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# Hold on to the Bank Book



and in this way keep tab on the interest. We know at a minute's notice how your account stands and your bank book tallies with our record.

# Interest Accumulations

often grow larger than the or-

iginal principal
Put a few dollars occasional-

ly in our bank for your child and see with interest what it amounts to at twenty-one. There is no better way to accumulate than through our Savings Department.

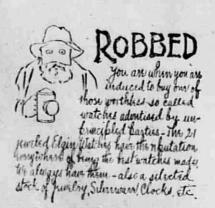
The City Bank, Hill, Watts & Co.

11c

# 12 Qt. Sap Buckets

We have only 250 made from best charcoal tin and to/ close them out will sell them at 11c which is less than cost to make

R. B. BOYLAN



A. D. OLIVER.

## CHEAP MEAT IS HIGH AT ANY PRICE

Some meat markets may sell you a good looking piece of meat for a few cents cheaper than it would cost you at a reliable market and you wont know until after you have tried to eat it that you have

We offer you the best meats that can be bought any-where—the best that money can buy. We guarantee it and charge a fair price which is cheaper in the end. You cannot get something for nothing, especially in meats. Send us your order for a nice Chicken, Fish or Beef or Pork Roast for Sunday We have everything in the market line that you can wish for.

A full line of this year's canned goods.

**WEYRICK'S** 

Phone 101,

The annual village election takes place on Monday, March 13, at which time successors must be elected for President Hakes, Trustees Smith, Nicholson and Lee, Treasurer Mc-Mahon, Assessor Yeiter and Clerk Mahon, Assessor Yeiter and Clerk Work on the line from Grand Rapids & Jonia will begin as soon as

son positively decline any further service at the present time, having son positively decline any further service at the present time, having spared from their business obligations all the time they can afford. Trustee Lee has earned a rest; but will probably not be permitted to take it, his knowledge as father of the light and power plant being indespensable. Trustee Smith is in the hands of his friends; he is prominently mentioned for the presidency and if it is the wish of the people he will serve them in that capacity or will continue as trustee. Messrs. Look, Weekes, Watts, Van Dyke, King and Nicholson decline to be considered in connection with the presidency. Other names prominently mentioned are those of Dr. Hodges, F. N. White, J. E. Lee and Chas. McCarty.

For Trustees, J. A. Mattern, H. A. Peckham nand J. H. Hamilton are mentioned. We understand that Mr. Peckham very decidedly refuses to consider the matter.

Mr. McMahon has served two years as treasurer and is not eligible for another term. U. B. Williams is in line for the succession and we have heard no other name suggested.

in line for the succession and we have heard no other name suggested. Turn out to the caucus to night and we'll see "who is which."

# WHAT IS IN STORE

# ANNUAL REUNION.

Following is the program for the annual meeting of the Old Residents' Association at Hotel Waverly, Friday evening, March 3.
Call to order by the President.
Piano duet, selected, Mrs. Frank Coons and Miss Carrle Davidson.

Invocation, Rev. Jas. H. Wesbrook. Address, A. S. Stannard, President. Quartet, "The Old Folks at Home,"

Mesdames H. A. Peckham and N. Henry, Messrs. J. B. Nicholson and P. McCarty. In Memoriam, Wm. P. Perrin, J. S.

Hooker. In Memoriam, Jas. A. Lyon, Mrs. M.

M. Perry.
Solo, "O, Dry those Tears," Teresa
Del Riega, Mrs. Norton Henry.
Lowell in 1861, War Reminiscences,
Hon. L. H. Hunt.

Recitation, Grandpa's Solitoquy, Solo, "The Old Red Rocker," Mrs.

J. F. Thomas. A Bear Story, Hon. J. C. Train.

Trio, Shadowtown, Mesdames T. A. Murphy, H. A. Peckham, A. Me

Impromptus America, audience. Benediction. Banquet.

Born, in Lowell, this morning, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. W. Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. C. Guy Perry enter-tained the Moonshine Pedro club Thursday evening, the prizes being awarded to D. P. Atwater and Mrs. Geo. M. Parker appropriate from the consulting the c Geo. M. Parker, consolations to Geo.

Headly and Mrs. Clyde Collar. Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKay entertained the Poverty and Jolly Twenty clubs at their home Saturday eve-

Central W. C. T. U. will hold an annual meeting with Mrs. Merriman March 7. Every member is

urged to be present. The Woman's Home Missionary Union will meet with Mrs. Harvey Coons Wednesday, March 8

A lodge of the Protective Legion, a fraternal insurance order, was organized here Feb. 21, with 37 members. It starts out with the following officers; President, B. C. Smith; V. P., W. Worden; P. P., Mrs. D. C. Machem; Sec., Libble Lawrence; Treas., C. E. Clark; Chaplain, Mrs. C. D. Hodges: Conductor, Mrs. Dolly Harkness: Trustees, R. B. Boylan, John Roth, D. C. Machem; Sentinals, P. Krum L. Alexander. Next meeting March 7 at Forrester's hall.

Miss Helen Look was besteen to A lodge of the Protective Legion,

Miss Helen Look was hostess to the Junior Sunshine club last Thursday evening Progressive flinch was played, first prize being won by Miss Reva Hinyan consolation by Miss Olive Anderson. Dainty re-freshments were served.

## ADA.

A sleighload, consisting of the Baptist Young People's Union, at-tended the Mission service in Grand Rapids last Sunday evening.

Wm. Archibaid has about 4,000 feet of pine in the Kent Basket Co.'s mill

yard to be sawed into lumber. C. M. Niles and Rex Anthony have purchased a stack of straw, which the former is bailing.

Miss Maggie Meyers sold five tons of nice hay to Burt Spencer. Bessle Jones is on the sick list this

The "Spider and Fly" social to be given at the school Friday evening, under the management of Miss Harte, promises to be of more than

ordinary interest.

The Spinsters' Convention will be given by the Lady Gleaners at 4. O. O. F. hall, Ada, March 10. Admission 10 c. See bills printed at The Leder office.

# VILLAGE ELECTION WORK SOON TO BEGIN

# WHO WILL BE NOMINATED ON GRAND RAPIDS AND

Murphy.

A citizens caucus has been called for this (Thursday) evening in the Wright building.

Of the above named gentlemen, it may be said that our efficeint clerk will accept and receive a renomination; and we presume the assessorship will be settled in the same expeditious and satisfactory manner. President Hakes and Trustee Nicholson positively decline any further

Work on the line from Grand Rapids to Ionia will begin as soon as the weather permits of it in the Spring, and will be pushed on a schedule calling for completion within six months. Work will begin as soon as the weather permits of it in the Spring, and will be gushed on a schedule calling for completion within six months. Work will begin as soon as the weather permits of it in the Spring, and will be gushed on a schedule calling for completion within six months. Work will begin as soon as the weather permits of it in the Spring, and will be gushed on a schedule calling for completion within six months. Work will begin as soon as the weather permits of it in the Spring, and will be pushed on a schedule calling for completion within say, as the house is to be erected at Saranac. The line of survey is as direct as the location of the towns will be given the service will soon positively decline any further than the same expectation. towns will be given the service will permit of, and four large bridges must be constructed, one over the Thornapple river and three across the Grand.

At the same time work on the Grand Rapids, Belding & Greenville line from Saranac to Greenville will be pushed, and this line will be com-pleted as soon as the line to Ionia. Power for this line will be furnished from the power house at Saranac. A local service will be given and through cars will be run from Grand

# DOUBLY BEREFT.

## R. VANDYKE LOSES MOTHER AND BROTHER.

For the second time within the past two weeks the store and home of our townsman, Rudolph Van-Dyke, have been draped in mourning, first on account of the death of his mother and last by reason of the

death of his brother.

The following was written for our paper of Feb. 23; but was accidently mislaid.
"Mrs. Margaret VanDyke died Fri-

day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. McGoran, in Grand Rap-ids. Remains were brought here and FOR THE OLD SETTLERS AT Mary'schurch Monday morning, after which burial was made in the Cath-

olic cemetery.

Margaret Leonard was born in
Clare county, Ireland, March 12, 1826.
She has been been a resident of Lowell and vicinity during the past forty years, up to the time of her removal to the home of her daughter. Dec. 6, 1904, and was well known and had many friends. Three children sur-vive her: Rudolph VanDyke and-Henry Teal of Lowell, and Mrs. Chas. McGoran of Grand Rapids."

Henry J. Teal died Sunday morning at the home of his brother, R. VanDyke, after a few days' illness with pleuro-pueumonia, caused part-ly by the death of his mother, which grieved him sorely. Services were held Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, at St. Mary's church, and he was laid to rest beside his mother. He was born in Detroit, Oct. 8, 1856. When he was but four years old his father died. With his mother and sister he moved to Bowne in 1864, and in 1872 his mother and he came to Lowell, where they have since made their home together, until last Fall, when they went to Grand Rap-

## BAD ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Isaac Halstead was thrown from a sleigh on Main street last Thursday forenoon at about eleven o'clock, suffering a fracture of one of the bones of the left limb, and very severe bruises on her head.

Chas, Cary of West Lowell was taking Mrs. Halsted and Mrs. Wm. Burnett to a Ladies Aid meeting at his home, and the women were seat-ed on a board laid across the sleigh. Just in front of the post-office they met a team which almost ran into them, and, as Mr. Cary swerved his horses to avoid a collision, the seat Halsted was thrown violently to the ground. Fortunately Mrs. Burnett remained uninjured. Mrs. Halsted suffers much pain and will probably e confined to her bed several weeks, but she is recovering as fast as can be expected, and her many friends hope there is no internal injury.

A petition has been filed in probate court for the appointment of an ad-ministrator of the estate of Thomas McCallough who died recently at his home in Bowne township. The property of Mr. McCallough is valal at \$5,400 and he is survived by a dow, three daughters and two

Representative Towner has intro-uced a bill to authorize the town-hip commissioners of Ada township o build a bridge across the Grand
that point to replace the one
wept out by the floods last Spring.
The bridge is to cost \$8,000, which is
to be paid by the county. The mater is to be submitted to vote of the ople this Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kopf were very easantly surprised by a number of eir friends last Wednesday evening. The company were entertained by a affy pull and all went home considerably "stuck up."—[Com.

## Charles Althen, to His Old Patrons

As I step out of the clothing business in Lowell I wish to thank each and every one of my customers for the loyal support they have given me and to solicit a continuance of patronage for my successor, M. E. Simpson, who will maintain the high standard this store has attained.

tained.

I wish also to ask all who are indebted to me to call at the store and debted t tearliest possible convenience. truly yours Chas. Althen.

# RELIABLE RUBBER GOODS

How We Protect You.

In the buying of rubber goods ordinary buyers cannot be posted as to qualities and therefore must depend upon the dealer. For this reason we take extra precautions to see that only goods of dependable quality come into our store. We buy only from manufacturers who have reputations for producing uniformly reliable goods and then choose only those which combine worth quality with reasonable price.

## Hot Water Bottles and Syringes

Our rubber goods include every style of bulb and fountain Syringes and Hot Water Bottles for which there is any demand.

Bulb Syringes from......50c up to 1. Fountain Syringes from 75c up to 2.00 Hot Water Bags from....75c up to 1.25

The better ones are sold with our guarantee back of them.

D. G. Look

The Drug and Book Store.

This is a picture of the Eldridge Cabinet Sewing Machine to be

# **Given**

to my patrons. Call at my store

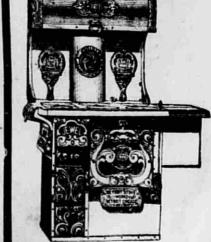
# R. D. STOCKING.

Sewing Machines. Pianos, Organs, Sheet Music, etc. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

THERE ARE MANY cheap substitutes on the market for cake bakers to use in their work. We do not use them. We use only pure granulated sugar, the best open kettle N. O. molasses, fresh milk—we get ours from Mr. Davis, fresh eggs—bought from farmers—no pickled or cold storage stock. Pure gold flour, cream of tartar baking powder—we make it ourselves. In fact nothing but pure, fresh and wholesome materials. Our cake is first class and always fresh, with a large and varied assortment to select from.

WELDON SMITH, The Baker.

# A Jewel



\$28

Steel Range

What you have been looking for-a good range at a low price. Ask to be shown this range.

Scott & Winegar

eration of \$1500 a year.

they rise in the general esteem.

In recent years the influences of the township, suddenly developed signs of of incarceration. American college upon the American hydrophobia, and after running franhigh school have been particularly tically about the barnyard snapping marked, not alone upon the curriculum, at other horses, fell to the ground and has taken on the external attributes jail. In her case, however, the sheriff of the college. While baccalaureate in jail. degrees have not been granted, baccalaureate addresses to the graduating classes are not unknown.

and fret and call the attention of the one of the violinists and called off though clory be, they really enjoy see- Central railroad will run into the selves, having a wholesome dread of tion to the Allegan division tracks. | arguments. The totelland controversy with a shotgun. notoriety they all have their little specialities in the family circle, their

More or less of exceedingly weighty his nose and cracking his skull. discussion is going on over the question as to whether New York or Washington Miss Nellie Hoffman, of Escanaba, should be regarded as the social cap. has issued a challenge to race any ital of America, the Milwaukee Senti- woman in the upper peninsula. She nel observes. The learned disputants minute and thirty-five seconds. array themselves, some on the side of But therein these self-appointed arbi- committing the crime. ters reckon without their host. There is Stoughton, Wis., and Goshen, Ind., and Paw Paw, Mich., and Sandwich, abouts by accident. Ill., and 500 other smart Western towns months to pull off several of the most Soo, is working under the ice at a income for the investors. successful, enjoyable and largely at- depth of forty feet, at Munising this winter. He says it is a nice, warm tended social events of the season, place to work in.

There are not wanting signs that we in England are on the eve of a great the Whitefish river, eighteen miles where they have found large and value best high acting coach horses. religious awakening, as the result of from Marquette, by Pennsylvania cap- able bed of coal. a profound revulsion of feeling against italists. It will be a lumbering comthe worldliness and materialism that munity. have for so long held baneful sway, says the Church Eclectic. A most re- Manistee physicians are agitating purchased in the city limits. The markable wave of religious emotion is the proposition of building a hospital tract will be platted and sold in lots passing over Wales. The public houses in that city, and will endeavor to ac- for homes. are losing their trade, football clubs complish it by popular subscription. are experiencing a depression as profound as it is unwonted, and meetings Advices from around Fennville state ple had recently, when they thought for prayer and praise are carried on that there is little danger for the safe- a smallpox epidemic was in their by night as well as day. Already the ty of the year's ice crop. The harvest midst, is over and business has been chants of that city to abandon the movement seems spreading to England, will be good. and there is much to confirm the views it not even possible that we are on the verge of a world-wide revival? Such He had traveled many miles in that manner before being discovered. an event, at any rate, would only be Wolves Slaughter Deer. meets instead with its Sedan. lovertaken by their enemies. come there.

# Michigan News

CONSCIENCE BOTHERS OLD MAN, WAR ON ILLEGAL FISHERMEN. | BIG MEN RESIDE IN LENNON class. Two young people of similar Sends 25 Cents to Pay for Admission State Officers Have Begun Lively Camto Fair When a Boy. A thing which thousands of boys

New Kind of Cake.

To Use Same Station.

Colt's Kick May Prove Fatal.

Woman Sprinter Issues Defi.

To Establish New Town.

Hospital for Manistee.

Plenty of Ice.

paign in Saginaw District. Itable family. It is when ideals and ambilions in conflict arise that unhappliness comes into the household.

A fining which thousands of boys have done and which has not seemed to trouble their consciences has pliness comes into the household.

For some time the state authorities have been aware that there was more or less illegal fishing going on in the rankled in the breast of an Ann Artiflutaries of the Saginaw, and an activity that the respect to trouble their consciences has people, but claims to have more rankled in the breast of an Ann Artiflutaries of the Saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw, and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginaw and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginactive and the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect to the saginary and an activity that the respect t For some time the state authorities Two students only turned up in New his way into a county fair. In order Hoyt, of Grand Haven, chief deputy Phillips, hight, six feet four inches; emancipation, and, according to pri-Haven, Conn., to take the examination ing letter, with a quarter of a dollar, with Deputy J. A. Summerfield of six feet two inches; weight 260. Press like wildfire and are implicitly befor the Cecil Rhodes scholarship, states to D. B. Sutton, treasurer of the Milwaukee, and Deputy Trudell of Bay ton Perkins, five feet ten inches; lieved. the Boston Transcript. One wonders Washtenaw County Fair association: City, and they spent several days up weight, 235. Edward Brown, five feet In the government of Tula a large if, as is thought, the Japanese have if there is a similarly small number "I herewith enclose 25 cents in silver the Shiawossee. They located and ten inches; weight, 200. A. L. Tib- proprietor went to his estate and returned to their original tactics of of young men at other institutions of as conscience money to pay for my seized about thirty nets and some bits, hight, six feet two inches; found the peasants at work measur- making flanking movements from the fare into the fair grounds thirty years 2,000 pounds of fish. None of the weight, 225. E. Gaussley, hight, six ing off and staking their shares. In mountains. The early advent of ago. I was between 13 and 14 years fishermen were captured, but arrests feet three inches; weight, 200. Aver response to his demands for an ex- spring now makes possible operation the process of auglicization in consid- old when I entered the grounds with will probably follow. two of the boys, who were brothers and who had a family ticket. The gatekeeper rather suspected that I was not The great mass of the people are their brother and I think one of the farmer, was given a severe scoring

Clarence Hunt, an Atlas township debt-paying, law-abiding, self-respect- boys lied about it." The letter was and thirty days in jail by Justice Hal- company is putting in its cables and has decided." Dog Spreads Rables. feeling to find expression, as predicated of the people's representatives, by abolishing rallroad passes for legislators, eastern part of Genesee county and visiting for a week and couldn't get placed conveniently for the street of the peasantry become posteastern part of Genesee county and visiting for a week and country and rampant among stock, attacking back home on account of the snow and biting a number of animals. Since do away with a large number of poles. In passing sentence Justice do away with a large number of poles. The Russians have taken measures that will be exceedingly difficult to disabuse be exceeded to the difficult to disabuse the difficult to disab and the gentlemen will think they are ran rampant among stock, attacking back home on account of the snow lighting system. In this way they will sessed of the idea that the emperor the Russians have taken measures living in a new world, so much will then several sheep and hogs which Halsey suggested that a diet of bread were bitten have died with symptoms and water, with not any too much of the rabies. A valuable colt on the bread, was about what should be comfarm of Cass Lanning, in Genesee ing to the prisoner during his term

Found University Scholarship. leal interest often displayed in college The wife of George Hamilton, a for two or more graduates of the Al- these are the first to result fatally. athletics has led to most open solicita- Hancock man, invented a new kind of pena high school. The subscribers tion of promising high school athletes cake recently-the saw cake. It is will be incorporated as the Alpena crtain colleges. In clothing, made by baking a cake around a steel High School Scholarship Fund asso- An Auburn woman is quite indigto join certain colleges. In clothing, made by baking a cake around a steel right school scholarship fund assomant, as are her neighbors, over the manners, class organizations and municipal of prisoners behind the bars. At principal of the Alpena high schools, valuation put upon one of her best said the leader "We know the leader where the Jack t the high school made of it, for her husband was in of organizing the association.

Helps Stranger Steal Hog. saw the saw and the husband is still An Adrian farmer helped to steal his own hog and he got up out of bed Judge Furnishes Music.

About 200 old settlers gathered at the Morton House at Grand Rapids

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About 200 old settlers gathered at by a stranger, who asked him to help the least the law to be the law to and held the annual reunion of the him load a hog into his wagon, as it dically without alteration for the past had escaped. The farmer obligingly sixty years. We assume our own attitude toward life, states the Indianapolis News. We sumptuous banquet the dining hall was cleared and the remainder of the learned that had escaped. The farmer obligingly consented and was rewarded by profuse thanks. The next morning he learned that he had one less porker fience and dignity, or we may chafe old time way. Judge Newnham was

all logging camps, no talking at the table by the men, caused a free-for Commencing March 1 all trains on all fight at Norway. One of the men tion: they are born dramatists, and, the Allegan division of the Michigan was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he mill has almost doubled its last year's works are wholly closed, all the men was ejected by the cook because he was ejected by the cook because he will be a supplied to the men was ejected by the cook because he was ejecte main line station in Marshall. A large debate ensued in which cant-hooks, of the best seasons in its history. force of men is at work building a axes, and other things were used as walk across from the main line sta-

Royal Arcanum Grand Council. little heroics over the money question: township, was kicked in the face by a of Michigan, will meet in Saginaw on their martyr air and their "Why did colt and is in a percarious condition. April 18 and 19. Hotel Vincent will be you take me away from mamma?" Day was exercising the colt and gave headquarters for officers and deleit too much halter, when it wheeled and kicked him in the face breaking his nose and cracking his skull expected. Saginaw has three energetic lodges of the order, and the local meet June 24. Arcanumites will make suitable provisions for the entertainment of their visiting brethten.

Incendiary Fire at Gaylord. recently covered half a mile in one A fire of incendiary origin caused a loss of \$5,000 at Gaylord. The building, which was owned by W. J. Haron that of the political capital of the Same on Sunday.

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Edmore has the medal up to date on the price of potatoes. They are ed with the general reform proparity on the price of potatoes. Nation. The rest of the country is presumed to look on with bated breath. lock up every one whom he catches.

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with \$200 insurance. It was located on the price of potatoes. They are ganda carried on in Moscow by the literary wing of the liberal party. It lock up every one whom he catches. presumed to look on with bated breath. lock up every one whom he catches for the storage of farming machinery. Their loss will be \$4,000, with \$2,500 insurance.

Meet After Sixty-two Years. and Woonsocket, S. D., and Oskaloosa, tertaining his brother, whom he had Benton Harbor will probably secure Kan, and Broken Bow, Neb., and Owa- not seen for over sixty-two years. a \$40,000 city hall. C. D. Meshew, tonna, Minn., and Maquoketa, Iowa, They learned each other's where representing state capital, has a proposition to erect a fine municipal build-Warm Place to Work. which never fail during the winter Thomas Derocher, a diver from the lease with a guarantee of 5 per cent the city will take a twenty-five-year

Coal Mine Near Owosso. Samuel Hackett, candidate for r gent of the university on the socialist ticket, with a company of miners, i

Hastings Is Growing. A stock company has been formed in Hastings and 137 acres of land spring.

Smallpox Scare Is Over. The terrible scare that Pompeii peo-

resumed. Cold Destroys Bees. Black Bear Plays Hobo. of those who for a long time past have A big, black bear was found wedged It is said that many hundreds of Kalamazoo people are being over been asserting that the train was laid, in the springs of a freight car near and that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the trainmen were unstroyed by the severe cold of the present that the spark was now needed Newberry and the spark was now needed Newberr to set the kingdom in a blaze. Nay! is able to account for his presence there. ent winter. Some individual bee keep into cellars.

St. Joe Is a Mascot. in keeping with the teaching of his- It is said that more deer have been So far as known, "Bluebeard" Hoch tory, which shows very plainly that it is just when materialism seems to so deep that the deer become exhaust. Green has now another argube marching to its Austerlitz that it ed after a short run and are easily ment for inducing young people to in the near future and discuss the organization of a board of trade.

Choice items from over the state, specially selected for our readers

of Heavyweight Citizens.

age hight, six feet one-half inch; planation they told him of the com- in and from the mountainous dis average weight, 2251/2 pounds.

Telephone Company is Generous. absurd, they would only say: The Washtenaw Home Telephone sey, at Flint, for neglecting the stock stringing its overhead wires at Ypsion his farm to the extent of letting lanti, and expects to have this part of some of the animals starve to death. the work completed in two weeks. would become of him, they replied: Chinese bandits. Since the receipt of

Diphtheria at Cadillac. Andrew Johnson's two children, a large scale are feared. The Mou-Evelyn and Harry, aged 7 and 11 re- jiks are likely to turn upon the pro- by the Japanese cavalry. spectively, have died of diphtheria at prietors as they did several years ago Cadillac. The Third ward school, in in the provinces of Saratoff and Polwhich they were pupils, was closed tava, when almost complete anarchy Fifty prominent Alpena men and by the health board, as it was thought reigned for some time. women have subscribed \$50 each to about 400 children had been exposed. provide funds each year for a course Aithough there have been many cases of study in the University of Michigan of diphtheria at Cadillac this winter,

of "fresh least, that is what use Mrs. Hamilton formerly of Detroit, is due the credit and sweetest kisses. A judge allowed said the leader. "We know you her just 1 cent for one taken from simply want to make money out of been trying to establish his left flank Landmark Is Destroyed. at midnight to do it, too. The poor destroyed by fire. It was a house after they had been started for the

> cal demands. They declare that when Northville Has Stopper Factory. Northville has a new "infant indus- they returned to work the managers try" in the Michigan Slipper company, of various factories refused to readwhich is just commencing business in mit several former employes, on the to inaugurate widely sweeping operation. a small way. It is said that it will be ground that they were leaders in the greatly enlarged in the near future.

Sugar Mill Grows. It is said that the Menominee sugar Nevski, Obukhoff, and Putiloff iron persisted in talking. An after-dinner acreage and the prospects are for one walking out. The employers asked

Gov. Warner has appointed H. S. massacre. Gov. Gen. Trepoff imme-**Band Convention** 

Talk of Public Library. Birmingham people are considering the question of a public library and will probably ask Mr. Carnegie to give

Leonide Andreeff, Skitaletz, and fifthem one. teen other writers has no connection with the assassination of Grand Duke Potatoes Are Cheap.

Menominee and it is said that a plant in St. Petersburg. will be erected to manufacture brick.

Finnish Temperance Hall.

The Firnish Temperance society, of prisoners in Japan number 44,400, of Marquette, has decided to erect a hall whom 616 are officers. ing on the site of the present one, if for its use at a cost of \$3,500. The Cheboygan State bank, capital

\$50,000, has been authorized to do busi- burg that twenty Japanese torpedo ness by the banking commissioner. To Breed Coach Horses.

An eastern man will shortly open

Refuses to Give Away Daughter. age was done. It is said of a Marquette man tha he is so stingy that he refused to give away his daughter at her wedding.

Object to Trading Stamps.

Lansing grocers are asking the me trading stamp gift scheme. Muskrats in Cellars.

Descendant of Ethan Allen. Mrs. Harriet A. Pierson of Hudson, paste which contained creosote. said to have been a descendant of Ethan Allen of Ticonderoga fame, died recently. .

To Start Bonus Mill.

Slayer of Family Convicted. Auburn, Cal., special: Adolph Web-Portland business men will banquet father, sister and brother.

PEASANTS STAKING OFF LAND

Russian Mouiiks Believe That the Czar Is About to Cause the Fulfillment of Their Most Cherished Dream.

The beginning of a dangerous move- | to the throne Chief Quartermaster Village Claims Championship in Line peasantry of some of the southern the contracts, although his predeces-Russian provinces where revolution- sor awarded them privately without Lennon, a village of Shiawassee ary agitators are circulating reports bids.

along some part of the line, especially

ing manifesto. Refusing to listen to tricts. For the last three weeks the his declaration that the report was Russians have suffered no material disturbance, with the exception of "We have heard the little father comparatively unimportant damage Kuanchia pass as the result of Japa-When the proprietor asked what nese raids, aided, it is alleged, by their minds and agrarian troubles on lief that Chinese handits are to some

Turn Russian Flank. An action of no mean proportions is in progress on the Russian left flank. The advantage thus far is on the side of the Japanese, though at Among the reservists agitators are heavy cost. From advices to St. Pespreading the story that the war is over. A case is cited which occurred to say how severe the losses have a fortnight ago at Riazan, where 200 reservists who had been called in whether the Japanese are likely to attempt to drive in the Russian left Gen. Kouraratkin evidently has

a contract for feeding us. We will far in advance, to command the crossnot serve," and off they marched. An lar in advance, to command the crossinstance is also given of reservists being a counterpart of Gen. Gripen-An old landmark of Potterville was who actually left a railway train being a counterpart of Gen. Gripele. to secure the fords of the Hun river preparatory to the breaking up of the ice in the spring. The scene of the operations is fifty miles scutheast of Mukden, beyond Da pass, an impo tant deale commanding the road to Fushan. Both armies occupy appar ccast. Kouropatkin evidently planned tions on both flanks, but the Japanes political movement. As a result the countered hard. industrial town of Schlusselburg, near Kouropatkin has telegraphed to the the gates of St. Petersburg, and the emperor under date of Feb. 25 as fol-

Workmen at St. Petersburg are

still uncompromising in their politi-

Gorky May Be Released.

Rebel Writers Under Arrest.

Prisoners in Japan.

Threaten Vladivostok.

way to Vladivostok.

Gen Kouropatkin in a dispatch

Russians Destroy Bridge.

Jap Army Contract Frauds.

The report of the release of Max-

"At 5 o'clock this morning the enemy occupied Tsinkhetchen. for troops to guard their works, their "Exact reports of our yesterday's request being similar to the one they made before Jan. 22, the day of the There are twelve officers and about losses have not yet been received Gov. Warner has appointed H. S. Hassacker. Karcher, of Rose City, probate judge of Ogemaw county in place of Judge of Ogemaw county in place of Judge of Line works are under close guard. detachment reports acts of bravery by

Kouropatkin instances many case St. Charles will be the place of ime Gorky is premature, but it is exfinement, and the authorities consider enemy advanced in the direction of the case as not sufficiently strong to demand his retention in the fortress. Papin pass, six miles southwest of Sanlunyu, and this evening the enemy's outposts commenced to ap-The reported arrest at Moscow of proach the passes occupied by us."

many detached bodies of troops."

Threaten Main Defenses. Fighting continues in front and west of Tie pass. On the extreme east Japanese artillerymen are veterans oring to establish the existence of an Fire clay has been discovered at alliance with the liberal organization from Port Arthur, commanded by Gen. Nogi. The force of Japanese of unknown strength, joined with Chinese brigands, west of Kungchialin, is still menacing the Russians in that Tokio reports that the Russian region.

Strike Delays Reinforcements. The correspondent at St. Petersburg of the London Times says that the government is making concessions dated Feb. 23 reports to St. Peters- to the railway men and placing the railways under martial law, with a boats and a large warship are on the view to expediting the transportation of troops to the far East. The correspondent adds that the South Rifle bri gade, which left Minsk a month ago, A Russian raiding party under the has not yet reached Siberia, and that command of Col. Slensmidt destroyed the Third Rifle brigade, mobilized last with explosives the bridge south of year, is only now leaving Kieff. The Haicheng, about ten miles east of New latest units ordered for service in-Kalamazoo county prohibitionists Chwang, Feb. 21, blowing up seventy clude some 25,000 men and forty-eight will place a ticket in the field this feet of it. That report, from St. guns from Caucasus garrisons. These Petersburg, is belittled in Tokio, cannot reach Gen. Kouropatkin be-

where the officials say almost no dam- fore April. Chance for Cobbler. Pinedale, Wyo., dispatch: Pinedale The Japanese diet has been inves- is to have a barber in the spring, the tigating alleged frauds in connection first one to locate in the town. W. S. with contracts signed last May for Glenrock will move here with his catthe construction of barracks to be tle, locate on a ranch near the city. used as a depot for the seventh di- and open a barber shop. The great vision at Hokkaido. In an address need of this section now is a cobbler.

Toothpaste Produces Lockjaw. | No Jewelry for Girl Clerks. New York special: Martha Heims, Omaha, Neb., dispatch: One of the en years old, after suffering intense- largest department stores in Omaha s ly from tetanus, is dead. The sur-las issued orders that all femal-geons said the fatal tetanus could be clerks shall wear black garments, part traced directly to some toothache their hair in the middle and discard, all jewelry. The clerks may strike

Henry Irving Is III. London cable: Sir Henry Irving; r has been convicted for killing his who recently had a severe chill at mother. Weber, who is only 20 years Wolverhampton, has suffered a slight old, is also accused of killing his relapse, and has canceled the remainder of his provincial tour.

H'MPERANCE.

Woes of intemperance.

Heart wrung with grief, worried and worn,
Awaiting a drunken husband's return;
With an ache at her heart, she murmur sagain;
Take wonder how he'll return, and when.

"I wonder how he'll return, and when."
Take hour seems a day, each minute an hour;
Like a trampled-on lity, or some stricken flower, er youth and her beauty fast fading away;
worm at her heartstrings is gnawins away;
worm at her heartstrings is gnawins, away;
worm at her heartstrings is gnawins, away;
"Sad curse of intemperance—"twere better, in truth, your victims were lying the green sod beneath.

Than living like demons, to trample the Then living like demons, to trample the Choice, living like demons, to trample the Choice, living like demons, to trample the Then living like demons, to trample the Choice and the place of all living like demons, to trample the Choice and the place of all living like demons, to trample the Choice and the place of the living like demons and living like demons and living like demons are well-king like the strict of the living like demons are living like demons and living like demons are living like the strict of the living like living like living like living like livin

to the contrary is founded on delusion, a result of the action of alcohol For drink do not sacrifice body and soul:
Just think of the ending—how dark is the

unstable nervous system, lowering them mentally, morally and physical-I ly. Thus deterioration of the race your might;
God will help you if only you'll try to do right.

threatens us, and this is likely to be greatly accelerated by the alarming frigetators, 20@25c. parents; be careful in bringing up increase of drinking among women, That they learn not to love the cup which destroys.

Be careful, be prayerful, and bear this in mind: the twig has been bent, so the tree is volved, the importance and danger of

"Seeing, then, that the common use of alcoholic beverages is always and in a book just issued by Dr. G. everywhere followed, sooner or later, Frank Lydston, one of Chicago's lead- by moral, physical and social results ing physicians, entitled "The Diseases of a most serious and threatening of Society," is a chapter which deals | character, and that it is the cause, diwith "the chemistry of social dis- rect or indirect, of a very large proeases," its main argument being based portion of the poverty, suffering, vice, upon the known effects of poisons, crime, lunacy, disease and death, not more especially of narcotics and al- only in the case of those who take cohol, and upon practical clinical ob- such beverages, but in the case of servations of an analogous character. others who are unavoidably associated with them, we feel warranted, nzy, "Physical degeneracy alone except- compelled to urge the general adop-

Dr. Lydston writes: ed, alcohol is unquestionably the most tion of total abstinence from all inpotent factor in the vice and crime toxicating liquors as beverages as the problem. Here is the only phase of surest, simplest and quickest method the subject in which the materialist of removing the evils which necessarand moralist have ever met upon com- ily result from their use. Such a course is not only universally safe.

"Arguments against the truth of but is also natural. the proposition that inebriety is the "We believe that such an era of more important factor in the etiology health, happiness and prosperity of vice and crime have had for their would be inaugurated thereby that pasis the cupidity of those who man many of the social problems of the facture and sell liquor, the apologies present age would be solved." those who resent any reflection This declaration has already reon the social glass—the 'moderate' ceived the signatures of over 1,000 se of alcohol-and, finally, the ego- physicians. ism of the respectable inebriate who sees in the proposition an implied re-Harm in "Treating" Habit. ection upon his own moral charac-

among the higher classes of America, and especially among women. He also specially among the higher classes of America, glass of egg-nog has deprived a weak briefs. Counsel for Governor Adams will live.

rare and subject to taboo, whilst now months on the "touch not, taste not" jority. quency with which even respectable women may be seen in public drinking an anteprandial cocktail is a matter of common observation. At a remaider of common observation. At a remaider of common observation. At a remaider of common observation, and it were well if every one were born strong, or trained to be strong, but all are not strong in all things, and the taste for stimulants may be the one weak point in their moral character. Then, like the weak link in the chain, if that one weak point is strained over-much the whole at women's clubs pass without comment; indeed, they are so common that the situation is often a source of the youth who would gladly overcome that the situation is often a source of the profit accruing from the menting of silver coin needed in the business of the country, while all American silver will be taken at its face value at every banking office in Canada.

A. Scott, a farmer, residing near Lehigh, Iowa, charges seven Lehigh neen with having come to his place and assaulting him and outraging his wife.

Texas frontiersmen while serving with the cavalry troop in this state. The late Gen. Lawton had trained himself to go for days without touch-ing water to his lips. He could stand all American silver will be taken at its face value at every banking office in Canada.

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Dangers of Alcohol. ment of opinions of all prominent physicians in civilized countries concerning the dangers from alcohol, and in

this way give support to the efforts made to check and prevent the evils from this source:

"In view of the terrible evils which have resulted from the consumption of alcohol, evils which in many parts

Dorothy Mary Jones, daughter of the consumption of alcohol, evils which in many parts

Stewart L. Crebs, cashier of the Carmi, III., National bank and young test son of Col. Crebs, was married to William C. Jones of Robinson, III., for twelve years judge of the circuit the wages average as good or better the wages average as good or better to be had in any other trade we, members of the medical profes- formed among the physicians of Den- Maj. James C. Carlton, president of of like caliber. Men with good knowlsion, feel it to be our duty, as being mark, who are alarmed at the prog- the Mexican War Veterans' associated get \$15 to \$18 per week or more in some sense the guardians of the ress that intemperance is making, tion, was stricken with paralysis and public health, to speak plainly of the They have had posters printed and is believed to be dying at Bedford, \$30 per week, and, like every other nature of alcohol, and of the injury put up in railway stations throughout Ind. to the individual and the dangers to the kingdom in the following form: | Following an operation for appenthe community which arise from the "To the Danish People.—Alcohol is dicitis, Sidney Dillon Ripley, the finan-kind, and is not laborious, though the prevalent use of intoxicating liquors a stupefying poison. Alcohol is the cier, is critically ill at his home in hours are sometimes long. as beverages. We think it ought to cause of many mental diseases, and of New York. be known by all that:

"(1.) Experiments have demon- man in Denmark dies of drink, ern railroad announced an increase in strated that even a small quantity Never give children alcoholic liquors. firemen's wages of from 5 to 20 cents of alcoholic liquor, either immediately Alcoholism breeds tuberculosis and per 100-mile run. or after a short time, prevents perfect sexual diseases. In the struggle for Robert Sheasley, a laborer, has re mental action, and interferes with the temperance, abstinence is the safest tained attorneys to further his claims function of the cells and tissues of weapon. Abstinence never injured a as an heir to the estate of William ody, impairing self-control by man. Sure is the hand and clear is Rice, the New York millionaire, for man. Sure is the hand and clear is the hand and clear is the thought of him who never drank whose murder Attorney Patrick was people happy, increase its prosperity, in cohol must be regarded as a build up its homes, advance the inrace sound in body and mind become the firm on to be classed terests of your country, and make the race sound in body and mind become the work of the firmen in New York.

"(2,) Observation establishes the a total abstainer." that a moderate use of alcoholic hors, continued over a number of Ocean Cable in Use. ears, produces a gradual deteriora- There are 252,436 miles of occan cation of the tissues of the body, and ble in use.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS. WATER NOT NEEDED Creamery, extra, 34c; prints. 25½c firsts, 30g31½c; spconds, 24g2bc; storage 32c; renovated, 28c; darles, Cooleys, 31c firsts, 28c; ladles, 15g16c; packing stock

New York Produce. "(5.) Further, alcohol tends to pro-, and "quit ye, like 'duce in the offspring of drinkers an to, poor, 104,47114c; do, large colored and white, fancy, 134c; do, fine, 123,62; do, fine, 123,62; do, late made colored and white, thoice, 124c; do, fair to good, 104,6114c; o, poor, 94,6104c; skims, full to light, do, large colored byen in the hottest days of summer cc; do, fine, 12346 he is not troubled with thirst. Occa-

Grain Quotations. WHEAT.
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Duluth—No. 1 northern, \$1,134.
Kansas City—No. 2 hard, \$1,094.61.11.
Milwauke—No. 1 northern, \$1,1761.18.
Toledo—No. 2 red, \$1,17. this increase cannot be exaggerated. Chicago-No. 2, 4514@45%c

Liverpool—American mixed, old, 4114d.
New York—No. 2, 57½c.
Peorla—No. 3, 43c.
St. Louis—No. 2, 47½c.
Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 47¼@48c.
Milwaukee—No. 3, 41½@45c.
OATS.
Chicago—Standard, 31½@32c.
New York—Mixed, 37@38c.
St. Louis—No. 2, 31½c.
Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 32½c.
Milwaukee—Standard, 32@32½c. CATTLE.
Chicago—\$1.50@6.25.
Omaha—\$2@5.40.
Kansas City—\$1.75@5.65.
St. Louls—\$2.25@5.90.
New York—\$1.75@5.70.
St. Joseph—\$1.80@5.40.
Pittsburg—\$2.50@5.55.
HOGS.

Chicago \$2,2564.95. Chicago \$2,2564.95. Omaha \$3,7564.89. Kansas City \$464.90. St. Louis \$3,7565. St. Joseph \$4,5564.874. Pittsburg \$365.

A glass of egg-nog is a very inno-cent looking affair, and to some it tee of the legislature at Denver, Colo., Dr. Lydston is convinced that the brings no harm, but often the scent granted the attorneys for both sides and especially among women. He writes:

"Tippling among women was once rare and subject to taboo, whilst now months on the "touch not tests not"

glass of egg-nog has deprived a weak man of every vestige of will power to resist the old cravings for disk and hold that, allowing all of Peabody's claims, Adams still has a mather than a month on the "touch not tests not" in the little towns drink so little water that

it is so common in our large cities as to pass without comment. The frequency with which even respectable women may be seen in public drink
months on the "touch not, taste not" plan. It is well enough to say "all men should be strong enough to take the first drink and let the second one alone;" and it were well if every one will be made shortly under which Can-

ciety, the observations and deductions of physicians and sociologists on the effects of alcohol on women are fallacious. The drinking American woman, already neurasthenic, is fostering an already neurasthenic, is fostering and seep at him until they actually drag him down with them into the gutter. And all by means of this perniciously insidious treating.

The Wisconsin state factory inspection has condemned the armory of the governor's guard, the Avenue hotel and the Hotel Sherlock in Madison because of the solution of an, already neurasthenic, is fostering degeneracy for the race."

Could every man but look at the matter in its true light, and know that the local section of the absence of fire escapes. The Porto Rican legislature has stands on equally as good a basis as

treating to whisky is an invitation to passed a law which Governor Win- do other well established occupations. The following statement was agreed upon by the Council of the British Medical Temperance Association, the Medical Abstainers in Ger.

Scalety of Medical Abstainers in Ger.

debase himself and is a downright insult. It is an invitation to efface every divine attribute, take away the mind and put oneself on a level with throp will approve for the maintent constant attention, because the subject dealt with is life, and that brooks in the United States, with headquar possible ters in New York. debase himself and is a downright throp will approve for the mainten. It is a business requiring strict and Society of Medical Abstainers in Germany, and leading physicians in Engrand and on the continent. The puriose of this is to have a general agree-independent of the proper use of whisky. The most virual of the most virual o

ing the dangers from alcohol, and in poisons are labeled and the promissions way give support to the efforts being support to the efforts cuous sale of this poison should be Carmi III. National bank and the promission of the due industry I think there is no pro-

calling there is always room at the Call on ...

most of the crimes. Every seventh The Lake Shore & Michigan South

When a feller's good and hungry, Then he cain't work no mo'; I s got to do some catin' To make the old wheels go; As' when he's ben to dinner

race sound in body and mind, become the work of the firemen in New York that a loss of \$100,000 was sustained in the factory of Philip Hano & Co., in Greenwich street. John Reed, a bachelor 35 years old, hanged himself at Rochester, Ind. rather than go to jail for one day.

muscles are well developed and hard,

and to all appearance he is in perfect

Even in the hottest days of summer

raw eggs. He eats few vegetables,

The thirst which Major Schiermier

had when he first began to abstain

from the use of water for drinking

An old frontiersman, Capt. J. G

Merrill, in discussing the matter of

take long chases after Indians and

border desperadoes, the water supply

question never troubled the men, and

they would have given it little

thought but for the fact that their

"Drinking water is a habit, just like

drinking whisky is," continued Capt.

Merrill. "I belonged for several years

to Major Jones' company of rangers

and there were several men in that

company who had trained themselves

to go for days at a stretch without a

drop of water passing their lips. If

their thirst made them uncomfortable

they were wont to moisten their

cactus. I got so used to going with-

out water on my long rides over the

plains of west Texas that I still care

very little for the fluid. Frequently

day after day passes without my

drinking a drop of water or anything

except a small cup of coffee which

"I can show scores of old Texa

rontiersmen who do not drink a gal-

lon of water a month and are in the

best of health and condition all the

time. I also believe that the less

The work is of the pleasantest

stowed away a heap, what's the use o' workin'?

then's that good time comin hen we don't work no mo'? like to go a struttin' that there golden sho', loosen all my buttons 'eat a mighty heap alluh yams an' possum i' sleep an' eat an' sleep.

Id love to go a fishin'
In th' everlastin' stream,
An' hook the line ter my big toe
An' perch up there an' dream;
I'd like ter ketch a catfesh
An' fry him in de pan
I'm a-sleepin', eatin', sleepin',
A sleepin', eatin' man'
—Houston Per

feller's got ter sleep.

ove to go a fishin'

when's that good time comi

I take at my breakfast.

mouth and throat with the juice of a

horses had to have water.

gradually disappeared.

condition.

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# From Our Point of View

ANY intelligent person who considers and observes, must see that our national politics are in a transitionary period. Old party lines no longer divide the people on well-defined principles. A multitude of men nominally styled Democrats are no longer in sympathy with the organization bearing that name. The same thing is true of the Republican party, although that mighty force, possession of the offices, holds it together. Each party has a radical and reform element, represented by such aggressive and courageous men as Roosevelt and Bryan; and each has a self-styled conservative or "safe and sane" element. represented by men like Parker and Granddaddy Cannon. One would no THINGS for the benefit of the masses; the other is opposed to any move which would disturb the selfish schemes of the classes. President Roosevelt's bitterest opposition in his fight with the beef trust and the railroad rebate, is among the Republicans of the U. S. Senate, fitly described as the unpopular body, the American House of Lords. A re-alignment of party politics, which will put these warring elements where they belong, is bound to come; speed the day. In the meantime, let every well-meaning citizen proceed indepently to inform himself on present day problems.

Can it be that we have mis-read our histories? We have understood that General Miles was a brave and faithful soldier in the war for the preservation of the Union; and that it was Jeff Davis who violated his oath, made war upon his country and starved our boys at Andersonville and Libby prisons; but judging from the abuse being showered upon Miles for his alleged ill-treatment of Davis when the latter was a prisoner, it seems we must have been mistaken. Of all the asinine attacks upon Miles, this caps the climax. Talk about Miles putting irons on Jeff's ankles! If he had put a rope around his neck, it would have served the old traitor right; and in any other nation on earth that's what he would have got. Supervisor Hunt of Lowell was a lieutenant on General Miles' staff in the Civil war, and knows his worth. If you want to see an old man get "red-headed," just join this guano-throwing at General Miles in our townsman's presence. Once will be a plenty.

OUR retiring Village officers have served the public well, and deserve the good will and appreciation of their fellow citizens. Republics are said to be ungrateful; but this should not be true of municipalities whose officers have donated freely of their time and services.

WE REPEAT what we have said in former years, the best interests of the Village will be conserved by having at least two tickets in the field, and those non-partisan.

A DARK cloud seems to be rising in the hitherto sunny sky of the trust robbers. A storm is gathering that threatens the destruction of the infamous horde.

THE Frenzied Finance and beef trust articles in Everybody's magazine are worthy the attention of every good citizen and lover of his kind.

IF DR. OSTLER wants to try the chloroform experiment on himself, no one will object. He never would be missed.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. Regular special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell, held in the Council rooms on Council

egar, full board. a report recommending that the rate for lighting for the Lowell Cutter Co. opening, played upon by the wind, bebe fixed for one year at the same comes a musical instrument suggesrate as for all other consumers and tive of a sweet-toned flute. The whist-with a minimum charge of \$5.00 per ling tree is also found in the West

count for all amounts over \$5.00 per month. On motion by Trustee Nichwas accepted and adopted and the recommendation concurred in, by Hicks, Lee, Nicholson, Smith and know.

the following bills were allowed: Yeas, Collar, Hicks, Lee, Nicholson, Smith and Winegar.

L. & P. FUND. R Williamson Co ... Fostoria Incand't Lamp Co..... 34.98 

\$253.01 STREET FUND

GENERAL FUND. Lowell Ledger .... President Hakes appointed Trus-

cil adjourned. T. A. Murphy, Clerk. Village Election Notice.

On motion by Trustee Collar Coun-

To the electors of the Village of treat the cause. Catarrh is the cause. Office. Michigan: Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing election for said Village will be held at the Mer-scientifically prepared from the pre-Post Office within said Village on Monday, Mar. 13, A. D. 1905, at which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz: One Village President, one Village Clerk, one Village Treasurer, three Trustees for 2 years, one Assessor.

His Majesty, the Emperor of Japan. The following poem was written for the students at the Peeresses' School of Tokyo. It is translated by the New York Independent Japanese correspondent, Arthur Lloyd.—Editor. The water placed in goblet, bowl or very long of the students at the Peeresses' School of Tokyo. It is translated by the New York Independent Japanese correspondent, Arthur Lloyd.—Editor. The water placed in goblet, bowl or very limit will be extended on early limit will be extended on ea The polls of said election will be trace of the catarrhal parasites and cup

and will remain open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day of election. By order of the Board of Election Inspectors of said Village.

Settler's Fares to the South and South the allments of women. I want you the catarrhal germs. No other remedy is so admirably designed for the allments of women. I want you the catarrhal germs. No other remedy is so admirably designed for the allments of women. I want you the catarrhal germs. No other remedy is so admirably designed for the good or evil in the friends we choose

FOR SALE

Large house and lot in village of Call 'phone No. 34 for dray.

back your mor

D. G. LOOK.

From Tax Roll REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE Of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell for

Special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell, held in the Council Rooms on Friday evening, Feb. 24, 1905. Meeting called to order by President Hakes. Present, Trustees Collar, Hicks, Lee, Nicholson, Street Lights

Cross Walks Annual report of the financial condition of the vil- Street Commissioner

The Clerk submitted the following report of the Lumber financial condition of the village, and on motion by Tile, Cement, etc Trustee Hicks it was accepted, adopted and ordered Repairing published. Yeas, Collar, Hicks, Lee, Nicholson, Gravel Smith and Winegar. On motion by Trustee Winegar Council adjourn-

T. A. Murphy, Clerk. GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS. Balance Feby. 13 1904 (Cash on hand) \$ 2,542 06 From Tax Roll 82 90
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Stores, Residences etc., for Light and P
47 50
Citizens Light Co., Belding
Rent of Farm
Supplies sold (Merchandise)
Street Lighting
3 65
Engine House Lighting " Fines in Justice Court " Street Licenses Storage of Fire Engine Refund by Atty Springett in Jno. W Murphy Case 17 25 Labor

Lowell House for Repairs " Rent of Woolen Mills ppty Total Receipts DISBURSEMENTS. \$ 385 63

Interests on Bonds Extensions to Plant (Meters) FIRE DEPARTMENT. ware, oil, carbons, wire, lamps, etc. Supplies purchased (Merchandise) Repairs and reconstructions Rewiring and Repairs to Engine House Supplier 2 50 Salance (Cash on hand Feby. 18, 1905) Salaries of Fireman 228 00 Salary of Chief 60 00 Teams 20 00 Officers of Village Health Officer Marshall General Fund

102 00 80 00 12 00 150 00 487 50 98 25 58 15 1,104 54 General Fund Street Fund 1,800 00 L. & P. Fund

Earnings of Lighting and Power Plant for Year

Commencing Feby. 15, 1904 and ending Feby. 18, 1905. LIGHTING & POWER PLANT Cr. By Receipts from light and power, storesetc. \$5,273 07 "Citizens Light Co., Belding 1,250 00 " Rent of Farm " Street Lighting (27 lamps at 50c per yr.)
" Engine House Lighting
" Merchandise sold 1,355 47 Inventory Feb. 18, 1905 Accts Rec., Feb. 18, 1905 26 99 Total Credits \$10,129 92 LIGHTING & POWER PLANT Dr.

General running expense, insurance, taxes, hardware, oil, carbons, wire, etc.

J. B. Nicholson, Weldon Smith,

Accepted, adopted, and ordered published. Feb. 24.

Labor Merchandise purchased

" Inventory Feb. 13, 1904 " Accts. Rec. Feb. 13, 1904

10 00 Balance (Net profit for the ye Total Debits

G. G. TOWSLEY, M. D.

LOWELL, MICHIGAN.

A Specialty.

Ladies who are troubled with Weaknes will find relief by using my ANTISEPTH DOUCHE POWDER.

Elegant

can get at our store for 15c, 20c or 25c. We have all grades of box paper ranging in price from 10c to 50c.

A. D. Sturgis

DR. M. CLAYTON GREENE

University of Michigan and Post Graduate Jourse at New York Polyelin Medical School and Hospital, New York City. Office-LOWELL, MICH.

**Board Bargains** 

Lowell Lumber Co.





1,237 50

\$4,054 94

\$ 1,350 00

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T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.

Finance Committee

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Liquor License

Sidewalk Sold

Cleaning snow off walks

Total Receipts

Total Disbursements

Broadway Street Sewer Fund

Total Receipts

Street Fund L. & P. Fund

Total Disbursments

Balance Cash on hand Feby. 18, 1905

LIGHT AND POWER FUND.

DISBURSEMENTS.

BROADWAY STEET SEWER FUND.

SUMMARY.

Receipts including balance from 190

DISBURSEMENTS.

Repairing Sidewalks

Total Receipts

DISBURSEMENTS.

Dirt Sold

we can take you restless or full of tovs that will old his atten-

fond mother, wait until he gets a little older It is not wise to delay, something may happen. Who can tell? Then you will bitterly regret you did not have it taken before.

older growth are

not in it this time.

F. B. RHODES Successor to Mrs. Moffit.

COUPON FOR Sewing Machine Contest

Write name plainly and correctly

# 0. K. Siarch Enamel

tion instead of a drudgery by caus-ing the iron to pass very smoothly over the surface of the article you are ironing, thus requiring but half the ordinary labor to do an ironing then O. K. STARCH ENAMEL is used It gives an excellent lustre to all linen and muslin goods that cannot cents a box. Each box cotains doxen cakes, and each cake is suffic-ient for doing any ordinary ironing Hundreds of Ladies have used this

Sold by R. Van Dyke

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialty.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cooper of Orleans visited at the home of Philip Mr. and Mrs. John Christie of Orleans visited at the home of Philip Mr. and Mrs. John Christie of Ior and Joel Gilbert visited the family of J. A. Aldrich Saturday.

Mrs. John Renwick returned last week from Barryton, accompanied be her daughter and the latter's lit-Clara and Joe Billinger returned

The Colonei's Waterloo. Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey D. B. Fero offers his 80-acre farm 5 Miller starm for the coming year. e, Texas, nearly met his Water-rom Liver and Kidney trouble. miles south of Lowell for sale; and will sell his farm horses, cows, live sister, Mrs. Geo. Tucker, Sunday. bottle of your great Electric Bitters.

will sell his farm horses, cows, live stock, tools, etc., a large list, at auction on Friday, March 10, beginning at 1 o'clock sharp. See bills printed at this office.

will sell his farm horses, cows, live sister, Mrs. Geo. Tucker, Sunday.

Miss Anna Rollins and Stanley McKinney of Byron are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker. which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank

EAST LOWELL. best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia, Billousness and Kidney Disease, by D. G. Look, druggist, at 50c a bottle.

EAST LOWELL.

Mrs. G. G. Jones is entertaining about thirty friends last Wednesday for and M. C. Keller entertained about thirty friends last Wednesday and Sunday with his parents.

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the school pupils at a caudy pull Little Glenn Hubbell has been very

Irs. G. W. Davis of Detroit visited ecently.

Rapids. turned from a two weeks' visit at If the Root Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey started

Monday on a trip to Washington and California. Mrs. C. C. Conklin has returned from a visit with her sister at Sag-

Isaac Filkins is movning from

Ray Hubbell and aunt, Mrs. G. W. Davis, of Detroit, spent Sunday or fading and makes you look old and with friends at Clarksville. Mrs. Pearl Hendershott and baby harley visited at the home of C but accomplished nothing else lendershott Sunday. Mrs. Geo. Godfrey is suffering with

ter Bessie visited friends at Freeport her daughter at Ada, and another | Don Collar and wife visited Mrs | Saturday and Sunday. Mrs, Chas. Backofen of Battle

VERGENNES STATION.

Mrs. D. Clawson of Orleans was a

daughter from Easton is there car- Addle Sweet of South Lowell last Thursday. Mrs. T. Daniels recived word last | The Shadow social of March 3 Creek and Miss Florence Fero of South Lowell spent Sunday at the week that her son-in-law, Mark has been postponed. Brown of Otisco, was quite ill with Miss Edythe Crakes of Grand Rap ome of W. Maynard. typhoid malaria. Frank Daniels ids has returned to her home on ac-Pneumonia is too dangerous a dis-A man that was working for Peter ease for anyone to attempt to doctor

McPherson cut his foot very badly himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called. It should last week. Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Krum attended the Unity pedro club at the home be borne in mind, however, that pneumonia always results from a old or from an attack of the grin and that by giving Chamberlai Fred Geiger of Moseley is assisting Cough Remedy the threatened

Mrs. Bert Bowen of Kalamazos has been spending several days with South Lowell visited at Don Collar's physicians in the treatment of pneu-her sister and her mother. Mesdames Saturday and Sunday. her sister and her mother, Mesdames Saturday and Sunday, Jay Watters of Lowell visited rel. J. Smith, of Sanders, Ala., who is Clarksville has rented the Hugh Lee Lampkin is the proud owner of a nice pony, which was a gift

VERGENNES.

I am here with the goods

Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Caps

and want to show you.

MART SIMPSON, Successor to Chas, Althen.

Our Country Cousins

Mrs. Wm. Caunon, an old resident | Miss Fern Edmonds of Lowell is

of Keene, is quite ill at the home of visiting at Adelibert Odell's.

KEENE CENTER.

Dr. M. B. Wilkinson of Saranae

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson, Sun-

made a short visit with his parents.

former resident of Keene, now living

at Marion, has been exposed to

Dell Bowen and Goodell.

cans of Montealm county.

Saranac Sunday.

Isaac Joseph is quite sick.

to see their mother, Mrs. Israel Cave.

and were pleased to fiind her recov-

Ed Trask attended the convention at Greenville last Thursday. A fine Mr. and Mrs. Chad Lee spent Sun-Mrs. Adelbert Krum and children Mrs. Anna McGee returned last day with Mr. and Mrs. Judson Lee. of Ada visited her mother, Mrs. week from Grand Rapids, where she Ed Trask and family were guests Rowley, last week, her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Doran.

of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hunter at Best Remedy for Constipation. Miss Ola Johnson of Lowell was the guest of Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson I ever used is Chamberlain's Sto Grandma Finch is decidedly bet-

Claude of Lake Odessa, and Hal Sold by A. D. Sturgis, Cave of McCords came last Tuesday Miss Alice Mullen returned Monday the quarterly meeting of the Westleyan Methodists here last Saturday

to Grand Ledge, after a week's visit and Sunday. Mrs. Frank Cave is very ill, and Born-Feb. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. guest of her mother, Mrs. Lavender, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bartlett have moved from the McCarty farm to that of Wilbur Moon, for whom they have contracted to work for eight.

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Mrs. Wm. Rector is very ill.

W. J. Watterson and family have it because the sympathy of all in their recent because the sympathy of th John Cary, a twelve-pound son. have contracted to work for eight months. John Wilson and family of J. Ingersol had the misfortune to spent Sunday with relatives here.

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Bennie Murphy and Clara Mansor ing after spending several days with her.

Son to 500 to 550 t 

have been visiting relatives in this diana. When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, with grip last week. Mrs. B. Ball was seriously ill last day.

Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. Startling Mortality.

Star teed at Look's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

SOUTH LOWELL.

Lura Witt is recovering from an illness with scarlet fever.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Ed. Frost is very ill with grip.

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Lewie Patterson who has been spending the Winter with his father tained Mrs. Will Tapley and family Sunday.

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Lewie Patterson of Newberry, has retained Mrs. Will Tapley and family sunday.

Cheap. 159 acres, good apple and peach orchards, stream of water, fair buildings, 20 acres timber, fair fences, 60 acres new seeding.

Will Watts of Hart is the guest of fences, 60 acres new seeding.

Ayers Friday and attended the party at the Grange hall in the evening.

John Ellison and Miss Fern Parks were married at the home of of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cowan at Easton last Wednesday. Our congratulations are offered to the groom.

Mrs. Carrie Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. And Mrs. John Christie of Grand Rapids are guests of H. Getty and family.

The social at the hall was well at the hall was well at the proceeds, about \$20, making, we hope, a sufficient amount of the Methodist church.

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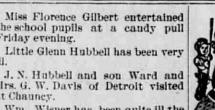
Odessa Sunday.

M. D. Sneathen is packing and which will be shipping his apples to Detroit. Fisher farm in Cascade township expects to have about four hunds and will move there soon.

Anna Layer entertained a friend for the Northern Spies. barrels, and received \$3.25 per barr her home in Battle Creek Friday. Miss Mabel and little Wm. Alde after a three weeks' visit at the old Kyser have been quite seriously ill.

Herman Aldrink has rented W. B

Messrs, and Mesdames Levi Fletch-



Every combful causing pang of fea-

Does a white trail of dandruff sift of ou manage to hide it. But it is spread Have you tried many restoratives that gummed your hair into a sticky mass -

Then Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is the Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is wholly free from grease or sediment and will neither pillows. It is clear and clean, Rexall "93" Hair Tonic stops falling

hair and permanently banishes dandruff. It does this by destroying the cause the microbes.

Rexall '93" Hair Tonic will quickly cover the bald spots with a vigorous who returned Saturday. rowth of hair. I guarantee to hair on all heads where a spark of life remains in the roots and where the follicles I sell a large bottle for fifty cents that Adrian Vos and wife were in Grand guarantee to do all I have claimed or

D. G. LOOK.

Keene for a year, have moved to Lowell.

Jay Watters of Lowell visited relatives in this vicinity during a part flast week.

The school social was a success, proceeds being eight dollars.

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week.

The New England supper given b A Favorite Remedy for Bables. the Ladies Aid society was well at-Its pleasant taste and prompt tended and much enjoyed by all.

cures have made Chamberlain's Mr. Almond, a grange deputy Mr. and Mrs. Peter Esterly are en- Cough Remedy a favorite with the gave a pleasant talk at the hall o

Robinson started Thursday morn-ing for Indiana where they will Corn Meal end the remainder of the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulbert entertained the Cascade Ladies Aid so-Alton Maccaboes Booming. The Altoen Maccabee Tent, No. 843, Butter.

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[Too late for last week.]

Mrs. Wm. Rector is very ill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Ford of Steeles corners were Tuesday.

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It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done his best for his suffering son. When the suffering son the s

Still our fine weather continues.

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It looks as though we were going to lose our snow.

The Gleaners gave a progressive pedro party at the Keene hall Friday evening and a very delightful time was enjoyed by all present.

Larga Witt, is recovering from an interesting and a very delightful time was enjoyed by all present.

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Mr. Bush of Boston gave an interesting address here Sunday morning. We hope for Rev. Wesbrook's speedy recovery.

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Mrs. John Huizinga visited Charles Shores and family of Keene recently.

Mrs. D. A. Wood has gone to Chicago to care for her daughter, Mrs. E. Tucker, who is ill.

Two Farms For Sale.

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Will Watts of Hart is the guest of fences, 60 acres new seeding. 4 miles from Lowell. Dr. L. E. Haskins and family.

CANNONSBURG.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Theodore Grover and daughter Thursday, March 9.

Henry Lampman of Lowell and his daughter of Elmdale visited Mrs. Bert Hartwell last Wednesday.

Mrs. Oberly remained with her sister

Now Therefore A Commence the beauthorized to comme

Mrs. Oberly remained with her sister Now Therefore I, George Moore Dora Baldwin of Grand Rapids ing department, do hereby certify that the "Burg" Saturday. Miss Minnie Wilson, recently a Alto, Alto, Michigan in the Village of guest of her father, Dr. Wilson, has Alto County of Kent and State of returned to Grand Rapids.

Dorus Church and family of Alton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herrington, Sunday.

Michigan, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in section seven of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan. Herrington, Sunday. Geo. Judson who is attending the In Testimony Whereof, Witness



Robert Ford and William Glasgo were in Grand Rapids Monday and uesday on business. Lydia Brighton of Lowell visited her sister, Mrs. H. Seese and family from Sunday till Tuesday.

Mrs. N. Ford and family were guests of Mrs. Wayne Pardee at Lowell Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hartley and son Charlie of West Lowell visited their sister, Mrs. N. Ford, Thursday. Surprise parties are too numerous to mention in Logan now-a-days. H. Seese and wife are helping their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Althouse, settle in their new

LOGAR.

home at Freeport this week. FALLASBURG.

There will be preaching at the chool house by Rev. Bennett Sunday, March 5th in the evening. It is oped there will be a good attend-

Frank Sherrard and wife visited in and Rapids last week. Frank Sears of Grattan visited his grandparents, Henry Scott and wife,

J. E. Tower went to Grand Rapids last Thursday and was accompanied home Friday by Mrs. A. G. Steketce, Lloyd Scott of Big Rapids vicinity is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H Scott, and assisting his grandfather in getting up his supply of wood for the Summer.

Rapids Thursday and Friday of last Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood, who OWELL LEDGER both one year,\$1.85 have worked the farm of Wilbur

Mrs. Arthur Sayles of Keene and ittle son visited her aunt, Mrs. Den-Testim'ls free. Hermit Remedy Co., Chicago.

Mortgages,

Convulsion,

Fits, then

Epilepsy.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerv

ine has been so successful in

curing these brain-wrecking

diseases that there is every

reason to believe that even the

most hopeless cases can be

benefited, if not fully restored.

We will be pleased to refer

any one thus afflicted to many

who now enjoy the blessing of

health, after years of hopeless

"I have a son that had brain fever when two years old, followed by fits of the worst type, and he was pronounced incurable. I spent hundreds of dollars for him, without relief. After about fifteen years he became so bad that we sent him to Longcliff hospital for the insane, at Logansport, Ind. He was there nearly three years, but he continued to grow worse, so we brought him home July 30, 1902, in an awful condition. He had lost his mind almost entirely. He hardly knew one of the family; could not even find his bed:

wishes to ask any questions concerning this, they are at liberty to do so."

E. H. BUNNELL, Lincoln, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

suffering.

JOHN B. MARTIN 60 Monroe St. Grand Rapid THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT

[Corrected March 1, 1905.]

FEED

PRODUCE .18 to20 c perpound .8 to 10c " " .19 to 23c " "



Thedford's Black-Draught come nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health tha my other medicine made. It always ready in any emergency treat ailments that are frequent ness, colds, diarrhœa, an

Thedford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently summor the doctor. It is as good for children

Theoford's Black-Draught has been our family doctor for five years and we want no other. When any of us feel badly we take a dose and are all right in twelves hours. We have spent lots of money for doctor bills, but get along just as well with Black-Draughs. IRA H. BADER.

BLACK

Ask your dealer for a package of hedford's Black-Draught and if h loes not keep it send 25c. to The Chatta

Commissioner of the State Bank

idence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that The Farmer's State Bank of Alto, Alto Michigan, in the Village of Alto in the County of Kent State of Michigan,

as it is for grown persons. A dose this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and whe taken as directed brings quick relies DANVILLE, ILL., Dec. 28, 1902.

# the Year Ending Feb. 18, 1905.

Smith and Winegar.

Meeting called for the purpose of considering the General Street Labor

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Assessor Board of Reviews Clerk Night Watch

Attorney Leader of Baud

Special Police drant Rental Engine House Lighting Fire Commissioners Rent of Council Rooms Revising and Printing Ordinances Flood Expenses Sidewalk Notices

Rebates for Cement Walks Constructed Expense for Jail Election and Caucus Expenses Postage Telephone Expenses etc Blank books, Stationery and Printing Defending suit of Jno. W. Murphy against the village for damages Insurance on Band Instrument

Simon Sullivan, services on proposed sewer

Total Disbursements

Earth Road for Light Traffic.

While the earth road, under favor-

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STEET FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Repairing Flume to Woolen Mill Chas. Johnson, Rebate on Taxes Twp. Tax, Woolen Mill property Repaias at Lowell House as ordered by Fire Committee Cement Walks put in (to be assessed against Tree That wristles. the property when placed) A species of acacia which grows Flushing and Repairing Sewers Memorial Day Expense

Mircellaneous Expense

Monday evening, Feb. 20, 1905.

Meeting called to order by President Hakes. Present, Trustees Collar, Hicks, Lee, Nicholson, Smith and Winegar, full board.

Guerry distorted in shape by the agency of larvae of insects and swollen into a globular bladder from one to two inches in diameter. After the The L. & P. Committee submitted insect has emerged from a circular

A Consoling Thought. Lady (calling on new vicar's wife) - able traffic and climatic conditions, Have you seen the library at the Hall? | can be made excellent and satisfacthe following vote: Yeas, Collar, Sir Geeoge is quite a bibliophile, you tory in every way, yet it must be nine at practically cost price. It is

men have no religion!-Punch.

traffic and carried off by the wind and Rexall Medical News rain, or the way will soon wear down to such an extent that drainage will Womanhood become a very difficult problem. As the traffic of most roads increases slowly, the adjacent earth can first The number of diseases peculiar be used for repairs, then gravel or to women is so large that I believe crushed stone. These, however, are ..\$16 50 this space would not even contain a problems to be solved by those famil-..... 18 00 mere mention of the names, and it is a fact that the majority of these diseases are caused by Catarrh. A woman cannot be well if there is woman cannot be well if there is pairs. The large majority of roads a trace of Catarrhal germs in her for some time to come will require system. You will never find rich only earth for their construction, and Low Rates to the West. One Way. Sec blood in a person troubled with for this reason it is essential to the ond-Class Colonist Faros the West, prosperity of each community that the Northwest and California. to secure a place for holding the aunual Village election on March 13th and for a Citizen's caucus.

Catarrh, and you will never rid yournearth road be properly cared for. drive out every germ with REXALL MUCU-Tone. Some women think there is no help for them. I am the best immigrants that come to the

positive in saying this is a mistake.

What you do need is a specialty to treat the cause. Catarrh is the cause.

Catarrh is the cause.

The best limitigants of Norway and Sweden.

School report cards at The Ledger for particulars or write to H. J.

Gray D. P. A. Grand Rapids. The ailments of womanhood are but Wisdom's Goal. By Mutsuhito. ritt L. Wright building opposite
Post Office within said Village on
Monday, Mar. 13, A. D. 1905, at

scription of a physician whose
specialty was Catarrh for thirty years;
the students at the Peeresses' School

opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon at the same time toning up the mu- Changes its form to its receptacle; and will remain open until 5 o'clock | cous tissues that have been diseased | And so our plastic souls take various

Dated this 23d day of February, 1905.

T. A. Murphy, Clerk of said Village.

The good of evil in the friends to the ailments of women. I want you choose.

Therefore be ever careful in your and third Tuesdays of each month until April, 1905. See agents for until April, 1905. See agents for on my positive guarantee that if you choice of friends, are not benefitted I will hand you And let your special love be given to

Approved H. W. HAKES, President Balance (Cash on hand Feby 13 1904) \$ 655 60 gions in India can now purchase quiborne in mind that the earth road is put up in small packages by the gov-

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Vicar's Wife (warmly)—Oh, I'm so essentially a light-traffic road. When ernment and sold at the rate of 1 cent glad to hear that! So many wealthy the traffic of a road increases beyond for ten grains. a certain point it becomes necessary to supply new material to take the A man's hair turns gray five years place of a large amount abraded by

the Alps over five miles in length

Good seasoned, second - growth oak for sale at \$2.25 per cord. Geo. M. Parker, 'phone 181. **EXCURSIONS** 

There are said to be 230 glaciers in

WOOD FOR SALE.

PERE MARQUETTE On March 1, 1905, extremely low one-way rates will be offered to points in the West, Northwest and

H. F. Moller, G. P. A., Detroit. Low Rates to the South Mardi Gras at New Orleans March 6, 7, & 8, 1905. On account of the Mardi Gras Fes.

on certain conditions. Ask agents for full particulars. H. F. Moeller, G. P. A.

Whose strength of character may prove the whip prove the whip That drives you ever to fair Wisdom's "Harmit" Salva will prove its infallibility. 25 & prove the whip
That drives you ever to fair Wisdom's
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50c. All druggists.



as we do now, at figures which you know as well as we are way below market rates, it's up to you to buy at once and ask questions afterward. But to satisfy your curiosity we will say that our yard is so jammed full of both lumber and timber that we must get rid of it some way. The way we take is rather hard on us but mighty good for you



O. K. Starch Enamel costs but 10 namel and found it to give the best of satisfaction. Why not you? ure a box today.

Lowell, Mich.

Office over McCarty's store. Lowell, Mi R.R. EATON, M.D.

Accouchement and Diseases of Children

There is elegance and tone in the new writing paper we have just received. It is an inducement to write when you use stationery that is sure to give a good impression to the receipent of your letter. You will be impressed when you find what an elegant box of paper you

right, 1897, by F. Tennyson Neely, Copyright, 1899, by Street and Smith. CHAPTER XXI.

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A Goddess of Sattle.

The retreat of the Spanish troops from the scene of the dynamite wreck, back over the five or six miles separated ammunition, car is settled, tas been accomplished in an almost have constantly on the jump.

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have stood against guerrileros.

The first man to reach the carriage as he points into the thick of the struggling, surging mass. "See, a girl ties have proven of no mean order is a tall captain, whose sprinting qualities have proven of no mean order—indeed, he is so easily able to out-dishorse—a girl with flowing hair, and tance all of his comrades that Jack in wielding a machete. Look closely, secret is ready to believe his athletic Smithers. I could swear that is our abilities must have been gained in the charming hostess, Lola Montez."
bull-ring eluding the mad rushes of an His words reach other ears than

infuriated old toro. those for whom they are intended. As he comes up, he gasps out:

"Senor, an axe—something to break open the door of the ammunition van.

We have no cartridges; we will be annihilated unless our guns are made the way in which Travers unconscioustible to the way in which Travers un aveilable."

wailable."

So he chatters on, while gasping for "charming" has something to do with So he chatters on, while gasping for breath, and continues to beg for an axe. Jack does not know where such an implement can be found, and as for Smithers, he would see the whole regiment in Guinea before he stirred a inent in Guinea before he stirred a she has devoted her existence.

step to further their cause an iota.

Smithers in one glance sees that

Jack has spoken the truth. He inhave a friend in Senor Roblado, who hardly relishes falling into the hands "You are right, sir; but please don't

or kenneled in Havana.

The officer in command forms his men in a phalanx. Not a shot do they fire, because few guns contain a load, but with the grim front of veterans they await the decent of the hawk.

Again the hillside is covered with a graph front of the man and thus the drainage should be good. The wounded rebel has proven no figure on the future.

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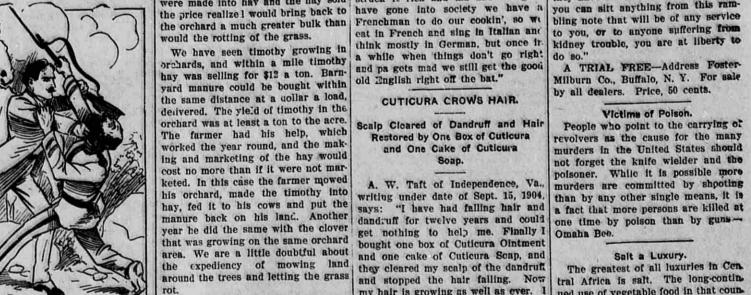
and these wild followers of Gomez nies his dismay over the disaster. news. mean to keep them moving until they are swallowed up in the sea of fire out his desperate intention, Travers that sweeps over the Cuban chaparral, has seized hold of his gun—Travers, who is boiling over with indignation at Travers confesses to a tremendous the sight.

interest in the outcome; he believes There is a brief but terrific struggle

their ammunition has also run carried things before them; but now interference with the hunting on

in a hand-to-hand encounter, they are of no use whatever at a distance. So the revolutionists melt away, some passing up the rise and others plunging into the shelter of the woods, as yet untouched by the fingers of the

Jack heaves a sigh of relief. He has seen that the white horse and its lovely rider have been almost miraculously spared through the fierce rattle



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they will be safe once the battle is over no matter who wins, as Smithers is surely on one side, while Senor Robladd covers the other. It is only the bladd covers the other. It is only the write Roger Pocock. "Of the Dundee whalers very few remain and if they soldier whirling down the slight embankment, having at the same time wrenched his gun out of his hands.

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This treaty is enforced by Denmark prevent running to wood. Is a sprout danger that must threaten while the warfare is on that gives him cause for mental anxiety.

This treaty is enforced by Denmark on behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying of a woody growth? We would like to to become a taxed for the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying the become a taxed for the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying the become a taxed for the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying to be a taxed to the shell that the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying to be a taxed to the shell trade to the shell trying the behalf of her royal trade, a government department, which is trying the behalf of her royal trade, a government department department. He has not long to wait for the to become a target for the bullets that to save and civilize the native tribes bave the opinion of some of our readbegin to whistle around so merrily. of the country. By this means alone ers on this point, A few shots are fired as the patriots Up to the present moment the dash can the Eskimo people be shielded t down the hill, but it is possible and bravery of the insurgents have from disease, from alcohol and from

HOW TO TELL A BOILED EGG.

of Course No One Else Will. The betting man said to the wait-"Boil one egg. Cool it and put it among half a dozen raw ones. Then bring all the eggs together in to me on a plate."

The eggs, in ten or fifte-n minutes, came in. They were examined care fully by everyone in the room.

CUTICURA CROWS HAIR.

Restored by One Box of Cuticura and One Cake of Cuticura Soap. keted. In this case the farmer mowed A. W. Taft of Independence, Va., murders are committed by shooting his orchard, made the timothy into hay, fed it to his cows and put the manure back on his land. Another manure back on his land. Another year he did the same with the clover that was growing on the same orchard area. We are a little doubtful about the expediency of mowing land around the trees and letting the grass

weak carries more bad news.

The porosity of the soil should be taken care of. If the soil be allowed to puddle, that is, form a slimy crust over the top, the air cannot get in, and the roots will be unable to take food from the soil. To prevent puddling do not have the soil around the tree lower than the rest of the ground, if the soil states as far as possible, says a written to substitute the pains."

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"No ships of Civilized Nations Make Trips to Greenland."

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Then he realized that the cause must be deeper and the greatest suffering. I tried a number tastes as far as possible, says a written of treatments and ointments, but they weather, and at these periods caused me and you should satisfy its peculiar tastes as far as possible, says a written of treatments and ointments, but they should satisfy its peculiar tastes as far as possible, says a written greatment of the soil shou

the hand she impulsively stretches out to him.

And Jessic Cameron sees it all from the carriage door just back of Smithers—sees it with a feeling she cannot comprehend—a peculiar sensation of distress in the region of her heart, as though in some unaccountable way the proximity of that Cuban beauty to her protector gives her pain.

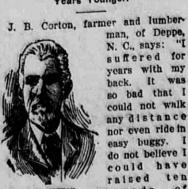
That is how Fate takes a hand in the affairs of Squire John once more, and gives promise of great results.

Another moment and the fearless young girl has spruing upon her milk, white steed, and is in the thick of the white steed, and is in the thick of the lutely forbidden to enter Greenland. as others should be kept pruned to A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

asually a failure.

COULDN'T LIFT TEN POUNDS.

Detting Man Made Money on It, but Coan's Kidney Pills Brought Strength and Health to the Sufferer, Making Him Feel Twenty-five Years Younger.



so bad that I

Pills that I have given a supply of the were made into hav and the hay sold struck it rich and ma and the girls they have also found good results. If the price realize I would bring back to have gone into society we have a you can sitt anything from this ramthe orchard a much greater bulk than Frenchman to do our cookin', so we bling note that will be of any service would the rotting of the grass. eat in French and sing in Italian and to you, or to anyone suffering from

People who point to the carrying of revolvers as the cause for the many murders in the United States should not forget the knife wielder and the poisoner. While it is possible more

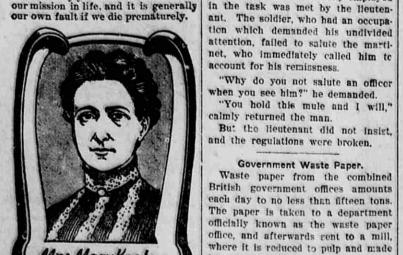
my hair is growing as well as ever. I ued use of vegetable food in that coun-In some cases, too, we have seen am highly pleased with Cuticura Soap try creates so painful a longing for a are apart that the grass, in- as a toilet soap. (Signed) A. W. Taft, salt that natives deprived of it for a long period often show symptoms of

"I had heard Dr. Williams' Pink Pills



A HEALTHY OLD AGE
At one of the Western army posts in the days of the Indian fights there was a young lieutenant who was care-

Providence has allotted us each at ast seventy years in which to fulfill r mission in life, and it is generally own fault if we die prematurely. least seventy years in which to fulfill er and had both hands fully employed our mission in life, and it is generally in the task was met by the lieutenant. The soldier, who had an occupa-



Mrs. Mary Koehne Nervous exhaustion invites disease. When everything becomes a burden Indigestion, which stops the growth and you cannot walk a few blocks with- pales the cheeks, weakens the system out impreparation casily, and you break out into perspiration casily, and you here due to improper or to quickly eaten a have great cap with ribbon streamers be a great cap with ribbon streamers be those of the cause, it is also important our curve the disordered conditions of thing, you are in danger; you meet building up at once! To build up woman's nervous system and during the period of change of life we know of no better medicine than Lydia E. Pinkham. Yegetable Compound for years in my family and it falls.

France Seeking Coal Beds.

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Illustration Mrs. Mary L. Keelma Ntj.

Gardeld Avenue, Chicago, Ill., writes all side and all life we know of no better would be a compound for years in my family and it did me a great deal of good, it appears to the coal beds along the borders of Lord compound for years in my family and it did me a great deal of good, it appears to the coal beds along the borders of Lord compound for beds in my family and it did me a great deal of good, it appears to the coal beds along the borders of Lord compound for years in my family and it is along the property of the seed of the property in the kings of the life of the seed of the property in the kings of the life of the seed of the lif

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"You hold this mule and I will,"

But the lieutenant did not insigt

Government Waste Paper.

School Children's Dyspepsia.

The common form of dyspepsia, or

into paper again.

Waste paper from the combined

in fact wherever farmers gathered, Salzer's Billion Dollar Grass, that marvelous gras, good for 5 to 14 tons hay per acre and ama. A certain cure for Consumption in first see, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use mee. You will see the excellent effect after sing the first dose. Sold by dealers everyone. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.

Then comes Broms Inermis, then which produces neeth about Salzer's Teosinte, which produces about Salzer's Teosinte, which produces 100 stocks from one kernel of s.ed. Il fr. high, in 100 days, rich in untrition and greedily eaten by cattle, logs, etc., and is good for 80 tons of green food per acre.

Victoria Rape, the luxuriant food for hogs and sheep, which can be grown at 25c a ton, and Speltz at 20c a bu., both great food, for sheep, hogs and cattle, also come in for their share in the discussion.

Celery King, the tonic-

and this notice to John Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., for their big catalog and many farm seed samples. [W. N. U.] There is something fine and ennob treasure. ling about the patience of our credi-



housekeepers to use

let as well as Herb form.

but the Tablet form is

The latter is very popular.

most convenient for tra

Do you eatch cold easily? Does the cold hang on? Try

Consumption Cure The Lung

It cures the most stubborn kine of coughs and colds. If it doesn't cure you, your money will be refunded. for big illustrated free catalogue.

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Famous Medical Quacks. In the Bulletin of the Johns Hopkins hospital Dr. Packard gives an interesting account of some famous quacks,

including Valentine Great-rakes, who claimed the healing touch for the king's evil in the seventeenth cono other than Robert Boyle tes to his powers; Joshua ("Spot") who discovered a cheap way o ing oil of vitriol, and John St. Long, who devised a famous ! which possessed not only powers, but also revealed hidden disease, and from his practice is have derived \$65,000 a year

grunted scornfully."

Advertisement for Physicians Dr. James H. Payne, a Boston cian, who was graduated from t versity of the city of New York 1848, has three patients on his ing list today who have been his tients upward of fifty years.

Teaching the Young Idea.

mer, "I saw three little savage child-

ren stabbing into a tub of water with

daggers. A man stood over them and when one gave the water an unusually clean stab the man would emit

a grunt of approbation and youngster on the head.

"A guide told me that these

was always taught among the t

"He said that a child practiced an

practiced till he could stab water with-

out making a splash. Then he was

dead animals. Then he stabbed live animals that were in motion.

"I took one of the daggers and tried

to stab the water cleanly myself.

couldn't do it. With every stroke made a tremendous splash. The lit

tle savages laughed and their menter

moted to stabbing the carcasses of

that way.

ren were learning to handle the dagger-and that the use of the dagger

"One day at St. Louis." said a drum-

Case of Absent-Mindada Dr. R. M. Kane of Bethel, V off the end of one finger in machine. He bit off the end cigar in his mouth and put his finger Into the cutter.

DOY HAD AN EXPLANATION. Example of the Original View of

Things a Child May Take.

In their efforts to teach children, Are Never Without Pe-ru-na in the Home For In their efforts to teach children, olas, parents are often surprised by the original views which the youngsters take, and by their presentation of views which, while they may be but partial, are at least correct and discriminating so far as they go. It occurred to a father, who noticed carpenter hammering upon the root of a distant house, that he would give his little son (8 years old) a lesson in physics by calling attention to the fact that the blows of the hammer could be seen before the sound made by them could be heard, and explaining that the difference in time between the seeing of the blows and the hearing of the noise was due to the fact that light travels much faster than sound. He sought to introduce the subject by asking the boy if he understood why it was that he could see the hammer fall before he could hear the noise of the stroke. He was astonished to receive the reply. "Yes: it's because my eyes are nearer to the

Little drops of water, Freezing as they fall, Make man's feet fly upward, Dislocate his gall.

Rob the merry fat man Of his store of mirth, Make him leave his trademark Where he hits the earth.

Make the pretty little
Lady cease to care
Who may chance to hear her,
Who may turn to stare.

Little drops of water Freezing where they splash, Make the mean old miser Cease to think of cash.

Rob the happy lover
Of his thoughts of love
As new constellations
He beholds above.

Make the mighty magnate, Sitting on his hat, Have disgust for water And such things as that.

Little drops of water
Freezing where they fall.
Show that hades has some
Good points after all.
--Chicago Record-Herald.

hammer than my ears." Finnish Bridal Gowns. In rural Finland a bride wears to out excessive fatigue, and you break out into perspiration easily, and your face flushes, and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction face flushes, and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches and you grow excited and lunches. While seeing to a correction for the love of lunches and you grow excited and lunches are lunches. church a curious combination of wed- Remarkable Cures ding veil and wedding bonnet. It is

are suspended below the supporting brackets, the mechanism is now silent Halo, Ind., Feb. 27th.-(Special.)and the hands are still. There is no If what will cure Diabetes will cure b Kidney Disease. For Mrs. L. C. Bow- Add at least 50 per cent to the good ers of this place has proved that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Dianecessarily sour her disposition.

Jewels in Bed 100 Years. Dodd's betes. ings in a hotel in the Rue Boccador, "I had Diabetes," Mrs. Bowers says, Agricultural Editors wrote about it, Agr. College Professors lectured about it, agr. Institute Orators talked about it, while in the farm home by the quiet fire side, in the corner grocery, in the village post-office, at the creamery, at the depot. In fact wherever farmers gathered, Salzer's Billion Dollar Grass, that marvelous grass, good for 5 to 14 tons hay per acre and lots of pasture besides, is always a themelous of pasture besides, is always at the bolster contained something hard be 'my teeth all became loose and part

French revolution, and had remained heaven he will probably fall

Promotes Digestion Cheerful

ness and Rest Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.

Paragre of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER

Aperfect Remedy for Constipa-tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea

ness and Loss of SLEEP.

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THE OLD FOLKS AT HOME

Catarrhal Diseases.

In a letter dated January 1, 1900, Mr. the benefit of his medical advice grati-

out there's no sense in keeping your tink your teeth and grinning at trouble than there is in a sanctified, sour submission.

Billion Dollar Grass,
When the John A. Salzer Seed Co., of ing relic, but it is probably of foreign ta Crosse, Wis., introduced this remark able grass three years ago, little did they dream it would be the most talked of grass

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To cure any form of Kidney Disease, as so many physicians say, then Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure any form of Kidney Disease, as so make, as most of the clocks of this period were.

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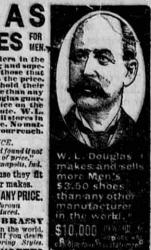
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On Deformities and Paralysis

Signature



"Look!" cries Jack, hoarsely. "See a

nort, or else they determine to cleave that the soldiers are enabled to make which they depend for existence." passage through the ranks of the use of their guns, the tide seems to The rebels give up the advantage of the furious of the first pluck has wrested from the sol.

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Now they engage with the soldiers.

The line wavers before the furious diers very stubbornly, and more than diers very stu the rebels who have the best of it. down like ripe grain. Against this some credit for coming out."—Phila-



in some parts of the country orand if the field were open, they must of musketry that ended the affair, and chardists are following the practice of "I will bet ten dollars," said the

Boil at all. The grass is worth more to

the same distance at a collar a load, derivered. The yield of timothy in the orchard was at least a ton to the acre. Scalp Cleared of Dandruff and Hair The farmer had his help, which worked the year round, and the making and marketing of the hay would cost no more than if it were not mar-

stead of rotting, would dry up and go into the air in large part during the

have a friend in Senor Robblado, who hardly reliables failting into the hands of Gomez in this way, though he had planued to visit the insurgent chief in his camp, with the secret hope of betraying him to the authorities.

He has discovered an axe in the guard's den, and this he eagerly tosses to the captain.

Then ensues as remarkable a morning pandama as Jack has ever secu. While the blows of the axe sound upon the barricated soors of the other compartments, the Spanish soldiers have sathered sound the carriage, many of they would be and yet show. The ensues are supposed to the cause for which they fail, feels but recently from across the sea, face:

Sof Travers, while secretly opposed to the cause for which they fail, teels but recently from across the sea distance of the data is the sum of the axe almost untrilined recruits, but recently from across the sea, face:

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they will be safe once the battle is in connection with the possession of "No private vessel piles between be heavy. The water will settle in stantial.

Preparing the Orchard Area. In preparing a piece of soil for the setting of orchard trees of any kind | The man who depends upon luck is we would advise to plow the whole

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WILL KEEP YOURKY Mrs. Winslow's Foothing Syrup.

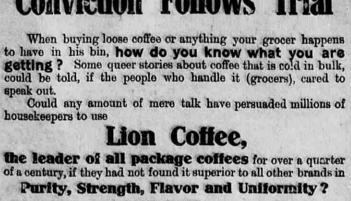
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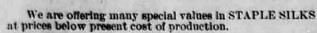
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DESIRABLE Spring Silks



A yard wide black Peau de Soie for.....\$1.00 A yard wide black Taffeta, guaranteed...1.00 A 20 inch wide black Peau de Soie.........59c

Our customers have recognized the merit of these three numbers and are buying them freely.

The best slik house in New York sent us this week a splendid show of FANCY SILKS in checks, stripes and figures, from 44c to 75c per yard, in sult patterns. They are handsome things for Shirt Waist Suits.

We sell the famous 27 in. Skinner Satins in all colors

# **Our Line of Dress Trimmings** is Exclusive.

They are the cream of the early styles. The assortment we offer bears the mark of distinction. The showing of Persian effects in bright, new, striking colors is a line of

We have built up our large trade on Dress skirts by handling almost exclusively the



One of the strong points of this skirt is the way it fits, the "lines" are right, made on correct models. We sell them for no more than the ordinary skirt is sold for elsewhere.

We have built up our business on the merit of our goods. We stand behind every 'article we sell and are willing and anxious to make anything right that happens not to be.

We have about 75 different patterns in Lace Curtains to select from in Arabian and white—they are the new things for Spring and are much lower in price than last year.

# A. W. Weekes.

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# Heard About Town

Dr. Hodges, dentist Phone the news to 200.

Mrs. Finan is quite ill. Cedar fence posts-Lowell Lumber company.

Porter Carr is recovering from a few days' illness. Found-small sum of money. Call

at Look's drug store. R. B. Beylan made a business trip to Ionia yesterday.

Miss Pauline McGee was home from Grand Rapids over Sunday.

Mrs. M. McMahon has been spending

a few days in Grand Rapids.

Ida and Ada Halpen spent Saturday and Sunday in Grand Rapids. Misses Jessie Nease and Ada Hal-pen visited schools in Grand Rapids

Mrs. P. Griffith returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit in Grand

If you want the best, buy your Portland Cement at Brown, Schler

Mrs. K. H. Pursel of Caledonia visited her friend, Miss Florence Behl the first of the week

& McKny's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bristol of Ada spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mitchell.

Rev. J. H. Wesbrook, who has been

in poor health for several weeks, is much improved

Mrs. Villa Ayers of Saranac is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. R. Ecker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey left this week for an extended business and deasure trip through the western states. On their way west they will visit friends at Council Bluffs, Ia., at Sheldon and Omaha, Neb., and Denwer, Col. They expect to stop for some time at Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. A.J. Lewis was called to Grand
Rapids Monday by the death of her
sister, Mrs. Edward Hall, who lived
here about eight years ago. Funeral
services were held at the Methodist
church at Saranac yesterday, and she
was buried in the family cemetery at
Saranac.

Mrs. Phila T. Stone, aged 97 years,
died Saturday at the home of her
daughter, Mrs. Skidmore, at Alto.
Funeral services were held Tuesday
at the home, conducted by Rev,
Laraby, with the assistance of Rev.
McConnel. Burial , was made at Rapids Monday by the death of her sister, Mrs. Edward Hall, who lived services were held at the Methodist church at Saranac yesterday, and she

Geo. Avery is on the sick list. Miss Ada Hoebeck spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Dr. H. P. Snyder, dentist. Citizene

A. McDonald of Six Lakes died at his home Tuesday morning.

Born-in Lowell Feb. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell, a daughter. Mrs. C. E. Scott of north Keene visited Mr and Mrs. J. H. Hull last

M. A. Benson and wife of Saranac spent Sunday with Hugh Young and

Another car of Portland cement just received by the Lowell Lumber

company. & Leave your order with Brown, Sehler & McKay for dray work. Phone 34.

Mrs. Fred Gilmer of Grand Rapids is the guest of ber parents, J. H. Covert and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lewis bave moved thier household goods from Belding, and will make their home

Mrs. E. A. Hodges and little son Edward have returned from a two weeks visit with relatives at Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howe of Eagle Our Seeley Corners correspondent, are spending the winter in and about St. Augusta, Fla.

Our Seeley Corners correspondent, Mrs. Mate Seeley, has been ill and unable to write all winter, and is still

in very poor health. The class of 1904 were very pleas-antly entertained at the home of Miss Ada Lind, near McCords, having driven out there in cutters. The evening was spent with various parlor games, the most amusing being that of "Mesmerlzing."

Mrs. James Butler has been fil for the past two weeks and the Elder has been "chief cook and bottle washer," But Mrs. B. is recovering and will soon put a stop to such per-

Dry wood for sale at Brown, Seher & McKay's.

Mrs. E. S. Burdick is making a two weeks' visit in Grand Rapids. for Baldwinsville, N. Y., where will spend several months.

Walter Scott and daughter, Miss Carrie, of Grand Rapids spent Sun-day with the family of his son, Jas.

a quantity of handsome Northern Spy apples. They "hit the right spot," Brate.

Arthur Avery attended the Kent County teachers' meeting in Grand Rapids Saturday, and spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Winegar atis thoroughly exhonerated from the
tended the wedding of their niece,
Miss Jeanna Cheeseman, to John C.
Townsend at the home of the bride's

Mrs. Elizabeth Broad, aged 92 parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cheeseman, in Detroit last evening. Misses Nina Wisner and Della Winegar went Fri-

day and remained until today. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome B. Fletcher and family were happfly surprised last Thursday when a large sleighload of their friends from Lowell drove out to spend the day with them. The host and hostess hope they will come again "In The Good Old Summertime."

# **Lost Sight**

"Che 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



# Prize Machine

## TO BE GIVEN AWAY BY THE LOWELL LEDGER

To the Lady Who Gets the Most

| Antes in this contest.  |      |
|---|------|
| The vote as counted-at noon<br>the date of this paper is as follo | WS:  |
| Mrs. Frank Finch  | 4341 |
| Mrs. John D. Crawford   | 2027 |
| Mrs. Cora Chase   | 911  |
| Miss Annabelle Davidson   | 636  |
| Mrs. Blanche Dickson  | 158  |
| Mrs. F. J. Yeiter   | 104  |
| Mrs. Dottle Henderschott  | 6    |
| Mrs. Mina Hammond   | 10   |
| Mrs. Minnie Bell  | 125  |
| The contest will close Wednes<br>evening, April 5, at 7.30.       | day  |
|   |      |

Farm to rent to the right man. inquire of Ed. Hoag. 2w

Stocking is giving away sewing machines too.

W. G. Titus of Lansing was in town on business Saturday.

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Miss Edith Kopf of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with her mother.

Born, in Lowell, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Burdick, a daughter.

Wm. Parker is dangerously ill at the home of his son, and little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Harry Courtricht, living nearly

Harry Courtright, living nearly two miles west of Lowell, took an overdose of laudanum Tuesday

J. C. Roth received a satisfactory adjustment of his loss by fire from the Rochester German insurance Company Saturday.

D. H. Owen attended the State In-dependent Telephone Association at Battle Creek last Thursday and Fri-day. Papers were read by men from different companies of the association. Dr. W. E. Post, son of L. J. Post of Lowell, assisted in the operation for removal of cancer of bowels on Dr. Harper of the University of Chi-

Miss Maude Fuller is in Buffalo looking up styles in millinery in the interest of Durkee & Butler of St. Johns where she again goes for the

Miss Lens Murphy returned Tues-day from Benton Harbor, after spending a week with her sister, Louise, who is recovering from her

The Eight Sunbeams club, com-posed of eight little girls of the third grade, met at the home of Miss Helen Kelley, Saturday, to play Flinch.

The concert given last evening by the Arlon Quartet and the wonder-ful child and bird imitator, Elma B. E. S. Burdick left last Thursday or Baldwinsville, N. Y., where be leaded to this season's successful League course.

Walter Scott and daughter, Miss Carrie, of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with the family of his son, Jas. Scott.

B. F. Wilkinson has our thanks for a quantity of handsome Northern If you cannot eat, sleep or work

A pleasant birthday surprise was given Mrs. Newton Warner Tuesday evening by about seventy of her friends and neighbors, who conducted her from her cottage to her new home. Music and dancing occupied the evening.

J. A. Newton, a former resident of Lowell, for the past four years of Grand Rapids, was in town on busi-trict convention of the W. C. T. U. chas. Howe and family have moved to Grand Rapids this week. Their home is to be near that of Mrs. Shackleton, on Clancy street.

Was very much enjoyed, will lecture Friday evening, March 10, at the Baptist church, under the auspices of both organizations of the Lowell W. C. T. U.

Ed S. Covey of the United States
Navy, stepson of Mrs. A. P. Hunter,
was married to Miss Lida A. Tebbetts
of Augusta, Me., in Portsmouth, Va.,
Feb. 15, 1905,

If taken this month, keeps you well all summer. It makes the little ones eat, sleep and grow. A spring tonic for the whole family. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents Tea or Tablets.

D. G. Look.

Coroner LeRoy is quoted by the Grand Rapids Press as saying that after a thorough investigation he finds no evidence to warrent the exhuming of the body of Mrs. Thirza Smith. He declares that Mr. Smith is thoroughly exhaust a from the

therin-law.

Mrs. Elizabeth Broad, aged 92 years, a prominent pioneer of this village, died Monday at Owosso, where her home has been during the last twenty years. Her husband, Charles Broad, died four years ago at that place. For a number of years previous to 1872 he was in the shoe business here, in a wooden building which stood on the site of the Sherman bazaar. They came to Lowell in the fifties. Mrs. Broad will be buried beside her husband at Owosso.

Registration Notice.

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To the Electors of the Village of Lowell, County of Kent, State of Michigan:
Notice is bereby given, that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the Village above mamed will be held at the Common Council Rooms within said Village, on Saturday, Mar. 11th, 1805, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the foremoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 23d day of February, A. D. 1905. By order of the Village Board of Registra-

T. A. MURPHY, Clerk of said Village.

T. A. MURPHY, Clerk of said Village.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Kem.

In the matter of the estate of Asa Fletcher, deceased, late of Kent county.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of an order of said court, made on the 27th day of Pebruary, A. D., 1905, I shall sell at public auction, on the 14th day of April, A. D., 1905, at 10 eclock in the forencon at the farm of the late Asa Pletcher, on Section thirty (39) Boston, Jonia county, Michigan, the interest of said estate in the following described real estate, to-wit: Commencing at the south west corper of Section nineteen [19] Town six [6] North, Range eight [8] West, Ionia county, Michigan, running thence East sewanteen [17] rods, thence North twelve [12] rods to place of beginning.

Also the following described lands situate on Section Thirty (39) Town six (6) North, Range eight (6) West, Ionia county, Michigan to-wit: the west half (4) of the North West quarter (4) of said Section thirty (40) encoping and reserving therefrom a piece of land torty (40) rods in width from the South erd of said West half (4) of said North West quarter (5) berstofore deeded to Frederick Slamma and Josephine Siamma containing twenty (20) acres more or less, according to U.S. Survey.

# Coats.

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Any \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00 Ladies' long Coat or Jacket at

C.00 Even

A full line of carpets just received.

J. B. NICHOLSON.

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the case is not smallpox.

## FARM TO RENT.

Farm, team, stock and tools for rent to reliable party. See W. W. PULLEN at Howk's store.

E. D. Boon of Allegan was present at the election of officers for the Pro-tective Legion Tuesday evening. Chas. E. Mann of Chicago was in town on business Wednesday.

AND MARKALENIA AND MARKALENIA AND MARKALENIA

# Bargain Shoes or Shoe Bargains-Which?

There's a difference. There are shoes made to sell at bargain prices-shoes that have no solid foundation-that have paper insoles and counters, and paper heels and soles. Such shoes were made to sell at low prices but they were never made to give satisfaction. This store has no such bargain shoes in its stock-we have shoe bargains however that came to us through cash captures and skillful buying-shoes that we can say with no exception are strictly all leather. These are the kind of shoes throughout this stock, it makes no difference the price they are being sold at. And remember it isn't always the bargain as it is advertised that counts so much as it is the store behind the bargain.

The Old Reliable Shoe House,

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The kind that look different from the usual run of shoes, The kind that have style, snap and art in them.

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