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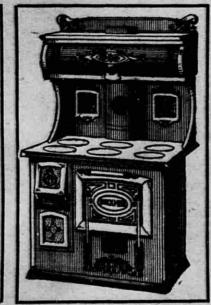
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YOUNG LIFE TAKEN.

ROY WHEDON, MAIL CAR-RIER ON ROUTE NO. 3

Passed Away Last Thursday Morsing After a Short Illuess.

Henry Le Roy Whedon, better known as Roy, died last Thursday morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whedon, in this

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whedon, in this village.
Funeral services were held briefly at the house and after at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, Rev. G. L. Sprague officiating. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Deceased was born in Lowell, May 23, 1875. He received public school education here. Some years of his life were spen; on a farm near the village.

In the year 1895 he received baptism into membership with the Baptist church of Lowell of which he remained a faithful member until his decease. He was active in the work of the B. Y. P. U., and Sunday school until lately when falling health prevented him.

During the past year he has been engaged as a mail carrier on one of the rural noutes. In this occupation he won the friendship of many because of his good nature and willingness to oblige any who required his services.

on last Christmas eve he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Gregory, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gregory of Cascade. They spent their brief married life in Lowell.

During the last few weeks before he was to the continue his work she.

The Clover Leaf club will meet. was too ill to continue his work she accompanied him on his round.

Deceased passed away peacefully, to his reward surrounded by his loved ones, after being confined to his bed a week.

His young wife, two sisters, Mrs. Lettie Teeple and Miss Anna, and father and mother are left to mourn their loss.

A large number of friends were present to sympathize with the sor-rowing relatives when he was buried beside his sister Grace in Oakwood cemetery.

FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW

CONCERNING the special election called for Tuesday next, it seems to called for Tuesday next, it seems to THE LEDGER there can be no doubt of the wisdom of disposing of the property in question, providing a right price can be obtained. It is not increasing in value, and any further holding will be at a risk of actual loss. Even if the money be simply turned into the general fund, it will be better than the present condition; while the proposition to use it to induce the locating here of a manufacturing and labor-employing manufacturing and labor-employing industry must commend itself to all progressive citizens. The prospect of securing such an institution as will appeal to the judgment of our people as one best suited to advance the business interests of Lowell is good; and while we are not at liberty to write more at length at this time, the matter may safely be left with our Council and President, who have the interests of the community constantly in view. By all means, vote to sell the woolen mill.

Johnson May Recover.

Wednesday morning Dr. Spencer of Grand Rapids was called in con-sultation with Drs. Eaton and McDannell of this place on the case of Earl Johnson, the man who was of Earl Johnson, the man who was shot about three weeks ago. Together the physicians removed about a quart of fluid from the pleural cavity and it is thought that he may recover. A trained nurse was secured from Grand Rapids Monday and he is having the best care possible.

A Narrow Escape.

Gottlieb Althaus, who lives about four miles west of town, had a narrow escape from from being killed last Friday. He was jerked from a hay rake by the horses being frightened, and in falling, his foot caught in the tines of the rake and he was dragged about forty rods before the horses were stopped. He suffered a dislocation of the knee and several cuts and bruises but nothing of a dangerous character. Gottlieb Althaus, who lives about

Ergest-Burgett

Leon Burnett and Miss Ida Ernest were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnes Monday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. Chas. Nease officiating. They left on the after-noon train for a visit at Lansing, after which they will be at home at 121 Hollister St., Grand Rapids.

Auction Sale.

A very valuable business corner, one door east of the State Bank, Lowell, Mich., known as Mrs. Hiler's millinery store will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday, Sept. 26. Some household goods and other articles. Sale to commence at 2 p. m.
MILO HILER, Prop.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks to to the many friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown us during our recent bereavement Fred Clark and family Mrs. E. Delk.

Freeman Winters, sexton of the cemetry in Lowell, has commenced suit for divorce against Mary Winters in the circuit court, charging her with cruelty. The complainant is 67 years old and has been married to his present wife three years.—[Grand Rapids Herald.

During the past year the Spartan society has made between \$160 and \$170.

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon Assurance" 2 Tim. 1:12.

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Evening worship at 7:90. Sermon,
"Cast Out." John 6:37. Music by
newly organized choir at each service.

B. Y. P. U., at 6. Topic, "Comfort
and Triumph." Malachi 4:2-3. These
meetings have been well attended and interesting lately. The young people extend a cordial invitation to everyone to attend their meetings in the church parlors every Sunday evening at 6.

Sunday school at 12. Work is well under way. Children not attending other Sunday schools are wanted. other Sunday schools are wanted. There is room in any of the following departments for more. Young People's class, J. B. Nicholson, teacher; Bible class, James Scott, teacher; Boys' class, Pastor, teacher; Girls' class, Miss Mary Bobinson, teacher; Young ladies class, Mrs. McCarty. The little ones will be cared for in the primary department. Mrs. Jas. the primary department, Mrs. Jas. Scott is superintendent and Miss Carrie Davidson, primary teacher.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. A. Frank Ferris of Grand Rapids will preach at the Gongregational church next Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will hold its annual business meeting next Wednesday afternoon,

The Clover Leaf club will mee with Mrs. McQueen Tuesday, Sept. 29. Respond to roll call with name and date of some noted discovery.

The Success Club will have their next party on Monday evening, Oct. 12. Any member wishing to withdraw will please notify Mrs. Chas. Doyle.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN.

Lamp sale Sept. 26 to Oct. 3 at Collar's bazaar.

Under-wear bargains for men and boys at Godfrey's.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Barber spent Sanday with relatives in Detroit Read the Liquid Air and Wireless Telegraphy advertisement in this

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson re turned this morning from a trip to the Upper Peninsula.

Postmaster Quick has been spending a week in Charlotte trying to dispose of his farm.

Gain Bangs has rented Wm. Pullen's store building and will start a grocery there Oct. 15. Mrs. Peter McDonald of Portland,

and other Lowell friends Mrs. C. A. Vandenbergh of Howard

City spent Sunday with her daughter, Miss Edith VanDenbergh.

little son of Casnovia spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Nease.

Miss Lena Gehan and Don Nugent were married at St. Patrick's church Parnell, Sept. 21 by Rev. Fr. Byrne. Mesdames C. R. Engel of Chicago and K. H Pursel of Caledonia spent

part of this week with Miss Florence Behl. * WANTED-Man with small family to work on farm. Call or address Mrs. Dwight Brooks, R. R. 3, or Citz.

Phone 230 Call and see the new line of clothing, furnishings and shoes at Godfrey's. Emphatically and absolutely the

lowest in price. B. L. Brayton of Lowell has been granted a vacation and himself and family came to Freeport last evening for a brief visit.—[Freeport Herald.

Billy Clark's Minstrels played to a full house at Train's opera house Monday night. They put up a good show and everybody was satisfied.

Mr. and Mrs. Abel M. Gibbs have moved from Vergennes and will oc-the north part of Mrs. Maggie Ryder's house. He will carry mail on R. R.,

Those who were at the League social Friday evening had a pleasant time. The old dresses afforded much amusement and the refreshments were very good.

Work has begun on W. H. Lovely's new ware house which is to be frost-poof and of 10,000 bushels capacity. It is expected to be ready for business

Miss Carrie Lukens of Three Rivers was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Quay of Lowell from Tuesday till Friday of last week. It has been ten years since they had seen each other.

While we pay special attention to our ready to wear suit department. Its our good fortune to represent the best custom tailoring house in the East. Better than the ordinary in make and fit yet below in price at Godfrey's.

Deputy County Clerk, Ralph E Mosher, yesterday issued the first deer licenses of the season, the applicants being Albert W. Hoffman and Henry Sargent of Lowell.—[Grand Rapids Herald, Sept., 22.

Smyrna claims to have the oldest postmaster in Michigan in point of continuous service in George Hopkins who was appointed in 1872 by pres-ident Grant and has been handing out letters ever since.

Lots of light for a little money, Collar's Bazaar.

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A Few Remarks The Blazed Trail Monsigny The Filigree Ball The Mettle of the Pasture

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The Road to Ridgebys Quincy Adams Sawyer Tom and Grizzell Blennerhasset Janice Meredith and many more.

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Scott & Winegar,

Lowell, Mich.

Miss Florence King returned this week to school in Detroit. Dr. H. O. Barnes is quite ill at the home of his father at Allegan.

Mrs. Chas. Nease and daughter Jessie are spending a few days at Lake Odessa.

'Tis always true in the use of paints that quality is remembered long after price is forgotten. Our Shaker Paint guarantee insures quality. For sale by

D. G.LOOK.

Worst Storm in Years Causes a Loss | Dunkley canning factory in this city of Millions in Property on the Atlantic Seaboard.

Three Score Persons Known to Have will be considerable. The bees arrived Lost Their Lives-President Roose- in droves. They swarmed in the winvelt and Party Have a Thrilling dows, through the doorways and into Experience on the Yacht Sylph on every nook and crevice in the building.

Girls in the paring and preserving dein the city or along the coast.

One of the notable features of the gale enforced. Their operations were cenwas the fact that for several hours the tered principally in the pickling departlife of President Roosevelt was in ex- ment this time, where they worked with cept the monument on behalf of the fedtreme danger. He was on board the great effect, stinging employes and eral government, was accorded an ovayacht Sylph with his wife and friends on his way from Oyster Bay to Ellis Island, and the Hitle naval craft, not built to withstand the furies of an ocean gale, was saved only by the superior seamanship of its commander and crew. by nightfall and did not put in an ap- tion accepted the gift. No other battle So furious was the storm that it sunk a pearance again, though momentarily ex- of the civil war, he said, lasting but one stanch ocean tug within sight of the president's yacht, but the little Sylph, although nearly capsized several times, rode out the gale and landed its passen- nor can their united raid be accounted over, in its ultimate effects the battle

Sargent that no country in the world | be partly responsible. cared for its prospective citizens as did the United States officials and employes on Ellis island. Incidentally he gave the terested himself in the case of an ex- now under way, the Grand Rapids fur- causes of union and of freedom, of nacluded woman, who will probably be admitted to this country as a result of the have organized the Grand Rapids Fur- were one and the same.

Damariscotta, Me., Sept. 18.-Four- tion are no discrimination between Edmunds, in command of Capt. Wil- and August. lard G. Poole, the owner, struck on

New York, Sept. 18.—The steamer sions. The law is intended to prevent bers of the crew of 22 of the British as sometimes occurs. Mexicano, which foundered off the Florida coast. Another member of the crew, Domingo Ballo ish steamship Roxby, after hanging to a piece of wreckage for several ical tents and as many camp stoves that

Chicago, Sept. 18 .- Harold C. Mills was

membership, is 1,329,956. The receipts in 1902 were \$11,553,905; expenditures, of Boyne, Mich., has filed a bill in the diately after the ceremonies.

Cast St. Louis, were fatally scalded Thursday by falling into a vat of boil- Flint, Sept. 21.—Frank Caro dropped

sippi River Improvement association. has issued a call for the second annual well-founded report got abroad among titled to three delegates -

Look Out for Them. Washington, Sept. 18.—Chief Wilkie, Kalamazoo, Sept. 16.—Rain has of the secert service, announces the dis-Mass., and the other is a five dollar note | into the thousands. on the Waltham National bank of Wal-

Slave Holders Free. Washington, Sept. 17.-President victed at Montgomery, Ala., of hold. the people of the state. ing negroes in peonage. The action was taken on recommendation of

democrats yesterday nominated Edwin Warfield, of Howard county, for gov- Galien, Sept. 21.—Cabbage is only oneernor, and the platform declares "that fourth of a crop in this, the largest cab-

INVADED BY BEES.

South Haven, Sept. 21.-Operations

were temporarily suspended in the big

thousands of "bumble" bees. The fac-

tory is running at its fullest capacity

ripening fruit and the cost of the delay

Employes were unsparingly stung,

Will Not Discriminate.

Searching for Tents.

tack Canning Factory at South Haven, and Cause Work to Cease.

for nearly two days by the invasion of tion of Monument on Battlefield of Antietam.

Erected by New Jersey Veterans- | houses along Front street.

trouble. In the morning they again the chief executive of the state which of farmers there suffering total crop put in an appearance and seemed re-

Address of President. President Roosevelt, as he arose to ac-

for. A large acreage of lowlands in the ! was of momentous and even decisive im-Inspects Ellis Island.

Vicinity recently cultivated for growing
The president visited Ellis island and celery and the large amount of fresh had retreated south of the Potomac, after inspecting the immigrant station he told Commissioner of Immigration radiating from the factory is believed to tion of emancipation; the paper which decided that the civil war, besides being a war for the preservation of the union Grand Rapids, Sept. 21.—Stirred to was a war for the emancipation of the baby of an alien immigrant \$5 and in-

niture Employers' association. The Duty of Present Generation cardinal principles of the new organiza-"It now rests with us in civil life," Damariscotta, Me., Sept. 18.—Four-teen men lost their lives in the vio-lent gale which raged off the coast during last night. The Gloucester during schooner George F. endurance of the soldiers whose triumph was crowned at Appomattox must be the eastern side of Pemaquid point Lansing, Sept. 21.-A new law which supplemented on our part by civic courand was smashed to piecea, 14 of the has just gone into effect provides that age, civic honesty, cool sanity and steadcrew of 16 men perishing in the notaries public shall hereafter append fast adherence to the immutable laws to all certificates on legal papers the of righteousness.

date of the expiration of their commis- Fight for Governmental Honesty. In closing, the president said the fight Vidar, from Caibarien, which arrived notaries from performing official duties for governmental honesty and efficiency last night, brought to port six mem after their commissions have expired, can be won only by the patience and resolution and power of endurance, such as displayed by the revolutionary and Lansing, Sept. 21.—Quartermaster General Kidd is having the railroad companies make a search for 150 conaugurated the system of free popula to a piece of wreckage for several hours, and taken to Norfolk, Va. All the rest were drowned.

Found Guilty of Bigamy.

Chiese Service of wreckage for several hours, and taken to Norfolk, Va. All were shipped from Washington September 5, and which are desired for the use of the Michigan National guard in Kentucky. The articles have not come to hand. days of Washington. The qualities es-

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Haroid C, Mills was found guilty of bigamy by a jury in Judge Brentano's court Thursday. His punishment was fixed at five years' imprison-the maximum penality under the law, the wise who were in court heard the verdict their faces shone with unmistakable joy. It was their moment of triumph.

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Menominee, Sept. 21.—A farm lodge of odd fellows began yesterday lodge of odd fellows began yesterday morning in this city. The total membership of the order, which includes the subordinate lodge membership and bear.

Bruin had entered the pasture, and a reception in the rain, snaking names with several hundred ex-soldiers. A drive over parts of the battlefield on account of the storm had to be abantondor, of the storm had to

circuit court here, asking that a received be appointed for the Nash Regulato company, of this city, which is repre-St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Moses Hart, Louis Brooke and Charles Ronk, employes of the Swift Packing company in compa Saturday of a magnificent monument Dropped Dead. to the memory of 1,200 deceased veter-

boiled when taken from the water, pleces of flesh came away with the clothing as it was removed.

To Meet in Davenport.
Quincy, Ill., Sept. 19.—Secretary and the leaves a sippi River Improvement association

Maryland Republics.

Benton Harbor, Sept. 21.—The ware-house of the Berrien Springs Canning command-ciation of the National Association.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The twelfth annual convention of the National Association of Postal Clerks adjourned Friday, after choosing Boston as the place for the next convention and electing the following officers: President, John A. Kidwell, Columbus, O.; secretary and treasurer, George A. Wood Portsmouth.

Baryland Republics.

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Benton Harbor, Sept. 21.—The ware-house of the Berrien Springs Canning coten, in which many Detroit and Soo men are interested, has been struck at fine 200-foot level, and quartz richer than anything on the surface is being taken out, with enough in sight to run a 50-stamp mill for many years.

Baryland Republics.

Baryla Detroit, Sept. 21.-An apparently

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 18.—The re San Antonio, Tex. convention of the association, which is a few coal men in Detroit that the Pere publicans in state convention yesterday nominated Stevenson A. Williams, to be held at Davenport, Iowa, on Octo-ber 21 and 22. Each river city and each commercial or trade organization is en-ous coal property in the Saginaw valident Roosevelt and favors his nomination in 1904. Damage to Celery Crop.

Nine Injured. covery of two new national bank stream has overflowed its banks onto passengers were injured shortly before owned another place in Topeka which counterfeits. One is a \$10 note on the the celery marshes. Loss to some four o'clock Friday afternoon at Craw-she would soon give away for a simi-commissioner Wildey will offer 36,309 People's National bank of Roxbury, growers will be complete and will reach fordsville Junction by the collision of lar purpose. Monon passenger train No. 6, Louisville to Chicago, and a Vandalia freight train. Doesn't Want Third Term.

Murderer Confesses.

Saginaw, Sept. 21.-Gov. Bliss em-Recommends Wireless System. Washington, Sept. 19.-Rear Adphatically declares that he is not a thirdtermer; that his only desire is to get miral Barker, commander in chief of sheriff here, took out a negro named Hel-Roosevelt has granted pardon to deorge D. and Barancas F. Cosby, con- himself and to the entire satisfaction of the North Atlantic fleet, has recommended the equipment of all the batwith wireless telegraph apparatus.

Durand, Sept. 21 .- It is stated that the Judge Jones, who sentenced the pris- Grand Trunk railway has paid the Walmers.

Maryland Democrats.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 17.—Maryland

Grand 17. \$35,000 cash and provided them a new car as damages incurred during the terrible wreck here August 7.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Louis Pesant, arrested for the murder of Mrs. Mary Spilka in her home in Eighteenth street Friday night, confessed to the police, for a receiver. The liabilities are estimated the prison of the pris Chicago, Sept. 21.-Louis Pesant, ar-Cabbage Crop a Failure.

Ex-Congressman Dead. the political destinies of Maryland bage-producing section in the west, and should be shaped and controlled by the commission men predict the crop will night at his home here, after an illness dacy for renomination.

Towanda, Pa., Sept. 19.—Ex-constant of Maryland bage-producing section in the west, and gressman Edward Overton died Friday announced here on Monday his candidacy for renomination. be worth \$75 a ton by thanksgiving. of ten days with pneumonia.

FLOOD SITUATION WORSE.

at La Crosse, Wis.-Henvy Crop Damage in Vicinity.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 21.-The flood

Reports received here estimate the and the branches are sweet and tender. crop damage in this immediate vicinity at \$500,000. Townships in the near-by counties are heavy loners on account of nnumerable bridges being washed away.

ENGLISH CABINET BROKEN

sitions and King Edward Accepts had his head cut off and John Manni was condition than ever before in its history. Their Resignations.

WHAT'S THE USE OF UNCLE SAM'S REACHING THE POLE?



HE OTHER FELLOWS IMMEDIATELY WOULD TURN UP AND SHOW THAT IT HAD BEEN THEIRS ALL ALONG.

London, Sept. 21.-Lord Balfour, of up for W. C. Freeman's airship, and Burleigh, secretary for Scotland, and work on the ship has begun. The ma-Arthur Ralph Douglass Elliott, finan- chine will be 48 feet wide by 16 feet ple the question of a new city hall. The cial secretary to the treasury, have re- long, and will weigh 1,600 pounds. Pow- present hall, though condemned, is over signed, and their resignations have er will be furnished from four engines, been accepted by the king. Mr. Elliot with total of 15 horse power, from twowas not in the cabinet. These two res- boilers. The ship will have three pairs ignations make a total of four vacant of wings. cabinet posts and one secretaryship.

Postal Clerks Elect Officers. H.; vice president, E. D. Rutledge,

For Drunkard's Wives. Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 22.-Mrs. Na. from two and a half acres of Lewis tion has signed a deed conveying a house and lot in this city to the associated charities of the city. The place will be maintained as the "Carrie Naw was about \$1,000, or \$400 per backbone broken by a failing timber while at a barn raising in 1897, has died. His case has completely baffled the medical scientists. For the past year or two he was able to wheel himself about in tion Home for Drunkards' Wives." acre. Crawfordsville, Ind., Sept. 19.-Nine | The champion saloon smasher said she

St. Louis, Sept. 21.-A special to the in Otsego county, the balance being Post-Dispatch from Luxora, Ark., says: forfeited homesteads scattered over Negroes Friday night overpowered the 11 counties. len and hanged him to a water tank, where his body was left dangling until tleships and large cruisers of the navy
with wireless telegraph apparatus
with criminally assaulting two little negro girls, aged five and ten.

Ask for Receiver. saying he was after his victim's money. mated at \$80,000. No assets are given. pointed Former Judge of Probate N. A. Reynolds, of Coldwater, a member Wanta Second Term. Towanda, Pa., Sept. 19.—Ex-Con- Jacksonville, Ill., Sept. 22.—Gov. Yates the board of control of the state public

Building Alrahips. Kalkaska, Sept. 21.—The building is council has decided to submit to the peo crowded, having offices in the attic. The question will undoubtedly carry by a large majority. It is proposed to spend

Found Rich Vein of Gold. Benton Harbor, Sept. 21.-The ware-Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 21.-The vein

A Paying Crop Benton Harbor, Sept. 22.—Darwin Charlotte, Sept. 21.-R. B. Rogers, a Sutherland of Benton township sold an invalid chair.

Lansing, Sept. 22.-On Oct. 1 Land Grand Haven, Sept. 21.—Ora M. Le-land, of Grand Haven, has been ap-Commissioner Wildey will offer sale at public land, of Grand Haven, has been appointed instructor of mathematics at auction. About 32,000 acres are located auction. About 32,000 acres are located cornell university, and will take up that position at the opening of the school. Brighton, Sept. 21.-It is hard work to To Establish School.

do anything between showers here. Po-Lansing, Sept. 22.-Superintendent tatoes are rotting, the early bean harvest of Public Instruction Fall has gone to Arenac to make arrangements for es- is delayed and the clover crop will not be worth cutting. tablishing the first country normal Rotting in the Ground.

Niles, Sept. 21.—Hundreds of acres of training school, which will probably be conducted in connection with the high school at Standish. turnips and other crops that are on the ground are rotting. The outlook is that Lansing, Sept. 21.-Gov. Bliss has ap-

the farmers will lose thousands of dol-Railroad Man Dead. Charlotte, Sept. 21.—Philip Wareham. an old railroad man and one of the oldest masons in the city, was found dead in his bed from heart disease.

Too Much Rain.

FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES.

THE CELERY CROP.

Quality and Price Combine to

A TERRIBLE FATE.

by a Train-A Comrade la Fa-

tally injured.

Make Growers Happy.

Force Consolidated Lake Superior Company to Temporarily Close Portion of Operations.

Kalamazoo, Sept. 21.—This is Kala- Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 21.—Pending situation was worse Saturday at this mazoo's greatest celery year-biggest the outcome of the financial difficulties point, the river having risen six inches in quantity of product, best in quality in which the Consoliated Lake Superior more during the night, the stage of water of stalk and financial returns to the company is now involved, President at noon Saturday being 13 feet. The growers. Six car loads are shipped Shields has issued orders to close down chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway daily, spreading out like a net to every all of the operations of the company, extracks on the river front were under six corner of the United States, by three inches of water and the flood had entered express companies. Refrigerator cars Accepts for the Nation the Shaft the basements of numerous wholesale are loaded daily for the eastern and the Tagona Light and Power company, Says All Mankind Hung on Issue of the Strife-Points Out Duty of the Present Generation.

houses along Front street.

The big pontoon bridge connecting this city with La Crescent, Minn., was early Saturday morning tipped nearly but the earlier figures of \$1,500,000 funds of the company are exhausted, early Saturday morning tipped nearly bid fair to be eclipsed. This is a year of large returns to the growers. The New York, Sept. 17.—For hours yesterday New York, Long Island and the New Jersey coast opposite were swept by the fiercest wind and rainstorm experienced in many years. Two million follars, at a rough estimate, will not cover the damage to property. The cover the damage to property that a rough estimate, will not cover the damage to property. The cover the damage to property that a rough estimate, will not cover by the flood and only the prompt action of a large crew of bridgemen prevented it from being washed away. The damage to this structure shuts off all torches and brooms, but were merciless to the growers are reapting that the demand. 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Towards evening they schooners, barges, tugs and pilot boats. began to disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island, opposite the city, cast aside by disappear and the factory was pation in the ceremonies of the president and French island. 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Murphy, is almost entirely submerged, hundred, and the city of the everywhere for the tender plant. The wet season has not damaged the crop. Train service over the Algoma Central railroad, owing to the cessation of work train per week. The Helen and Grace mines, at Michipicoton, will shut down, as will the Gertrude nickel mine, at Member of State Militia Decapitated Sudbury. The general staff of the

company will be reduced from 90 to 15 Grand Rapids, Sept. 21.—John Delater the Canadian Soo, which is in a worse fatally injured Sunday evening by an Many people are preparing to leave that London, Sept. 18.—The break in the Both were members of Company B. Sectally Both were members of Company B. Sectalling their stocks and preparing in British cabinet came last night by ond regiment, Michigan national guard, the resignation of Joseph Chamber and were returning from rifle practice in the best possible manner with the least expense. A special train left up the Algona Central railroad for the purpose of bringing in 1.600 or more men employed in the woods and mines. Not a man of them will have a penny with which to buy food or lodging. The company will pay the men in checks, which will be good for nothing until the money has been raised and deposited. The feeling of the people is that with as large a number of men turned loose in the city, hungry and with no money, the situation will be dangerous. A guard has been placed

around the office of the paymaster of the

company and the people are making

feeding and housing the men until they

Lapeer, Sept. 21.-A most terrific elec-

tric storm struck Lapeer recently. For

a half-hour the heavens were one con-

tinuous blaze of light, while the thun-

der vibrations shook the city. Mrs.

Mary Stier, a widow, who lives with

her children, was so frightened that

she died. She descended the stairs

from her sleeping rooms on the second

floor, and just after announcing to the

household that she was very much

Bay City, Sept. 21.—Bay City masons

have fully decided to go ahead with

the rebuilding of the temple burned last spring, as is evidenced by the con-

tracts which they have awarded. The

four walls of the building are standing.

Battle Creek, Sept. 21.—The common

frightened, she expired.

desperate efforts to arrange means for

can be taken out of town.

ards of thanks, 50 cents

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one knows, but it should be supplied them.

During the hot weather the cows point where the great problem of Thousands Have Kidney Trouble

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Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or set
Sediment or set
During the not weather the cows should be kept in the stable during the common roads must be faced. We can no longer treat it as a local question: We have tried that for local question: We hav water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also incing proof that the kidneys and turied to pasture at night.

Give the calves some fresh water to days. You will be surprised how much they will drink.

Give the calves all the clover hay they will eat. It is important to stimulate the growth of roomy digestive organs in the dairy calf.

A calf with a roomy, large body is incing proof that the kidneys and turied to pasture at night.

Give the calves some fresh water to three-quarters of a century, and in nearly every section of the country the miserable results are apparent. The good roads problem will never be solved only by the genius, the wealth, the labor and the patriotism of the whole people. A great national movement is necessary. In coopera-

the back is also not necessarily pot-bellied. There is ties and the local communities lies the a big difference. Only badly nour-solution of the problem. ished calves are pot-bellied. Remember that your future success

of the urinary passage. It corrects inability
to hold water and scalding pain in passing
it, or bad effects following use of liquor,
protect the cow With generous feeding and care to protect the cows from the torment of the flies, the careful dairyman can a menace to health. Cement it yourself;

> of the butter out of the milk, which he can do in no other way. This alone ought to be inducement enough, for surely it don't pay to feed for large butter yield and then lose a portion of t in the skim milk. Ten cows will buy farm separator every year in the extra amount of butter fat recovered. But this is not all; labor saved, skim milk is fed sweet and warm, milk is not setting around in cans subject to part with this great comfort and con-

One of the officials of the agricultur- an inch to an inch and a half of cement al department who is close to Secre- over the floor, making the open drain and deformed persons. It is not so long tary Wilson tells me that any action at side and end as shown in the cut. ago that it was almost an impossibility by the seed merchants which would Any water that now gets into the cellar for a man with a deformed foot or a Lyon Street have the effect of discontinuing the sat once carried by the open drain to short leg to hide his misfortune. We all free distribution of seeds would be the outlet drain, and there is no mud in remember the heavy, thick-soled blocks welcomed by the department. For the cellar.—Farm Journal. years the department has been trying to rid itself of this work, but congress annually appropriates money for the ourchase of the seeds and causes to be support you or not. Get returns for your listributed throughout the country

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not the view taken by the most pro-gressive countries of Europe. There which shows that the little creatures



SUMMER DAIRY NOTES.

A calf with a roomy, large body is tion of the nation, the states, the coun-

Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every the your dairy business depends upon wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part | will pay you to do it in an intelli-

the fites, the careful dairyman can a menace to health. Cement it yourself; necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by dringsists in 50e and 51 sizes. you need a medicine you should have the est. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. ment for any farmer keeping six or You may have a sample bottle of this more cows. It enables him to get all the butter out of the milk, which he

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> 37,500,000 packages every year.-Washington Letter in Country Gentleman.

It is claimed by some that the building of roads is strictly a local matter, and that the whole expense should be

vaseline. That butter is in bricks is cooperation with the states and local communities, would build great, smooth highways, making the wonders and

partition in the middle for two kinds known as the Jefferson Memorial road, Americans do at the present charges. of grain.-C. M. Fisher, in Farm and to make Monticello accessible to the public, but only a beginning has been made, and they are finding it up-hill

But, after all, the encouragement of travel is not the most important rea-Green corn and grass cut from fence travel is not the most important reapromers should be fed during the day son for the building of good roads. "With all that is published about compromise and resign from your club just son for the building of good roads."

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expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp- in your dairy business depends upon Work Will Pay for Itself in a Few Weeks.

A damp cellar is an abomination and

venience. Smooth the cellar floor, in
All druggis's sell and guarantee first bot the Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book quality of product is enhanced.—Mid-land Farmer.

Smooth the cellar floor, in-clining it slightly toward one side and one end, if the cellar drain is at one

One end, if the cellar drain is at one a shallow rounded trench. Lay from

> ows, and learn if they are helping to are and trouble.—Epitomist.

tother Filled Un Hole in Wall to Keep

et some one else board her AN INTELLIGENT MOUSE.

Her Young from Being Trapped. "When we think of mice it is usually calf tan and patent leather, and in all of the trouble they cause us; we are not the fashionable shapes, too. They have apt to credit the rodents with much in- to pay about three times as much for telligence," said a lady at the sewing them as men with both feet alike do: borne by the local committees. This is circle, according to the New York that's all the difference." the building and maintenance of roads is one of the important functions of had been annoyed for some time by a Kokomo, Ind., for 60 years, died recentatory, says the Chicago Drovers' Jourswitzerland are covered by a network of the bedroom. They nibbled my lost his practice and fortune, and it nal, states that probably half of the of the nest roads in the world. As a clothes, disturbed my sleep, and when affected his mind. Since then he had

Country.

The Australian commonwealth's beauties of our great west easily ac- telegraph service is the cheapest in cessible to tourists, in a few years the the world. It is operated entirely by tide of travel would be turned west-ward. Not only would millions of dol-Made from a Plane Box with Parti- lars spent annually by Americans in Europe be kept at home, but other suburban area of a radius of ten miles —Chicago Tribune. millions would be brought to our beyond the city limits, the rate is The trouble with most grain boxes is shores by tourists from foreign lands. 12 cents for messages of ten words But the natural attractions of our and the address; for messages of the to get out the last third of the grain country are not the only things which same length to any point within the same length to any point are made inaccessible by the lack of same state—and the states are gener- of our children's smartness, let's go home is neither pleasant nor healthful. This bin has half its front on hinges, so that laterest are mostly in the same category. Take, for instance, Monticello, while for similar messages to any more American. home and tomb of the immortal Jef- station within the commonwealth—and ferson. Few Americans even know from Rockhampton, to Queensland, where it is, much less visit it. Mon- to Perth, in West Australia, the diswhere it is, much less visit it. Monticello is only three miles from the
city of Charlottesville, Va., which is
on two great trunk lines. Why, then,
It is calculated, on the basis of past
It is calculated, on the basis of past
It is calculated, on the basis of past is it so little known? Because three experience, that these rates will re- Star. niles of about as bad road as can be turn a revenue sufficient to pay operimagined lie between it and the rail-way station. One cannot travel over ing the cost of maintenance, and in that narrow, steep, rough, muddy addition interest on the original exit can be let down and all the contents country road without a feeling of scooped out without difficulty. The spame. At present an effort is being front is four or five feet high, and the by a small band of patriotic more than twice as many messages of interest on the original expansion of the original expansion or the original expansion of the original expansion or the original bin can be made from a plano box with men and women to build what is over the lines at the lower rates as

> SHOES FOR DEFORMED. work to raise funds to complete the Specialty Made of Footgear for Persons with Crippled Feet and

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health at that age.

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Cal U. Mette—I'll have to. Couldn't manufacturer in Brooklyn, "nothing has large scale is practically at an end."

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STREET FUND

tersects with said river; running thence Northerly along West bank of said tail race to a point where the West line of Water street intersects

with said race, running thence North erly along said West line of Wate

of the Village of Lowell.
Dated, Lowell, Mich., Sept. 14, 1903.
T. A. MURPHY,
Clerk of said Village.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

[Corrected Sept. 23, 1903.]

GRAIN.

C Gibson..... J Crawford.

with a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Oberley are vis-iting their daughter, Mrs. Joe Living-ston in Isabella county.

Maude Allen is visiting her sist Mrs. Will Murphy.

Sam Harris' house is nearly con

Fred Andrews is covering his house

Last Wednesday Orsborn & Murphy began serving hot coffee, biscuit butter and honey to their patrons, cooked on a Bement Palace Steel range. There lunches continue all the week. Parties intending to pur-

hase stoves will do well to call and

Mrs. Chas. Williams went to Grand Rapids last Tuesday, as a witness in

Maude Underhill of Grand Rap-ids now teaching in Caldonia, spent Sunday with friends in Alto.

Good for father . Good for mother Good for the whole family. Makes

the children eat, sleep and grow. Rocky Mountain Tea is a family blessing. 35 cents. D. G. Look.

VERGENNES.

Report cards for sale at THE LEI GER office, Lowell. Born-To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gyger

Orson Potroff and wife of Sparta visited his sister, Mrs. Frank Kitchen

A number from here attended th

Miss Edith Crakes returned to her ome Sunday after spending the

Miss Kate Sullivan of Ada has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Louise Krum.

nmer at Traverse City

ee these ranges before going els

at Lowell, Michigan, at the close of business September 9th, 1903 of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES. U. S. and National Bank Total LIABILITIES.

Capital stock pald in Surplus Fund Undivided profits, net Commercial Deposits Savings deposits Savings certicitates

ALCOHOL AND THE SOLDIER.

Use of Liquor in the discussion growing out of the custom of giving liquor to soldiers is made by Count von Haeseler, until lately commander of the sixteenth army corps in

The count is not one of those who be lieve that strong drink is necessary t trary, Count von Haeseler, after 25 year of total abstinence in the army, protest soldiers. He says:

"The soldier who abstains altogethe is the best man. He can accomplish more, can march better and is a bette soldier than the man who drinks ever moderately. Mentally and physicall he is better. . . . Strong drink tires

consummated occurred recently when Norman P. Cummings, the wealthy Chicago real estate man, who made Dowadiac his home for the past year, sold to "Billy" Lorimer, the famous Chicago congressman and politician, his Wayne township farm of 600 acres for a consideration of this kind. There is little doubt that the consensus of expert military opinion in Europe and America will affirm the correctness of his judgment. To say that a sense of weariness and thirst follows indulgence in alcoholic stimulants is merely stating a physiological fact. Excessive stimulation means a physical and mental reaction in which the powers are at a low ebb. In the case of the soldier it would seem to the "noncombatant" that sober, clear-headed, well-balanced fighter is worth more in the long run than the soldier crazed into reckless daring frenzied madness by temporary alco holic stimulation,—Chicago Record-Herald.

ITEMS.

The Anti-Saloon league has been or ganized in Madison county, Iowa. Open air meetings under the auspice of the Total Abstinence association will be held in all Chicago parks. January 1, 1903, there were 16,658 in

sane persons in Scotland. The alarming growth in the number of cases is a. m. Rate \$1.75. See posters of largely attributable to alcoholic ex- ask agents for particulars.

dezvous of the gamblers of the middl west. Mayor Gilbert has closed seven gambling houses and turned 300 slot to destination, Tickets on sale Octmachines to the wall. The pool-rooms ober 3 and 4, good to return to and By agreement between the temperan

people and the saloon keepers, Dyersburg, Tenn., became "dry" July 1. The s, in one of which a knife was used With serious results.

Prominent brewers of Ohio will man-ifacture a mildly alcoholic beer from

rice. They hope in this way to nullify the effect of the supreme court's recent decision that Bishop's beer and othe

> one Needs Sympathy. When I o'erheard two women talk, Though it may seem absurd,
> and thelp feeling sorry for
> The poor dear absent third.
> —Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Real Stuff.

a murder in every chapter.-Judge.

Dealer-Good! Do me a lileness of a dumb-walter.- N. Y. Times.

De Tanque—Guzzler is steady drinker, isn't he? O'Soque-Yes, up to a certain point delphia Record.

Wouldn't Warm Up. "It was really chilly on the porch last dearest friend. "Wouldn't he propose

Newburg, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Private
Davis, who had come 2,000 miles on horseback, reached West Point yesterday. Davis and 11 other members of the meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in the Council Rooms on Monday evening, Sept. 7, 1903. days ago. They had relays of horses.

The schedule for the distance and the

ecord is 45 days. Davis is the first H W Hakes. cord is 45 days. Days is the days. Jos Shear.... John Morris. Thought It Wasn't Londed. Hartington, Neb., Sept. 22.—August Schmidt, while hunting, pointed his gun at John Houser and pulled the trigger. The gun was discharged, killing Houser and seriously wounding his brother, Peter Houser, who was also one of the party. Schmidt says he thought the gun was empty. Schmidt is under arrest.

Chas Morris.

Chas Morris.

Chas Morris.

Will Morse.

Will Morse.

Thomas Morris.

C Guy Perry.

Freight.

R Williamson & Co.

Westinghouse E & M.

Monterey, Mex., Sept. 21.—Gen. W. Fostoria Incandescent
D. Snyman, one of the leaders of the moved his entire family to the new R VanDyke... colony site purchased near Ortiz sta-tion on the Mexican Central, and an-nounces that 50 families are on the I A Wood... way from South Africa to join him.

Hudson, Neb., Sept. 17.—Mrs. H. H. Clyde Collar Paine; her daughter, Mrs. Williams, and her 13-year-old daughter were Weldon Sm murdered in their home on a farm near here. A young farm hand named Madison is suspected of the murders.

Wedden Smith......
Citizen Telephone Co....
Hydrant Rentals......
Engine House Lights...
J T Mueller.....

Jealousy Causes Crime, Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 17.—William Howe shot and killed here the divorced wife of his son and then killed himself.

Lansing, Sept. 21.—It is expected that the testimony in the case brought by the railroads to set aside the assess this city before the clerk of the United States court at Grand Rapids. It is antheir case September 29. The state will not take testimony until after the rail- Geo Taylor.

lac was convicted of manslaughte charge the jury returned to the cour room. Game Warden Spafford was was found guilty for shooting Chris McLane, an old soldler, in the back, killing him instantly, while making an arrest for spearing fish.

Niles, Sept. 21.—One of the larges

forthern Michigan Excursions

Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Adv. Depart-

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the founding of the city of Chicago, on above dates, the Pere Marquette will sell tickets at one way fare for the round trip on the following dates: From stations distant not more than 150 miles from Chicago, sell on Sept. 26 to Oct. 1, inclusive. From stations distant more than 150 miles, sell on Sept. 26 and 28 only. Good to return Sept. 26 and 28 only. Good to return not later than Oct. 2. Ask agents for rates and trains on which tickets

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LOWELL FEED MILL

erly along said West line of Water street to a place of beginning. Excepting and reserving unto the said Village of Lowell, a strip of land sixteen (16) feet in width, extending from the West side of Water street to the East bank of Flat river. Said reservation being below what is known as the Woolen Mill, and in such a location as will furnish an easy means of passing to and from Park Island. All said land situated in the Village of Lowell, County of Kent and State of Michigan. The proceeds of said sale to be used as a fund to introduce manufacturing industries to locate in said village, or to be placed in the general fund.

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IN THIS PAPER WITHIN A SHORT TIME, A A A A A

Hartwell Catherner



Our Country Cousins

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Report cards for sale at THE LED-GER office, Lowell.

The ladies of the church will hold their apron sale the first Friday evening of November instead of the last oct. 7. Everybody invited, come in

Wm. Belarpy of Grand Rapids gave a most excellent talk to a good congregation Sunday.

All were pleased to see Mrs. J. 1. Forbes in her place of chorister of our village church Sunday morning for the first time since June on account of illness.

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Your scribe was pleasantly surprised Thursday afternoon, Sept. 17, on receiving a call from her old friend, Mrs. C. S. Elmer of Ann Arbor formerly Mrs. S. Beard of Cascade, who returned to her home Saturday after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kortsler at the old home.

Marion Harrison of of Saginaw is boarding with Mrs. Geo. Raymond for a few days and will then go to Grand Rapids.

B. F. wilkinson commenced to cut his corn and dig 18 acres of potatoes Monday.

Mystle Griffith went home Sunday

Marion Harrison of of Saginaw is for the school.

Mrs. Bert Hendershott and baby of Grand Rapids visited his parents Friday and Saturday.

Della Godfrey entertained Miss Jennie Lynd of Keene last week.

Mystle Griffith went home Sunday

Muskegon last week.

H. Auble's little son is quite sick We extend our heartfelt sympathy 8. Y. Thompson and wife of Grand Rapids were in Cascade Saturday afternoon.

H. A. Auble is working in Gran Texas are visiting friends and relatives in Cascade.

'A girl's "complexion" may be stamped on her lover's heart, but most of the "complexion" comes off unless put there by Rocky Mountain Tea. "Powder's a bad thing." 35c.
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Report cards for sale at THE LED Mrs. Cora Skellenger and daughter of Belding were guests of G. O. Big-nell and family part of last week. Mrs. John Kropf visited in Grand

Mrs. Clarence Johnson has recovered from her recent illness.

mear the Ashley church.

Mrs. Gertrude Ring and daughter visited in Grand Rapids last week.

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D. L. and Mrs. Mary Thompson visited theirson, Fred, of Ctisco, Sun-

Jacle Richmond last week. .

neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief, At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies. "I'm on the road to complete recovery."

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this tube is inflamed you have a rum-bling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed. Deafness is lous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for the result, and unless the inflammat ion can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an in-

H. C. and P. M. Denison entertained company from Muskegon and Evart last week.

Myrtie Griffith went home Sunday his brother, J. N.

The death of our mail carrier, Roy Wheden was a great above.

Lena Bowen returned last week from Canada, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nina Gardner.

M. T. Story received two diplomas, seven first prizes, four seconds and two thirds on his Victoria swine, Mrs. Bradley Stone returns to her home at Marion Monday. Mrs. C. A. Lee returns with her and will spend State Agricultural.

Annie—Better doctor your health will be somewhat surprised to learn that he is married and living in Calibefore applying beautifying remidies. Rid yourself of constipation, indigestion, with Rocky Mountain Tea, and S. A.

PRATT LAKE. Report cards for sale at THE LED-

his farm Mr. White's letter in THE LEDGER was here Thursday and Friday and Lowell and we larmers are right glad that our boys are not under the influences of the hell holes, we would be afraid to live in Lowell in Grand Rapids.

Rev. Bennett of Freeport called on Norman Ford Thursday.

Misses Nellie and Ella Ford visited in Grand Rapids Wednesday and Inc.

Otto Miller has been moving his with our boys fearing he would loose house and adding an addition to it. the purity of a country lad. You good men of Lowell awake. The English's, Mr. Cilley and M. T. Story are well satisfied with their shares of premiums at the Grand home in Bowne Sunday morning at ten o'clock after a two weeks illness

Louie G. English left Monday morning for Albion to resume his school

What is Life? ubled with Kidney disease and In the last analysis nobody knows,

edies. Deafness is caused by an uned condition of the mucous lin-

Report cards for sale at The Led GER office, Lowell. Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for cir

Grand Rapids visited his parents Friday and Saturday. Wilson Armstrong and lady friend of Lowell spent Sunday with his

Alvah Tiffany died at his home vart last week.

Fred Brigham visited cousins in B. F. Wilkinson and wife went to His merry good morning and many 1903, aged 57 years. Funeral services

acts of kindness will long be remembered and the sorrowing friends have our deepest sympathy.

M. T. Story received two diplomas Important to Sufferers.

The Hazzard Kidney Cure has no qual on earth for Kidney or Bladde

Mrs. A. M. Kneeland of Muir visited

S. Gristwood is slightly improv

Single fare for the round trip on al trains Oct. 15, 16, 17 and 19, valid re

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This is to testify that I have us the Hazzard Kidney Cure, the great germ destroyer for inflamation of the kidneys and found it to be just as The many friends of Ernest Conklin

Rid yourself of constipation, indigestion, with Rocky Mountain Tea, and you'll have a beautiful complexion.

S. A. Ware and family had strawshoes or take them off. The second berries and cream Sunday and Mrs. Ware picked two quarts Monday.

S. A. Ware and family had strawshoes or take them off. The second dose gave me relief from pain, but it took a week before I was cured of the property of the e lameness in my back.

Mrs. E. E. Chase, Lowell, Mich.

Mrs. F. M. Godfrey was surprised Tuesday upon being presented with a new rangestove from her husband. disease or Rheumatism. For sale by D. G. Look. With family around expecting him

wille visited at Will Tapley's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mae Minty, in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Sneathen visited Saturday and Sunday with Rev. Johnson and family of Hastings.

Will Fletcher spent Sunday with relatives in Alaska.

Mrs. C. Story is visiting her sisterin-law, Mrs. G. Story of Pratt Lake.

Pratt Lake and South Boston were well represented a t the fair in Grand Rapids and many attended the play "Ben Hur."

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma., but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes., "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchittis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles lree at D. G. Look's drug store. Report cards for sale at THE LED-GER office, Lowell. Clyde Mullen and Melvin Court took

at S. Gristwood's two days last week. Report cards for sale at THE LED-GER office, Lowell.

Wm. Glasgow of Grand Rapids is lass visiting at the home of his parents ing W. Glasgow. Mr. Wilson of Entrican is at worl for H. Jay. Mr. and Mrs. Squires of Albic were guests of C. Cary and wife las Rev. Bennett of Freeport called Norman Ford Thursday.

C. Alexader of Lowell was is Logar Excursion To Detroit via Gran Miss Annie Buckson died at her

turning for 15, 16, 17 and 19, valid returning to and including Oct. 23, 1903.

A fee of 25c will be charged for the validation of return portion of tickets. For further information consult local agents, or write to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Adv. Dept. Robert Ford commenced work for M. Stahl of Elmdale Monday. Miss Lizzie Hientzelman had a gentleman friend visiting her from Grand Rapids Sunday.

of pneumonia.

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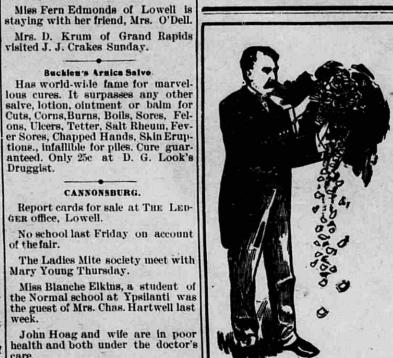
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Miss Ethel Rolf is attending school Mr. Andrews, a former preacher of the U. B. church visited friends here last week and preached Sunday even-

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charged for his activity in the case showing unlimited induces behind the CHAPTER X.—Warde's interest in making through the case is not altogether for Herbert's sake but because it gives him opportunities bas gradually ripened into something stronger than friendship.

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"Ware. So about midnight 1 met Jim. Holoombe, the city editor of the his and the deepening gloom of Franklin and the wild the colonel had thrown him overboard the colonel had thrown him ov

Here the court, amid the wildest been made to murder him at Peter's him and say that I will write about "Did you see anything more kind of excitement, said: "The question is not proper;" but the utterance of the judge was like a reproof to a storm at sea.

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FRANKLIN SPRANG IMPETUOUSLY
Then he produced his book, showing the date of sale of every watch, with

sized arctics. the recess for dinner the excitement communicated itself over the entire city. Franklin was credited with being a man of nerve, and many thought he would attack Lawyer Everett the which Wright was supposed to have he would attack Lawyer Everett when court had adjourned; and at one time when they were thrown accidentally together in the crowd, it looked as if a collision were inevitable. But Franklin, if he thought of attended Herbert Wright testified to the attempt made to poison the accident all, put the inclination aside, and no trouble occurred. It is possible that he was too much concerned about the damaging facts hrought out.

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storm at sea.

Men and women arose from their seats, so intense was the feeling. It house when Franklin was announced, house when Franklin was announced, we to reflect and I made up my mind lin was in the Bayou Woods with

of the agreement at Mr. Everett's house when Franklin was announced, and all that happened with reference the light-fingered act. This caused mot of the demands made upon him to read.

"Was anyone present when the demand was made?" asked Mr. Everett, and I made the words "John T. Wrights and given him to read.

"Yes, sir; the eastern capitalist, "Yes, sir; the eastern capitalist, or the paper which fillisman had given him to read.

"Yes, sir; the eastern capitalist, or the conversation I could not say."

Lawyer Everett smiled inservatably at this, but made no comment.

A large number of minor witnesses were then examined. A letter carrier told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin. I saw no harm in keep-told how he had delivered to Franklin in person a letter bearing the China postmark. Otto Orthaldsden, all title Swiss jeweler, whose a hap books add many odd dainties in the few-told how he had delivered to Franklin in person a letter bearing the China postmark. Otto Orthaldsden, all title Swiss jeweler, whose a hap books with him. He proved to be a very methodical man, for he brought one of his books with with the horought one of his books with him. He proved to be a very methodical man, for he brought one of his books with him. The word would be had sold it to Col. James Franklin.

Will give you service at mode of the situation. Col. Franklin was and would be to each to the contents of the contents of the contents o

FROM HIS SEAT CRYING FURIOUS.
LY: "I SHALL HOLD YOU TO ACCOUNT FOR THIS."

COUNT FOR THIS."

Cariously prevalent, and there was an indefinable dread that they might be used. Amid it all the voice of Mr. Everett, singularly clear and ringing, could be heard:

"May it please your Honor, the wit"New York, May 10th, 18—
"Colonel Franklin: Send me money to Yokohama through some one in New York. I leave for the west to-day and disposed of No. 9,999 of this particular make to Franklin. The cost of the watch was here also and the date of the payment. The unidentified pin was then shown to him, which he

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"May it please your Honor, the witness announces that he will hold me to account for the charge implied in my question. I am entirely willing that he should do so. Herbert Wright's defense is that the murderer of John T. Wright is James Franklin, and—"

Here the lawyer paused for a moment, and fearlessly regarded the blanched face of Franklin as he concluded:

"And I shall prove it."

watch was here also and the date of the paper all right.

"Yours respectfully.

"THOMAS MORRIS."

When this letter had been read and the hum of interest incident thereto had subsided, Hillsman resumed his story: "Whether Col. Franklin sent him the money I cannot say; but I heard no more of that agreement until two days before Mr. Wright's death. Mr. Wright was in the office that afternool and I heard him tell Franklin to come to his place in the morning and fix up matters in accordance with the terms of the agreement. I heard him say that he agreement. "And I shall prove it."

CHAPTER XV.

Mr. Everett's startling, announcement terminated the morning session of the court. A scene more dramatic and thrilling had never been witnessed in that room and during the recess for dinner the excitement.

I made only three sales of this kind of overshoe at the time of Wright's murder; one was to the mayor; the second was going hunting in the afternoon of that or the following day, and he wanted to settle the business in the morning. Well, the next morning, of the fatal day—it was snowing, I remember—the colonel left the office after looking over the mail. He bornoon and during the recess for dinner the excitement.

Franklin wondered blankly what his | black and white, promises to be much friend Merivale was doing on the wit- in vogue in the fall, reports the Brook-



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stitute for the old-fashioned steel

Graduated color effects are favored in Paris, both in costumes and millinery.

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Ostrich feathers in lyre or marquise

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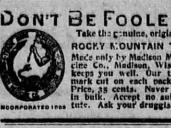
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New Discovery

Money back if it fails. Trial Bottles fro

pen, pulpit, personal influence. Every man who helps to throttle the drinking house, helps to elevate the working classes. "Do you have any drinking houses

in your township?" I inquired lately of a friend from my native county in this state. "No," he replied, "not one. Our people have voted it out." In that township there is no manufacture of poverty and crime done at the DONE AT THE COUNTER. counter. What is accomplished in that township may be accomplished in Place Where Diseased Bodies, Ruined any other, provided the same thorough Homes and Crowded Jails and education of the people on temperance Almshouses Are Dispensed. is carried out. The pulpit has always I have lately seen in an English been outspoken for temperance in that ewspaper the announcement that a community.

Multitudes of the humbler classes

public house is for sale, and the ad-

(£400) per month."

vertisement contains the following may be rescued from the clutch of the sentence: "These premises are surrounded by numerous manufactories, is the line of effort in which the Sawemploying thousands of well-paid yers, Moodys, Murphys, Reynolds. hands, who inhabit numberless dwell- Goughs and Willards did their best ings in this dense neighborhood. The service. Father Mathew saved thoutrade is large, full-priced, and mostly done at the counter, approaching \$2,000 the whisky shop by his own personal effort. My Irish gardener refused to (£400) per month."

This cold-blooded announcement touch whisky even as medicine, when smells of the pit. Beelzebub himself could not frame a more infernal sentence than this one, in which the dramdealer tells how cunningly he has planted his death-trap between those laborers' wages and all their needy wives and children. He has reared his toll-gate right in the very track of these well-paid hands, so that he may levy on them at the rate of \$2,000 per month! For this sum he retails to these operatives disease, poverty disgrace, and endless destruction. We feel our fingers instinctively twitching to get such a scoundrel by the jugular, and gripping it until he is as purple in the countenance as any of his victims. smells of the pit. Beelzebub himself he was sick. He belonged to a "Fa-

coholic stimulants. Patrick or Sandy But why spend our righteous indignation upon a foreign liquor seller, gives warmth and strength. This erwhen this same conspiracy against the ror is being corrected in the public wages and honor and lives of working- schools by teaching every child the men is being carried on in our land? principles of true temperance. If the Precisely the crime which that Eng- commonwealth suffers by the poverty. lishman so shamelessly advertised is crime and demoralization caused by being perpetrated here in all our fac- the bottle, then the commonwealth is tory towns, in all our cities, and in a as much bound to save its children great majority of our villages. At this from the bottle as to teach them to

time the labor question is one of the read and write.

WAGES BEING "DONE AT THE COUNTER."

spend freely, at "the counter;" when wages are low, and work is scarce, he wages are low, and the wages are is tempted to drink, in order to drown worry and sorrow. All winds seem separate from the company's general ex-

traffic in intoxicants is sometimes tremendous. How else could high rents be paid on so many corners, and so many glittering bars be kept up in the fashionable saloons and hotels.

At a banquet given to Dr. Lorenz, the famous surgeon, wine was served. He pushed his wine glass aside and called for a cup of tea. Some one inquired if Halting for a street car a few even- he was a total abstainer. He answered: Halting for a street car a few evenings since in front of a corner dramshop. I observed two well-dressed young men playing some game with dice. Their wages were being "done at the counter," and some poor mother's heart was being wrenched asunder. A decently clad woman stepped in with a pitcher under her apron and got it filled from a cask. Her wages for washing and other work went to the same counter, and that pitcher of grog went to her house to instruct her children in the accurred habit. Pleat.

grog went to her house to instruct her children in the accursed habit. Right children in the accursed habit. Right in the midst of our community the bottle spider weaves his seductive web and feeds the foolish flies that are enticed within. As long as labor pays this tremendous toll, all hope of general betterment of its condition is furthle. But if this greedy outlet for wages were effectually stopped, more than half of the labor problem would be effectually settled.

The Institution will accommodate 900 patients from 18 to 70 years of age. No attention is going to be paid to nation allty, religion or social conditions; all are to be treated alike. The treatment will take three months. Reformed drunkards are to be employed as teachers. The institution is not to be a busing his entire stay with the regiment. As he was a member in "good and regular standing" when the regiment was noticed one thing about rattlesnakes," said Simon Kent, of Clinton county, reports the New York Sun, "and that is that if I am trout fishing and the trout are biting good I am certain to run across all the rattle-snakes any snake hunter would care to find in a day's hunting for them. But if the trout are not biting briskly I will not run across a rattler maybe all day

eral things ought to be done and can interested in the undertaking.—Hockert. ened a large hardtack on his back for a "I can't explain why it is, because I traffic in the state of Maine has almost Railroad Wants Temperance Men. knapsack. Jack seemed to talue state of the liquor what was expected of a soldier and sat more than I can account for the fact swept the state of dram shops. But M. de Tera, the general superintendat the head of the line with as much hat there are always rattlesnakes where that was because the people of Maine ent of the railroad system of Germany, gravity and decorum as the best of here are trout and huckleberries, or are too well instructed to tolerate the has issued orders that all employes on them. When the call for action came, it or that other curious fact that there is dram-shop. As the mass of citizens the railroads who are not total abare abstainers, there is really but a stainers will be discharged at the earsmall demand or desire for liquors. liest possible moment. He asserts that bravely, as the following poem which speaking of our own brilliant-hued and With a powerful public sentiment to drive it, a prohibitory law is a McCorini any position of trust. The orders mick reason could be reasonable for the position of trust. The orders given fo me by one of our gallant officers of the position of trust. The orders given fo me by one of our gallant officers of the position of trust. The orders given fo me by one of our gallant officers of the position of trust. mick reaper, cutting clean. Without end with the significant sentence: cers describes in rhyme:

HEALTH

"I don't think we could keep house without Thedford's Black-Draught. We have used it in the family for over two years with the best of results. I have not had a doctor in the house for that length of time. It is a doctor in their and always ready to make a person well and happy."—JAMES HALL, Jacksonville, Ill.

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No Doctor

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A WAR-TIME DOG. Canine Hero of the "Bull-Dog Regi-

ment" and Some of His Distin-Expressions of Approval Render in Slang So Quickly Acquired guishing Deeds. The story I am about to relate is a

by Foreigners. read and write.

The story I am about to relate is a gettlements say, so often wish to American about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, about the needs of the labor, about wages, and about the needs of the labor, are sustained by the upper dark are unabled to which many now living settlements say, so often wish to American about the needs of the labor, and the tongues are engaging the pens and the tongues are engaging the pens and the tongues are the implementable to which many now living settlements say, so often wish to American about the needs of the labor, and the tenselves as fast as possible in but few of us remain of those who that they one of their country in her often our of need. Yet there are denoted the form assortment of stag before they can there some in company F, Fifth C. V. on the the labor, and the the order of the labor, and the tenselves as fast as possible in but few of us remain of those who the number diminishes every year, and but few of us remain of those who of the wages and speech that they sometimes acquire the language, as it were, wrong at the form assortment of stag before they can the tenselves as fast as possible in the order of the language, as it were, wrong at the form assortment of stag before they can the tenselves as fast as possible in the our of the set of the language, as it were, wrong at the form assortment of stag before they can there ar Are they any less guilty? Before they and tan terrier, a stray, probably from Another woman had a more startling and tan terrier, a stray, probably from

warm into indignation at the temptation set before the poor laborer, let their cheeks crimson with shame at the example they themselves are setting. But Theodone I. Coules D. T camp. As he did not have much to recommend him on first appearance the comrades did not seem to regard him as an acquisition to the company, but rather spurned his friendly advances until, in a fierce contest with a bull terrier much larger than himself, belonging to another company. Lake a page 18 worker and in pure neighborly kindness, she has made many friends. Both patriotism and philanthropy are studying the problem: "How shall the laborer be elevated?" and subscensing the problem, to my shall the laborer how to save and how to use aright the money which he earns. High wages are not always a blessing. They are often a curse. Master mechanics tell me that in the "infation times," when the paid their bands high wages, the increased pay was a terrible temptation. With such wages, a much larger traffic in tobacco and rum was "done at the counter." When the la-"done at the counter. The attention times at the laborer has a salo on the temptation of the tright to be numbered with that he right to be numbered with that he was made on mid faith th

larger traffic in tobacco and rum was "done at the counter." When the la"done at the counter." When the laspecial form of policy to those who are in the estimation of the boys. He "Gosh! Ain't he fat?"

Vegetable Chowder. to blow towards the dram-shop. This traffic in intoxicants is sometimes tretraffic in intoxicants in the intoxicant in the company of the int his constancy and devotion to the boys two cups. Chop a large onion and fry until brown in one-half pound of For Freeport 5 20 pm bacon, cut into very small pieces. Put B.L. BRAYTON, H. F. MOELLER, a layer of potatoes into a saucepan, Agt. put on this a layer of corn and some of the onion and bacon; season with salt and pepper. Repeat the layers. Add two cups of hot milk, one-quarter cup of butter rubbed smooth with the same amount of flour. Cook five minntes. Lay split crackers over the top, cover and the chowder is ready serve.-Detroit Free Press.

RATTLESNAKES OF GOOD OMEN. Where They Are Found Are Found Also Huckleberries, Trout

What can be done toward it? SevWelff, of Berlin. The emperor, many princes, teachers, physicians, etc., are to be on inspection one of the boys fastto be on inspection one of the boys fast-

such a sentiment, is a rusty reaper, "Temperate men, with clear brains and at which every grog seller laughs. To steady hands, are the only ones who will rest, "Dog Jack had stood his ground among the rest,"

Temperate men, with clear brains and stood his ground among the rest, "Dog Jack had stood his ground among the rest,"

To breed along with fevers. produce such corrective and restrictive sentiments requires labor of tongue, positions."

steady hands, are the only ones who will be retained, and who should apply for positions."

"Dog Jack nad stood mis ground among the rest. Had humped his back, and growled and barked his best. Had every moment mad and madder cheerful rattlers giving forth its music

A bit of shoddy gray, to fringe his mouth." And this was no overdrawn account; several times did he advance upon the enemy, whirling around as the shot fell thick about him, diving and plunging his head into the ground where a shell had struck. From this time Jack was promoted from the ranks of a common soldier. The boys were too choice of him to permit the risk in battle. In point of fact, they did not regard him as any common dog, and, had he been of less heroic stuff, he would have

and is thus described, viz.: "Black Dog

is laid in Colonial days, and is replete with incidents of that historic conflict waged for American freedom. Through it runs a charming love story that was characteris-tic of the times.

WATCH FOR THE nay live hereafter. If they do, I am OPENING CHAPTERS It will begin within a short time, and

> ind telling you to watch out, there you afraid of chills and fever sneaking across oute claims for those that may be entitled

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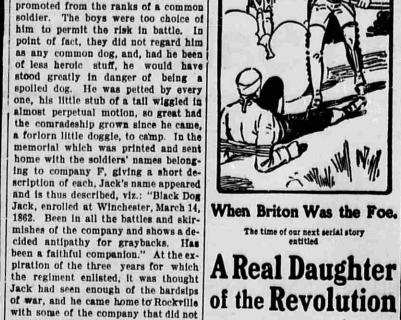
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We Ask You to Examine

the financial statement of this bank found elsewhere in this paper. If your patronage and influence have in any degree contributed to the success of our business we thank you for it. If, as yet, you are not a patron, let this be your invitation to become one.

The Lowell State Bank

Miss Ethel Soules is quite sick.

Good cow for sale. W. F. Howk.

no hope is entertained of her recovery. Revs. Chas. Nease and J. H. Wesbrook left for conference Monday.

Water for Dumb Ausmais.

Not to provide for the wants of do-mestic animals and pets is cruelty that causes torture. It is not safe to trust to an animal's finding food or drink. In a wild state they were able to do this. Domesticated they have learned to rely on man, and in

many instances have met with base betrayal. Water is as essential as food. In the hot days of July and

August it really comes before food. Kindness to animals is more than kindness; it is justice.

The man who beats a horse can be reached by the law, although too sel-dom does he meet with his just deserts.

Combs

We are showing some

new things in combs in our West window. Some

of the new novelties as

well as the staple styles.

Large swell Hairpins 25c.

25c per pair.

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Side Combs at 10c, 15c and

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Heard About Town

Mens plaid jackets 25c at Godfrey's. Wm. Burdick visited over Sunday in Grand Rapids.

John Godfrey was in Portland the first of the week

Mrs. Jos. Shores of Emerald is visiting Mrs. Ernest Godfrey.

All who are indebted to Dr. R. -R. Eaton please call and settle

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morse spent Saturday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Will Gillingham of Grand Rapids is the guest of Mrs. F. B. Oliver. Mrs. Dora Burley of Grand Rapids is visiting the family of W. R. Sanires

Miss Mae Gilman of Grand Rapids is visiting Daisy Covert a few days. Read the Liquid Air and Wireless Telegraphy advertisement in this

E. E. Faulkner and son Paul of Delton visited his parents Wednesday.

J. C. Scott and R. Enos of Grand Rapids were here Tuesday on business.

A man horse. At the roadside was a watering trough. The animal swerved from the road. Its delicate muzzle was quivering and a short whinny said as plain as a horse can talk, "I am very thirsty; please can I have a drink?"

The answer was a jerk on the reins

Mrs. W. B. Rickert left Monday for Lockport, N. Y., where she will visit a sister.

A goodly numb vicinity attended in Grand Rapids.

Misses Emma Wesbrook and Lenna Yeiter went Monday to attend Albion college.

That was cruelty—unthinking cru-elty—and it brings up the whole ques-tion of hot weather treatment of an-

Mrs. Clara Hosley of Oak Grove was the guest of her nephew, Lee Walker, last week.

Mrs. W. B. Rickert left Monday for an extended visit with her sister at Silver Creek, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schrouder of Denver is visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Althen.

Its your horse given water frequently? Do you give your dog and your cat water as often as they desire it, or do you simply guess they will find all the water they need?

The owner of any animal, large or small, who does not think of these things is not fit to own adumb brute. Not to provide for the wants of domestic animals and pets is cruelty

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The Great Majestic steel and malliable iron range exhibit at Scott & Winegar's Oct. 12-17.

J. P. Britt, of the Milwaukee Electric Railway Co., has been the guest of R. VanDyke for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Starring of Silver Creek, N. Y., visited part of last week with D. G. Look and family. The Great Majestic is absolutely

the best range made, shown in operation at Scott & Winegar's Oct 12-17. Ray, Edith and Jessie Denny, who have been visiting their grand par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Burdick, re-turned to their home in Grand Rap-

Miss Grace Walker spent a part of last week with her friend, Miss Alta Hayward in Grand Rapids and attended the play "Ben Hur."

Think of these things. Remember how it feels when your own throat is dry and parched, and look after the needs of your four-footed friends.

Miss Maud Benedict picked red rasp-berries on her father's farm in West Campbell, Saturday. She says the bushes are loaded with blossoms and

green and ripe berries. Mrs. T. McCarthy returned Mon-day to her home in Milwaukee after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy. Her little sister Lorena returned home with

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rouse were called to Canada a week ago last Thursday to attend the funeral of his sister; after which they visited at Mt. Pleasant, Ont., where George learned his trade thirty-six years ago, and at Hamilton and the Niagara Falls, re-

turning home Saturday night. Unclaimed letters at Lowell postoffice for Julius Ceaser, A. E. Carpenter, E. Fers, Chas. Minogue, J. N.
Santurs, John Henry Taylor, Elery
Wilson, Gejlovanni Parrafianni, Mrs.
Dorthea Cramer, Mrs. Ida Chandler,
Mrs. W. H. Hall, Mrs. E. N. Morey,
Mrs. J. McCallum, Mrs. Hannah
Monks, Mrs. W. R. Ross, Miss Cora
Shawl, Mrs. Adline Sears, Mrs. Nellie
Taylor, Miss Maud Taylor, Mrs. A.
M. White.

M. White.

Frank M. Johnson has a winner in The Lowell Ledger. The paper is well edited and printed, is strong in the local department, while the advertising columns indicate prosperity and, by the way, Brother Johnson is turning out some high-grade job work these days with good color work, late faces of type and up-to-date rules and borders. The qualities mentioned are the ones that count mentioned are the ones that count and bring success or keep it.—[Pub-lisher's Auxilary.

FALLASBURG. Frank Sherrard is quite ill.

Miss Marian I. Harrison of Saginaw who has been visiting friends here is now the guest of Minnie Steketee in Grand Rapids.

Frank Maynard and wife spent Sunday with J. D. Harvey and wife in Lowell. Mrs. A. Voss was in Grand Rapids Wednesday. Her husband returned home with her.

Miss Anna Voss and nephew have returned to their home in Grand Rap-ids after a three week's visit with her

Services were held in the school-house Sunday at 3 p. m., conducted by Rev. Mange. Services will be held every Sunday at 3:30, Standard time until otherwise changed. All are in-

Miss Marian Harrison and Mrs. J. ower visited Mrs. Titus in Keene Monday.

Frank Maynard is on the sick list. Worthy Wilard and wife were over Sunday guests of their parents, Henry Booth and wife.

Abram Voss and wife, Jr., and Miss Cheese of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with his parents. A. Voss and wife,

Jno. Lasby is having the upright Geo. Raymond went to Olivet Wednesday to visit his son Frank and family. Mrs. Frank Raymond and little son returned with him; and her husband will follow in a few days to take up their residence here. Lamp light cheaper than daylight or a week. Collar's Bazaar. Glenn Lee and wife of Belding are visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Julia McConnell is very ill and

Fred Raymond, wife and son of Keene spent Sunday with his parents, Geo. Raymond and wife.

Miss Marian Harrison of Saginaw and Myrtle Raymond visited with Mrs. Morgan Titus in Keene Wednes-

Mrs. Milo Hart entertained the Spartan Ladies at a minuble party Would afternoon. Mrs. Amanda Dowlman of Buffalo, N. Y., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Worden. Gus Whedon and Mrs. Frank Sherrard of Keene and Mrs. Max Denny attended the funeral of their nephew, Roy Whedon in Lowell Sun-A man was driving a beautiful horse. At the roadside was a water-

ALTO.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Konkle visited at Ike Long's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burkhardt were in town Monday.

A goodly number from Alto and vicinity attended the fair Thursday

Little Jason Clark was threatened with malaria fever last week.

N. Bryant and wife visited friends Mrs. Smith of Canada is visiting

The L. O. T. M., M. are alive and have organized a contest amongst themselves for the purpose of getting

During the thunder storm last Tuesday night the lightning struck the house belonging to Mrs. Mary Clark shattering the west side of the roof and tearing it so badly that a new roof will have to be put on. It also tore the plastering off over her bed completely covering the bed as it fell. It was indeed lucky that she was not at home. She was notified and came home Wednesday from Lowell where she is sewing for Mrs. Howe.

J. Lang has gone to Greenville to assist in putting in a churn and worker at the cheese factory there.

The man who does not beat his horse and who forgets to water him for long periods can seldom be reached by the law, and yet this crueity is far great than temporary pain that follows the feel of the lash.

This of these things Remember There will be a dance in Reyberg's hall Friday night. Whitneyville orchestra will furnish the music.

Tracey Stahl is visiting her cousin Alice Konkle for a few days. Mr. Warner is giving his mansion a new coat of paint.

Miss Mary McVean returned from California Monday. She is much de-lighted with the country there.

VERGENNES STATION.

Harold Wilson of Moseley is sick

Mrs. Alice Brown visited her sister, Mrs. G. Ring, at Smyrna last week. Mrs. C. Ford and Miss F. Stevens spent Sunday at A. Richmond's in

Warren Ford is at Trufant. H. D. Weeks has been laid up with

Miss Frankle Lewis visited in Coopersville with Mrs. Brown last

E. Ring visited his brother in Grand Rapids last week. Mrs. Church and daughter visited her relatives in Cannon two days last

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Shoup of Carson City visited her parents, E. Ring and wife last week.

C. R. Porter and wife visited her nephew, F. J. Morrison, also Dr. McAvoy in Grand Rapids Friday and

Chas. Wilson of Moseley entertained his brother from Clair last week. D. Garfield and wife visited relatives in Whitneyville Sunday.

Mrs. P. Mansor and baby were on the sick list last week. Leon and Kent Jakeway and the Misses Rouche were called Sunday in the Catholic church at Parnell.

C. O. LAWRENCE

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Get light on the subject for 6% at Collar's bazaar.

Eugene Cambell has returned from Glendo, Wyoming, for a short stay. Quick Meal Steel Range exhibition at Boylan's store for one week, com-mencing Sept. 28. All invited.

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ever in Lowell will be shown this season at Hakes' Furniture Store and at prices so low that it will surprise everybody. Quality being the first consideration. I do most emphatically mention QUAL-ITY as nearly all good live buyers are looking for quality as well as prices and I have them both—and every investigator admits it. Call and see for yourself.

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