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject "The relation between success and failure." (Fifth Lenton sermon) Subject for the evening "Some Famous Bible Prayers-Elijah's Prayer for the Widow's Son "

The Sunday school meets directly after the morning service.

The Christian Endeavor society meets at 6:30, just before the evening service. Subject: "A Mission Study of Africa." Leader, Martha Perry.

The pastor's training class is held at 3:30 Sunday afternoon, in the church and lasts for one hour. To all of these services the public will be welcomed cordially.

### METHODIST.

The regular services next Sunday. The theme of the sermon in the morning will be, "Enlightement and Duty." And in the evening, "The Perfect law, the law of Liberty."

The Epworth League meeting will be in the hands of Miss Celia Lewis and Miss Bertha Austin, Sunday evening, and the topic for that meeting is, "Heroes of Africa.

It is desired that a large attendance shall be had on Thursday evening at the prayer meeting.

The class in Bible study will meet Monday evening at the usual time and place.

The Epworth League will have a sugar social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Oliver Tuesday evening, March 31. Everyone invited to come and spend a pleasant evening.

#### Musical program. BAPTIST.

Sunday subjects: At the morning worship-"The Sufficiency of the Christian Life," and in the evening, "The Problem of Wealth." Everyone welcome.

B. Y. P. U. topic: "Our Heritage Among the Heathen."

Stereoptican lecture Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the audience room of the church by Rev. Joshua Roberts of Grand Rapids. Everyone come. Admission free, offering only.

The Thursday club will meet with Mrs. O. C. McDannell April 2.

Lou B. Winsor, Grand Lecturer the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., of Michigan, has called a Lodge of In-struction to meet in the Lowell Masonic hall at 2, p. m., April 7. He has summoned to this school the folnassummoned to this school the fol-lowing lodges: Saranas, Woodland, Lake Odessa, Ada, Grattan and Lowell. Lake Odessa lodge will con-fer the first degree and Ada lodge the second in the forenoon. Our own lodge will confer the third\_degree in the evening.

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the newest things in the market.

Silk novelties for waists and dresses. Mercerized goods galere in white and colors 5 dcz. Ladies white heavily trimmed Underskirts, regular price \$1.75 at \$1,29 1000 yds. Bates Secreucker Ginghams, regular price 12½c, at 10c 1000 New Idea Patterns in stock, 10c

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ELECTRICAL STORM.

oes Great Damage to Property

Wisconsin Towns and Two

Men Are Killed.

Milwaukee, March 20.-Reports of

a severe electrical storm in Wisconsin

late Wednesday night are coming in

Manitowoc and all trains are reported

as being abandoned. Baraboo, Chin-

Columbus, all suffered from the storm

and many barns were fired by light

of the family. The street railways

armature was burned out and cellars

Gustav Klebesatel, president of the

Shawano County Agricultural society,

Twenty buildings were struck by lightning at Greenville and Daniel Hoh

WILL SEND TENTS.

and Feed Sufferers by the Floods

in the South.

Washington, March 21.-Upon the

receipt of a dispatch from the mayor

and much live stock were killed.

Railroad tracks were washed out at

## CNLY FIVE YOTES CAST IN THE NEGATIVE VOTE WAS 50 TO 16 FOR RATIFICATION. pewa Falls, Plainfield, Fond du Lac,

No Obstacle Now to Early Beginning of the Work-Approval by Colombin in Expected at Once-Treaty Gives the United States Exclusive

Washington, March 18.—With only five votes against it the Panama canal treaty was ratified by the senate late die at 5:30 o'clock yesterday after ratiyesterday afternoon. Seventy-eight fying the Cuban treaty with an amend- son farm house and cut a sewing senators were present when the vote ment requiring the cooperation of the machine in two. was taken, and all, with the exception house in making the treaty effective. of Daniel and Martin, of Virginia, Department officials are alarmed lest Morgan and Pettus, of Alabama, and the Cuban senate reject the treaty as the Cuban senate reject the treaty as amended and insists on immediate ac-Teller, of Colorado, went on record in favor of the Panama canal. Of the 12 tion by the United States. absentees several republicans could not secure pairs because of the numer-

ical weakness of the opposition. Discussed at Length. The Panama canal treaty between H. Bliss, representing the United War Department Ready to Shelter the United States and Columbia was States, and Senors Carlos de Saldo and signed at Washington on January 22. Jose M. Gracia Montes, representing 1903. On January 23 it was sent to Cuba. The United States senate mad the president and by him sent to the several amendments to the document. senate on the same date. It was re- As ratified by the senate Thursday, it ferred to the committee on foreign provides that all merchandise produced of Memphis appealing for tents to relations on the same day and reported by either country which now enters shelter refugees from the overflowed back February 3. - The treaty was discussed at some length during the last congress. On March 5, the day the SPRING HAS COME AT LAST. special session of the senate convened, the treaty was again referred to the

inder discussion. Provisions of Treaty. The treaty gives the United States exclusive rights for 100 years, renewable at the option of the United States, to complete the Panama canal, maintain, protect and operate it. It gives to the United States the use of a zone of territory three miles wide on each side of the canal. The United States recognizes the sovereignity of Colombia over the isthmus. Colombia agrees not to cede or lease naval stations or military posts within the department of Panama to any foreign government. The treaty relieves the canal of

committee on foreign relations, and

on March 9 was again reported to the

senate, since which time it has been

taxes of any kind,, permits immigration of workmen, authorizes the United States to preserve order on the canal and railroad, gives Colombia the right of free transportation for its vessels, wipes out all anterior conces sions and transfers to the United States Colombia's interest in the new Panama Canal company and in the Method of Defense.

Colombia agrees to provide armed forces for the protection of the canal if necessary, and in the event of her inability to do so, the United States as may be necessary.

States agrees to pay Colombia \$10,000,- entitled to free entry shall be given nishing tents the war department will 000 in gold when ratifications of the a reduction of 20 per cent., provided also furnish commissary supplies if it treaty are exchanged and \$250,000 an- they do not fall within certain named is found to be necessary. nually after the first nine years. | classes, as to which a greater reduc- Root was authorized to take this ac-

Up to Colombia. Buth houses of Colombian congress must by a majority vote taken in their separate chamlers adopt the treaty in any form, of the United States or as the supreme law before the United its insular possessions shall not be States can begin active operations on given any concession or rebate of the canal. The Colombian congress duty when imported into Cuba. Both will meet between April 1 and 15. countriesagree that the rates of duty
There are 27 senators and 140 representatives. The Colombian adminisshall be preferential as respects like tration is using its best efforts to imports from other countries. It is

Rear Admiral Walker, who has more existing law. personal knowledge of the engineering problems involved than any other

Duration of Treaty.

Milwaukee, March 20.—A Sentinel which standard rates or allowances ex special from Marshfield, Wis., says: isted from November 1, 1902, and dur man in the government service.

Washington, March 23.—Miss Clara cles by which either country may destrout is to retire as the active head nounce it should changes in the other country may destrout the legislature, empowering the state to furnish aid to counties for imfore June 1, 1903.

Work done between November, 1902, and April 1, 1903, to be paid on or best more important of the Michigan railof the American National Red Cross er's tariff deprive the objecting na- provement of roads. A resolution was of the American National Red Cross er's tariff deprive the objecting nasociety, but she is to remain the "honsociety, but she is to remain the "hontion of its tariff advantages or giving
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congress of the Brownlow bill, providing for national, state and local cotween November 1, 1902, and April 1. orary president for life." The active six months' notice and if a new president is to be Rear Admiral William K. Van Reypen, retired, former certain events. If not denounced the liam K. Van Reypen, retired, former certain events. If not denounced the livery roads and highways.

or ten per cent. on their earnings between November 1, 1902, and April 1, ly increased their taxes-very largely.

Just what roads will be in the plan to

Good Market for American Fruit. States agricultural department any years it shall continue in effect from nounces that good European markets year to year until the expiration of exist for American fruits. Apples, one year from the date either counpeaches and pears can be shipped to try serves notice of its intention to London, Paris and Hamburg and sold terminate the treaty. at 100 per cent. greater profit than in the United States.

Free Next Year. London, March 21 .- Information reecived from the home office is to the effect that Mrs. Maybrick, new undergoing life sentence as the result of conviction of the charge of having poisoned her husband, will be released from prison about the beginning of the flames. April next year.

Welcome Miss Roosevelt. San Juan, Porto Rico, March 20 .-Miss Alice Roosevelt landed at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning from the the palace, where she afterward held an informal public reception.

for Which Special Session Was Called.

An Amendment Requires House Ac- ning and destroyed. Marinette retion Before the Treaty Becomes ports three inches of rain. Lightning Effective—Cuban Senate May Reject the Pact-General Outline of and severely shocked three members the Provisions.

Outline of the Treaty. The Cuban treaty, ratified by the senate, was negotiated in Havana, December 11, 1902, between Gen. Tasker



If You Don't Believe It Visit Any Old Newspaper Office.

tion in duty is made.

The Sugar Question.

further the ratification of the treaty, specially provided that waile the but it is much handicapped.

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States at a greater reduction than 20 against the alleged beef combine last summer, were fined \$5,000 each in the summer summer. Clark of Clark each in the summer summ

treaty shall continue in effect for five livery roads and highways. years from the date it goes into effect, which shall be ten days after Washington, March 21.-The United exchange of ratifications. After five

Penn Yan, N. Y., March 18.—In a adjournment of court that they would those for whom special awards are legiste debate on the federal income frenzy of mania Mrs. James Strow. look for a decision in about one week bridge, of Guyayoga village, five miles or ten days.

Everybody Has Measles.

habitant of Benson, Ill., a town of Oaks, Peter Berry, Luther Berry. spread until every inhabitant is af- drowned.

districts along the Mississippi river. tion at a cabinet meeting.

PACKERS HEAVILY FINED. Missouri Must Pay \$10,000 or

Leave the State. Jefferson City, Mo., March 21 .- The Armour, Cudahy, Swift, Hammond and the Schwartzschilds and Sulzberger packing companies, the five defendants in the ouster proceedings brought

Provision is made against any impairment of the effect of the treaty.

Farmers of northern Wisconsin, in by means of national or local taxes convention here for three days, adoptor charges. The treaty contains article of the largest tree of the l

Taken Under Advisement. St. Louis, March 21.-Arguments in the Wabash injunction suit were connoon and the case was taken under advisement by Judge Adams. He gave no intimation of how much time he might require to work and the case was taken under of temper cent. from November, 1902.

That firemen shall have an increase and other lines with an extended trackage in this state. might require to prepare his opinion, but the attorneys declared after the

200 inhabitants located about 20 Lost Their Lives.
miles out of Peoria on the Santa Fe Sutherland, Ia., March 20.—While

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AVORS MINERS ON ALL MAIN POINTS.

ral Increase in Wages Averages Ten Per Cent.-Arbitration Provided For in Future Disputes-Union Not Recognised - Stricter

Washington, March 23 .- The report of the anthracite coal commission, made public here Saturday, is generalments between the miners and operations, and such a system is held to "contain many hopeful elements for the adjustment of relations in the mining file with the United States commissioner named by a judge.

Provision is made that the companies file with the United States commissioner named by a judge.

regions."
At the same time the report states that the present constitution of the United Mine Workers of America "does not present the most inviting inducements to the operators to enter into contractual relations with it."

Sought Truth and Justice. The commissioners claim their one paid directly by the companies. desire has been for "truth and justice" throughout the hearing. The report is dated March 18, and is signed by all members of the commission, who are: Judge George Gray, of Delaware; La-

Milwaukee, March 20.—A Sentinel ting coal, yardage, and other work for which standard rates or allowances ex-

by the operators.

the same wages per day, week, or Michigan Wins in Debate.
month as were paid in April, 1902, all Madison, Wis., March 23.—Michigan made, shall be paid an increase of ten tax question, the jadges deciding two per cent, in their earnings between No- to one that a general income tax on from here, on Tuesday killed her daughter, aged 26, and her mother, aged 80 years, and after setting fire to tragic death of five boys, whose ages the boys in which the hodies lay do.

Five Boys Drowned.

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Joplin, Mo., March 19.—News of the tragic death of five boys, whose ages the boys in which the hodies lay do. the house in which the bodies lay de-liberately entered it and perished in been received here from Chant, I. T. of a nine-hour day, receiving therefor The boys were playing on a raft, the same wages as paid April, 1902, for which capsized. The dead are: Ray-

Peoria, Ill., March 21.—Every in- mond Croceroft, Ralph Oaks, Charles nine hours in any day to be paid at a of the Seventh Day Adventist denomproportional rate per hour. ination are planning the establishment of a rescue home for fallen women steamer Coamo. She was met by Gov.
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hree to be appointed by the miners to present the three anthracite regions and three by the operators. In case of deadlock an umpire to be appointed . Detroit, March 23 .- A Free Press at the request of the board, by one of special from Bear Lake, Mich., says: the federal circuit court judges. No Joseph Bradley, a farmhand, supposed suspension of work to take place pend- to be unsound mentally. Thursday ing adjustment of trouble.

docking bosses. 6. Mine cars to be distributed among turned the weapon upon himself and contract miners uniformly and equitaoly, without any concerted effort of curred on the Bowerman farm, to miners or mine workers to limit out-put, or detract from the quality of ley, who was employed as a hired the work performed, unless such lim- man, was recently discharged by Mrs. itation of output be in conformity to an agreement between operators and his discharge Bradley went to Man-

Cars to Be Larger. companied by proportionate increase employer, inflicting injuries from is authorized to employ such forces is authorized to employ such forces of import duties. All other Cuban large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement works within two years, and the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found the main works within two years, and the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the commissioners do not recognize the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root wired the governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions of the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers of the two are congregating in Memphis in large numbers of the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers of the other duty free shall continue free who are congregating to the other duty free shall continue free who are congr the main works within two years, and to open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imto open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. The shots aimed at the son, who is 17 years old, were not open the canal for passage within 20 per cent. The shots aimed at the sho 14 years.

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sioner of labor a statement of rates of compensation paid in each occupation.

The award also provides for nonnterference with workers not members of a union and no discrimination against union men. Contract miners are to furnish statements of money due from them to laborers, which may be Stricter Child Labor Laws. \*

The award ends with the following Discontinuance of the "coal and

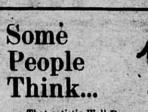
for Taxes, and Bring Suit to Test the Law.

roads will pay their state taxes this eight-hour shifts. In addition they test the statute could not be learned shall be relieved from duty on Sundays, definitely, but included will almost aswithout loss of pay, by a man employed suredly be the Pere Marquette, Michigan Central, Grand Trunk, Ann Arbor

Grand Rapids, March 23.-Members ination are planning the establishment here. The institution will be located

f conciliation to consist of six persons, Discharged Hand Kills Woman, Wounds Her Daughter, and

afternoon ran amuck with a gun and 5. Contract miners to have the right killed Mrs. F. E. Bowerman, danger o employ check weighmen and check ously wounded her daughter and atistee. Wednesday he returned. What led up to the shooting is a mystery. 7. Increases in size of cars to be ac- He opened fire by shooting his former



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tinction of marching a dead company and who further admit that they got lately recommended to congress, with to the front," said one of the heroes of Miami to a group of military enthusiasts, relates the New Orleans thusiasts, relates the New Orleans as I know. I expect to hold high immediately appropriated for the use office in the order, for I outran every of the Philippine government to be folder, if practically dry when shredamong the rarer things of my mili-other man at Chickamauga."

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recently held at Little Rock, Arkansas, truth's sake, cannot overlook. Miami tators assembled to the truth's sake, cannot overlook. Miami 2,000. The great questions under ity, so far as I was concerned, and even now when I toast my shins around the grate on these bleak. braol circulation with a wild, burning States government should become one sort of frenzied fervor. Miami! The battles I fought there—the fierce work, and should pay some share of the charges-blood knee deep-the dying cost required to improve certain leading highways up to a high standard of execllence. In this connection the Brownlow bill now pending in confor orders to move on the enemy. gress, which provides for a system of cooperation between the United States of us, neighbors, bought a husker achievement in marching a dead company to the front. The artillery had thereof, in road building, was under the content of the

charge. I started out through the following: woods with all the desperate daring The revenues of the United States had to furnish two men when huskand cuthusiasm of the soldier, head- government, aggregating nearly five ed for the point of attack, with my hundred millions of dollars per year, men four abreast. Directly the are drawn as much from the agri-major cashed up. I saluted him. cultural areas as from all other sources After a few hurried preliminaries, he asked: 'Do you know that you are marching a company of dead men!' I confessed that I did not, and rerurked incidentally that I had worked up considerable military ferminety per cent. is distributed in the great cities for public buildings, battlevor and determination on the belie' ships, munitions of war, harbor facilithat my men were all alive, and ties, etc. This discrimination has recapable of fighting. 'Every man in sulted very largely from a lack of attention and consideration. It is bewith commanding disgust. I saluted lieved that congress would make the major and thanked him for disillusioning me, for there I was rush- | well as rivers if urged to do so by the ing helter-skelter through the woods people of the rural districts. This

mainly expended in building highways | ded. The blower is much better than and other public improvements on the

AND GARDEN In the "Don't Worry" Class.

> AN IDEA FROM OHIO. Neighbors There Got Together and

The State Good Roads convention pense of personally owning a shred-pared with its cost.—Ohio Letter, in der. Two years ago we hired a husk-Rural New Yorker. was one of the most important ever | er and shredder, the first one ever in tary career. I was at Miami, and that is saying a great deal. Miami may not be as conspicuous in the military history of the world as Lodi, or Waterloo, or Gettysburg, or Chickamauga, and a few other places I might mention, but Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami and harmonious in action. The legislature being in session at the capital, adjourned to meet in the great hall where the delegates and spectrumb's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian, for truth's sake garned coardeal. Miami is a military fact which the historian for sake factors and sharedder, the first one ever in our community, at \$10 per day. But with cold weather, short days, moving the machine, etc., we found it a very expensive method. Besides, the owner was some distance from home and did not like to stop work when the folder was not in the best continued to meet in the great was some distance from home and did not like to stop work when the folder was not in the best continued to meet in the great was some distance from home and did not like to stop work when the folder was not in the best continued to meet in the great was some distance from home and did not like to stop work whe itary fact which the historian, for tators assembled to the number of dition for storing. Last year eight wintry days, and feast my mind on retrospect, I find that all of memory's roads lead back to Miami.

Miamit Them is the grate on these bleak. Annost a unanimous opinion in favor of both propositions and on the second day a resolution was passed by a unanimous rising vote of the conory's roads lead back to Miami.

Miami! There is somewhat of magic in the name, and the symbols which spell it seem to stand out in huge proportion, flaring and prophetic, and it has a rhythmic sort of sound which thrills every corpusele of my veins and arteries, tinging my cerebraol circulation with a wild, burning

2 ->= COOPERATIVE CORN SHREDDER. been stationed at a certain point, consideration. Among the arguments as one stockholder was allowed two offered in favor of national aid are the shares, he having about twice as much corn as the others. He also

> Brought On Sciatic Rheumatism.

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well as rivers if urged to do so by the instance vas cited as an illustration of the rural districts. The major saved my life, because the artillery would have mowed me down in short order. The major was a West Pointer. The attack which I started out to make was just all mits may gatout nat will benefit the maneuver for training and exercise. When the major found me marching the maneuver for training and exercise. When the major found me marching my men against the artillery four abreast instead of seattering them only only one pole, whereas a permanent and its may excuse for telling it."

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Half a dozen old soldiers were exchanging reminiscences the other day in Ottawa, Kan, and were tell under the day in Ottawa, Kan, and were tell under the day in Ottawa, Kan, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell under the point of the state of Arkans, and were tell unde

three to haul corn from field, one to haul husked corn and three around the machine, to haul water and keep the thing moving in general. They also took turns in feeding, as that was perhaps the hardest work in connection with it. Each shareholder was charged three cents per shock, 144 hills, for

ing, as it took nine to work it up to

full capacity; two in the field to load,

bushel, as it was less bother.

labor, and vice versa, so that at the settlement things were pretty well

evened up. We hired a man with his

raction engine and necessary outfit,

at 50 cents per hour actual running

ime. As most of us had consider-

able stock to feed we began at eight

been husked by hand before getting

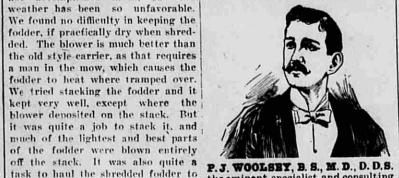
the machine.

what he had husked, and was allowed ten cents per hour for helping the others, no charge being made for is so easily obtained teams or wagons, as they would have and so quickly cures been idle anyway. We found this he right remedy for all diseases of Throat better than husking at so much per Chest and Lungs. Acts on nature's planosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens one's corn was good and large, it the secretions, effects a cure. cost him less proportionately than Don't accept a cheap substitute on which his neighbor, but as it took longer truggist makes more profit. Get Porter's. to husk it he had to pay for more Price 25 and 50 Cents.

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## From Our Point of View

IS A THIEF BETTER THAN A MORAL MAN?

Several times recently, from one of our pulpits, we have heard "Morality" referred to in a way that gave us the impression that the term was one of reproach, similar to the epithets, "infidel" and "skeptic," so frequently hurled from the pulpits of the land in times past. One utterance, as we remember it, was: "A moral man is no better than a heathen, for millions of heathen have been moral;" and in private the clergyman\* adds: "The influence of a moral man may be worse."

Several times recently, from one of our pulpits, we have Common Council of the village of Lowell, held in the Council Rooms on Monday evening, March 16, 1903.

Meeting called to order by President Hakes.

Present, Trustecs, Lee, Look, Nicholson, Smith and Winegar.

A petition was received signed by John S. Bergin and 22 others asking to have Main street graveled from nervous dyspepsia which caused me

for millions of heathen have been moral;" and in private the clergyman\* adds: "The influence of a moral man may be worse than that of a vicious man upon religion."

The Ledger questions the justice and truth of such talk from the pulpit or any other source and wishes to kindly state a few facts and to ask a question in relation to them.

After a fairly regular attendance upon church services of many denominations for a period of over thirty years, the writer believes that majority of preachers put more stress.

John S. Bergin and 22 others asking to have Main street graveled from pervous dyspepsia which caused me great deal of distress. Gas would form and cause a pressure against the heart. I got some of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills at Look's drug store and they helped me right following bills were allowed. Yeas Lee, Look, Nicholson Smith and Winegar.

Winegar.

writer believes that majority of preachers put more stress upon BELIEF than upon CHARACTER. It is also a fact patent to all observers that churches, probably without exception, F N White have some members whose conduct does not compare favorably with that of millions of non-church men who are simply moral.

R VanDyke Weldon Smith Wm. H. Eddy

somewhere between the Atlantic and Pacific, who contrive to N Hand get trusted at the stores; and who, after the account has stood JE Lee a long time, reply to requests for settlement: "Why, I paid that once." Then, there are professed Christian people whose real character is such that no one who knows them would trust D G Look them for a box of matches.

Now, in the face of these undeniable facts, we ask: Is there any connection between the long-continued elevation of belief over character and the bad conduct of some professed believers? Do not the wicked find encouragement in the preaching that good works do not count? If so, would it not JF Todd be well to quit throwing stones at moralists on the outside of the church long enough to straighten up a few crooked people on the INSIDE? Is it unreasonable to ask that the church place N Hand character at least on a level with belief?

The moral man uses his family and fellow men right, pays B Wilson his debts, supports churches and schools, subscribes to charity. His creed is the Golden Rule; and he never brags about t, but does these things-not to escape Hell or to gain Heaven —but simply and solely because IT IS RIGHT. To say that the Freight Clyde Coller influence of such a man is worse than that of a vicious sot or a sneaking deadbeat, is too absurd for argument. If it be following Standing Committee for true, then the more liars, thieves, drunkards and ravishers a the ensuing year. community has the better. May the good Lord preserve us Light & Power Committeefrom such a conclusion

Nothing in this article is to be construed as reflecting in Finance Committee-Nicholson, the slightest degree upon the clergy, their millions of faithful Smith and Collar. Christian followers, or upon the zealous and worthy pastor re- Street Committee-Smith, Colla ferred to, with whom we agree "at the ratio of sixteen to one" and Winegar. -sixteen agrees to one argument.

\*Rev. S. T. Morris.

### ANOTHER LEGISLATIVE OUTRAGE PROPOSED. mittee-Winegar, Lee and Nicholson. For sale by Brown, Sehler & Mc-

Our attention has been called to a bill now before the by Trustee Look. Legislature which proposes that electrical corporations shall have "power to condemn property to the public use for dams, flowage rights, building sites and rights of way." The joke is in the last section which provides that "It shall be the duty" by Trustee Look.

The liquor bond of Jno. H. Cramer, with Henry F. Clark and Wm. W. makes grandma eat, makes grandpa eat, makes grandma eat, makes grandpa eat, makes father eat makes grandpa eat, makes father eat make of such corporations to furnish electricity to the public "for a The matter of correcting the errors reasonable compensation."

This vicious measure is in line with the wicked class legis- referred to the Finance Committee lation that has blackened our State and National legal records cil adjourned.

Vast tracts of public lands, equal in area to empires and and states, have been given, unearned, to railroads. The poor and states, have been given, unearned, to railroads. The poor of our land have been systematically and persistently robbed for the benefit of the rich since the birth of the oldest inhabitant. If a man, or a set of men, by dishonest methods acquires millions of dollars, immediately a howl goes up for their "protection;" and the day laborer trying to pay for his 4x8 village lot and the farmer toiling with a mortgage on his 40 acres is taxed to do it. And the people vote for it and shout for it—the State Board of Health in reference to the muzzling of dogs and a completion of Look Wingrar witten consisting of Look Wingrar about 5 acres in the village of Look wingrar.

A meeting of the Village Board of Health was held Monday evening March 16, 1903.

Meeting called to order by President Hakes. Quorum present.

A communication was read from the State Board of Health in reference to the muzzling of dogs and a complete to the muzzling of dogs and a complete to the muzzling of dogs. The village of Look wingrar about 5 acres in the village of Look wingrar. taxed to do it. And the people vote for it and shout for it—Glory Hallelujah!, and all that? Seventy millions of people are taxed on sugar for the benefit of seventy thousand. John Rockefeller corners the oil market, corrupts the railroads and skins every man, woman and child in the United States, and when he doles out a dirty million for a stultified university that none of us can ever see, or would not if we could, we swollow the dose and call it good. We elevate liars and hypocrites like "Divine Right Baer and "protect" him and his plutocrat friends against the pauper coal of poor little Wales; and thousands of people perish from cold and disease in blessed America as a consequence. As a friend says, we have virtually prayed: "God help the rich, the poor can beg."

And now comes this condemned-electrical proposition, under which any owner of a water cower can be deviced for the muzzling of dogs and a committee consisting of Look, Winegar and Nicholson was appointed to draft an ordinance in accordance with the recommendation of the State Board.

Trustee Nicholson offered a resolution declaring the four principal alleys of the village, a nulsance and recommending that the nulsance be abated, which was adopted.

Moved by Trustee Winegar that notices be served on A. L. Coons and A. W. Weekes, the occupants of two stores in the village of Look, Winegar froit, Soil excellent for small fruit or gardening. Inquire of Charles Mosre or Mr. A. Hewett on the place.

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And now comes this condemned-electrical proposition, under which any owner of a water power can be deprived of his property, and under which any farmer or cottager may be driven from his home. And, mind you, it is not for "public use," as falsely claimed in the bill, but is for the benefit of contageous diseases and the preprivate corporations, for purely selfish purposes.

Notwithstanding the sublime generosity displayed in pro-viding that "It shall be the duty" of every such corporation to the Board of Health adjourned. be "reasonable" in their charges, the bill should be

lishing a line that would give their readers a hint of the reas-on why the townships object to being town for the constant. lishing a line that would give their readers a hint of the reason why the townships object to being taxed for the construction of a bridge at North Park. The Leder believes that there are enough honest, justice-loving people in the city, if they knew the facts, to unite with the voters of the townships in preventing this outrage. Let every reader of this paper write to five fair-minded friends in Grand Rapids; let our friends of the Caledonia News and Cedar Springs Democraturge the same action: and we may stop the steal. Let us do our duty anyway; and if it leads to defeat, let us go down with colors flying. There will be one more cause for action in the divorce suit which the city threatens but does not want.

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THERE are good times in store for Lowell, if every citi-THERE are good times in store for Lowell, if every citizen will do his duty. One enterprising man with a woodworking industry and a trade practically established has his plans laid to locate here. Two good concerns already here are on the lookout for two more with fair prospects of success. Let the kickers and whiners take a back seat and shove enterprise and loyal citizenship to the front.

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## Our Country Cousins

Miss Ada L. Pottruff was in Grand tapids one day last week. Kittle M. Byrne spent Monday and Burt of Belding.

Will Flynn of Lowell visited at T. F. Doyle's Sunday. Frank Biggs and Emuel Stauffer

oined the Gleaners Saturday night. Effle Dennis is visiting her triend broken rib. Mrs. Rosie Costello is dangerously

Frank Costello is working for Jno.

inday with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Chas. Francisco of Lowell. Lawrence Doren is working for Michael Downes.

P. W. Byrne and wife spent Sunday

DeWitt Stanton and Minnie Steke- Grand Rapids last week. tee of Grand Rapids took dinner with Mrs. B. Wilkinson Wednesday.

has not missed a trip.

Mr. Haughout is very sick. Manton Wakinson, wife and son, om Hubbardston, have come home

Deen visiting in this vicinity.

Deusen visited his sister, Mrs. Geo. tives at Grand Rapids last week.

Kellogg, of Grattan Sunday.

Mrs. John Pattison of Grand Rapids last week. from Hubbardston, have come home antined because of scarlet fever.

George Lucas has bought his father's farm, north-west of the church, known as the Clem Lucas farm. Herbert Brown is ill; but is report-

Sarah Williamson went home

visit her parents Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hunter of Sar- A new arc light has been placed in anac gave a very elaborate birthday the Alto church and will let a little Sunday. His sister did not forget the Madjalene Thoms was the guest shingle. It cameso near after dinner er and mother, B. F. Wilkinson and wife, Robert Sparks and family, Geo. Golds and family, Manton Wilkinson each Sunday.

Miss Bush and Mrs. Bancroft are playing very acceptably for the choir each Sunday.

Married at the U. B. parsonage, in Freeport Wednesday, March 25, Mr. Ozi Clemens to Miss Matilda Miller, each Sunday.

B. Wilkinson has purchased a and has accepted a position with a White Cloud Thursday on their Mrs. Anelade Morse of Grand Rapbeautiful Canadian French stallion. Grand Rapids millinery firm. Please do not forget the ladies dinner election day at the hall. Mrs. Wallace Davenport is ill.

Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson will start in the Alto church next Sunday even- have moved back to Logan. Tuesday for Mt. Clemens to take ing. more baths. Her husband will go Regular covenant and business ed in attendance at the lawsuit of J. ed at Snow church last Sunday on

to the stormy evening. Mr. Raimer p. m. will move his family to the Tom Gardner farm this week PRATT LAKE.

Messrs. W. B. Thomas and S. Osborn of Freeport and Miss Minnie | Those on the sick list are improv-Thomas of Bowne Center attended

her sister, Mrs. Harley Church of church. Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Grattan Mrs. Levi Fletcher spent her fiftieth were guests of friends in this vicinity birthday March 21, at her sister's, last week Tuesday.

Miss Ida Hatch of Lamont is visit- week's vacation. Mrs. Kate Milliman is under the winter term of school March 13 in the curing indigestion,

doctor's care at Lowell.

Hi. Fletcher of Ada and George
Fletcher of Grand Rapids, spent Saturday and Sunday at F. L. Harker's.

Aldrich district.

Prof. Siebert will visit friends in Grand Rapids and attend the teacher of Grand Rapids and attend the teacher er examination this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Taylor.

new house this week. Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Anna M. L. Chase and family and Austin Chase and family attended the china home from Grand Rapids. wedding of their daughter and sister

GRATTAN CENTER.

last-week looking for his Kittle. All are invited to come and have a under the instructions of Professor Miss Blosser will remain at John

week trying to buy a span of horses. last week and Mrs. W. was a guest day. visiting their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ronan and two sons, of Mrs. Fox of Grand Rapids. Morris and Edwin of Grand Rapids, Ray Howard, who has been sick school Sunday.

Grattan Grange met in regular week. session March 19, with about fitty Republican caucus convened at the Don Culver has the contract for nembers in attendance. Reading town hall, Saturday March 21, and building Chris. Kropf's house. Ralph Miss Margaret Driscoll and Mrs. and speaking and music by the choir the following candidates were nom- Ford and Wm. Lally, Sr., will assist Mattle Howard called on Mrs. Owen for the good of the order, and danc- inated: Supervisor, Willis Young; him. ing for the young people, furnished Clerk, Geo. M. Hartwell; Treasurer,

with their daughter, Mrs. P. J. Mrs. John Rogers is on the sick S. Baker; Highway Commissioner, Jesse B. Armstrong; Board of Review, Will Barkley and wife went to Wilbur Moffitt; School Inspector, The south end of the Ring saw Jno. F. Bookey.

VERGENNES.

Hon. A. W. Weekes of Lowell visit-

Norman Ford is ill.

Milton Youder raised his barn Sa

to accommodate passengers.

music in this vicinity.

Mrs. Parmer of Irving is teaching

Henry Bleam and family of Irving

Will Whitney and family of Irving

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are visiting his brother, Filman,

morning who beats our mail carrier,
Mr. Dawson. He has gone this winter and spring through snow drifts and mud up to the hubs and has not missed a trip.

should have read: "Conducted by her pastor, Rev. Manning, assisted at Dell Krum's one day last week."

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Terwilliger and doctor, to have something done to his eyes, as he was unable to see.

Mr. Garfield shipped 705 pounds of at Dell Krum's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Terwilliger and his eyes, as he was unable to see.

Mr. Garfield shipped 705 pounds of flour recently to Whitneyville. The notice of Emma Clark's funeral | J. H. Ward has three sick horses.

Freda Miller of Grand Rapids has ed at M. L. Balley's Sunday.

to his father's, B. Wilkinsen, to help Lee Osborne has assumed charge is at the home of her parents, J. J. here recently. of the South Lowell school, going Crakes, on account of ill health. out and in on his wheel daily. Mr. Vanderlip has purchased a new Mrs. Hennessy this week.

wagon for his meat route and will to an addition to the works and will make other improvements soon.

A new are light has been placed in

sunshine into the evening service. of Ruth Oberly in Grand Rapids last

D. leves of Alto will speak on the wedding trip. topic "Cleanliness next to Godliness" Rev. Bennett of Freeport called on Mrs. O. Reynolds last week. or Sanitary precautions in the Spring Normon Ford Monday. as a help to Religion and Morality" Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leman of Belding Whitneyville. The church and school

with her for a short stay.

The dance at Geo. Raimer's Tuesmembers, etc., will be held in the lay evening was well attended owing.

Also shows a Standard owing.

The stage from Freeport makes a layer ovening was well attended owing. day evening was well attended owing Alto church Saturday, April 3, at 2, trip morning and evening at Elmdale Friday evening was well attended

> CANNONSBURG. The Ladeis' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Fred Thomas Thurs-

the Ideal Entertainment at the Rev. Wesbrook of Vergennes ex-Mrs. P. D. Sneathen is entertaining Rev. C. J. Kruse, pastor of the M. E. are visiting at E. Heintzleman's this changed pulpits last Sunday with

> The high school has closed Miss Evah Cavanaugh closed her are always at work, night and day,

VERGENNES STATION. Miss Doyle will spend her vacation A large turnout to Gleaner mee ing at Moseley Saturday night. rdially invited to visit the school Frank Corrigan and family of

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ery afternoon, and listen to an in- Grattan visited his mother last week. Miss Belle Beckwith of South Ver-Dr. Wilson of Belding will locate gennes took tea with Mrs. J. D. Frost

The day was pleasantly spent at were the worst this Spring that was Mrs. Carroll of Kalkaska is visiting the home of Mrs. Wm. Miller, Tuestever known here. day. Quilting was the entertaining Mrs. Corrigan, Sr., and two daugh James Harker begins work on his feature and a very nice dinner was ters visited in Grand Rapids las

> Miss Inwood will spend a week The Glenners are still on the with friends at Mill Creek and Grand crease, two new members Saturday night and five more for April 4.

Mrs. Weatherby gave an eight The sale at Geo. McGee's Friday o'clock dinner to a company of six was largely attended. Claud Becker was in town one day Friday. Rev. Kruse and wife, Mrs. Johnnie Costello is Charles Hartwell and son Carl, Prof. Aunt Hannah Culver is in ver There will be a Gleaner social at C. J. F. Bookey and wife being present. poor health. She is with her nice J. Mason's Friday evening, March 27. Singing school is progressing finely Mrs. Z. H. Covert in Grand Rapids

Messrs. Heffron and Laughlin of E. Wheeler visited his daughter Mrs. Rose Ford and son of Lowel Parnell were in this vicinity last Mrs. Frank Lacey of Lamontville, were guests at Frank Keech's Sun

are visiting their cousin, Bennie with German measles, will take a Prayer meeting every Tuesday trip to Somner, Gratiot county, this after noon with Mrs. Chas. Wilson

amusement and instruction for all. Lyman Ray; Justice of Peace, John Don't forget the Moseley Gleaner

English a state of the state of Ella Streeter is improving. Ansil Fairchilds and Miss Ida Van- Mrs. W. H. Patterson visited re

Mrs. John Pattison of Grand Rap-Miss Edith Crakes of Grand Rapids | ids visited old neighbors and friends Lon Patterson is at work for

John Krum is buzzing wood for Walter Clark. McCords hall Friday evening. Frank Wood and Dan Wood or

> of Canada visited Wm. Patterson and family over Sunday. Mrs. McCords is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richmond of Grand Rapids. Our new agent, Mr. Booth, took charge of the depot Friday morning.

SEELEY CORNERS. Geo. Gregory lost a fine cow a few and family. The tables were spread her position as organist of the church her position as organi Mr. and Mrs. Ozi Clemens left for roof put on his house.

ids spent a few days with her sister, A case of small pox is reported at

A number from this place were call- Rev. Wigle of Grand Rapids preach-

Dr. Haskins of McCords was called bad roads. here to attend E. Hostetler, who is

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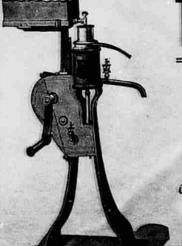
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Seven Wires.

Buchanan, March 23.-William Hul-

CHAPTER I.-The sensat

CHAPTER VII.—Miss Helen Carmod Carmody. "I have found some beau-"We must be fair in this matter."

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roast beef, and enough bread to last and we need the money," said Mr. monkey would not choke to death. steamer chair and enjoyed two hours could ery for joy!" n week or more. They placed in the Kent. "I am afraid those grinning "This beats climbing trees, doesn't of untroubled slumber. He awoke "This is no time to cry," said the storeroom of "The Jumping Jupiter" | idols will hoodoo us as it is. I move it?" a store of canned meats and vegeta- that we leave them behind, Mr. Presi- Mr. Carmody and the others made his nap. bles, huge bunches of bananas, paw- dent. The best we can get is a law an examination of the hull of the Twice during the night Sidney can you be ready?" paws and other tropical luxuries. | shit." Everything which would hold water | "I will pay the rate! I will pay | was pressed into service. Several it!" exclaimed Mr. Pence. "I was casks of fresh water were placed in only joking." of food, in case a storm should wash
the coldin overboard. In that event the cabin overboard. In that event it was proposed that all should seek and witnessed," said Mr. Rockwell. shelter below and trust to luck and Vincent signed it. Early the followa sandy beach. The new dinghy was lashed to the roof of the cabin.

There was one thought which dis-

turbed the prospective voyagers, though none mentioned it. Where southwest breeze. Never had the iswas Hestor and the "Shark," and would be interfere with their departset for the departure of the casture? Had he observed their preparations for escape? They could not denizens of the tropical forests had hope to make any effective fight surmised their plans, and had gathagainst recapture, but every man swore to himself to resist such an noisy chorus. Their brilliant plumoutrage to the last extremity. That Monday night Sidney and Mr. Kent age glistened in iridescent hues dimbed the cliffs and searand the climbed the cliffs and scanned the sea. There was no ship or craft in logs watched the preparations with sight, but for all they knew the "Shark" might be anchored behind the cliffs which jetted out from the

limited their range of vision north and south. At a conference it was decided toput out to sea about 11 o'clock the following forenoon, unless the wind and weather absolutely precluded such a risk. At this hour the tide was favorable, since it swung with a to stand off all the idols." strong current to the north. They aimed to circle the island to the north and head straight for the mainland; which in their opinion was not

more than 150 miles to the west or southwest.

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intently along the shore for some "By the way," said Sidney, "have passenger.

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"Where is the gateway?" asked Mr. Carmody, who had been looking intently along the shore for some ticle had been overlooked. The winter it cannot see it."

has been a pleasant vacation, but an to the bay from a score of ragged expensive one for me."

common store of provisions and other necessities. What are we going to do about it?"

Mr. Kent winked solemnly at Mr. armody.

"I have the solemnly at Mr. Six of the men stood at the long o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent appropriate to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent appropriate to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent appropriate to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent appropriate to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent appropriate to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr.

titul marble, and would like to take back some of those carvings from the ruined temple. It certainly is that there was a heavy swell rolling that there was a heavy swell rolling that there was a heavy swell rolling tiller in position and all proceeded to in. He stood by the tiller and issued enjoy the repast. A haze was steal-

ing Jupiter' for their private gain." your oars and row as hard as you Jupiter" had been making four or Miss Carmody ordered the steam ing Jupiter' for their private gain."

That is right," said Mr. Morton.

Sidney Hamriend of Hestor, tetranger to orbe

Think that 25 per cent. is too low a rate. It should be at least 33 1-3 per

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Jupiter' had been making four or five miles an hour, but the breeze, as it came heavy with perfume from the shore died down until it was barely strong enough to straighten out the strai

served as a rudder and a crude windlass supported the rock anchor. But
what "The Jumping Jupiter" lacked
in beauty she made up in staunchness and utility. There was no
chance for her to flounder.

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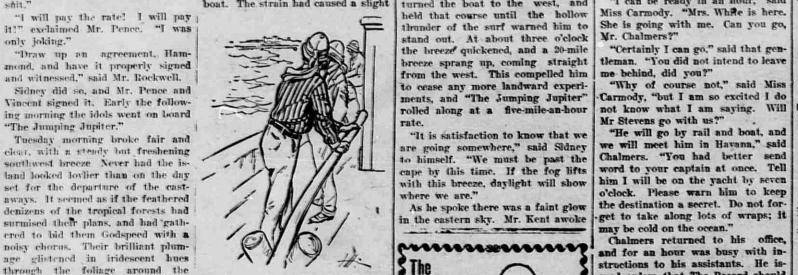
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boat. The strain had caused a slight | turned the boat to the west, and "I can be ready in an hour," said



where we are."

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bangalow. The chattering bander- "I DO NOT UNDERSTAND IT," SAID curious interest. One very bold leak in the third compartment, but

monkey ventured so near that Vin- they had no difficulty in stopping it. Chemistry opposite horns of the crescent which cent, by a sudden rush, covered him The kitchen was somewhat disarwith a large wicker basket. After ranged and a number of dishes with a large wicker basket. After ranged and a number of disness much maneuvering he succeeded in champing a chain over his neck and triumphantly led him captive to the deck of "The Jumping Jupiter."

"Here is our mascot!" he ex- of the builders. claimed, as he fastened the chain to For half an hour Sidney held his the windlass. "He is ugly enough course straight out to sea. Then he headed to the north. The big lateen

The monkey made a dash for Vin- sails were pulling splendidly, and cent's leg, but missed it by an inch. though the craft responded slowly sincent named him "Socks," on ac- to the tiller, there was no trouble

on and vincent put your order of the Jumping Jupiter'?"

ticle had been overlooked. The wintime. "I cannot see it."

"I have made a special compartdows were closed and barred and the
"I can see it," replied Sidney, "but
name and your order-we will see that you are
keys deposited in the box under the
I would never suspect it was an inThe Convince Made only by ment for them in my stateroom," keys deposited in the box under the said Mr. Pence, "We will put them tree where Hestor had found them. It would never suspect it was an insecond to morrow morning."

The big triangular sails were raised, From any point at sea the rocks look

FRANKLIN MILLS CO., "So the good ship Jumping Jupi-ter is to be a treasure ship, is he?" Jupiter" slowly crawled away from is just south of our flagstaff. Do

with a yawn. "We're off!" said Mr. Kent. "Good-by, Social Island! I have had a mighty good time; even if we were kidnapped."

you see it now?

It was as Sidney said. The coast was so formed that no inlet showed.

Half a mile from shore there was "Where are we at?" he asked. Sidney shook his head. "We are headed north," he said. CHAPTER XXIII.

"So have I," said Mr. Morton. "It

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The monkey made frantic tugs at his chain, and set up a yell, which was responded to by hundreds of his hardwards of was responded to by hundreds of his brethren on shore.

"Keep quiet, you fool!" said Mr. Kent. "You will not be lonesome or homesick. You are going to New Jumping Jumiler" In my origin.

Was responded to by hundreds of his brethren on shore.

"Keep quiet, you fool!" said Mr. boundary of the island, but as they homesick was due at the Azores not later than May 12th, but no word came from homesick. You are going to New York." Jumping Japiter's In my opinion, we all own an equal share. Now, this gold shipment is purely a business proposition. The Jumping Jupiter' later in the day he be-

gold shipment is purely a business proposition. The Jumping Jupiter exhausted. Later in the day be became calmer, and seemed to be resigned solely as a passenger boat. Any one could tell that by looking at him. It is a great risk to ship 1,500 pounds of gold. We should charge heavy freight. I should say that we should be justified in soft the value of the cargo as freight. If Pence and Vincent can use our boat to carry a lot of heathenish idols, I want to carry an equal was confident that "me" would be has found. Each of us is entitled to at least 750 pounds of freight. The Jumping Jupiter cannot hold any such burden in addition to our common store of provisions and other necessities. What are we go of the successities. What are we go of the successities. What are we go of the successities we have the day be became calmer, and seemed to be resigned to his fate.

It is a great risk to ship 1,500 pounds of gold. We should charge heavy freight. I should say that we should be justified in position and promised to discharge the duties to the best of his ability. He admitted an unfamiliarity with craft of "The Jumping Jupiter" class, but was confident that "he" would prove seaworthy. Once away from sale and breeze, and swept out to at least 750 pounds of freight. The Jumping Jupiter cannot hold any such burden in addition to our common store of provisions and other necessities. What are we go

THE RESCUE.

sweeps. A critical moment was approaching. They were headed an awning over the afterdeck and set was plain that Mr. Van Horne had straight for the surf. Sidney saw a table beneath it. Sidney lashed the no hesitancy in sharing his managthe ruined temple. It certainly is not fair to let two men monopolize the carrying capacity of The Jump.

"When I give the word bend to ing out. For a time "The Jumping the disclosure."

end. There was a sound of breaking is only a little northwest of here, room with the cablegram. "The Jumping Jupiter' has an about falls to heed the signal of distress within a signa

call it a 'he.' It is a wonderful boat. It is also a submarine boat, isn't it. Vincent?"

"It started out that way," said Vincent, with a grin. "I hope he won't repeat that performance."

During the evening they placed such furniture and bedding on board as was needed. For two days Vincent and Mr. Pence had been cooking in preparation for the voyage. They had provided huge joints of rost beef, and enough bread to last a work of numer, "They had provided huge joints of rost beef, and enough bread to last a week of numer."

Chambers is such a submarine boat is made."

Jupiter" was not to be stopped. In a few seconds they were past the dam ger line and out in deep water, where the sweek soulded in regular lines broken only by ripples caused by the breeze. The oars were taken in and fastened to their places.

A cheer went up when they saw that immediate danger was past. Vincent went to the rescue of such furniture and bedding on board as was needed. For two days Vincent, with a grin. "It is an outrageous rate, and I will never pay it!" said Mr. Pence. "Wy do you fix such an unheard of rate!"

"The Jumping Jupiter' is a trust, and we need the money," said Mr.

chambers is abank of orange clouds. At ten get in a bank of orange clouds. At ten get in a bank of orange clouds. At ten of coache the wind uctu away to a dam the sun sank, a huge end ball of fire in a bank of orange clouds. At ten of coache the sun sank, a huge and not had so well so led in regular lines. South cast and freshence, but the bare to cooke the wind uctu away to de danger the sun sank, a huge of ball of fire in a bank of orange clouds. At ten of coache, with a grin. "I sank and freshence, but the sun sank, a huge or ball of fire in a bank of orange clouds. At ten well to the sun sank, a huge and ball of fire in a bank of orange clouds. At ten way to the south cast and freshence, but the sun sank, a huge and sank of orange clouds. At ten well to the sun sank, a huge and sout has danned and presence, but had bank of orange clouds. At ten wells to be

and relieved Mr. Kent, who then took practical Mr. Chalmers. "We must start for Havana at once. How soon

held that course until the hollow Miss Carmody. "Mrs. White is here, thrunder of the surf warned him to She is going with me. Can you go,

are going somewhere," said Sidney we will meet him in Havana," said to himself. "We must be past the Chalmers. "You had better send cape by this time. If the fog lifts word to your captain at once. Tell with this breeze, daylight will show him I will be on the yacht by seven o'clock. Please warn him to keep As he spoke there was a faint glow the destination a secret. Do not forin the eastern sky. Mr. Kent awoke | get to take along lots of wraps; it may be cold on the ocean."

Chalmers returned to his office, and for an hour was busy with instructions to his assistants. He issued orders that The Record should give no hints of pending developments, and selected a special cipher IT'S DANGEROUS to cover new possibilities. He then proceeded to the pier and boarded the yacht. Miss Carmody and Mrs. Isabel White had arrived, and the latter was in a flutter of excitement. The yacht swung on her keel and headed down the East River and out into the bay. Before twilight had faded, the "Helen Carmody" was well out to sea and making for Havana with a "bone in her teeth."

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Death Colds Lowell Laundry. CLARK BROS.

Mortgages and Land Contracts

[Special Correspondence.]
Lansing, March. 23.—Ex-Senator H.

order houses for Men's and Ex-Senator Earle Has a Proposition in the Interest of Good

from Taxation.

highway 32 feet wide.

The senate passed the Kelly bill, pro-

Wouldn't it be more satisfactory to come to Grand WANTS AN APPROPRIATION OF \$10,000. Rapids and look through a large stock like ours. where you can see just of a Medical Bill-Senate Passes Measure to Exempt Real Estate what you are getting?

We hear that quite a few

residents of the smaller

towns are sending to mail-

Boys' Clothing.

We have seen three or four suits that came from Chicago mail-order firms and can canndidly say that we can do better for the same money-while the material seems to be all right, the make-up and tailoring of the mail-order suit is very much "slopshop" and we should like to show you what values we can give.

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BAR OF GOLD GONE.

Detroit, March 23.—A bar of gold valued at \$23,500 disappeared from the express car of Wabash train No. 4, which arrived at the Union station from the west at eight o'clock and left for Buffalo at midnight Wednesday. The property was in charge of the Pacific Express company, and it is said was consigned to Buffalo. Just as soon as the messenger missed the gold he notified the local express agent of the company, who in turn asked the police to assist in the

agent of the company, who in turn asked the police to assist in the search for the missing treasure. There were four bars of gold in the shipment. The incoming messenger is positive he unloaded all four of them and wheeled the truck into the company's office here. When the midnight train, on which express matter is sent east, was ready, but three bars were found on the truck. Capt. McDonnell is of the opinion the bar was stolen from the company's office by some one who had followed it a long distance. The Pacific & Dominion Express company has issued a circular offering a reward of \$2,000 for the recovery a reward of \$2,000 for the re

of the bar of gold. The reward is made conditional upon the arrest and conviction of the thieves.

practice medicine, and while they be not condemn the provision as one from which no benefit can come, they be lieve such a provision should not be Wabash train while on his way from the provision should not be lieve such a provision should not be lieve such as Washington, D. C., March 23.—Rural dents are graduated.

carriers, post offices at Brady and Easton to be discontinued; Flat Rock, Wayne county, one carrier, No. 2; Oakley, Saginaw county, one carrier; about a year from this time, owing to Oxford, Oakland county, one carrier; about a year from this time, owing to Oxford, Oakland county, one carrier. the great amount of preparation nec-

children to school in large districts,

Battle Creek, March 23 .- Within the | the legislation urged by Superintendpast week there have been in circulation in Battle Creek rumors to the effect that certain of ten lesser wheat food companies contemplated joining issues, forming thereby a sort of pure food trust. No one likely to be interested is inclined to discuss the mat- gained favor with the farmers, and sev-

Begin Spring Plowing.
Central Lake, March 23.—Owing to the unusually warm weather, farmers in this vicinity have begun their spring plowing—a gain in time over last year of about ten days. There have been no freshets in this part of the state, and the ground is in good shape for the cultivator.

To Build New Shops.

eral rural schools centralized on the graded basis are successfully conducted. In some northern communities pupils are already being transported at the expense of the district.

Approximately 40,000 names will appear in the records of the Michigan national guard, which are being compiled in the office of Adjutant General Brown, and which now, after three years of work are almost completed. Speaking of this work in his biennial

To Build New Shops.

Saginaw, March 23.—It is learned on excellent authority that the new management of the Pere Marquette road has virtually decided to double the capacity of the company's shops and that the new shops will be built officials of the various state boards. and a complete military history of the service rendered by every member

of the state guard." A. f. Miller recently weighed a small ant and a dead grasshopper which it ment is determined to still further was dragging to its nest. The weight of the grasshopper was found to be toutine companies seeking to do business greater than that of the ant. The force exerted by the ant in dragging the grasshopper along the road was therefore proportionately equal to that of a man weighing 150 pounds pulling a load of 4½ tons, or a horse of 1,200 pounds a load of

"Young man," said the pompous individual, "I did not always have this carriage. When I first started in life I had to walk."

"You were lucky," chuckled the youth. "When I first started in life I couldn't walk."—Chicago Daily News.

Sistature a bill prohibiting such companies as propose to retire their certificates on the numerical order plan.

The state affairs committee of the senate reported, favorably a bill appropriating \$125,000 for Michigan's representation at the world's fair at St. Louis. The bill stipulates that \$50,000 shall be expended for the

building and furnishings, and the remainder for an exhibit. The joint resolution introduced by Senator Kelly, in accordance with the recommendations of Gov. Bliss in his message, authorizing the board of state auditors to dispose of the old state block at Washington ave- bett, of this place, claims the record papers is sure to know of the wond

nue and Allegan street, and part of in the matter of contracting marthe state's vacant property in the city, was passed by the senate.

Senator Brown has started a fight against Gov. Bliss' plan to have a separate some for epileptics established at Saginaw. Brown comes from Lapeer, where the present home for feeble minded and epileptics is located, and he contends that the proper thing to do is to enlarge his home institution.

JASON.

DELEGATES NAMED.

In the matter of contracting mariages, and up to this time there has been found none to contest the claim. Hulbett has been married seven times and he is not yet 50 years old. He got four wives out of two families, having married two sisters in the Madnon family and two in the Murphy family. Death claimed three of Hulbett's wives; the others were divorced. He is a stone mason and works at his trade in this city. The Buchanan and Berrien county market had been exhausted, and the veteran was obliged to seek other matrimonial fields. He advertised in a New York paper for a divertised in a New York paper for a divertised in a New York paper for a commended for everything but if you have kidthe state's vacant property in the riages, and up to this time there has

S. Earle, of Detroit, pioneer of the good roads movement, has prepared the bill, the title of which was introduced some Michigan at Good Roads Con-

tingham. The bill provides that the international good roads convention, Winnebago was launched here by the been made by which all readers of this paper expenditure is to be made under the to be held in St. Louis, April 27, 28 Columbia Shipbuilding company. She who have not already tried it, may have auspices of the state board of agricul- and 29, as follows: First congression- was built for the Iroquois Transauspices of the state board of agriculture, and, although the place where the road is to be built is not mentioned, it is not expected that the board could it is not it is not expected that the board could find a better field for such an improvement than the road between the city and Agricultural college. There is one requirement made of the locality where the road is to be constructed, where the road is to be constructed, that it shall pay half the cost of the road. If the road is built here, it would enberry. Bay City; Eleventh, A. E. be principally for the purpose of giving the coming farmers a knowledge Nadeau, Nadeau, At large—Dr. E. B. of how good roads can be made. Sen- Smith, Detroit; Fred Slocum, Caro; ator Earle also had in mind giving students of the College of Mines such instructions. The bill contemplates a such instructions. The bill contemplates a such instructions. stone road, 16 feet in width, but with Beach, Lyons; R. L. Stanton, Grosse point. Then suddenly he made a disgravel "shoulders" on each side, eight Isle; Charles B. Judd, Grand Rap- covery. feet in width, making the prepared ids; Frank L. Dunning, Menominee.

COL. BALDWIN DEAD. viding for the exemption of real estate Disease Contracted in the Philip-

a reward of \$2,000 for the recovery practice medicine, and while they do sician, who has been a member of the

enforced until after the present stu- Chicago to Detroit. Dr. Jenks was returning from Mexico with his daughfree delivery to be established May 1: Attorney General Blair says that the ter. Last Saturday he took cold and Battle Creek, three carriers, Nos. 4, 5, 6; Chesaning, Saginaw county, three railway sues the state for \$6,000,000 daughter's remonstrances he insisted

The Chandler Club Banquet. Three Lines Purchased.

Detroit, March 23.—F. W. Stevens, of this city, general counsel for the Pere Marquette, has purchased three short railway lines in the southwestshort railway lines in the southwestern part of the state, the South Haven the company's business the past year. & Eastern, Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus and Benton Harbor, Colima & Pawpaw. The Pere Marquette will begin operating them April 1. by taxation for the transportation of prominence will be here.

eral rural schools centralized on the

Mrs. Fred Unrath, President Country Club, Benton Harbor, Mich. "After my first baby was born I did not seem to regain my strength although the doctor gave me a tonic which he consid-ered very superior, but instead of getting better I grew weaker every day. My hus-band insisted that I take Wine of Cardui for a week and see what it would do for me. I did take the medicine and was very grateful to find my strength and health slowly returning. In two weeks I was out of bed and in a month I was able to take up my usual duties. I am very enthusi-astic in its praise."

Wine of Cardui reinforces the organs wine of Cardai reinforces in degrada of generation for the orderi of pregnancy and childbirth. It prevent miscarriage. No woman who takes Wine of Cardai need fear the coming of her child. If Mrs. Unrath had taken Wine of Cardai before her baby came she would not have been weakened a she was. Her rapid recovery should commend this great remedy to every expectant mother. Wine of Cardui regulates the menstrual flow.

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play her trump card. "I have also." Dr. Porter's Cough Syrup Cures all CHRONIC COUGHS.

Within 30 minutes the engagement was announced .- Tit-Bits. Provided For. Her Father-You should think twice

before you take my daughter from my Her Suitor-Oh, she won't miss it; we are going to live on the top floor .- N

She felt that the time had come t

eyes, dear," he said.

Joe-Yes, I consider her far and away the prettiest girl I have seen. keeps you at a distance.-Philadelphia

"Well, Chesty may be conceited, but you must admit that he represents a "He surely does: a capital L"-Cin

Dorothy-Six luncheons in one week! Isabel-Yes, indeed! But I hadn't

No Place for It. "I have here a work which should be in every home." "We don't need it here. This is a

harding house."-N. Y. Journal. Church-He's an awfully close fel-Gotham-Do you really think so? "Certainly I do; why, even when he

s musically inclined he only hums to himself." "Well. I think that shows he is kind to his friends."-Yonkers Statesman. Dumb Ones.

Silas Hayseed, at city hotel-Mandy. look 'thet 'ere sign, "Ring twicet fer hot warter!' Mandy Hayseed-Well, what on it Silas-Don't them durn fools down

stairs know when yer ring fer it once!

thet yer want it?-Harvard Lampoon Patience Rewarded. Smith-I hear Short, the coal man. has come into a large fortune. Jones-Well, he's entitled to it. Smith-Oh, he is, eh? Jones-Yes. He's been lying it weight for it a good many years.-Chicago Daily News.

"Our minister is a wonder. Ever time he preaches he quotes from parts of the Bible in his sermon." "Nothing wonderful about that. Our minister preaches sermon after serm without taking even a text from the Bible."-Brooklyn Life. Probably Not.

fused him consent to marry me. he get on his hands and knees p.ead? trate Father-How do I know? couldn't see where he lit .- Pennsy vania Punch Bowl. "What did she say when she disco

ered her husband had eleped with th

cock?"

Miss Loved-Father, when you

"She said she didn't mind; that sh had intended to discharge the cook Christian Science. Bertwhistle-I thought you Chr

tian Scientists never aled, yet I see yo are laying out a cemetery. Christian Scientist-Oh, that is an for our members who think they a dead!"-N. Y. Times. Positively Provoking.

"Her marriage was a great disap pointment to her friends." "Indeed?"

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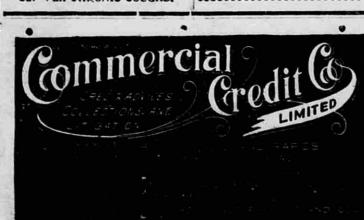
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would turn out unhappily and

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## A. W. WEEKES.

## Heard About Town

Township election April 6.

Best-on-earth boys' shoes, \$2.00, at Godfreys'.

John Headworth spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Abe Keifer is very ill at her

Vote against the bridge steal. Get out every vote. Al. Hoffman is home from Muske-

gon, visiting his parents. Misses Leona and Ida Blakeslee are

visiting in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Flanagan were in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. Noble and Celia are spending the week in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Margaret McMahon spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

A. W. Burnett and Dr. Johnson, of Saranac were in town Sunday.

Miss Eloise Towle, who has been very ill, is somewhat improved.

For good furniture and carpets cheap, just stop at H. W. Hakes'. Arthur Avery spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Grand Rapids.

Rollen Mack entertained his brother Ed. of Lansing a few days last week. F. D. Rommell of Sturgis, is visit-ing his brother, and other friends

Rollen Mack visited with the family of H. C, Pettit in Grand Rapids Sun-

It will pay you to see the new fashionable furniture at the new store.

H. W. Hakes.

Ed. Walker returned from Ann Arbor last week and reports his wife

as doing nicely. Mrs. Wm. Delaney visited relatives and friends in Grand Rapids, and

Grandville last week. Mrs. John Knee and daughter, Gale of Coral were called here by the serious illness of her mother.

Vergennes Democrat caucus called at Watters school house Saturday, March 28, at one o'clock, p. m.

Will Taylor and mother of Grand Rapids were in town to attend the funeral of her father, S. Waite.

Roy Whedon has rented a portion of Mrs. Ryder's house on Monroe street, and will move in about April

Miss Ola M. Johnson has been spending a week with the family of her uncle, Major E. H. Browne, in Detroit.

Mrs. David English returned Saturday to Clarksville after a month's visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. A. L. Peck.

Mrs. M. A. Parmlee of Grand Rapids and F. E. Gould, Jr., of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson.

Moseley Arbor No. 409 will give a Gleaner dance at Moseley Hall, Tues-day evening, April 14. Bill \$1.00, including supper and care of horses. 3w

B. F. Proctor, who has lived in South Boston for the past three years, returned Thursday to Pewamo his former home, where he will care for a sick man.

Rev. J. H. Wesbrook and daughter Ethel were in Grand Rapids Tuesday and Wednesday attending the missionary convention.

John Flynn and family have moved to the vicinity of the new light and power plant, where they will board the men working on the construc-

H. A. Peckham has returned from a two weeks' trip in the interests of the Lowell Cutter company. He saw the Father of Waters, while

A steady movement of good, paying subscribers in The Ledger's direction is on all the time-no boom; but a steady, constant growth. Our advertisers are getting their money's

Unclaimed letters at Lowell post-office for Lewis Maynard, A. J. Murry, Mr. Cowens, Miss Edith Headley, Miss C. A. Zlaer, and Mrs. Ben Ester-

S. S. Courtright, under whose efficient formanship, the Journal was much improved mechanically, has severed his connection with that paper, and Tom Whitehouse is again in charge of the press and composing

Remember the bridge. Register Saturday, April 4.

Mrs. E. M. Blaisdell spent Sunday in Marshall.

Best-on-earth work shoes at God-freys.' Price \$2.50.

Born, March 23, a son to Mr. and Saturday till Monday.

Wm. Perrin is recovering from an illness of several days.

Mrs. L. P. Hodges is spending a few days in Grand Rapids. Buckskin rubber boots are the

best-sold only by Godfreys.

Mrs. F. R. Ecker was in Grand Rapids Monday on business.

Mrs. Marion Benson of Catawosa Penn., is visiting Mrs. B. J. Peck. Read the opening announcement of A. E. Sturgis, the new druggist.

The family of K. Fletcher are all improving from illness with grippe. Miss Libbie Lawrence is visiting at Mr. Tallent's in South Boston this

week. Mrs. Earl Speaker returned Tues-day from a two week's visit in Grand

Mrs. A. F. Hinchey returned Thursday after a few week's visit in Grand

FOR SALE—A washing machine, child's bed and a hanging lamp. Inquire at this office. Mrs. Collingwood of Grand Rapids is visiting her cousin, Mrs. William Burnett for a few days.

Chas. Althen the old reliable Clothier, has a talk on spring suits and overcoats in this issue.

for about a week, has gone to Lan

Mrs. Hettie Morgan, and Mrs. J. D Kelley and daughter, Marguerite, went to the sanitarium at St. Louis

Mrs. Lois Eggleston returned last Thursday from a trip to Toledo, where she had been buying goods for her store. Earl Hunter has purchased the Eugene Cambell wood and coal busi-

Read his announcement in

Anybody wishing good cow pasture right in the village at reasonable price can get it by speaking early to H. W. Hakes. James Kreiss, of Grand Rapids, is assisting at Weyrick's market this week, while A. L. is doing some need-

ed work at the house Dr. McQueen and family will soon move into the apartments in the

Graham block, preparatory to build-ing a residence this spring.

M. Murphy appeared before Justice Hicks this morning and pleaded guilty to a charge of disorderly con-duct. Fined \$15, including costs. jimmycane and snow storm

March 24. All sorts of wind and two inches of snow. How's that you Carolina, Louisiana and Pacific coast folks?

The Albert Williams Democratic club of Ionia will hold its fourth annual banquet April 2. Senator Stone of Missouri and Hon. Charles A. Towne are on the list of speakers.

Mrs. Moffit has vacated her house the ground floor will be divided with Mrs. Eggleston, who will occupy a portion with her millinery

business, moving in this week. Clark Bros. took 3,000 laundry lists from The Ledger job office this week, making 16,000 they have used since starting their business not quite a year ago. This represents a lot of hard work by the boys and they deserve all they get.

Louis Morse, of Yale and Ellis "Evil Eye Company," arrived in town Friday evening: He left the rest of the troop at Hamilton, Ont. He met with an accident recently and came home to recruit. His wife, who will finish up the season with the company, will soon come to Lowell, where they expect to locate. where they expect to locate.

W. B. Hoag, who is going to move West for the benefit of his son's health, paper, and Tom Whitehouse is again in charge of the press and composing room.

John D. Campbell, of Smyrna, one of our reliable old subscribers, who has been with us ever since The Lenger's year one, made us a call Tuesday; and two big shiners jingled in the editorial pocket when he went out.

Westfor the benefit of his son's health, will sell his personal property Friday, March 27, beginning at 9:30, a. m. The list, a very long one, includes 14 cows, farm implements and household furniture. Location 1½ miles northwest of Lowell. Terms, 6 per cent interest, with 2 per cent discount for cash. Free lunch at noon. One thousand bills were printed at this office.

Rain coats and pants at Godfrey's. Home made candies at Smith's. Mrs. Kelfer, who has been seriously

Henry Jones and family are living n Joe Jones' house.

Mrs. D. Kinyon was in Grand Rap-ds the first of the week.

Washington cake—a yellow fruit cake sold in 10c blocks. Smith's Bakery. FOR SALE-A desirable residence in this village. Good house and barn, modern improvements. Inquire of

Mrs. A. C. Auble of Cascade visited

Word from C. S. English states that the party arrived safely at Mon-travilla after a most enjoyable trip.

Fifteen friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Lloyd Jones one day last week and tied two comfortables for Mrs. Henry Jones.

The old store-house of the Lowell Cutter company at the Grand Trunk depot has been torn down and ma-sons have begun work on the new-storehouse, which will be located on north side of tracks just east of the station.

A good, smart boy of 9th grade ability will be given a first-class op-portunity to learn the printing busi-ness at this office. Rapid promotion and permanent employment for the right lad. No cigaret sucker need

N. P. Husted has examined the or-chard of Mr. Gardner in L. J. Post's neighborhood, and found the Oceana and Triumph peach trees full of live buds; but the Crawfords and Alber-tas were in bad shape.

Work on the Edison company's new dam is progressing nicely. The steel pumps are now in place and will be used in connection with coffer dams during construction. A large force of men and teams is at work, and the employment is expected to continue six months. Forgetting that his sprinting days

are over, Postmaster Quick started The best cow pasture in this vicinity reasonable. Enquire at the new furniturestore. H. W. Hakes.

Miss Ethel Farr of Chicago, who has been visiting Miss Donna Wisner for about a week, has gone to Lan-

Merritt Sayles owns the corn—he's mo weather prophet—picked out Tuesday, the dodgastedest day in March for his sale and though there was plenty of wind, Sayles couldn't make the sale sail. Got out some more bills by jing and will try it again Monday, March 30, at 1, p. m.

The Oddfellows of Ada w Easter dance at I. O. O. F.

## Lest You Forget . .

We Say it Now

There is only a short time left to take advantage of the exceedingly low prices our

Remova

Sale ..

is making. We have some big bargains left in Silverware and Jewelry. If you need anything in these lines or anticipate needing anything it will be

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All the reliable Patent Medicines advertised in this paper are sold by D. G. Look—the Lowell Drug and Book Man.

To the Electors of the Township of Lowell.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township of Lowell will be held at the office of said township clerk in said township on Saturday, the 4th day of April for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons as shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors in said township and who may apply for that purpose and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid the day and at the place aforesaid from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 25th day of March in the

vear 1903. F. N. White U. B. Williams C. G. Stone Inspectors

Election.

The Ladic Aid society will meet with Mrs. Clinton Snow April 2, at

David Gristwood returned to his home in Fenwick Tuesday after a three months' visit with his brother. Miss Ethel Rolf returned Monday from Grand Rapids, where she has been spending the week.

There will be anight cap and sugar social Tuesday evening March 31, at home of Chas. McIntyre.

Miss Hill, who spent the winter with her cousin, Mrs. Dell Kinyon, returned to her home at Hillsdale, Saturday. Miss Nellie Traverse is engaged in the family of Elder Cole of East Low-ell to assist in the household duties.

Elder Whittaker of the M. B. church is holding a series of meetings at the school house. C. Miller of Douglas is spending, a few days with friends and relatives

Clinton Thomas and wife spent Sunday with Arthur Green and wife.

Makes her eyes grow bright with fun, Makes months seem like weeks; That's what Bocky Mountain Tea

The Oddfellows of Ada will give an Easter dance at I. O. O. F. hall, Ada, Friday evening, April 17. Bill \$1.25 including supper.

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