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Be Wise



Like the squirrel and lay aside for the rainy day and the cold winter. If you have a little money saved up that you can draw on any time you will en-joy life much better. You wont be worrying everytime you have an off day what the fam-ily would do if you happened to be sick. Every working-man in town should save a little each week, no matter how small his salary. We solicit your savings.

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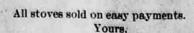
The City Bank, Hill, Watts & Co.

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Three No. 15 ROUND HEAT-. ERS which burn hard or soft coal \$6.25 or wood at......

Good size BASE BURNER Wood Heaters at \$9.90

A STEEL RANGE fully guaranteed for \$24.90



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Watches Clocks Jewelry Silverware Fancy China Kodaks and supplies

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.

TF YOU want good goods, the best that money can buy, goods that are of superior workmanship and quality, goods that are up-to-the-times, goods that. are sold under a guarantee to be perfect, goods that will please you in every particular, come to us-we can please you in every way.

Come in any time and see the different lines we carry. You are always welcome, whether you buy or not.

A. D. OLIVER

No. I haven't sold out. Ain't going to sell either. I've got a good market and a good busniess and things coming my way every day. Why should I quit? Not on your tintype. My fisg still waves

What'll You Have For Dinner?

Beef, Pork, Mutton. Veal in all forms, smoked, cooked etc., prime Sansages, Hams and Bacon, Fresn and Salt water Psah, Oysters. Alpine Canned Vegetables and Corn, Seare' Baked goods, Shelf Groceries.

Weyrick Has 'Em.

CHAPMAN SAYS HA HA

OUR LOS ANGLES PEOPLE TO BE GIVEN AWAY BY THE ARE TICKLED.

Cold Storage Proposition, Brings Down the House.

Some weeks ago we received a letter from our old friend, Will M. Chapman, which we have been unable to refer to until now. The following extract serves to show that the old boy is in good-spirits.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 24, 1904. Dear Friend:—

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Dear Friend:—
How are you? Judging from the ringing editorials you still continue to turn out, I know you are all right politically, religiously and intellectually! And I now pause [to sharpen, hum-drum life to congratulate and thank you for what you are doing for your community and us.

If I ever saw my wife convulsed with laughter, it was when she read your editorial on the condition of Train's hall for opera house. How vividly you described it.

Once upon a time, I attended a lecture given by "Mark Twain." Just for the nonce, he had a piece of cloth about 20 ft. long fastened to rollers which was operated by an Irishman. The entire little device made me think of the days when I used to turn grindstone during the noon hour for father to sharpen his seythe Well, this piece of canvas which contained danbs or spots of paint upon it, gave "Mark" an opportunity to "spread himself" while expatiating upon the beautiful scenery in a "Holy Land" trip, besides keeping his audience in a merry laugh continually. At the close, he stepped to the front of the piatform and in a mild, gentle voice while his whole face showed an injured look, "Mark" re-marked: "Ladies and gentlemen; I cannot keep it from you any longer those brown spots in my panoramic views are—are—are horses."

He bowed himself off the stage amid boquets, shouts and roars of laughter.

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So, in like manner you, too, convulse a part of your readers at least with that closing editorial which I will call, for want of a better name, win can, for want of a better hame, a parody, I accept it as the true original the center of the great "Why Train's Opera House was built." With one sweep of the pen you cover and exhaust the whole subject in one word—"COLD-STORAGE."

Tourists are now pouring into our city by the car-loads. Many are here from old Kent Co., Mich. Here's compliments of the season Here's computed for you and yours.
Fraternally yours
Will M. Chapman.

2710 Michigan Ave.

DEATH OF C. M. MERRIMAN,

rmer Lowell Citizen, at Gran Rapids, Aged 72 Years.

Charles M. Merriman, a former resident of Lowell, died at his home at 75 Fourth street, Grand Rapids, Sunday, Jan. 29, after a long illness. The remains were brought to Lowell and interred at Oakwood cemetery.

Mr. Merriman was 72 years old and had lived in Grand Rapids since he moved there with his family about ten years ago. Previous to that time he had made his home in Lowell for a good many years. He had been in poor health for a number of years, and for several weeks had been very ill. He leaves his wife, one daughter, Ethel, and two sons, Bert and Can.

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES

Rev. James Hamilton, Field Secretary Conference Claimants Endowment Fund, will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

Arthur Wesbrook will lead the Epworth League service, subject "The Enlarging Kingdom."
Cottage pra, er meetings: Friday evening at Mrs. Noble's; Saturday evening at Mrs. Hoag's.

Mrs. E. Newcomb will entertain the Ladies Aid society at a coffee at her home Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 8.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Next Sunday morning the pastor will speak of "Some pratical lessons from the experience of Nicodemus."
Sunday evening the story of Paul's life will be continued. Paul starts upon his first missionary journey.
The midweek service this week Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parker entertertained the Jolly Twenty pedro club last Saturday evening. Cards were played until eleven o'clock, the prize winners being being: 1st., Mrs. F. B. McKay and R. B. Loveland; consolation, Chris. Bergin and Mrs. C. E. Hicks. After refreshments came music and dancing, L. J. Robinson and Mrs. F. Alger furnishing the music. The guests departed at a late hour, voting Mr. and Mrs. Parker the jolliest of entertainers.—Com.

The Spartan society of the Bantist

Take Notice.

Any one wishing to secure good second hand household goods can see same at Weyrick's market.

PRIZE MACHINE

LOWELL LEDGER

To the Lady Who Gets the Most Votes in This Comest.

The Ledger's prize sewing machine—a Champion, manufactured by the New Home Sewing Machine Co.—is now on exhibition at this

The vote as counted at noon on the date of this paper is as follows: Mrs. Frank Finch Mrs. John D. Crawford..... Miss Annabelle Davidson

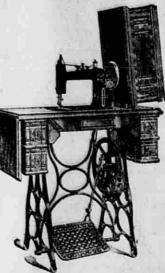
Put your votes in the ballot box, not in the item box. Local items dropped into the ballot box can not

The contest will close Wednesday evening, April 5, at 7.30.

Persons at a distance can send

their votes by mail to this office or direct to the one for whom they

The conditions of the contest are stated below; and if interested persons will read them they will save themselves the trouble of asking un-



This is a picture of the prize sew ing machine being contested for. It is worth working for.

It has a full set of attachments. four side drawers, large center drawer, drop leaf and cover; and the regular price is \$35.

The votes will be counted every Thursday noon and announced in the Ledger each week. Those expecting to compete for the prize should get in their votes at once. The "still hunt" has always failed. Keep the ball rolling. That's the

only way.

Liberal commissions paid to workers who secure new subscribers. Fif dollar paid on subscription during the contest. The subscriber gives the votes to whom he pleases The solicitor gets them if he can

The same general plan will be followed as in our previous contests. This time it is confined to private individuals. Societies and organiza-tions will not be invited to compete. Continuing throughout the con-test a coupon good for one vote will appear in each copy of The Ledger; and for every dollar paid on subscription DURING THIS CONTEST a coupon good for 52 votes will be given; with every 50c., 26 votes; and with every 25c., 13 votes.

Those who have already paid their subscriptions in advance can secure coupons of value to correspond with the time paid ahead of January 1,'05 The ballot box will be in its former position at the foot of our stairway and votes may be cast at any time.

L. O. T. M. M. Installation and Banquet.

Lowell Hive No. 324, L. O. T. M. M. held their installation of officers last Thursday evening. Since the state convention at Battle Creek last June they have had new rituals, and the

work is very pretty.

The following officers were installed: Commander, Agnes Wiley; lieutenant commander, Roxie Townsend; Record keeper, Jennie Covert; finance keeper, Lois Eggleston; past commander, Gertrude Crawford; chaplain, Mary Lasby; sergeant. Fannie Lawrence: mistress-at-arms,

Catherine Stone; sentinel, Dolly Harkness; picket, Erma Monroe. After the ceremony of installation Mrs. Stone, in behalf of the Lady Maccabees, presented the commander with a beautiful Japanese chocolate pot, and the lieutenant com-mander with a chop plate. The company then retired to the banquet where refreshments were

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to extend my heart felt thanks to my friends and neighbors for their kindness in my time of trouble. Also to the business men of this village for the sympathy and kindness which they have shown me. Mrs. Mary Cook.

To the School Children

I have introduced a new up-to-date The Spartan society of the Baptist church will be entertained by Mesdames Mathew and Willard Hunter Friday, Feb. 10, price for the ride and supper, 25c. The sleighs will be at Nicholson's store at one o'clock.

multiplying camera in my studio and for a short time to get acquainted I will make you 1 dozen stamp photos 2 positions finish from both for 25c.

F. B. Rhodes.

Successor to Mrs. Moflit.

For sale,—New double surrey Will takenew milch cow in part pay ment. Inquire of Geo. M. Parker, Phone 181. tf

Do It Now

Procure a box of LOOK'S COLD and GRIPPE TABLETS and when you feel a cold or the grippe coming on take a dose and break it up before it lays you off. This will stop any ordinary attack of grippe or cold and to do this is well worth while.

If the cold gets started use the remedy according to directions and cure, the cold in from 24 to 36 hours. We guarantee it. Price 25c.

D. G. Look

The Drug and Stationery Store.

OVERLOADED

In looking over my stock previous to taking inventory I find that I bought too heavily; and must unload and turn this bran new stock into cash as quickly as possible. To do this I will use the knife on prices in

Expensive Watches, Clocks, Silverware Sowing Machines and Organs

Thus offering great inducements to cash customers. Victor Talking Machines and Talk-O-Phones.

R. D. STOCKING.

No Secret About our Potato Bread.

We use Ceresota flour, Fleishmann & Co.'s yeast, lard, sugar, salt and boiled potatoe.

We have had twenty-five years experience—from boyhood up—in mak-

We perhaps know some things about fermentation, growth of yeast plant, proper ageing, conditions of temperature and its effects upon dough that the housewife has not learned. That is why we can make more uniformly good bread than she can. Our Potato Bread is the Acme of success.

WELDON SMITH, The Baker.

The Great Majestic Range.



A Majestic Malicaule Iron and Steel Range will last a lifetime, properly handled, and you will say after using one that the price paid was the best investment you ever made. The first cost of a Majestic Mallenble Iron and Steel Range is just a little more than a cast iron or a cast iron and steel range, but there are good reasons for it. Call and let us explain more fully.

Scott & Winegar

men of this country on a level with the hens have grown sulky and refuse foreign noblemen.

to lay at all now,

Lord Is Poor.

Lord Rosslyn's sisters are hard up

Jersey and the County much new machinery installed. The Joyce of New Jersey and the County much new machinery installed. The Sligo said he could whip any man who tract is one of the few remaining in said be was dead. And not a man said western Michigan, and the logs will a word.

Anxious for Honors.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

Echange any that "a woman care take a fool of any mm." As a woman care take a fool of any mm." As woman care take a fool of any mm. The state of the

Farmers' institutes.
That last year's casendar may not be altogether useless, after all. You may need it to figure up how long your note has yet to run.

They are always talking about the broken has have completed in the state for the winter the constitutes, and Fol. Taft, superintendent of its the world do so as soon as the follows. Standard Oil, Not long ago, Rose City people had been been the district the world for the world of in the seales of the situation on direct world w

Drastic Cure.

As above.

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An Addian farmer has forty hens. They recently got into bad habits, by onlying the fruit of their own effection" this year. It is up to the people generally to elect whether they will keep their new year resolutions or not. Go to.

That lecturer who says a woman should wit marry until she can support a husband must want to put the poor a full soundry on a level with the says grown sulky and refuse.

Drastic Cure.

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Moonshine in Court. be brought to Muskegon by rail and

Farmer's Barn Burns. healthy," says the Nebracka State

Three towns in Michigan have

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Claimed credit for being the birth
Cody, a farmer near Coral, was burned

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A large barn belonging to Larry

John MacKenzie, a Chicago mining expert, and two prespectors, M. A. Call

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gro Murderor While Aboard Train.

Take Charge of Proporty,

liceman "kissing all the men she could lay her hands on." It would, of met at the former place to discuss the course, have been very rude on the part of the men if they had pushed this year. Committees were appointed to look into the thing further.

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Thirty-two inductments mave been returned against N. S. Walpole, the new by appointed postmaster of Pueblo, Col. making a total of 40 indictments against him in connection with election frauds.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

institutions, and now the same old junket is on, only it will start quietly,

Overcomes Big Woodman.

Officer Dan Stout, although a little fellow, is well able to stand up for all that his name implies. A burly the salaries thereof and other expenses Bay City is all stuck up now. They all that his name implies. A burly the salaries thereof and other expenses

everybody who had a bill in mind but not prepared, would introduce a bill by Justice Doty of Ann Arbor became title, as, 'A bill to amend the act prohumorous when George Moon appeared before him on a charge of beThen, if he wanted to put in the real it has now reached the most distant. The Japanese guns refrained from re-

now that jiu-jitsu is to be taught at the naval scademy et Annapolis, it ought to be taught at West Point, took of the West Point to take the Poi

Journal, "you can eat a bowl of corn meal mush and milk for supper and sleep like a kitten till the roosters crow at "aylight." But why mush and milk if the stomach's O. K.?

A woman was fined for disorderly conduct at Bristol, England, the other day because she was found by a policeman "kissing all the men she liceman "kissing all the men she could lay her hands on." It would, of the super land to the ground, together with three blocks is about \$3,000, the ground, together with three day because she was found by a policeman "kissing all the men she could lay her hands on." It would, of the super land two prospectors, M. A. Call to the ground, together with three day because she was found by a policeman "kissing all the men she could lay her hands on." It would, of the super land two prospectors, M. A. Call to the ground, together with three horse. Cleveland, Ohio, dispatch: Mrs. Cleveland, Ohio, dispatch: While Governor Vardaman was returning home on a Yazoo and Mississippi Valled Bristol, was making up a folding bed, the bed closed catching her heading her her heading her heading her her her her her her her hea

PEACE RUMORS ARE AFLOAT

At 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon the legislature adjourned to meet Tuesday. February 7, this being done to give the committees a chance to visit the state tiations With Field Marshal Oyama Looking Toward Ending War.

for money. If Edward will make titles and stuck up now. They descend from women the lettitle hunhave had an English lord in the town for many years and didn't know about ants out of the poorhouse.

Bay City is all stuck up now. They woodsman came into Alpena and started to clean up on the inhabitants out of the poorhouse.

Woodsman came into Alpena and started to clean up on the inhabitants until he bumped into Daniel.

The air was full of Mackinaw coats

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In but that does not matter. He is there now and is going to stay because there on the provided manner of the solution of the people of the solution of the solution which are solved and control of the solution of the solut

nese line. CONDITIONS IN RUSSIA.

be brought to Muskegon by rail and water.

Wilagers in Kamtschaftka are having a deal of trouble with starving bears, which, in their urn, have brouble in digesting the villagers. The average Kamtschaftkan is "a tough proposition."

Monroe's Company is Praised.

Maj. Vernon of the regular army have recorded for the care of the c

VARDAMAN ARRESTS A SLAVER | MRS. CHADWICK IS A BANKRUPT

BY ST. GEORGE RATTIBORNE

CHAPTER XVI.-Continued. I ply, and Jack notices that his com-Bravo!" cries Jack; "such sublime panion appears to be looking earnestly courage must always command my re- beyond the fire, shading his eyes with spect. I am at your side, senor. If his hand in order that he may see the there are ladies to protect, every man better.

ere, I am sure, will do his duty." Jack undoubtedly means every mands, quickly. word, although he dresses his language in this bombastic manner in order to match Roblado, who, impressed late. Look yonder at the moving figwith the fact that his devotion to duty | ures-two, five, a dozen, twenty. Yes, as a Spanish gentleman has borne I am sorry to say we have been disfruit, eagerly reaches out his long thin | covered; the guerrilleros are here!" "Sir. I salute you. Such sentiments

of lofty courage must always bind the hearts of brave men in a common brotherhood. There are four of usnay, six-to stand against the enemy. tling enough to alarm the bravest, We will be a match for all they can Travers does not show much indicabring against us." "The battle, or massacre, whichever the extended finger of his agent, he.

Spencer, who thus enters into the con- ures. versation for the first time. against a possible attack, for I am that distance, and with only the fire strongly inclined to believe some of light to guide him, Jack can see that the rebels will find their way along they are rough looking men, some of

is sure to be noticed." Hurrying to the side of the compart- How his companion is enabled to ment, they proceed to do whatever is determine their identity as guerrillas, possible in order to protect the in and not the patriots fighting under the terior. All work with a vim—cushions | banner of Gomez, is a puzzle too deep are utilized, the guard brings various for Jack. articles from his den, and in a very It is a time for prompt action. They brief space of time quite a respectable | will have to retreat to their rude fortshowing is made.

"Come," says Jack, with consider- bravely. able satisfaction, when Smithers ap- "Where is the guard?" asked Smithpears with his arms filled with more ers. "truck" with which to fill the cracks "And Ah Sin?" echoes Jack. and crannies, "we are doing nobly, my dear fellow. But, honestly, do you rarily. Nor do they appear to be inimagine there is any possibility of our side the fire lines. being attacked here?"-lowering his

voice to a whisper. "Well, it wouldn't surprise me," reany rate. Come, sir, let us enter." joins the other, slowly and seriously. "But, if it should come-they are open fire on them?" continues Trav- ger in the air. ers, seeking to cut a Gordian knot by

the most direct method. "Not if they were Gomez and his knife," remarks Smithers; and Romen. I know them well, and their battle cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my the rough men already gathering about the cry of Cuba libra is music to my t ears. But there are others, sir." "Others! You mean the Spanish

under no flag, who war upon every of the ladies," the old Spaniard says, one they meet, robbing pacifico and hoarsely. "Yes, I have heard of these devils. voices from the dark interior announce of the carriage to do their very has both Japanita and her step step. But why should you fear that they that both Juanita and her step-sister may descend upon us?" inquires Travhave heard what manner of danger
declares the most venturesome of the showed that \$175,000 of a \$200,000

the carriage, with Ah Sin and the guard near by, ready to enter at any is the quiet response Jack makes.

"You can depend upon us, senor," guerrillas are advancing to the attack. The full amount is to be duplicated by guard near by, ready to enter at any time should it be necessary, and as their conversation is carried on in low tones, the chances of its being overheard are slight indeed.

"These human birds of prey seem to have inside information as to when a battle is about to take place, and they hang round like dogs waiting to pick up the crumbs from the master's table. I only hope some day both Gomez and the Spaniards will turn round and been raised for the college. The full amount is to be duplicated by John D. Rockefeller.

The light of the fire discloses this fact, and as the men at bay crouch there beside the opening, watching there beside the opening, watching there beside the opening, watching the seconds that pass.

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"The guerrilleros are here!"

| looking lot as those assembling around to the death. If they are in the neighborhood and see us, we must expect and has betrayed its trust.

| death | looking lot as those assembling around the fire that was built for protection and has betrayed its trust.

| browse along the highways of the sauerkraut and link-sausage districts in the land of Wayback instead of nib-mayor of Andria have resulted in the borhood and see us, we must expect and has betrayed its trust.

to fight for our lives."

Fully half of the guerrilles of The fires will draw them."

happens so. Perhaps it might be wise observation. happens so. Perhaps it might be wise to extinguish them, and remain in the dark. We could have them ready to

"I should feel more at ease, sir. If "I don't cuestion it in the least," was driving a fine-looking multiyou knew these guerrilleros as well as replies Smithers, who develops some hitched to a brand new wagon. Que to do, you would be fully as anxious to I do, you would be fully as anxious to avoid discovery by them, if it could emergency.

"Then, if that be so, we should first Snow Hill.

"And what "Perhaps I am even more so, since I of all endeavor to protect the ladies "And what did you pay for it?"

turning his thumb over his shoulder in can arrange it so that they may be to get \$100 to pay the note when it facturers' association meeting the direction of the carriage, and the safe there." agent knows what he means. Spencer, of course, does so. Jack The old darky's face assumed an Coot of Ashland, Ky., president.

In arranging the cushions so as rotect the two girls. Jack chances to ouch the hand of Jessie Cameron, and s amazed at the remarkable thrill that | 2 seems to run over his whole frame. just as might a shock from a galvanic

some dismay: "I had no idea it had gone as far as that. This is really alarming." Nevertheless, he continues to carry out his work, and is rewarded by a low 'Thank you," that amply repays him

for everything. "What are they doing now?" he asks "What has struck you?" he Smithers, who has been keeping "I am afraid, sir, your suggestion, "Gathered about the fire and talking though a good one, comes a little too the matter over, with many extravacant jestures. They seem a little afraid lest the carriage contain sol-

CHAPTER XVII.

pargain; for already some of them are "Guerra a Cuchillo!" advancing, and, from the way they Although Smithers' words are station of such a feeling, as, following it may be, still goes on," remarks too, readily discovers the moving fig-

They appear to come out of the "Then let us be making ready woods in couples or little squads. At the back trail, looking for us, as the them negroes, carrying guns and ma-absence of my carriage from the train chetes; but that is as far as his observation goes.

ress and meet the expected assault

Both have, indeed, vanished tempo-"We will have to leave them out. There is hardly room for all inside, at | is rewarded by a low "Thank you."

At the door they meet the senor. "What is wrong, gentlemen" he your friends, you know-would you asks, quick to catch the scent of dan one within the railway carriage 6:4 inches. "The guerrilleros have come, senor strained to the utmost. I am afraid we will have war to the

the fire that is down the incline. soldiers may retreat this way?"

"Senors, it looks as though we are in for it. I trust you will not forget the guerrilleros—the men who fight wour promise to assist in the defense who was a cattleman.

"Quarter need be neither asked nor given, and the result of the coming en-He utters a favorite ejaculation.

Several exclamations in feminine

Safety of Jessie.

Roblado is quick to accept this suginto the home of Edward Anderson in
gestion which Smithers advances. He
St. Louis and arrested three men, a being so close to this woman who has entered in and taken possession of his heart, although he is under bond not to betray his identity. Jack rather entered in the tone in which they are adjoys the simution, or at least he would if it were not for the deadly peril which hovers over the one he loves. threats to scorn. which hovers over the one he loves.
At any rate, he is deeply grateful for "Down!" cries Smithers, pulling Capt. J. H. V. Triggs, aged 63, a native of Indianapolis, Ind., died sudnative of Indianapolis, Indianapo

the privilege of standing up in her de- Several shots have sounded, and the denly at Duluth, Minn., from liver Little is said wthin the car; the time car. for words has gone by, and action (To be continued.)

must take their place. true inwardness of the situation. At- who act as state editors on the metro- He was a prominent and active memtracted by the light of the fires, they politan dallies poke fun at the coun- ber of the G. A. R. have arrived at the railroad, to find a try editor all the year round, but we George Evertson Woodward, a civil carriage standing there; but what that vehicle of transportation actually conshanks under the corn-fed editor's tatains is as yet but a surmise with ble long about now and proceed to do & St. Paul railroad, and later its chief

He has been thrown in contact with have the opportunity to pick a home Free traders captured another par crowds of rough men during his life grown spare rib they'd probably know liamentary seat in the by-election held on Texan plains and in Colorado mountains, but never in all his experionce has he run across such a tough-

them the better since their appearance "What we meant for our preserva- does not go far toward reassuring the Col. Ed Bowie, of "de Eastern S tion may prove our ruin. Well, it often ladies when they venture to take an of Maryland, has a negro tenant

dark. We could a train coming." anxiety in his voice. that old Ben, the darky in question.

by Ben that he had "bot de outfit" at have something to think of that does from flying lead. Col. Spencer, will "I gib ma note for \$100." not bother your mind, Smithers"— you kindly vacate that corner? We "And where on earth do you expect falls due?" asked Col. Ed.

"Suppose we call Senor Roblado out, then, and put him in possession of the facts?" continues Jack. "Whatever he declars and scared. Perhaps he has been drinking hard, and is not in good condition for proving his mettle. All the more reason, then, why those who limited the same assumed an interest assumed an interest and in a grieved tone he replied:

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have no such excuse should do their LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Produce. dalsies, Cooleys, 21420c, 18619c, 15616c; packing stock, 18619c, 15616c; packing stock, 18619c, 1862 Full cream, daisles, 1114612 11@114c; young Americas, nghorns, 114.612c; cheddars, 114@114c; Swiss, block, 1114@12c; 1114@12c; brick, 1114@12c; off grades. "Come," he mutters to himself in

-Fresh stock, at mark, 20@250 5c; prime firsts, 2sc; extra (high packed for city trade, 3oc. poultry—Turkeys, per lb. 13c; s, fowls, per doz. \$5.0079.00. potatoes—Illinois, choice, \$2.500 mmon, \$1.6002.00. oes—Car lots on track; Wisconnessota and Michigan Burbanks, choice, 32634c; extra fancy, 35c.

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Snow fell steadily at Nashville. hold their guns, they mean business." Tenn., for twenty-four hours and the It would be strange indeed if everyground was covered to a depth of eight not in a greater or less degree feel a E. Dillar Davis, for many years a

sensation as if their nerves are dry goods merchant of Sterling, II has failed, poor collections being giv The situation warrants it. Deadly en as the cause. may not avail, and who will prove to Brown street bridge, at Lafayette, Ind.

be veritable demons once the battle is He was about 60 years old and well Cay, in which the Cayman fishermen It is this fact that nerves the defend- are concerned, is announced.

Cure: Lung Troubles. Money back If it fails. Trial Bottles fi Smithers is quite correct when he of Vassar College at Washington

bullets crash into the woodwork of the complaint. He had been a resident of Duluth for twenty years and a citizens. He amassed a great fortune So far as they can see, the newcom-ers have not as yet fully grasped the Contempt for the Country Sanctum, in real estate in the '80's, but this was subsequently very largely swept away.

them.

Jack does not fancy their looks at cakes liberally lathered with real but-Near Hotel Lowell. ter and maple syrup, or could just ticles on architecture and horticulture

Fully half of the guerrillas are bling along the barren asphalt pave discovery of the tombs of two wives "Now I understand what you mean. The fires will draw them."

"That is a fact, sir, if they come As to the others, the least said about lets.—Northport, Mich., Leader.

Fully half of the guerrillas are ments in the city of frosty mits, health foods and homeopathic mince pie table. The foods and homeopathic mince pie table. Forty persons were cut by flying Forty persons were cut by flying Call on ... glass, an Italian, supposed to have been Vincenzo Pessimato, was blown to atoms, and 2,500 windows were broken by an explosion of dynamite at the Shoenberger plant of the American Wire and Steel company in Pitts-

> d road and seven lake steamships, has been sold to the New York Central. and the lake line will be consolidated with the Western Transit company, a branch of the New York Central The National Hard Wood Man Nashville, Tenn., elected R. H.

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From Our Point of View

Concerning the vital People vs. Trusts problem, recent events are very encouraging; and confidence in the President is seen not to have been misplaced. On Monday the United States Supreme Court gave three decisions concerning suits started by him, in all of which he is victorious. The most important was adverse to the beef trust, which is declared by Charles Edward Russell in Everybody's for February to be the greatest and worst of all trusts. It is now announced by the Administration that the Amour-Swift gang must comply with the law or be treated like lesser criminals. Mr. Russell, in his article, clearly shows that the lever by which the beef trust and the Standard Oil company have forced their infamous burdens upon the public is the railroad rebate. Here again is home legond where their son bordies were held at the root of the trust evil; and his speech at the Philadelphia Pluinon League club banquet, a club composed largely of wealth where the control of the trust evil; and his speech at the Philadelphia plans, let them hear from their constituents in larguage that can not be misunderstood. He that is not with the People in this fight has no business mis-representing them. Tell your congressmen oppose him in his righting plans, let them hear from their constituents in larguage that can not be misunderstood. He that is not with the People in this fight has no business mis-representing them. Tell your congressmen to support Roosevel in his fight against the railroad rebate. Write today.

GRAFT dies hard. Some folks have become so imbued with the idea that "Public office is a private snap," and a accustomed to ramming their hands into the public treasury up to the elbows, that they are not disposed to quit until actually choked off. The Board of Auditors in its brief existence did office is a private snap," and a constant of apport Roosevel in his fight against the many friends assembled to the result of the public office is a private snap," and so accustomed to ramming their hands into the public treasury up CONCERNING the vital People vs. Trusts problem, recent her home in Grand Rapids after

with the idea that "Public office is a private snap," and so accustomed to ramming their hands into the public treasury up to the elbows, that they are not disposed to quit until actually choked off. The Board of Auditors in its brief existence did a considerable choking, and the choakee realizing the hopelessness of opposing the public demand pretend to acquiesce in the re-establishment of such board; but with assassin-like stealth it conceals under under its cloak a knife to destroy the usefulness of such board. This knife is Attorney More's bill making it conceals under under its cloak a knife to destroy the usefulness of such board. This knife is Attorney More's bill making the Public demand pretend to acquiesce in the word of Auditors a mere creature of the Board of Auditors and particularly to be composed of supervisors. We wouldn't give a hurrah in Hades for the political future of ANY MAN who fights the popular will in this matter. We want a Board of Auditors of the People, selected by the People and trying to sell imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery derother who seek under the Discovery defor Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to George Hall and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Grand Rapids.

The first action when you have a cold should be to relieve the lungs. This le best accomplished by the free use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This Remedy lluques the rough mucus and causes its expulsion from two you. Is our name on the wrapper. Look for it on all Dr. King's, or word of the board of Auditors and the creation of the Board of Supervisors. We wouldn't give a hurrah in Hades for the political future of the Board of Auditors of the People, selected By the People and trying to sell imitation of Dr. King's Nor. Proposition of Mrs. And Mrs. Can. Mrs. All Mrs. Can. Mrs. All Mrs. Can. Mrs. Can. Mrs. Can. Mrs. want a Board of Auditors of the People, selected by the People and accountable To the People. This old idea that a handful of men-no matter what kind-is greater than the whole people, has been played to the limit; and our public SERVANTS will do well to remember it.

IT is To laugh, when we think of the Battle Creek City Council being broken up by an explosion of formalhyde, the odors causing the city fathers to weep. Now, the Lowell Council couldn't be stampeded by a trifle like that. From the minute President Hakes and his co-workers light their "fragrant Havanas," there arises a dense, blue-black barricade, over, through or under which no smell, natural, manufactured or conceivable, could ever climb. Thus protected, our city dads are safe from moths, microbes, bombs and smells. | Come to Lowell and learn, you Battle Creek infants!

THE Cedar Springs Democrat ironically suggests that THE LEDGER owes an apology to Attorney Rodgers for using the word "steal" in connection with his bill of \$700 for work he asked to be permitted to do for \$100. Work, by the way, the People did not want; and dirty work at that. - Brother Link: Those who choose may designate that useful article as "An implement with a wooden handle and steel blade, to dig in the dirt with;" but as for us, we doing fairly well by simply calling a spade "A SPADE!"

WE WISH to warn our readers against having any dealings with the Geo. P. Way Ear Drum concern, whose advertisement crept into our last issue. When we were in Detroit recently we called at their address; and our experience was such that we have ordered the advertisement out. In dealing with strangers. a safe rule is to pay no money until you have seen and tried the goods. Five dollars to restore one's hearing is a trifle; but five cents for a fraud is robbery.

Our townsman, Otice C. Post, student at the Agricultural Gollege, denies that Henry S. Johnson of Lyons was hazed or unkindly or disrespectfully treated in any manner; and quotes the College physician as saying that Johnson's death was due to a diseased condition existing when he entered. We are glad to give the denial equal publicity with our criticism, based upon State press reports. We feel kindly toward the M. A. C.; and thank our young friend for setting us right.

FOLLOWING the barbers' and blacksmiths' lead, Prairie Creek Grange wants a state board to examine and license farm laborers. Some fine morning, the People will wake up and find that all their rights have been made unlawful. We are being legislated and officered to death.

THE Commoner very aptly suggests to Governor Penny-packer that if he will expatriate himself and move to Russia, he will find a condition of the press that will please him. Spot these men who would restrict freedom of the press, which no HONEST man need fear.

WHEN we recall that the need for a board of auditors grew out of the neglect and inefficiency of the Board of Supervisors, the "nerve" of the latter in demanding control of the Rexall former is seen to be "Too bright, too beautiful to last."

Miss Mattie Patterson visited riends at Grand Rapids and Sand Mrs. J. T. Epley and son Ernest of rand Rapids are the guests of her arents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson. Miss Ellen Bates has returned to

Leroy and Francis Seese are

at Lowell Thursday.

Mrs. N. Blough of Grand Rapids is s visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

of the money pald for out of town work is lost to Lowell entirely.



plump and rosy it is healthy, but if it is white and shrunken it is certainly diseased — and diseased hair is the short road to a bald head. Few people can afford a bald head, for a bald head is when youth is a moving factor, when a man has to make his mark at thirtyfive or he dubbed a "has been" when the state of a man has to make his mark at thirty-five or be dubbed a "has been" — when business houses pension the men we used to call "middle aged," rather than allow their lagging influence to intrude upon the modern rush — you will certainly believe me in saying a bald head is a serious handicap. Few people can afford a bald head. Even those who can. Those who are "fixed" socially, financially and matrimonially have no desire for bald heads. But whether we can afford it or not thousands of us are

Other millions have been spent in an effort to restore faded hair to its natural shade, and still others to banish dandruff. Still hair refused to grow; lost tints of brown, blond and auburn failed

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can afford it or not thousands of us are bald, either partially or wholly. What caused the baldness, whether an inherited tendency, undue mental effort, sickness, dandruff or other scalp disease, whether an inherited tendency. What we want is a construction of a desire to sell my customers just the remedies that give them value for their money. All I ask is the return of the empty bottle. Price of the center a bettle

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| Silks and San-<br>silks<br>thile they last                                           |                                                                                                    | Ladies Fine White Muslin Skirts and gowns elegantly made and lined our \$1.50 grade each 98c | Winner Cotton Bats 4c bat                                                                 | Children's<br>Fleece Lined<br>Undewear while<br>they last each<br>16c                  | Full 36 inch Skirting goods correct patterns while it lasts.  8½C yd      | Fancy striped Shirtings, new goods, late effects, while it lasts 6c yd        | Silkelenes All colors, all patterns, while it lasts 8c yd                                   |
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| Good Prints                                                                          | Children's high art winter coats late styles, all up-to-date, 6.50, to 9.50 values while they last | Turkey Red Table Damask fancy checks, 45c grade while it lasts 29c yd                        | Ladies' fine Maco Yarn Vests and Pants 25, 35 and 50c values. Each 19c                    | Childs Cotton Union Suits while they last each 17c                                     | Fancy Dress<br>Gingham, tasty<br>patterns, while<br>they last<br>5C yd    |                                                                               | All our Cotton- ades 25c quality ass't patterns while it lasts  11c yd                      |
| Fancy Outing Flannels, all patterns, full width, while it lasts 4c yd                | Ladies short winter coats, Kerseys and Beavers, 5.50 to 8.00 values, while they last               | Fine large size Huck Towells while they last Each 70                                         | Buttons of all kinds for garments. All size worth up to 50c a doz. Per doz.               | Serges, etc. 25c,<br>35, and 40c                                                       | 27 inch Flannel-<br>ettes Correct<br>patterns, while<br>it lasts<br>8C yd | High grade pure White Damask Table Linen, 72 inches wide 1.75 value \$1.10 yd | while it lasts  3c yd                                                                       |
| Fine grade White Bed- spreads, soft and flexible, 1.50 values, while they last, each | 27in. Tapestry<br>Carpets, choice<br>patterns<br>while they last<br>55c yd                         | Ladies High Grade Ribbed fleece lined Un- derwear while they last each                       | Fischers, Dela and Royal Floss and Saxony Yarn, all colors Per skein 6c                   | Warranted All<br>Linen Crash 19<br>inches wide<br>while it lasts<br>per yard<br>7 1-2C | quality while they last pair                                              | Knitting Cotton<br>All colors while<br>they last                              | Child's Black<br>Hose. Our 20c<br>grade, sizes 8½<br>to 9½, while<br>they last, pair<br>13c |
| Fine quality India Linon, nice and shear while it lasts 5½c yd                       | Novelty Silks Silk waistings lining silks, all shades, while it lasts 33c yd                       | Ladies' fine Ribbed pants and Vests while they last each . 17c                               | Magnolia Bias Velveteen all colors 3c yd                                                  | Peerless Carpet Warp all colors, while it lasts. Pound 20c                             | e while they last                                                         | Flannel Night                                                                 | Ladies' fast<br>black Hose, fin<br>quality, all size<br>while they last<br>per pair         |
| Lace Curtains full 3½ yards while they las per pair 78c                              | Full size Turkish Tow-                                                                             | Manchester<br>Chambrays ass's<br>colors, while it<br>lasts, per yard                         | Childs and Misses Natural wool Vests and Pants, all sizes 65c values, while they last 37c | Apron Check<br>Ginghams whi                                                            | Ladies' Wool Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pan 75c values whi they last 59c     | Union Suits                                                                   | 9-4 unbleached<br>Sheeting while<br>it lasts                                                |

NOTE-Now bear in mind the above prices do not mean that these are the only features we place on sale, but absolutely every article in the house goes at the same low prices without reserve. We can't enumerate every article on this sheet, but just come in and see the placards on everything we place before you. Bear in mind the M. RUBEN & CO.'S, LOWELL, KENT CO., MICH.

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of his wealth that we will honor his It was evidently considered a danger-

"To die is landing on a silent shore Where billows never beat, nor tempests roar."

of his weath that we will honor his memory."

They were seated on their usual bench one evening still making their plans, when they saw one of Sir Paul's footmen coming towards them and bringing the usual batch of papers and letters. It was the time at which the post generally came in, and they had made a habit of having their letters. The and of passing the half hour before and of passing the half hour before dinner in reading their letters. The man handed several to Lord Penlyn and one to ida, and they began to persue sethem. Those to Penlyn were ordinare in reading their letters. The man handed several to Lord Penlyn and one to ida, and they began to persue sethem. Those to Penlyn were ordinare in reading, and he was a about to turn round and ask ida if hers were of any importance, being the same and interesting the same importance, but you are of the greatest to me. When I tell you my name you will understand why. It is Miguel Garfanta."

"Guffanta!" Smerdon exclaimed, "Guffanta!" Smerdon exclaimed, "What do you want with me?" the other he used his alpenstock as a walking stick, he perceived a stone-tit may have been placed there for the man handed several to Lord Penlyn and one to ida, and they began to persue sethem. Those to Penlyn were ordinare in reading, and he was a shoult to turn round and ask ida if hers were of any importance medicine, and they sance the edge of tue plateau and the side of the mornine a wooden ralling had been erected, consisting of two short upright posts and a long cross one. As that we will have been erected, consisting of two short upright posts and a long cross one. As the man reached this plateau, holding to the rall with one hand, while with the other hand why. It is Miguel Garfanta."

"Guffanta!" Smerdon exclaimed, "What do you want with me?" the other as walking stick is a saked he knew the asked, but as he asked he knew the answer that would come from the man before him.

"But one letters and why. It is Miguel Garfanta."

"Your name is or no limited and why. It is Miguel

"Philip Smerdon my brother's mur- "Yet it must be done," he went on. speak of his nobility—but enough! Are

is true that he who, even while on the path, should turn giddy, or walk carelessly, would risk his life, for though above him only are the vast white

| Streams of New England where mosquitoes breed would be preferable to the use of kerosene in destroying the punished, it shall not be by you, at least. Here, in this lonely place where

| Streams of New England where mosquitoes breed would be preferable to the use of kerosene in destroying the previous to the use of kerosene in destroying the punished, it shall not be by you, at least. Here, in this lonely place where

| All the magazine clubs handled by quitoes breed would be preferable to the use of kerosene in destroying the previous combinations, may be the success combinations, may be the success combinations, may be peace or tranquillity? Ah, Gervase!

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\*\*So be it," he hissed in Smerdon's burned.\*\*

\*\*So be it," he hissed in Smerdon's burned.\*\* a name so given it, not because of its more calmly for leaving Europe, might longed punishment of your crime smallness-for it is two miles long, even look forward to returning to would do."

It is a lonely and grim road, a road place where I may feel safe." and pleces of rock that have fallen of the torrents in the valley. A light, from above, alone relieve the view on regular sound, that nowhere else but He felt one hand tighten round his

may be met with, and when sometimes he had come, and standing out clearly the voice of a goatherd calling his defined against the moonlight.

waning moon, exclaimed, as he lifted which is covered with oiled paper. the voice of a goatherd calling his defined against the moonlight. flocks rises from the valley below; but | "It is some guide going home," he | "Walter, you are avenged." lonelier and more grim, and more said to himself, "or starting out upon black and impenetrable at night, and an early ascent. How firmly he derarely or even then trod by human scends the path." foot. For he who should attempt the The man advanced, and he watched of air in five minutes; for want skin of the animal at \$200, and repassage of the Schwarzweiss Pass at him curiously, noticing the easy way of water in a week; for want of sleep fused an offer of \$125 for it.

there was a moon that, being near its heavy coil of rope that guides use in full, consequently rose late and shone their ascents.

weary steps, he descended a rough- that there was another man upon it. hewn path in the rock-a path which, and stopped. Stopped to gaze for one for safety, had a rude handrail of iron | moment at the previous occupant, and | weakness and the establishing of the deliattached to the side from which it was then to advance towards him and to cate womanly organs in sound health, the Oats, new...

He was the essence of charity and tening in the moonlight; for the moon and said: generosity." Penlyn said, "it shall be-by a charitable and generous disposal above by now, and lighted up the pass. "I do not know of what importance my name can be to you."

ous part of the route, since between but you are of the greatest to me. temperance medicine.

any important when he was startled There is an indefinite feeling of aw friend to death in-" by a sound from her lips—a sound that fulness in being alone at night amongst "Yes, I saw it. And you are the man he looked at her, he saw that she had the mountains, in knowing and feeling who did it!" sunk back against the wooden rail of that for miles around there is no other the garden seat, and that she was creature in these vast, cold solitudes ceived, and the envelope bearing the feeling now. green stamp of Switzerland, had fall- "How still-how awful this pass thief!"

en at her feet.

It is no said to himself, with no sound of the gradient below but the creaking of that glacier below leaving as he best towards her and —with no human being here hif me.

Is no said to himself, with no sound of a more than the feet.

John Bosma will sell his farm stock it has been made to appear that The consisting of horses, cows, vehicles, Farmer's State Bank of Alto, claimed, as he bent towards her and placed his arm round her. "Ida! have placed his arm round her. "Ida! have you had bad news, have you—?"

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derer!" he exclaimed, "Philip Smerdon, "If I want to drag this miserable life you armed to-night, as you were on my friend, an assassin! The self-action, out, I must do it elsewhere than in that night?" Walter Cundall! Ida," he said, turning to her, "is his figure in your will even track me to the antipodes. "I have n you ask?" "To tell y

ream?"

Yet, if I were sure that he is lying
"Yes," she wailed. "Yes! I recogabout—having seen my face before, I
"To tell you that no arms can availyou now. You must come with me."

in which they can cross from one country to another, and also because of the magnificent views that cause of the magnificent views that ca it offers to them a choice either of making a passage over the snow-clad mountains that rise above it, and life for ever by one foul deed; let me your strength strangely if you think that any power you possess can make me go with you. I am a murderer mountains that rise above it, and cross the great Schwarzwelss glacier, or of keeping to the path that, while rising to the height at some places of 10,000 feet, is except at the summit, perfectly passable in good weather. It is freely passable in good

in which no bird is heard or seen from He looked at his watch as he spoke that was round his throat was chok- from the time of the Conquest, began the time that the village of St. Christoph is left behind on the Swiss side passing. "Another five minutes' rest," other's body harmlessly. And he was until the village of Santa Madre is he said, 'and I will start again across being dragged towards the edge of the moraine, already his back was On the morning of May 15, 1834, the winds at first, and at last, through firwoods and pine-trees, but that in the five minutes of rest, it seemed to him

As he sat there, taking those last against the wooden railing that alone stood between the plateau and destruction find the ground covered with snow to middle is nothing but a path, cut in that there was some other slight tion. He could, even at this moment, a depth of fully six inches. The apsome parts and blasted in others, sound breaking the stillness of the hear it creaking with his weight; it ple and peach trees were then in

A lonely and grim road even in the came closer, he knew that it was made fell down till he lay a senseless mass

noon to light him through its mo. hewn steps, scarcely touching the dangerous parts, would take his life hand-rail or using the heavy-pointed in his own hands.

hewn steps, scarcely touching the children at play, with the ch stick he carried in place of the usual Yet, on an August night of the year in which this tale is told, and when sides his knapsack, he carried the

till nearly daylight, a man was making
his way across this pass to Italy.

Midnight was close at hand as, with

At last the new comer reached the plateau, and, as he took the last two or three steps that led on to it, he saw

and said:

"I do not know of what importance my name can be to you."

"Your name is of no importance, contains no alcohol, opium, cocaine or other narcotic. It is strictly a temperance medicine.

"It is true! Do you dare to tell me deathly pale. The letter she had re- but ourselves; and this man had that I lie, you a- Bah! Why should I cross words with a murderer-s

is!" he said to himself, "with no sound "I am no thief!" Smerdon said, his

"The letter! Read the letter!" she answered, while in her eyes was a look he had once seen before—the faraway look that had been there when he first spoke to her of his brother's murder.

He stooped and picked up the letter—picked it up and read it hurriedly; and then he, too, let it fall again and leaned back against the seat.

"Your place."

"Your place."

"Again I say it is false! I had no though to fixed the fall weekles, a whole year, 156 numbers, for \$150, less than one cent a loved my friend, my master as you term him, because he threatened to come between him and the woman he loved. Had I known of Walter—cundall's noble nature, as I knew of the afterwards, no power on earth could have meet again. Never!" he well must be done," he went on.

"Yet it must be done," he went on.

cused, the self-avowed murderer of England. That sleugh-hound will sure "I have no arms about me. Why do "To tell you that no arms can avail 49, Citz. phone 119.

"Weiss" rivers—rivers that carry with them huge boulder stones and pineblg stone after uttering these thoughts

In a moment Guffanta had sprung body of a mason named Fernald, who at him, had seized him by the throat, was working in the house, killed a dog

and in one place, half a mile across- England some day, and spending my For a moment they struggled locked reign of Edward I., all letters, even but to distinguish it from the Gross- life there while expiating my crime. | together, and in that moment Smerdon | of the most private nature, were writ-Schwarzweiss glacier that hangs above But, while I know nothing, I must go know that he was doomed; that he ten in Latin. About the time of Edon and no till at last I reach some and place where I may feel safe."

was about to expiate his crime. The place ward's accession, French, which had been the spoken language of the court

along the granite sides of the rocks, and hanging in many places above the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below. Patches of snow glacier below and the subdued roar the valley far below.

daytime, when a few rays of sunshine by the footsteps of a man. And, look-manage to penetrate it at midday, ing up, he saw a human figure descend. And Guffanta standing above, with The diet consists principally of rice, when occasion lly a party of tourists ing the path to the plateau by which his head bared to the stars and to the pork, and dog meat. Beds are not

> Joseph Ganion, of Colebrook, N. H., The average man will die for want the Colebrook district. He values the

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another word for ignorance.

Many a glad mother dates
her happiness from the
day she first began the
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Kent. At a session of said court, held at the probate "Yes! I recognize it now."

about—having seen my face before, I would go back and brave him. Where did he ever see it?—where?—where?

CHAPTER XX.

The Schwarzweiss Pass, leading from the south-east of Switzerland to Italy, is now well known to mountaine, and looked down taineers, because of the rapid manner in which they can cross from one the south of the session of said court, held at the probate of the said to be as substantial as granite, said to be as substa

Dr. Pierce's Pellets Cure Constipation.

Auction Sales.

from above, alone relieve the view on the sade of the path; on the opposite side of the path; on the opposite side of the path; on the opposite in a solitude like this would, perhaps, be heard, but that here was perfectly distinct. It came nearer and nearer, and opposite that holds no and opposite the sade of the path; on the opposite in a solitude like this would, perhaps, throat more strongly, he felt the other arm of the Spaniard driving him back; in that moment of supreme agony he ward rebuilt, but was overwhelmed by snow, so slippery is it; but above which and once, as it approached, some small heard the breaking of the railing and an eruption of Vesuvius on the night hangs, white and gray, like the face of a corpse, the glacier from which the pass derives its name.

Lad once, as it approached, some small stones were dislodged and rattled down from above, and fell with a plunge on to the glacier below; and then, as it striking the moraine with his head, he

WINE OF CARDU

And Other

are a great many who would like to people the silent house with the children that fate has refused them. Fate is often in this case only

[Corrected Feb. 1, 1905.]

America.

Goldfish and Mosquitoes.

Prof. W. L. Underwood of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology reports that mosquito larvae are a favor
It is ordered that the 20th day of February, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said ports that mosquito larvae are a favor
It is ordered that the 20th day of the clubbing or wholesale prices to all who pay for our paper at the same time all arrears and one year in advance. This involves much work and expense, is purely a work of accommodation, and is done in

tions from regular prices.

We will furnish The Ledger one year with any of the following named papers at the price named for

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816 Wells Street, Marinette, Wis., Sept. 25, 1903 I was all run down from nervous ness and overwork and had to resign my position and take a rest. I

my position and take a rest.

found that I was not gaining my
strength and health as fast as a
could wish, and as your Wine of
Cardni was recommended as such a
good medicine for the ills of our
sex, I bought a bottle and began
sing it. I was satisfied with the using it. I was satisfied with the results from the use of the fir bottle, and took three more and the found I was restored to good healt and strength and able to take up my work with renewed vigor. consider it a fine tonic and excelle and am pleased to endorse it.

AGNES WESTLEY, Sec'y, North Wisconsin Holland Socie Secure a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui and a 25c. package of Thedford's Black-Draught today Valuable Silver Gray Fox.

Neuralgia ain.

nerve pain, the result of a turbulent condition of the nerves. The stabbing, lacerating, darting, burning, agonizing pain that comes from the prominent nerve branches, or sensory nerves, is neuralgia, and is the "big brother" of all the Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills

pains by soothing these larger nerves, and restoring their Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills leave no bad after-effects, and are a reliable remedy for every kind of pain, such as headache, backache, stomachache, sciatica, rheumatism and neuralgia. They also relieve Dizziness. Sleeplessness, Nervousness,

Car-Sickness, and Distress af-

rarely ever fail to relieve these

ter eating.

"For many years I have been a constant sufferer from neuralgia and headache, and have never been able to obtain any relief from various headache powders and capsules, until I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They always cure my headache in five minutes time." FRED R. SWINGLEY, Cashler 1st Nat. Bank, Atkinson, Neb. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it falls he will return your money.

25 doses, 25 cents, Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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Reduced rate tickets on sale and third Tuesdays of each m until April, 1905. See agents for Rates and Routes.

"Young men and women wanted to learn telegraphy. Railroads need operators badly. Total cost six months' course at our school, in-

cluding tuition (telegraphy and type-writing) board and furnished room, \$89. This can be reduced. Cata-logue free. Write today. Dodge's

Institute, Monroe St., Valparaiso Ind." feb2

Taxes are Due.

Taxes are due and may be paid

Sewing Machine Contest

aginaw last week.

Eye, Ear, Nose and

KEENE CENTER.

Il last week but is getting better.

ells us, "He has some one to turn

Mrs. C. Couklin visited friends in

ings every second Saturday night be- doctor's care.

"Under Southern Skies" at the Grange hall last Wednesday evening and pronounced it fine. We understand that it will be repeated at Saranac about Feb. 17.

Grand Rapids for a few weeks' visit.

Mrs. Will Ostrom and children of Newaygo have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Copeland, for a few weeks.

Lohn Flynn and family visited at Born-to Mr and Mrs. G. Osborn, Saturday, Jan. 28, a son.

John Flynn and family visited at Adrian and Ed Voss' Sunday.

Saturday, Jan. 28, a son.

A goodly number from this vicinity attended the Cleveland Ladies Grand Rapids are visiting relatives | Earl Adams brought a load of Lowell last Wednesday night and in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown were greats at the home of Will Renwick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown were sunday night. If everyone well spent by music lovers.

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Mr. and J. T. Parsons drove to we might see this church over-flowing.

Mrs. Jas. Tow we might see this church over-flowing Belmont on business last Friday.

we might see this church over-flowing Rev. Bennett is working hard for good here, and we hope the members will do their share.

Lena Walker of South the state of Sou Perfect Confidence. last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred uneasiness and worry in the house-hold when a child showed symptoms glected to state that there was a

Our Country Cousins

and Mrs. Romaine Finch of home

Mrs. Villa Ayers of Saranac is visiting Mrs. Henry Lee.

Mrs. Addie Bowen has been visiting relatives in the north part of the town the past week.

Ethel Wilson is quite ill.

Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills

Raymond.

Little Charlie McCarty of Lowell visited his father's farm Sunday.

Mrs. George Lind came Saturday to spend a faw weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Carr.

Mrs. E. Dale Bowen, who lives on the C. Sayles farm, is taking quite an interest in this place. She has a large class of boys in Sunday school and a very nice music class.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson made a trip to Ionia one day last week

Mod when a child showed symptoms of croup, there is now perfect confidence. This is owing to the uniform success of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the treatment of that disease.

Mrs. M. L. Basford, of Poolsville, Md., in speaking of her experience in the use of that remedy says: "I have a world of confidence in Chamber lain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success. My child Garland is suject to severe attacks of croup and it always gives him prompt relief. For sale by

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winge of dysper vince you. Dr. King's New Life Phis vince you. Dr. King's New Life Phis are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested foodor money back. 25c at D. G. Look's Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Brown of Otisco. WEST LOWELL. W. Mullen is at work on his house, assisted by Chas. Ketchem, and expects to move into it before Bishop Barnaby was a gnest of H.
Coles last Sunday.

Little Glenn G. Hubbel was quite ill last week but is getting better.

A little stranger of the male per-C. MacIntyre spent Sunday with

A little stranger of the male persuasion entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hendershott last Tuesday evening and engaged board and clothing for 21 years, weight 8 lbs. O. M. wears a broad smile when he vited to home of Mrs. Chas. Cary Feb. 23rd. Rev. Bennett will hold revival Miss Emma Cary visited at the meetings every night at the Keene home of J. Cary at Lowell over Sunchurch, and everybody is specially invited to attend them. James Gulliford is established in

vin made Mrs. J. N. Hubbel a very healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark. Jr., of Norfolk, Va.,

writes: "I burnt my knee dread-fully; that it blistered all over. Buck-A wood-bee was made for Mr. Perry Monday on account of his being confined to the house with len's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores. 25c at D. sick last week. Mrs. C. Maynard and son Harley of Lowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Wal-G. Look's druggist. ter Maynard of this place Sunday.

PRATT LAKE. The Epworth League will give a visite Heart Social at the Grange hall, Feb. day. Mr. and Mrs. E. Lewis visited 14. The Woman's Foreign Missionary society met with Mrs. Edgar Hugh-

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. A new remedy for stomach troubles, billiousness, and constipation and a good one. Price 25 cents. For sale by

A. D. STURGIS.

We are very sorry to learn that our minister's daughter, Miss Ethel Westorok, has been ill at Albion and had to come home.

John Gould has sold his farm to

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Unequelled for Constipation.

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didn't benefit ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who use it. I want you to try, on my personal is being demonstrated daily. Parker Triplett, of Grigsby, Va., says bottle that I sell for fifty cents.

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I want you to try, on my personal recommendation, a large trial-size bottle that I sell for fifty cents. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cave returned Friday from Chicago, where Roy has been at work. He was taken ill, and we understand that they will now be perfectly satisfied with farm and been at work. The South Boston Grange society with Ernest Collar, Pres., Homer Tablets are, in my judgment, the most superior preparation of anything in use today for constipation. They are sure in action and with no tendency to nauseate or gripe. For sale by

A. D. STURGIS.

Krum last Friday.

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VERGENNES.

Watters of Lowell visited at Don

Garret Downes' baby was very

Miss Belle Beckwith is under

Quite a large assembly listened to Grand Rapids for a few weeks' visit.

Will Scott and family of near Big Rapids visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott, from Friday until Wednesday. Edith Colvin left Saturday for

Mrs. Jas. Tower and Minnie Steketee visited Mrs. F. G. Maynard and Mrs. Worthy Willard of Lowell Sat-

Rev. Bennett will preach at' the When there used to be a feeling of schoolhouse Sunday afternoon, Feb.

# Colds

Lots of people look at a cough or cold as if it were inevitable, and refer to it as some ailment, which they naturally expect during the stormy winter months. No person need have the slightest attack of cold or la grippe, nor even pneumonia, their system is properly fortified. REXALL MUCU-TONE will fortify your system against any such attacks. Since I make this strong statement will tell you how Mucu-Tone does this: Coughs, colds and pneuhis blacksmith shop on his farm, and is prepared for business. monia are but the result of a catarrhal condition, which is in Wallace, February 10. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Collar and Jay

need never fear coughs, colds and | William Farrell, the Ada farmer pneumonia. Mucu-Tone will do it because Mucu-Tone clears the sys- with him on a horse trade, recovered Saturday. tem of every trace of catarrhal the animal on a writ of replevin.

The horse was captured Tuesday at Mr. Procter's in Gratiot county. off hanging on tag-end coughs and noon chase. Al. Kitchen and mother of Ada colds, revitalizes the entire system, The Ada Christian Endeavor so visited at Frank Kitchen's last Sunincreases the appetite and makes you put on flesh. You take no "Sunbonnets" at the Alto Baptist The Unity Pedro Club of seventeen ladies of Lowell enjoyed a sleighride and were entertained by Mrs. Cora cause I back it up by refunding the cause I back it up by refunding price if you are in any way dis- event.

## Wise Buyers

are buying freely at our Closing Out Sale. Clothing, Underwear Overcoats, Work Coats, Mittens and Gloves are rapidly disappearing. Make the most of your time as the sale will soon be over.

> Several new bargains have been added to the list, such as Men's Hand-kerchiefs @ 9c—Boys' Work Vests @ 9c, etc. A word to the wise is suf-ficent. Our word is Hurry.

## Chas. Althen

STANDARD MAINTENANCE AND ALL MAINTENANCE AND A

Mrs. Joseph Wride of Cascade township recently entertained about forty children and grandchildren. except one, Mrs. Milton Foster. The River school will give a poverty social at the home of Fred gradually falling.

reality an internal scrofula. If the Miss Maggie Lacroix of Quebec been filling their ice houses. system is free of catarrhal germs you | visited Miss Ollie Duff recently.

VERGENNES STATION

Mss. Terrance Bresenham is ill. Mrs. Warren Ford is entertaining

Last week and this people have Mrs. Abe Blosser is quite ill.

germs, tones up the system, shakes off hanging on tag-end coughs and noon chase.

The norse was captured Tuesday and start an after of hanging on tag-end coughs and noon chase.

Jas. Phelps spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Jos. Richmond at Lowell. The Swiss people are holding meetings at Lowell again this week. Mike McAndrews was quite ill during last week.

Miss Hattie Weeks has been spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Allen Godfrey, at Lowell. Another Case of Rheumatism By Cham- Mrs. Sam Farnee was ill last week.

tism in the back when everything else failed, and he would not be with out it. For sale by A. D. Sturgis. Wm. Burch has bought the land is moving into it.

D.F. BUTTS

# Going Out of Business My Entire Stock of Boots and Shoes Must be Closed Out by April 1st If Not Before.

Before we go any further I want to say that this is no sham or fake, I mean just what I say, I have fully decided to close out my stock of Boots and Shoes and am going to do it now. In order that I may do this I will sell everything at prices that will move them and move them quick. It is a golden opportunity that you cannot well afford to let pass, a chance to shoe your whole family at prices that will save you dollars. Many articles are marked away below cost. Our goods are all marked in plain figures and you can see for yourself just what you are saving. Our stock is clean and free of any old, out of date goods. This is one thing we have always taken great pride in and have been very successful. We handle only 1st grade rubbers in all different brands. You will get no seconds here no matter how cheap you buy them.

Below are a Few of the Many Bargain

| 50 pairs of Ladies Dongola Shoes 97c                               | 44 pairs of Childs Shoes 39c                                                   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 62 pairs of Ladies Warm Lined \$1.13 Shoes with cold proof insoles | 27 pairs of Misses Shoes<br>light or heavy weight                              |
| 104 pairs of Ladies Dongola \$1.18                                 | 39 pairs of Little Gents Shoes 1 09                                            |
| 63 pairs of Ladies Pontiac Shoes 1 59                              | 19 pairs of Youths School Shoes 99c                                            |
| 47 pairs of Pontiac Shoes, light 1 98                              | 17 pairs of Boys Buckeye Shoes 1 48 heavy and waterproof                       |
| as pairs of Ladies Patent Leath-<br>er Shoes, light soles, lace    | 13 pairs of grained leather 1 13 shoes, extra good wearers                     |
| 87 pairs of Ladies Shoes, light 1 89                               | 29 pairs of Boys Oil Grain 1 37                                                |
| 73 pairs of Ladies Fine Shoes. 2 39                                | 17 pairs of Boys Patent Blucher 1 69<br>Shoes. A nice one for Sunday wear 1 69 |
| 61 pairs of Baby's<br>Soft Sole Shoes                              | 37 pairs of Mens light 1 17                                                    |

| 71 Mens Vici Kid, Box Calf Colt Skin, light and heavy soles        |
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| 69 pairs of Mens \$2.50 Shoes<br>Vici Kid and Box Calf             |
| 74 pairs of Mens \$3.00 Shoes al<br>leather, light and heavy soles |
| 27 pairs of Mens Shoes<br>½ double sole, Velour Calf upper         |
| 87 pairs of Mens Buckeye Shoes<br>heavy sole and bellows tongue    |
| 147 pairs of Walk-Over Patent<br>leather, all styles and shapes    |
| 64 pairs of Florshiems. These are all \$5.00 goods cut to          |
| Lambertville Rubber Boots<br>wool or net ining. Cut to             |
|                                                                    |
| All                                                                |
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| 71 Mens Vici Kid, Box Calf<br>Skin, light and heavy soles 159    | Gum Boots 29                                            |
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| 69 pairs of Mens \$2.50 Shoes Kid and Box Calf                   | Mens Goodyear Glove Arctic 1 1                          |
| 74 pairs of Mens \$3.00 Shoes all 1 98 er, light and heavy soles | Ladies Goodyear Glove Rubber 50                         |
| 27 pairs of Mens Shoes able sole, Velour Calf upper2 19          | Ladies Storm Alaskas 73                                 |
| 87 pairs of Mens Buckeye Shoes 1 67                              | Youths 1 Bkl Sock Rubber 7                              |
| 47 pairs of Walk-Over Patent 3 39                                | Boys' 1 Bkl Sock Rubber 996                             |
| 4 pairs of Florshiems. These 3 73                                | Lambertville 2 Bkl Sock 1 80 Rubber, the best ever made |
| ambertville Rubber Boots 3 27                                    | Mens 4 Bkl Arctics 1 90                                 |

All 10c Shoe Polish 4c All \$1.00 Lumberman's Socks 69c

All goods sold for cash only. Positively no goods charged. All persons owing me are requested to please call and settle at once and oblige

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out the country to destroy the bust with iron nailed shoes, murdered be- and to dispose of their labor in a legal, "Secy. of the Citizens' Ass'n." ness of one of our largest industries— cause he tried to earn bread for his lawful manner without restraint or in the Postum Cereal Co., Lt'd, and at the children, By the Eternal, sir, a fleet terference. open threats in the official union papers that the entire power of the National and State Federations of Labor something off the face of the earth, another, in all the relations of life.

In order, however, to leave the service under more favorable auspices and permanently life in a moment."

Taking a blue piece of paper from maintain fair, just treatment, one with maintain fair, just treatment, one with another, in all the relations of life.

The public should remember that so obtain a pension he simulated in the service of the soil water that there are a few labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the part to the labor unions conducted sanity and acted the labor unions conducted sani

but had found it inconvenient and against their best judgment to buy labor of the labor trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspire to ruin anyone who does not purchase from the public sentiment of all of the world of anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspiracy of organized labor to ruin anyone who does not purchase from trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspirate the public sentiment of all of the best said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English with the result that the 'patient' final-said: "The arrogance of the English wit upon their own terms.

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An inkmaker or papermaker who failed to sell ink or paper would have the same reason to order Post to help ruin these publishers. So the peddler in the street might stone you if the captain on the bridge and in comyou refused to buy his apples; the cabman to run over you if you refused

This set the writers in labor papers

The street indignant protocolor in their indignant protocolor in the indignant protocolor in the indignant protocolor in the indignant protocolor in their indignant protocolor in their indignant protocolor in their indignant protocolor in their indignant cabman to run over you if you refused to ride with him; the grocer order the manufacturer to discharge certain manufacturer to discharge certa people because they did not patronize came out with a large double column tive citizens, including our workpeo- should earn their livelihood," and to A peasant perceives a piece of him, and so on to the ridiculous and in denunciation of Battle Creek, call- ple.

sell it at the best price he can get just villainous epithets common to labor eral hell of labor union strikes, pickas the would sell wheat, but he has no right to even intimate that he will ob-

perpetrated by slave owners during under the combined effort and action any two years previous to the civil of all our people, by the formation of to "peace, freedom and the pursuit of Note by Publisher. war. We are in a horrible period of a Citizens' Association.

CONSTITUTION.

Article 2.—Objects.

tion or trust, having for its purpose, First-To insure, so far as possible.

Philippine Tariff Hearing. Miss Lee to Wed. Washington dispatch: The commit-Norfolk, Va., dispatch: General and tee on ways and means of the house of representatives begins a series of the engagement of their daughter, hearings on the bill to reduce the Miss Anne Fitzhugh Lee, to Lieuten-

lethargy, which permits us to stand

idly by while our American citizens are abused, crippled and murdered in

dozens and hundreds by an organiza-

ant Lewis Brown, Jr., of the Seventh united States.

Fire Sweeps Wisconsin Town.

Milwaukee, Wis., dispatch: The viltage of Brookfield, twelve miles west of this city, was nearly wiped out by fire. The Brookfield hotel and postofice were totally destroyed.

Texas Arti-Scalping Law.

To Be Buried in America.

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Washington dispatch: The secretary of state has instructed Consul General Mason at Berlin to forward that railroads are not compelled to redeem unused portions of tickets.

When you are bilious and have headache, back-although frequently called upon to do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do do diet have steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do do do that the strain of the constitution, so that railroads are not compelled to redeem unused portions of tickets.

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Trenton, Mo., dispatch: Mrs. George Waite shot and probably fately wounded her father, william Bellous the anti-scalping law is invalid and to the United States the remains of Jerome Crowley of Hastings, who died thave steadfastly refused to meet, although frequently called upon to do do the taken to his home.

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right to even intimate that he will obstruct the business, or attempt its ruin because the owner will not purchase of him.

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remains and arrogant with their despote is that a common citizen who has some time to spare and innocently thisks he has a right to put a little paint on his own house finds he must have that paint taken off and put on again by "the union" or all sorts of dire things shapen to him, his employer is ordered to discharge him, his grocer is boycotted if he furnishes his supplies, his family followed and insalled and his life made more miscrable than that of a black slave before the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for the loung or tam the carpent for a drive when the thing happen and of sover house for the war. If he drives a null to real the loung or tam the carpent for "union" hounds him. He takes a pipe, werent to stop a leaking pipe, a leaking pipe, and the plumbers "union" does things to him. He cannot put a little mortar to a longe brick of the citizens of the organization of the Citizens of the organization of the Citizens' Asia, with the carries are ready to buy marks, and the citizens and different centers, so that this government bureau will furnish to him. He cannot put a little mortar to a longe brick on the Citizens' Asia, with the carries are plants and the citizens and different centers, so that the overland he employer when he is large of the drives are a long of the bricksyres, planticers' planticers are the carpent what you don't believe your children what you don't belie

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losses brought on by labor unionism

Congressman Is Stricken.

The Postum Company have a yearly Other cities will be driven to protect contract for space in this paper What is the strongest strike on rectheir workpeople, merchants and citi- which they have a right to use for ord? There is one, still running in 25c. 50c. \$1. LeRoy, N.Y., Toronto, Ca zens as well as their industries from an ouncements of facts and princi- Germany, which has endured for thirthe blight of strikes, violence and the mes. Such use does not necessarily ty-five years. It has other remarkable

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Weave a fabric as fine in design and duke of Mecklenburg Strelliz in 1869.

Since that year the members of the

—Man Who Feigned Insanity.

"Malingering," remarked a naval

The state experiment stations are

Diabetes. After long suffering Mr. G. Cleghorn found a permanent re-

lief in the Great American Kidney

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 30th .- (Special)-Tortured with Diabetes and

"MALINGERING" IN THE NAVY. FARMER'S LAND WAS SOUR

officer the other day, according to the loing a great work for the farmers. Washington Star, "is not nearly so The following incident shows how The only place in the United States | thrusting what it has to sell (labor) | a permanent condition of peace, pros | run amuck, by adopting the "Battle common in the navy as it used to be, simple some of the tests are "when that guarantees freedom from strikes, lockouts and labor warfare is Battle

Creek, Mich.

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Suppose an American in a foreign dustrial peace now, with cheap coal and under all conditions. tialed for various offenses and sentenced to be dishonorably discharged.

In order, however, to leave the service under the service under

tional and State Federations of Labor was being brought to bear to "punish" if reparation were not made for the industries of Battle Creek, and particularly the Postum Co.

This sprung from the refusal of C. W. Post to obey the "orders" of the unions to take the Postum advertising away from various papers that refused to purchase labor of the labor trust—the unions.

Mr. Post was ordered to join the unions.

Mr. Post was ordered to join the unions in their conspiracy to "ruin" and "put out of business" these publishers who had worked faithfully for him for years and helped build up his business. They hid done no wrong, but had found it inconvenient and against their best judgment to buy

Tion and State Federations of Labor trust—the unions is obtained in the relations of fife. Fifth—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension he simulated in the relations of fife. Fifth—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension he simulated in the relations of fife. Fifth—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension he simulated in the relations of fife. Fifth—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension he simulated in the relations of fife. Fifth—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension deated the part of the queen's taste. He said that the people were trying to polson him and stend that the people were into the unions can pension the dear of the soil water that the capacitation, whereas even the law syng the part to the opporation as the providers of the soil water that the form to the part of the soil of the soil water that the capacitation and to support and sell his labor, without each of the soil water that the capacitation, and to support and sell his labor, without each of the soil water that the relations of the existing right of any capable person to obtain a pension dear the deviction particular in particular in the relations of the soil water that the relations of the s

Bladder Disease from which he could apparently get no relief, Mr. G. Cleghorn, a bricklayer, living at 119 Buttest had he sought to prohibit or a reputation may be shattered, the plete and permanent cure in Dodd's

him, and so on to the ridiculous and villainous limit of all this boycott monsense, in trying to force people to buy what they do not want.

If a man hes labor to sell let him sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to sell it at the best price he can get just of the people to the people to buy what they do not want.

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If a man hes labor to sell let him their labor leaders and mude a man of a people to the public should also remember in get the public should also remember in get the public should also remember in get the public should also remember them, blow string lying in the village street and up their houses and poison their food stoops to pick it up. As he puts it in their levelmood, and the pick and the pick and the point was something the price of an assault, beat and murder them, blow string lying in the village street and up their houses and poison their food stoops to pick it up. As he puts it in their hverhood, and the pick and the pick assault, beat and murder them, blow string lying in the village street and up their houses and poison their food stoops to pick it up. As he puts it in their hverhood, and the middle and man of a pick and the pick and the pick assault, beat and murder them, blow string lying in the village street and up their houses and poison their food in their hverhood, and the middle and man of the pick and the pick and the pick assault provided the pick assault provided them.

A number of manufacturers from Diabetes and Biadder in their hve

Longest Strike on Record.

It is guaranteed to cure. If it doesn't, we'll refund your money. Prices: S. C. WELLS & Co.

SUFFERINGTHESUREFENALTY



Ousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhoga.

These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger ahead, and unless that there is danger ahead, and unless

the monks. In France, the British Medi-The Golden Legacy. cal Journal recalls, the habit of celi-

bacy persisted long after the practice of medicine had passed into lay hands. For two or three centuries the doctors protested, but in vain. The matter was finally laid before the pope, and towards the end of the fifteenth century the vow was abolished.

The Golden Legacy.

Now mother has no gold to share, Nor land, nor herd, nor merchand (My brother has her silken hair. My sister has her azure eyes!) To me she left no comeliness. That to the form or face belong, But oh, one gift I do possess. The blessed heritage of song!

Long, long ago in cradle days Her sweet voice would my heart guile.

When I could nothing do but gaze

MR, HAYDEN'S VIEWS

When I could nothing do but gaze Into the heaven of her smile! Learned the songs in later years And with her sang them o'er o'er—Oh. memory. thy lute and tears Must meet and mingle evermore!

Declares That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Restored the Use of His Limbs When
All Other Remedies Failed.

The premonitory symptoms of paraly.

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is are: trembling of the hands; sudden loss of power in arms or legs, frequently Money, but No Friends.
J. Arthur Josephs, one of the wits of the financial center, was approached the chin; severe pains; difficulty in speech. Frequently the first warning is a vague feeling of headache, vertigo and muscular weakness.

In a recent interview Mr. W. J. L. Hayden said: "I truly think that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a great medicine for they cared me when physicians and other remedies had failed to give me the slightest relief. Too close attention to business brought on an attack of nervourness which finally developed into a realizing the content of the content of the financial center. Was approached the financial center, was approached the financial center, was approached the other day by a well-known character about "the street," who plain tively put to him this question:

"Josephs, would you lend five dollars to a friend in distress?"

"Don't tell me that you haven't got the sightest relief. Too close attention to business brought on an attack of nervourness which finally developed into any side and the firm of Cady. Verson & Co., Cleveland, Ohio, and the Commercial Travelers' association of the Commercial Travelers' association of the United States, died at the home of a sister in whether, was approached the theme of a sister in the final times was so in the house the backache has been so bad that it brought tears to my eyes. The pain at times was so in the wise fears he's an awfull voils. States, died at the home of a sister in whether, which seems that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie done in the house the backache has been so bad that it brought tears to my eyes. The pain at times was so in the street, which seems that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie done in the limit the Commercial Travelers' association of the Con. Cleveland, Ohio, and the United States, died at the home of a sister in the sense that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie done in the Louise date the Commercial Travelers' association of the United States, died

other times I had partial control of my limi, but I was afraid to go far from His Awful Threat. the house for fear I might suddenly be- Representative Richardson of Ten- amily temb.

SEEDS are seeds that you can de-pend on. Get Crtalogue. 1. H. unroutt & SOA, Earlichest, Hass.

All Have Strong Fear of Some Brother Smoking a clay pipe, the circus act-

make a horse tremble and sweat. And at La Crosse, Wis. They were driving ready between nine and ten millions this fear isn't only found occasionally in a sleigh, when their horse became of stamps have been used in a horse here and there. It is frightened at a locomotive.

aring-down pains, flatulency, nervandes, sleeplessness, leucorrhoea.

These symptoms are but warnings.

Japanese Love of Country.

everything in soldiers hearts. In the interior of Japan a young farmer on the otherack of other self-ring women.

"For a put time I suffered untid a geony with a utdrine trouble and irregularities, which made me a physical word, and not well and streng, and in the medieval period. He possible of the province of the p

There once was a time when doctors were doomed to celibacy. It was at the conclusion of the medicine was in the hands of the monks. In France, the British Medi.

at Weester, Ohio.

of nervousness which finally developed into paralysis. There were times when it was impossible for me to max were times when I started to say was that I haven't in Washington. She was about 65

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all light, Blied Bleeding of Protrading Piles, You did not permit me to finish my sentence," said Josephs icily. "What in Washington. She was about 65 Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. it was impossible for me to move my got a friend in the world."—New York years of age and belonged to a noble Circassian family. Minister Chekib other times I had partial control of my

Island Disintegrates.

ous drawback to shows. Horses are cording to an announcement made at are represented, butterflies filt about so much afraid of them that lots of Portland, Oregon, by the fair directors. In the air, birds of beautiful plumage towns won't let a camel enter their The "Trail" amusements will be perch on branches, snakes and lizards gates.

closed on that day.

glide about, and innumerable animals

Mary Millenhaupt was probably fafind places here and there. The pic-

H. T. Hayes, former cashier of the common sense and experience.

Riverside Orange Growers' National bank of Los Angeles, Cal., for whom

perfects himself.-Carlyle. denly after only three days 'illness

Thomas J. Cooper, a pioneer of Colorado and former resident of Chicago, was buried at Forest Home, Chicago. avenue, Paterson, N. J., says: "I was

was buried at Forest Home, Chicago.

He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Merrill, Fruita, Colo., Jan. 21, aged 75. He had mining interests in Colorado and Idaho, and had made two trips to the mining region of Alaska when over 70 years of age.

Gen. Christian T. Christensen of Brooklyn is dead at Copenhagen, Den-

served about every known remedy that is said to be good for kidney complaint, but without deriving permanent avelers' association of the United said at the home of a sister and sillion Dollar Grant Hanna Barley Inermis and Billion Dollar Grant Hanna Barley Inermis an

Bey wishes to have her body conveyed Switzerland has twenty-five snowto Constantinople to be buried in the shot clubs, with 800 members.

His Awful Threat.

His Awful Thr

his delight like an excited schoolboy." identified with the progress of Springfield. He was well to do and retired from business several years ago.

COL. BECKWITH SAYS: Brilliant Wall Decoration Evolved by

The monks at the Hospital of St. "I Take Pleasure in Commending Pe-ru-na For How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? We hear every day the same story over and over again. "I do not feel well; I am our grade all the time!"

I moving a clay pipe, the circus action of sat in the winter training quarters. Under his supervision a thin boy was learning to ride erect on a quiet horse with a broad, flat back.

"In some towns they won't let us show," said the man, "unless we have no camels with us. Camels are a serious dall the time!"

The Lewis and Clark exposition will of all the nations of the world. Palmous dall the time!"

The Lewis and Clark exposition will be open to the public on Sundays, accounts with a proposed and supervision at the Mospital of St.

Jean de Dieu, at Ghent, have in their leisure moments decorated the walls with gorgeous landscapes, glowing with color and full of life, formed entirely by means of the postage stamps of all the nations of the world. Palmous are in the winter training quarters. The leisure moments decorated the walls with gorgeous landscapes, glowing with color and full of life, formed entirely by means of the postage stamps of all the nations of the world. Palmous are open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sundays, account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on Sunday account and the proposition will be open to the public on S ground a camel has stood on. The tally hurt and three other women severy smell of a camel in the air will riously injured in a runaway accident Chinese landscape gardening, and al-

in a horse here and there. It is found in every horse all over the world. Queer, isn't it? I often wonder why it is. Cattle hate dogs so, too. Here, though we can account for the hatred. Dogs, in primitive times, fed on calves, no doubt, and even today, here and there, they kill and feed on kittens.

"Horses love dogs. I'm sure I don't know why. Dogs fear no animals but paragraph traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nervousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhoza.

In a sieign, when their norse became frightened at a locomotive.

A man named Braun was torn to pieces and six other men injured, one of them, James McLaughlin of Scrapton, Pa., probably fatally, by an extiton, Pa., probably

A Tarpon Tows a Hogshead. Japanese Love of Country.

The never-failing remedy for all these symptoms is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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A WOMAN'S MISERY.

Mrs. John LaRue, of 115 Paterson

Swiss Snovahoe Clubs.

80 Bu. Macaroni Wheat Per Acre-

to be good for kidney complaint, but without deriving permanent relief.

Often when leading to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and they will send you free a sample of this Wheat and other farm seeds, together with their great catalog, alone worth \$100.00 to any wide-awake farmer.

[W. N. U.]

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore The Influence, Whooping Cough, Brown Asthma. A certain cure for Consumpting Cough, Brown Cough, B



Coughs and Colds."

COL. PAUL E. BECKWITH.

Colonel Paul E. Beckwith, Lt. Col., retired, 1st Reg. Minute Men, in a letter from 1503 Vermont avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "From the unqualified endorsement of many of my friends, I take pleasure in commending your remedies for coughs and colds."—Paul E. Beckwith.

Wis., exonerating him from the charges made.

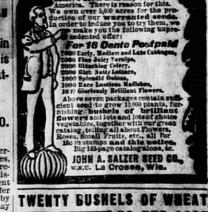
Prof. J. Byron Oliver, aged 40, a director of the conservatory of music.
University of Wooster, died very sud-

" DO LOP DON'T DELAY

A pure, palatable and easily digested cereal food.

Ask your grocer.

O.OOO Plants for 16c.



German experts are becoming alarmed at the rapidity with which the cherished island of Heligoland is disintegrating. The sea does some harm, but not nearly so much as rain, heat, frost and melting snow. An attempt is to be made to check the damage by means of pipes for catching the by means of pipes for catching the cherished island of Heligoland is distintegrating. The sea does some harm, but not nearly so much as rain, heat, frost and melting snow. An attempt is to be made to check the damage by means of pipes for catching the content of the content of

hood. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it falls.

TO THE ACRE

Is the record on the Free Homestead Lands of Western Canada for 1904.

#### We Commence our

Saturday, Feb. 4th and Finish Saturday, Feb. 11th

We have had many of these Special Sales in the past but never before have we shown so complete a line of all kinds of Linens as we shall offer during this sale.

| All 5c Crashes for            | 3¾c          |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| All 8c Crashes for            | 6с           |
| All 10c and 121/2 Crashes for |              |
| A handsome line of Towels for | 31/2c to 79c |

A 56 in. Half Linen Damask ...... 62 in. All Linen German Damask ..... 38c reg. price 50c 72 in. All Linen Bleached Damask ..... 48c reg. price 75c 72 in. All Linen Satin Damask ..... \$1.25 reg. price 1.75 In all the better grades of Linens we have Napkins to match, with a large part of the

Come and see the handsomest lay-out of Linens ever shown in Lowell. Come.

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## The Record

of this bank assures to the depositors the safe and conservative handling of their money. The have just passed the 14th anniversary of the organization of this bank and we would be pleased to add your name to our list of depositors during the present

The Lowell State Bank

LOWELL, MICHIGAN

## Heard About Town

Linens-Weekes Dr. Hodges, dentist. Linen sale at A. W. Weeks'.

Allen Morse is on the siek list. Cedar fence posts-Lowell Lumber company.

Ionia fair dates August 29 to September 1. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fischer a son.

Miss Ione Swan is visiting at Char-Notte this week. S. P. Hicks was in Grand Rapids

on business Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Grinnell have moved to Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Mary Cook is recovering nicely from the illness caused by her fall. Elmer Sippeps has purchased the old Rufus Robinson farm in Cascade. Miss Ethel Soules and Frank

last week. Miss Emma Clark of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Coons.

Mrs. C. L. Smith of Grand Rapids visited her sister, Mrs. B. C. Noble,

last week. J. B. Armstrong of Cannon township has taken the oath of office as deputy sheriff.

Mrs. Cassie Moffit has sold her photograph business to F. Another car of Portland cement

just received by the Lowell Lumber

Weekes' linen sale commences Sat-urday, February 4, and ends Satur-day, Feb. 11. Miss Ellen Daniels of Grand Rapids

is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Scarlet fever in the family of R. Braden of Grattan Center. Two

children have the disease. For sale-The Gem laundry build-

ing and the one east of it. Inquire of Mrs. A. P. Hunter. tf. Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lillie Saturday evening.

Miss Ethel Wesbrook returned Sat urday from Albion, to recuperate be-fore going back for the Spring term. Mrs. Will Price and daughter Helen returned Monday to their home in Vassar, after an extended visit with Mrs. M. A. Carr.

Miss Louise Lillie has gone to Ludington, where she has accepted a position in the school for the rest of the year.

Miss Ada Hoebeck spent the latter part of last week in Grand Rapids, and Misses Edith Cowles and Lue Boelio at their homes in Greenville.

The Gem Laundry is open and doing business; and I will be pleased to see my old patrons and many new ones; and will try to please all.

Will Clark.

Beautiful eyes and handsome face are eloquent commendations. Bright eyes are windows to a wo-man's heart. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

D. G. LOOK. Thos. McCollough, aged 87, a respected resident of Bowne township for many years, died last week Wednesday. The funeral took place Friday day from St. Patrick's church being conducted by Fr. Crumley. A large number of people were present and sadly followed him to his last resting place.—[Caledonia News.

Burgiaries were attempted Saturday night at the homes of Sidney Hoag and Chas. Foreman by the same man. He tried a window at the latter house and was frightend away immediately upon being spoken to. At the Hoag house, which he evidently tried soon after, he awakened the inmates and was discovered trying to raise the parior window. At the sound of Mr. Hoag's

Call Citz. phone 185 when in need

Closing out guns very cheap for cash. R. D. Stocking.

Dr. H. P. Snyder, dentist, over Winegar's drug store.

M. H. Lovely made a business trip to New York City this week. W. E. Marsh was doing business in Grand Rapids one day last week.

Guaranteed pure old process lin-seed meal. \$1.60 per cwt. 4t King Milling Co.

Born-in South Lowell, Jan. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Orrel Hendershott, a

Winnie Ball of East Cascade has been very ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Miss Kittie Lamphlin of Grattan Center school has been very ill with pnemonia.

Miss Mae Storer and sister are visiting Mrs. Bert Fenning and other

Alb. Gosch was called to Freeport recently by the serious illness of his father, August Gosch. Miss Grace Muckle of Grand Rapids

was the guest of her friend Miss Lena Murphy, over Sunday. Miss Bertha Lee of Edmore has

been spending a few days at the home of her uncle, B. C. Noble. Jacob Geiger of Elmdale has pur-

chased the Geiger farm west of Free-port and will take possession soon. We furnish the sash, doors and plate glass for the Smith job and would like to furnish same to you. Lowell Lumber Co.

William Alden Smith is to be credited with having secured an appro-priation of \$100,000 for Grand River improvement.

James Stone of London, England, who has been visiting relatives Grand Rapids, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Scott and family.

Born—Jan. 17, at Glendo, Wyo., to Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Cambell, a daughter. This makes a great grandmother of Mrs. Abigal W. Vorton.

The humane officer from Grand Rapids recently visited a South Grattan farmer, whose live stock was said to be in a starving condi-tion while the farmer was selling his

Why trust a valued picture of a de-ceased friend to agents, when F. B. Rhodes makes all kinds of portraits and guarantees every one with the safe return of photo?

The Lowell school teachers enjoyed a sleigh ride Monday evening to Warren Lillie's new house at Fallasburg, which is yet unoccupied. They spread a supper and had an old fashioned candy-pull.

It makes no difference how many medicines have failed to cure you, if you are troubled with headache, constipation, kidney or liver trou-bles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will cure you. D. G. Look,

The Freeport Herald is 23 years old and in the prime of life. Editor Godfrey gets out a live, clean, well printed and well edited paper, a credit to his home town, to the undivided support of whose business men he is justly entitled.

The Unity club formed a sleighload of seventeen ladies Friday afternoon, and drove to the home of Mrs. John Krum in Vergennes where they were entertained with progressive pedro.

Mrs. Frank Taylor entertained fifteen little children Saturday afternoon in honor of little Hazel's fourth birthday anniversary. They played games during the afternoon, and at ive o'clock Mrs. Taylor served a dainty supper.

Jesse Thompsett has received a letter from John F. O'Connor, Chief of Police of Columbus, O., informing him that David Kellogg, whose atwindow. At the sound of Mr. Hoag's tempted suicide was noted in last week's Ledger, is being cared for at plainly in the light of the electric Francis' Hospital in Columbus and

Miss Cora Howe spent Sunday at Belding.

Miss Marion Kisor has been ill for the past few days.

The best bagains in overcoats can be found at Godfrey's.

Mrs. C. A. Barnes of Lansing is the guest of her son, Dr. H. O. Barnes. Mrs. J. B. Yeiter and daughter Florence have been quite ill this week. Wise buyers are buying freely at l Althen's closing out sale. See page 5. Guaranteed pure prime cotton-seed meal. \$1.50 per cwt.
4t King Milling Co.

Miss Georgia Coles of Greenville isited her sister, Miss Edith, Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Snooks of Sar-anac spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. Aldrich.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reed of Clarksville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howlett. Brother Davidson of the Journal is

having a painful experience with an abcess in one of eyes. Miss Murphy of Grand Rapids will conduct a dancing school at Train's opera house, Feb. 9th.

Mrs. Margaret Roberts is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Dickerson, at Maple Hill.

Will Worden and Miss Ada Kingston of Ionia visited her uncle, Frank Randall, Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Hess stock food—7lbs 50c., 12 lbs 75c., 25 lbs \$1.45. Guaranteed by D. G. Look, the Lowell druggist. John Hessler of Grattan is one of the traverse jurors drawn for the March term of the United States

Court. Just received the largest and best selected line of photograph cards ever shown in Lowell. F. B. Rhodes, successor to Mrs. Moffit.

J. W. Zahm has moved from Wm. Lucas' farm in Keene to the Irwin Clark farm on Boston-Keene line; and now gets his mall on the rural route from Saranac.

Mrs. Moffit will be in partnership with Mrs. Eggleston in the millinery business from this time on at the old stand, and they solicit your

Two Mormon ministers from Chicago are going about the village visiting the homes and teaching Mormonism. Lowell has no use for t. Show 'em out.

Misses Helen Motley and Kate Horton of Grand Rapids spent last Thursday with Miss Lotta Ruben, who was home from there the latter part of the week.

Among the jurors drawn for the Among the jurious drawn for the February term of the Ionia circuit Court are: Fred Eddy, Berlin; Frank O'Harrow, Boston; Harmon W. Blough, Campbell; Frank P. Hunter, Keene; Merton Douglass, Otisco.

R. W. Swayze's All Stars are playing Mueller's Colts a series of game the first of which was played last Wednesday evening and was won by the Colts. The next game will be played tomorrow evening.

H. W. Hakes says that it Lays to advertise in a first class paper. Last Thursday he published in The LEDGER a local advertising two cows for sale, and on Saturday as a direct result of the notice, he sold both of them.

The Chicago Daily Review is the only Chicago daily you can get for one dollar a year, 75c for six months one dollar a year, loc lor aix inductions of three months. All important news, a daily magazine feature, complete market reports. Send a dollar to Daily Review, Coca-Cola Building.

## **Cost Sight** "The Light Chat Failed"

Kiplin's pathetic tale of the artist who lost his sight, teaches a moral-The eyes are the bread winner.

> Take care of them. Have them examined. Know they are right. We are eye experts. Latest method in fitting



# Our Big White Goods Sale

IS STILL ON.

In addition to the many bargains we have been giving our trade we shall add some great bargains in

## **Dress Goods and Waistings**

| Amoskeag Apron<br>Ginghams         | 5c  | The Best<br>Made at                      | 98c   |
|------------------------------------|-----|------------------------------------------|-------|
| Standard Apron<br>Checks Ginghams  | 4½c | 5 dozen Black Mer-<br>cerized Petticoats | 79c   |
| 1 lot of Bed<br>Blankets, per pair | 39c | 1 lot of Lace<br>Curtains, per pair      | 39c   |
| l lot of Bed<br>Blankets, per pair | 55c | Jute Rugs<br>Size 36                     | 85c   |
| Good Wrapper<br>full sweep         | 65c | Good White<br>Bed Spread                 | 63c   |
| A Better                           | 00. | 1 lot of Ladies flee                     | w han |

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All the Brown Sheeting you want, per yd.

short kersey coats 2.48 1 lot of Childrens 2.00 Coats each

1 lot of Ladies Wool Hose

We have 7 long coats left sizes 32-34 and 38. Will sell them at 1-2 their usual price for cash.

These are just a few of the many bargains we are treating our trade to at this time of the year; but if you will come to our store for your Dry Goods we are in a position to please as well as save you money on your bill of goods. Lowell's Leading Dry Goods House

Hose or 3 pr. for 20c

Dress Goods Sale Begins Saturday, Feb., 4, '05.

## J. B. NICHOLSON, Lowell, Mich.

There's a pretty girl in an Alpine hat, A sweeter girl with a sailor brim, But the handsomest girl you'll ever

One at

Is the sensible girl who uses Rocky
Mountain Tea. D. G. Look.

"The Twentieth Century Home" has made a decided hit with its practical articles on cooking. Now that "Florinda's Dinners" is finished, a new series entitled "Oriental Cooking" is begun. The first article tells how to make curries and how they may be used may be used.

One of the most interesting towns over which floats the stars and stripes is Nome, Alaska. Its devel-opment has been wonderful, and the tale of it's progress is told by Alfred H. Dunham, Chief Game Warden of Alaska, in the February "Cosmopol-Some interesting pictures of itan." the mushroom city tell the story almost as well as does the text.

## FREE

F. B. RHODES, Successor to Mrs. Moffit.

Farm for Sale.

One hundred acres in Vergennes, within 2% miles of Lowell Main street. 85 acres plow land, 15 acres good size second growth hard wood timber. All good land, buildings, plenty of water, orchards, etc. Apply at this office. this office.

Miss Annie Doyle of Grand Rapids visited her mother Mrs. Thos. Doyle who is quite ill. Jas. Tobin of Newberry is visiting his mother, Mrs. James Finne.

Mrs. Edgar Byrne is under the doctor's care at the home of her father, John McCarthy.

Mrs. Edgar Byrne.

Farm and Horses Por Sale. My home of 87% acres all improved and seeded to clover and timothy, lays nice, one mile from village of Lowell, large vinyard and other

One first class stallion Abu sired One first class stanion And sired by Montgomery, Dan by Hambelton, not look as if it were ready to tumble 16 hands, weight 1250 lbs, great style, around her shoulders at any moment, sound and speedy, gets fine stock. Her gloves must be always mended, Could do large business this coming her boots in perfect condition and eason. Also have some fine drivers season. Also have some fine drivers never any tag ends at the bottoms of and young horses. Shall close out her skirts. Most men know nothing

Jas. R. Buchanan. Lowell,

## Oh! Oh! Oh!

Don't sit in that cramped position any more on account of narrow sleigh boxes. Why not enjoy the evening or afternoon as much as possible?

Engage J. D. Kelly & Son's Green rig and be comfortable.



BEAUTIFUL CUT GLASS.

American Product is Gaining in Favor and Prices Drop.

American out glass has become the best article in the market," said W. L. Rice of Corning, N. Y.

For the next 30 days I will make one of my best cabinet, mat finish, photos free for any person 70 years or past who will come to my studinand sit for the negative. This means just what it says. I want to get acquainted with the old folks. Come "The day is coming, and is almost designs of cutting that demand fancy prices in these days. Imported glass used to be the thing, but the American industry has made rapid strides in the last few years, and now the coloring and the style of domestic production surpasses that which is brought in from foreign countries."

Thread Mother's Needless.

If your mother's sight has failed so that threading a needle is a task almost beyond her, and you see her difficulty, help her over this little obstacle by threading her needles for her. Simply take the spool of thread and paper of needles and without breaking the thread thread the whole paper of needles as one would string beads. When a needleful of thread Mrs. Asa Jakeway spent last week is desired all that is necessary is to with her daughter in Grand Rapids, take the first needle, draw off as long Mrs. William Byrne is careing for a thread as desired, fasten the outside needle to the spool and leave it ready fo next time.

Neatness is Always Attractive.

The plainest woman is a delight to look upon if her tollet is one of exquisite neatness in every respect. Her hair must be done up securely and about fashion, but will notice whether a woman is neat or not, and is the it is all copper and brass. Mich. iquality they most ad

SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST

"Eugenics," Science of Race Improve

ment. "Eugenics" is a word composéd from Greek words by Francis Gaton. an English scientist, and defined by him as the science that deals with ever thing relating to the Improvement of a race. Its aim is to represent each class or sect by its best specimens, and then to allow these to work out their common civilization in

their own way. If "eugenics" was practiced the everage quality of a nation would be raised to that of its better part now, and men of an order of ability now rare would become more frequent, because the level out of which they rose

would itself have been raised. Among the ways in which the best specimens of the race may be preserved, marriage is one of the most important. If marriages unsuitable from the eugenic point of view were viewed with disfavor, few would be

Mr. Galton's new word is really simply another name for what Darwin called "natural selection" and Herbert Spencer denominated "the survival of the fittest." He, however, thinks that the improvement of mankind is a matter that the race should take up intelligently and scientifically and not eave to nature's operation slone.

Hearty Farewell.
The old friends had enjoyed their three days together, in spite of the fact that tact was not a conspicuous quality of either of them.

"You have quite a pretty place here, John," said the guest, as he took a final look about him on the morning of his departure. "Quite a pretty place,

though it looks a bit bare as yet." "O, that's because the trees are so young," said the host, comfortably. "I hope they'll have grown to a good size see how much improved the place will be," and they shook hands with mutual affection and good-will .-- Youth's Companion.

Russian Housework

In Russia every housewife has par ticular pride in her kitchen furnish ings. Every mother provides her daughter with these things at the time of her marriage. Where it can be afforded the wine pots and goblets for the far-famed winer of Bessarabia, in which the Russians delight, as well as other pieces of dining-room service, are of silver instead of copper. while copper is restricted to kitchen use, though among the poorer