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AVERAGE CIRCULATION IN 1904 1359

Turn Over a **New Leaf**

And along with your other good resolve to save some money this ; The best way to save is to open with this good strong growing the host. "I've invited the

THE CITY RE

Work in Painting Portrait.

After sitting for his portrait to two German artists, a scientific observer has calculated that each of the two pictures required 20,000 strokes of the naint brush.

Penguins Needed in Antarctic. In the Antarctic penguins are the most important animals. They afford abundant oil for lamps.

MAKES BEAUTY

Among the ladies no other medi-cine has ever had so strong a fol-lowing, because, excepting pure air and exercise, it is the source of more beautiful complexions than any other agency, as

Lane's Family Medicine

the tonic-laxative. It puts pure blood in the veins, and no woman can be homely when the rich, red blood of health courses in her veins. Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

For Family Colds

A reliable Cough and Cold cure sho always in the house ready for use





HIGAN BUSINESS COLLEGE





"Louis is your "And I want a things," said the L "I'm afraid I'm up aga...

"What's the game?" said "Well, you see, it's this will pay you 3 per cent on youand his son, and the general only left 3 months and 3½ per cent left, and you and I make up the

orther, I have asked each oese some dish he would dinner, and, however difficult, agreed to provide it."

Well, I admire your nerve the agent, "you must imagine that Francisco or New Orleans is

around the next bend in the riveinter view from the southeast corner of Campus along the diagonal walk you know what the word I

"No," said the host, despondently "It means, 'nothing to eat.'" "Before we go any further," said the

lost, entirely ignoring the agent's triumph, "what is yours?" "Rum omelet," said the agent, with-

out a moment's hesitation. "Hum!" mused the host, "rum, of course, but that means fresh eggs, with nothing but scrambled eggs in the town. Canned eggs won't omelet; I've tried 'em'

"Blackie's got a hen," suggested the agent, "she roosts on the foot of his bed to keep from freezing to death."

"Yes, I know," said the host, "but she laid her last egg on the steamer just before it reached town. No hope

"He's up against the real thing now," sang the agent with delight "By the way, what did the others

"To begin with the easiest, the governor's son wants some dish cooled in the French fashion."

"Why not let Louis make a sauce: suggested the agent. "Just the thing."

"What next?" "The general's wife wants fresh po-tatoes. No evaporated or granulated snuds go."

"Got any?" asked the host anxiously. "Frozen ones," said the agent "Will they do boiled?" "No, mashed," said the agent, "whip

em up with a little butter and canned cream and then brown 'em in "Bully," said the host, lapsing into

the vernacular of the west and rubbing his hands together. "What does the governor wa

asked the agent. "Marrow on toast," said the ho

"Holy smoke!" exclaimed the agent. "Not a cow brute this side of Dawson, and that is 7751/4 miles up the Yukon. Better start an airship for Seattle at you might buy o and-hold on a minute." as the wn of an idea appeared in his eye "wait till I go out and look on the roof of the cabin.' He stepped out the door and returned in a few 1 ments looking mysteriously triump

"What's on cabin?" said th

host skeptically. foed dramatically up and to his mouth and The agent t to him, put his said in a loud age whisper, "Moose shanks."

"What?" said

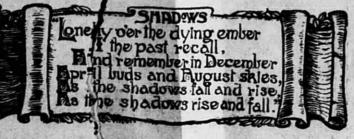
"Frozen moo row," explained bones full of macthe agent, beaming, "You see I have had several moose hams this fall, and as fast as the mea You see I hav was cut off Louis threw them on the roof of the cabin. soup for the dogs. Now what will be the dogs' loss will gain, for those bone e the governor's s are full of mar row, everyone of the

"Shake," said the host as he extendd his right hand.

"Now let's see," said the agent mus-ing, "what's next? O yes, the general. Bet you the drinks I know what he wants. He wants boos

"You're not so much, laughing. "I guessed that myself.
When I asked him, he put the whole proposition in as few works as possible; all he said was, 'lashin's o' chamaughing. "I guessed s as possi-s o' cham-

"That means plenty, aid the agent. "Of course; got any?" "I've some extra dry, \$7





University of Michigan—a familiar scene to Lowell students at Ann Arbor. **REND COLLISION MATRIMONIAL MATTERS**

want that you "Yes," replied Harquette Engle-Lillie Wedding in This Village Last roses. They are Harquette latitude 64 degrees L Evenina.

dead of an Arctic winte as well wish for a chunk of "O I don't know," said the ourseling at seven o'clock at the home of tr. and Mrs. Warren Lillie in this courselingly, "how would a dage, when their daughter, Miss 'jacks' and a dozen American beauties B. Lillie, was married to do, with a few sprays of apple blos-her Engle, also of Lowell.

tone. "It's not in the least becoming." The agent made no reply to this but quietly stepped into the other room and returned presently with a birchbark vase in each hand. One contained a large bunch of magnificent jacquemmoes and the other an equally

handsome lot of American beauties. "Well, I'll be-jiggered," said the host, catching himself just in time, you could knock me down with a

"That's what they are," said the ag < complacently.

"Spray a little perfume on 'em and after about two of the general's 'lashin's' nobody could tell 'em," said the

"Where did you get them?" asked he host with interest.

"O," said the agent, who was inclined to be poetical, "they fluttered down from the wings of Aurora!"

"Fluttered down from the wings of geese," replied the host, who was not in the least so.

"Well, they are goose feathers," admitted the agent reluctantly, "but you needn't be so disgustingly matter of fact about it. Besides I've got the apple blossoms upstairs in the store."

"I must be getting home," said the host, worming himself awkwardly into his squirrel skin parkie. "Dinner at 6 up sick. I doctored with a number of up all the stuff, including Louis, the marrow bones and the roses. Good night," and off he went.-Samuel Hubbard, Jr., in Sunset Magazine.

Christmas Table Charades. the ordinary utensils to be found in relief. When I began I weighed only kitchen or dining-room, using the dinner table for the stage. Put an orange seed at the left side of a chair and they will represent Sedan Chair (seed and chair). Put the charred head of a match to the left of a raisin stone and you have Coal Pit. Lay four toothpieks, an oyster, a napkin ring and several knives in a row. They will represent Four Roystering Blades (iour oyster ring blades). The cayenne pepper castor alongside of a watch stands for A Hot Time. A watch and a tray stand for Watch and Wait. A bit of cheese laid on a chair seat signifies The Seat of the Mighty (mitey). Open the door and lay a china plate in the threshold. means The Open Door for China Hundreds of funny combinations can be made, and everybody can take a

First English Christmas Tree. The Christmas tree was first heard of in England about 1444. A tree was ment and decked with ivy as well as with other green leaves. From this use it was finally taken into the home,

hand at presenting a problem.

then set up in the middle of a pavedecorated with candles, and eventually with anything which glistened and enhanced its brightness.

A quiet wedding occurred last eve

surfaces.

soms to lay on the table?"

"What's the use of trying to be funny, said the host in an injured funny funny funny funny fu many of which are of Middle

to the rapid disintegr. guests.

How Birds Destroy Insects

The chickadee will destroy plant lice, for it sometimes eats 5,500 lice for breakfast. The woodpecker gets after the borers. The flicker eats some wood-boring insects. The cuckoo is needed greatly, for it eats the hairy caterpillars that prey on trees. It sometimes eats so many that its gizzard is often fuzzy with the hairs. The grosbeck eats potato beetles, and two of them will keep a quarter of an acre free. But aside from all utilitarian considerations, bird music is enough to pay us for our care and protection.-Exchange.

Words of Wisdom.

Westfield, Ill., Dec. 18th (Special)-All who are suffering with Bright's Disease, should read carefully the following letter from the Rev. G. L. Good of this place. He says:-"I feel it is my duty to tell you of

the wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I am a Minister of the Gospel, and in my work, I am frequently exposed to all weathers. Six years ago, I was laid specialist, but without success. They all told me I had Bright's Disease. was in a bad way and almost helpless when, thank God, I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They saved my life. I took sixteen boxes and now I am These charades may be "acted" with cured. The first day I took them I felt one hundred and five pounds, now I weigh one hundred and sixty-five and I am the picture of health. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all my friends who have Kidney Trouble and I pray to God that other sufferers will read these words and be helped by them."

> Oil Paints Kill Germs. Oil paints have a marked deterrent effect upon various bacilli of disease, as tests made in Paris have shown The germs of tuberculosis, especially, are much affected by paints. They do not thrive or live on a painted surface as they do where there is no paint to cover wood or metal.

AGONY OF SORE HANDS.

Cracked and Peeled-Water and Heat Caused Intense Pain-Could Do No Housework-Grateful to Cuticura.

"My hands cracked and peeled, and were so sore it was impossible for me to do my housework. If I put them in water I was in agony for hours; and if I tried to cook, the heat caused intense pain. I consulted two doctors, but their prescriptions were utterly useless. And now after using one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment my hands are entirely well, and I am very grateful. (Signed) Mrs. Minnie Drew, 18 Dana St., Roxbury, Mass."

How True.

How true is the old proverb that hirds of a feather flock togetherwhy, only a pain in two little fingers (belonging to separate persons, of course) may unite their owners in a bond of friendship.

Where Cwo Years Meet

A Word of Appreciation

At the beginning of the new year we desire to thank our customers for the trade and good will extended us during the past twelve months.

The year 1905 was one of the most satisfactory we have ever had, both in amount of business done and in the pleasant rela-tions existing between ourselves and our customers. We endeavor to so conduct our business that each customer will be a satisfied and loyal one and the past year has produced abundant evidence that we enjoy the confidence and good will

We trust we may merit a continuance of these favors, for we shall in the coming year, as in the past one, make every effort to conduct a drug store that shall appeal to careful buyers; a store where everything in drugs and sundries may be had with utmost confidence in their quality and with the assurance of the most reasonable prices. Again acknowledging our appreication, we extend to all our friends best wishes for a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

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Drugs, Books, Wall Paper

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Daily tourist sleeping car service from Chicago in connection with the new Salt Lake Route (S. P. L, A. & S. L. R. R.) Cars go thro'

Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo

over the Denver & Rio Grande R. R., passing the incomparably grand scenery of the Rocky Mountains in daylight. They stop in Salt Lake City for several hours, affording opportunity for sightseeing. and then leave over the Salt Lake Route, skirting Great Salt Lake, passing thro' picturesque Utah and the orange groves of Southern California.

No other tourist service to Los Angeles is more convenient and no other affords such splendid opportunities for sightseeing.



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THE LEDGER will, commencing June 1, 1905, and continuing one year, issue to every person paying \$1.00 on subscription a card good for \$1.00 in advertising in our exchange Department.

Leone Alexander, Lowell; Myrtle A. Potter, Boston township. Floyd W. Tapley, Boston; Anna

Post cards-The Ledger.

ject: "The New Year," cusus, school at twelve, Christian Endeavor

The Grand Rapids Daily Post and Ledger both one year only \$2.15 to subscribers paying one year in

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THE GREAT K.E.A TRAIN ROBBER

BY PAUL LEXESTER FORD, Author of The Handster Storling Inc.

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vard men who can tell what that

means, and they were braced for it,

which this fellow wasn't. He went

staggering back as if struck by a cow-

catcher, and lay down on the ground

his arm around Miss Cullen's waist

unsteadied her so that she would

have fallen too, if I hadn't put my

hand against her shoulder. I longed

to put it about her, but by this time

I didn't want to please myself, but to

do only what I thought she would

Before I had time to finish an apol

"Oh, don't quarrel!" cried Miss

Holding him, I said, "Lord Ralles, I

overheard what Miss Cullen was say-

ing, and, supposing some man was in-

sulting her, I acted as I did." Then I

anything the circumstances did not warrant," while cursing myself for

my precipitancy and for not thinking

that Miss Cullen would never have

been caught in such a plight with a man unless she had been half willing;

for a girl does not merely threaten

to call for help if she really wants

Lord Ralles wasn't much mollified

by my explanation. "You're too much in a hurry, my man," he growled,

speaking to me as if I were a servant.

Be a bit more careful in the future."

I think I should have retorted-for

his manner was enough to make a saint mad—if Miss Cullen hadn't

"You tried to help me, Mr. Gordon, and I am deeply grateful for that," she said. The words look simple epough set down here. But the in which she said them

tended hand and A. D. Oliver.

ed to ex

wish, and so restrained myself.

fellow of my weight.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.
"I don't see what difference either likes in their chance of escaping." mid Lord Ralles.

While he was speaking, I ticked off the news of our being held up, and asked the agent if there had been any a about Sanders, or if he had seen any one board the train there. His answer was positive that no one could lave done so, and that settled it as to Sanders. I asked the same questions of Allantown and Wingate, which were the only places we had stopped at after leaving Coolidge, getting the same answers. That eight men could have remained concealed on any of the platforms from that point was impossible, and I began to suspect magic. Then I called Coolinge, and told of the holding up, after which I telegraphed the agent at Navajo Springs to notify the commander at Fort Defiance, for I suspected the road agents would make for the Navajo reservation. Finally I called Flagstaff as I had Coolidge, directed that the authorities be notified of the facts, and ordered an extra to bring out the sheriff and

"I don't think," said Miss Cullen, "that I am a bit more curious than most people, but it has nearly made me frantic to have you tick away on that little machine and hear it tick back, and not understand a word." After that I had to tell her what I

had said and learned. "How clever of you to think of counting the tickets and finding out where people got on and off! I never should have thought of either," she

"It hasn't helped me much," I laugh ed, rather grimly, "except to elimi-

tate every possible clue,"
"They probably did steal on at one
of the stops," suggested a passenger. I shook my head. "There isn't a stick of timber nor a place of concealment on these alkali plains," I replied and it was bright moonlight till an bour ago. It would be hard enough for one man to get within a mile of the station without being seen, and it would be impossible for seven or

eight."
"How do you know the number?" asked a passenger.
"I don't," I said. "That's the num ber the crew think there were; but I myself don't believe it."

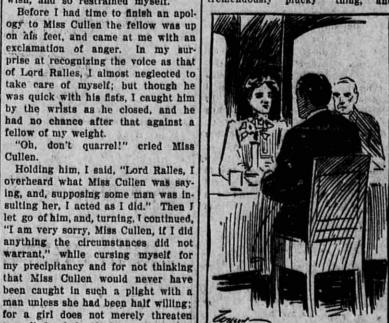
Why don't you believe the men? isked Miss Cullen rst, because there is always to magnify and next,

the mail car. "My theory of aeria; bullets won't do." "The shells are as hollow as feel," laughed Miss Cullen.

"Your suggestion reminds me that I am desperately hungry," I said. "Suppose we go back and end the famine."

Most of the passengers had long since returned to their seats or berths and Mr. Cullen's party had apparently done the same, for 218 showed no signs of life. One of my darkles was awake and he brolled a steak and over the intervening ground, and, made us some coffee in no time, and using the momentum of the stride to just as they were ready Albert Cul-len appeared, and so we made a very help, I put the flat of my hand against the shoulder of the man and gave him jolly little breakfast. He told me at a shove. There are three or four Harlength the part he and the Britishers had borne and only made me marvel the more that any one of them was alive, for apparently they had jumped off the car without the slightest pre caution, and had stood grouped toa good fifteen feet away. His having gether, even after they had called at tention to themselves by Lord Ralles' shots. Cullen had to confess that he heard the whistle of the four bullets urpleasantly close.

"You have a right to be proud. Mr. Cullen," I said. "You fellows did a tremendously plucky thing, and,



thing."

"But you went to help, too don," added Miss Cullen. That made me color

moment's hesitation of all Kinds colors, Mission of all Kinds

Smith's Shoe Store

Move at Christmas by Mora Chessin.

Standing beneath the Christmas tree
Love hands down gifts for you and me: heart whose core the arrow stings, pair of linked posy-rings, red flower like a trumpet-note to warm the darkness of my coat; Independs that round your white throat met, the sorrow of the seas forget.

The tree is hung with glittering toys The tree is hung with glittering toys
o win the eyes of girls and boys.
Tharger and drum, and top, and ball
and ne'er a heart-ache midst them all.
There's wedding bells whose golden chime:
Thall ring for us at snowdrop-time;
It diamond circlet for your hand,
Torme a little plain gold band
Thereby, before the crocus shows,
It I make you mine, my Christman hose.

-Illustrated London News.



OLD-TIME CHRISTMAS



The observation Christmas in Am ica to-day is a ve different celebrati from that known our forefathers. deed, if one of

latter were per

HONOR ST. NICHOLAS.

ored in the charming little valley in the Salzkammergut, where the Ischl and the Traun rivers unite. Indeed, ischl once went by the name of St. Nikola. This is the season of St. Nicholas, for Santa Claus is a corruption of the name introduced into England from America. In the Ischl valley the feast of St. Nicholas is a typical holiday, and at this time for three days there is an assemblage of booths along the Wirerstrasse forming quite a market. In the shop windows are seen numerous images and pictures of the benevolent saint and his companion, the Grampus, with his switch and chain—a most formidable and threatening-looking object—to scare the hearts of naughty children. The evening before St. Nicholas' day the good saint and his terrifying compan-ion are actually seen walking about the streets and enter so

houses. When Ischl was inbe the Romans it went "Iscola," because of fish found there, and nect this fact wi THE LOY Nicholas and th dedicated to

BEGS TO JOIN THE DObit RECIPIENT OF THINE WILL RECEI Oli-

MENT

YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO SUFFER

From Constipation, Bowel and Stomach

What is the beginning of sickness?

Q. What is the beginning of sickness?
A. Constipation.
Q. What is Constipation?
A. Failure of the bowels to carry off the waste matter which lies in the alimentary canal where it decays and poisons the entire system. Eventually the results are death under the name of some other discase. Note the deaths from typhoid fever and appendicitis, stomach and howel trouble at the present time.
Q. What causes Constipation?
A. Neglect to respond to the call of nature promptly. Lack of excrete. Excessive brain world.

Onstipation.

Q. Do physicians recognize this?

A. Yes. The first question your doctorsks you is "are you constipated?". That

O. Can it be cursui.

A Yes, with proper treatment. The common error is to resort to physics, such as pills, safts, minoral water, castor oil, injections, etc., every one of which is injurious. They weaken and increase the malady. You know this by your own expansion.

Just

No other gift at the same cost will contribute so much pleasure to the receiver as FURNITURE and you can purchase full sets or odd pieces of Furniture for a little money at Hakes' Furniture store. A large assortment to select from, well finished, new designs. Think it over and give me a call.

Courteously yours,

"The memory of a present from our store remains years after it Lasting Christmas Remembrances

Our Christmas stock this year has been selected with great care as to quality and only goods of manufacturers of known reputation have been selected. Our business is the jewelry business only and we make a business of it and thus are in a better position to judge of qualities than if we had six or eight distinct lines to

pecial Watch Sale for Christmas

If you are expecting to buy a watch for Christmas it will pay you to see our stock and prices. We quote a few below to give you an idea of our low

Ladies' Watches

20-year gold filled case bautifully hand engraved, fitted with Elgin or Waltham movement fully guaranteed. Sale Price

Gold-filled case guaranteed for 10 years, fitted with guaranteed Amercan made movement. A good watch for a **00.41** young lady. Sale Price.

Gentlemens' Watches

20-year gold filled case, open face, screw bezel and back, fitted with Elgin or Waltham movement Sale Price.....

20-year gold filled case, hand engraved hunting case, fitted with Elgin or Waltham movement Sale price

All we request is an inspection. We have the largest stock in town to select from.



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the new hardware.

Edelmann & Herreter

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Turn Over a **New Leaf**

And along with your other good resolutions resolve to save some money this year.

The best way to save is to open an account with this good strong growing bank, that will pay you 3 per cent on your money if only left 3 months and 3% per cent if left one

THE CITY BANK.



Winter view from the southeast corner of Campus along the diagonal walk University of Michigan—a familiar scene to Lowell students at Ann Arbor.

Happy New Year

I wish at this time to return my hearty thanks to the faithful friends and patrons who have stood by me during the changes and trials of the past; and to ex-tend to all my best wishes for a happy and prosperous



I shall continue in the future as in the past, to conduct

First Class Meat Market

in every way worthy of your patronage and good will. That you will "Keep on coming" is the hope of Yours truly,

A. L. WEYRICK

Everything for the New Year's dinner.

Much Obliged!

UR holiday trade in the new store in the Negonce block was as fine as we ever enjoyed. People came to Lowell from a distance especially to buy of us and they went away pleased and convinced that the people of this vicinity have no occasion to go to the city store to buy goods in our line. We thank our friends and patrons every one for past favors and beg a continuance of the same. You'll always find in our store the best in

> Watches, Clocks, Jewelry Silverware, Cut Glass, Fine China and Dinner Ware

and kindred lines at reasonable prices.
Wishing you a Happy New Year.
Yours sincerely,

A. D. OLIVER

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To Convince Our Readers of the Value of Advertising

THE LEDGER will, commencing June 1, 1905, and continuing one year, issue to every person paying \$1.00 on subscription a card good for \$1.00 in advertising in our exchange Department.

Offered in Next Number of Lecture Course Next Thursday.

who have not purchased season tickets, matinee free to those pur-chasing season tickets from this date. Season tickets are on sale at the State Bank, Smith's shoe store and Coon's clothing store.

WORKING ON ELECTRIC

Right of Way.

The Saranac papers confirm the report in The Ledger last week that work had actually began on the G. R. & I. electric railroad; and the Ionia Sentinel has this:

Shovels and picks and other paraphernalia for distrubing the soil along the route of the new electric

along the route of the new electric railway have been unloaded at Sararailway-have been unloaded at Saranac. Not only are the tools on hand but men are being hired right and left and the point of a spade Tuesday afternoon sunk deep into the right of way. Yes, ground has been broken and the chief man of the construction gangs J. H. Redford, of Toron to, Ontario, has rented a house at Saranac where with his family he will reside during the period of work. Mrs. Redford has arrived. Joseph Taylor, of Owosso, foreman of the gang is also on hand.

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L. C. David, living north of Saranac received \$150 that morning in payment for the right of way over his land. H. T. Johnson has the honor of acknowledging the first deed given for a right of way on the now famous Grand Rapids and Ionia trolley road. Mr. David's land lies on the Belding branch.

Mr. Redford will hire men at once and make up three gangs which will

and make up three gangs which will set to work three directions from

The claim is made that no franchis has been forfeited. They were granted on condition that ground granted on condition that ground was to be broken on a certain date and this, it is said, has been done. One man worked a part of one day last summer on the land of C. R. Shaefer, east of Saranac, where the right of way had been obtained and this makes all franchises good.

This morning two men are engaged in cutting the brush along the river bank where the road will cross

gaged in cutting the brush along the river bank where the road will cross the river. The work, they said, was being done on the new road and every one in the village was thoroughly elated over the fact. In view of the looks-like-a-go turn affairs have taken the little town of Saranac is standing on the corners and talking it over with itself in proud tones. proud tones

The work will take two years to

complete.

Four of the large scrapers which were at work on the Cleveland street road, have gone to Saranac to grade on the electric roadbed. Keene has furnished a large number of teams

MARRIAGE LICENCES.

Leone Alexander, Lowell; Myrtle A. Potter, Boston township. Floyd W. Tapley, Boston; Anna Fleming, Boston.

Post cards-The Ledger.

A REAR END COLLISION MATRIMONIAL MATTERS

Of Freight Trains in Pere Marquette Engle-Lillie Wedding in This Village Last

A through freight train from Saginaw collided with the rear end of an extra near the Pere Marquette station Saturday morning at seven-firteen derailing engine No. 333 and breaking up the caboose of the extra. The engine was a heavy one, and the clearing of the track caused some delay, as it was necessary to obtain a wrecker from Ionia for the purpose. Luckily, no one was hurt.

A DOUBLE ATTRACTION

A quiet wedding occurred last evening at seven o'clock at the home of ming at seven o'clock at the home of willage, when their daughter, Miss Jennie B. Lillie, was married to Eugene J. Engle, also of Lowell. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Wesbrook in the presence of the families of the bride and groom and a few relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McNaughton of Middle-ville being the only outside guests. The couple will make their home in this village.

Peckham-Hunt. Former Lowell Residents Married in California.

Course Next Thursday.

The second number of the Lecture Course which comes Jan. 4th is a double attraction. The Passion Play in the evening and Hlawatha as a special attraction for a matinee. The matinees will begin at 2.30, p. m. As this is a special attraction, all ticket holders will be admitted for 10c general admission 15c. Reserved seats for both matinee and evening will be on sale at Smith's shoe store Saturday.

The Committee having decided to make this a banner year for the lecture course make as an offer to all who have not purchased season tickets mattine free to those nur.

Greenville Man Has "Everything to De With" But a Wife.

Girls here is your chance. Snap it up. You may never have another. Greenville, Mic

Edator:

I am a young Farmer Living—miles North of Greenville & wish to advertise through your Paper for a

I have no bad habits young widdow with one child not Objected.

Please fix it up the best you Can for 25 cts I have Everything to do with ol I lack is a wife Respectfuly yours

Greenville, Mich R. F. D. No. 1.

The Ledger will supply the name to interested persons. It has been withheld here for fear the advertiser would be flooded with applications.

Churches and Societies

CATHOLIC.

There will be mass at St. Mary' church in Lowell on New Year's morning at nine o'clock standard, instead of at the usual hour.

9:30 a.m., class meeting; 10:30 a.m., public worship and sermon, subject: "At the grave of 1905." 6 p. m., Epworth League. 7 p. m., public worship. This service will be attended by the Masons and the Eastern Staring heads. in a body.

Central W. C. T. U. will be at the home of Mrs. Newell Hand Jan. 2.

The L. O. T. M. M. have changed their night of meeting to the first and third Wednesday in each month. Next meeting January 3. Members of the Masonic and East-

members of the Masonic and East-ern Star orders are requested to meet at the lodge rooms Sunday eve-ning at 6 o'clock to attend services at the Methodist church in accept-ance of the pastor's invitation. Hus-bands and wives of members are in-vited and those wishing to bring other members of their families are expected to do so expected to do so.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Subject for Sunday morning: "New Year's resolutions." Evening sub-ject: "The New Year." Sunday school at twelve, Christian Endeavor at six.

The Grand Rapids Daily Post and Ledger both one year only \$2.15 to subscribers paying one year in

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A Word of Appreciation

At the beginning of the new year we desire to thank our customers for the trade and good will extended us during the past twelve months.

The year 1905 was one of the most satisfactory we have ever had, both in amount of business done and in the pleasant relations existing between ourselves and our customers.

We endeavor to so conduct our business that each customer will be a satisfied and loyal one and the past year has produced abundant evidence that we enjoy the confidence and good will

We trust we may merit a continuance of these favors, for we we trust we may merit a continuance of these favors, for we shall in the coming year, as in the past one, make every effort to conduct a drug store that shall appeal to careful buyers; a store where everything in drugs and sundries may be had with utmost confidence in their quality and with the assurance of the most reasonable prices. Again acknowledging our appreication, we extend to all our friends best wishes for a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

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With all the paraphernalia that goes with each. Also always a good supply of up-to-date sheet music, vocal and instrumental. Glad to have you

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Queen Alexandra has written a look. She won't have to look long for

Unfortunately the change in the British cabinet doesn't give England a new poet laureate.

Sir Alfred Charles Harmsworth's peerage entitles him to rank as Lord of Thirty-one Newspapers.

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The rich farmer who is using his exception, automobile "to pump water and run Fatally Scalded,

attacked a man and bit off his nose.

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SUICIDES. an ordinance to compel all saloons to MRS. SWITZER ACQUITTED OF be on police beats. Eleven saloons now THE CHARGE OF MURDERING operating are affected. THE CHARGE OF MURDERING HER HUSBAND IS ELATED.

EIGHT MINERS CRUSHED Willie Schimmel, an 8-year-old Flint boy, was accidentally shot in the right DEATH UNDER FALLING EARTH AT NEWPORT MINE.

Illinois Treasurers and Audi-Large Sum.

Mrs. M. A. Preston, the newspaper writer of Charlotte, who was struck by an auto at San Diego, Cal., last Thursday, died of her injuries.

But Men in Charge Took Extras From Municipalities and School Districts Under Law Providing for the Issu-Under Law Providing for the Issuance of Bonds.

could get along without men.

Any one can muster courage to meet great triels, but it takes a genius of patience to endure the little ones.

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Frank Whipp, a young state emove who is wise to many things in pringfield, and who has been made Congressional the governor's confidential agent, began to dig around in the offices of the auditor and treasurer. He soon was

prepared with a mass of figures which Cullough, laid the matter before him and an agreement for a meeting of

Artist Charles Dana Gibson will come back within two years and resume black and white. Why not?

Girls, when he tells you your eyes are stars in the night in his life, resumember that there are estimated to member that there are estimated to member that there are estimated to something like 3,567,822 stars on view.

Newport mine Friday eight lives were at work on tives, His mother died at his birth. Because the Eaton county jail has been condemned and fearing Thomas Jones, alleged burglar, who broke jail last July, would try it again, Sheriff Halliday has secured a court order to a court decision.

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Proceedings

Tuesday. December 19, 1905. The senate to-day accepted the report and an agreement for a meeting of all persons concerned was arranged.

This meeting resulted in the deposit of certified checks with the state treasurer. the restoration of this provision and the attitude of the house in resenting

president to committees. Federal control of insurance was the main feature in the remarks. A plea against the description made

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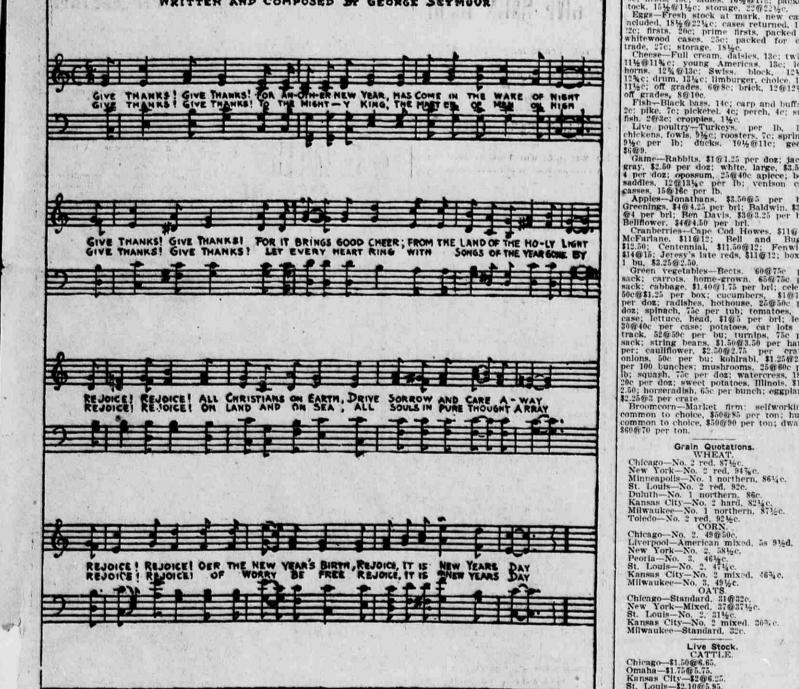
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After Clarence Weatherby, of Muskegon, had been sentenced to the Development of the state officials to the profitable watch. A feeroff and the profitable watch. A feeroff and the profit and the profit and the profit and

y Co., Chicago, (Atrue copy.) Register & Probate

Rejoice! It is New Year's Day! WRITTEN AND COMPOSED BY GEORGE SEYMOUR



Thousands of Centuries Re-Echo in the Blowing of Horns To-Day

Blowing of horns on occasions of joy and festivity has grown to be an established institution in the United States. Whether the custom as practiced is strictly in musical accord with the harmonious feelings of a people who in one voice indulge a celebration which a feeds all allies is another man.

But is this description not exactly and strangely in accord with the tones from the Lodern horn, the horn with which the jubilant man and youth, woman and girl, of this period give went to their joy at the birth of the Christian new year?

When God, creating out of nough This world into existence broug This universe by wisdom planness from the Lodern horn, the horn with whose order, beauty, harmony. We everywhere can plakely see:

Christian new year?

is growing, few of the old heads stop like the ancient shophar, its tones are grave consideration.

which affects all alike is another mat- Try as you will, you can get noth-

Sinai the giving of the Ten Commandments to the end of time.

The first mention of it is in the Old
Testament at the giving of the law:

And all the people saw the thunderings.

And all the people saw the thunderings, and the holse of the lightnings, and the holse of the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet.—Exodus, xx:18.

Trumpet.

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Subsequent verses relate the defeat of 10,000 lusty men and the downfall of Moab, much resembling the bloody conflicts of later centuries, sans machinery of modern warfare.

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The sounds were new to the ears of the people who listened to their echoes along the mountain, wondering at the distant tone repetitions.

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And when the people saw it, they removed and stood afar off. And they said unto Moses. "Speak thou with us, and we will hear; but let not God speak with us, lest we die."

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In Numbers, chapter xxxix: 1, we find an injunction as to the use of the trumpet.

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Monsignore Falconi, apostolic delegate to the United States, was entertained at Annapolis, Md., at the naval academy by Rear Admiral James H. Sands, superintendent, who is a mem-guaranteed. Phone 223-11. ber of St. Mary's congregation. Maj. St. George Kempson, editor of the New York Insurance Journal, and Ola M. Johnson his bride are guests at the Hotel Cadillac in Detroit, Mich. Maj. Kempson was married Wednesday to Grace Duffie Boylan of Kalamazoo, a writer

J. Lee, the American minister to Ecua-

and Typewriter. of short stories. With THE LEDGER. After a service of seventy years, be ginning with the Louisville Journal R.I.P.A.N.S Tabules George D. Prentice's paper, in 1836 Raymond Lynch, known as "Judge Doctors find Lynch, the veteran proofreader of the A good prescription Louisville Courier-Journal, has been For mankind retired on a full pension by that paper. F. J. V. Skiff represented the Field Columbian museum of Chicago at a meeting in Washington of the direc-Harvard college will receive a leg- tors of the greater museums of Amer-

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We are well aware that Lowell has had good papers in the past. We know that some are prone to look back to "the

past. We know that some are prone to look back to "the good old days of yore;" and we haven t a thing to say against it, nor a word save of honor and respect for our predecessors in Lowell journalism. Their papers and The Ledger are on file at the public library. They speak for themselves. We do not seek, neither do we shun, comparison.

The public has been generous in its patronage and appreciation; and we have endeavored to merit it. We will not selfish in the future; but will strive to give the people of Lowell and vicinity the best printing and publishing service the business will warrant. Increased business will always be followed by extra efforts to please. If the public desires too see in Lowell the best type of country journalism and the most completely equipped printing establishment possible, it has the means in its own hands. We shall keep pace with all demands. Hoping that General Prosperity will continue in command of the Army of Industry, that joy may abound and peace prevail, we wish for one and all a very happy new year.

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As REGARDS the franchise granted by the Village of Lowell to the Grand Rapids & Ionia Railroad company, and the claim that the same was kept alive by a half-day's work done on the line by one man last Summer, THE LEDGER believes, although in the case of Lowell other conditions have been violated our citizens are not disposed to be achieved. been violated, our citizens are not disposed to be arbitrary, provided the company proposes to fulfill its part of the contract and play fair. That the promoters failed us at a most cently which shows that the bluecritical and trying time, as to their promises to assist the Village in case of accident to our bridges—rebuilding of which was long delayed on their account—is indisputable. However, our people want this electric road as much as they ever did; over, in one uninterrupted flight. and being willing to play fair themselves, they will expect and exact as much from the franchise holders.

The storks which spend their summers in Austria-Hungary and their control of the franchise holders.

VERY significant of the times, is the proposed union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of unbroken flight each time. From Canada under the title of the "United Church of Canada." Budapest, in Hungary, to Lahore, in For centuries the tendency among Christians has been to the India, is 2,400 miles in an air line. multiplication of sects and creeds. Signs have not been lacking that the tide was about to turn; and the above mentioned ing that the tide was about to turn; and the above mentioned the rate of 100 miles an hour for the mentioned to mentioned the rate of 100 miles an hour for the mentioned to mentioned the rate of 100 miles an hour for the mentioned to mentioned the rate of 100 miles an hour for the mentioned to mentioned the rate of 100 miles an hour for the mentioned to mention the rate of 100 miles and the several mentioned to mention the rate of 100 miles and the several mentioned to mention the rate of 100 miles and the several mentioned to mention the rate of 100 miles and the several mention the rate of 100 miles and the several mentioned to mention the rate of 100 miles and the several action is a big push in the right direction. There are too many half-starved churches. Get together.

There are too whole distance. The storks which spend the summer in central Europe

IT IS due Governor Warner that he recive credit for establishing a reform in the matter of pardoning criminals. In view of the disgraceful wholesale prison delivery that In view of the disgraceful wholesale prison delivery that characterized the closing hours of Pingree's administration and the unsavory record of Bliss, the fact that Warner has not issued a single pardon makes him shine by contrast. The tary railway leading from Berlin to the literary railway leading from Berlin to the literary

issued a single pardon makes him shine by contrast. THE LEDGER is not a Warner paper; but it believes in "giving the devil his due."

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THE pastor of an Episcopal church at Windsor gives his hearers to understand that he believes in church unity—provided the other churches unite with his. Exactly so. There weeds is a woman with a past. are a whole lot of that sort of Christians in the world, built on ing from her make-up I should say the same plan as those David Harum tells about-"So narrer her past covered about thirty-seven that seventeen of 'em can set in a row on a buggy seat.'

THE Russian people are showing themselves utterly unfit for a free government; and the civilized world begins to think the Czar was too good for them.

GIFT TO JAPAN'S EMPRESS.

President Sends A Sewing Machin

as a gift came about from a convereation Miss Roosevelt had with the

Empress. The latter expressed a de-

sire to have an American sewing ma-

chine, and Miss Roosevelt communi-

cated the wish to her father, who im-

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ever been turned out of any factory.

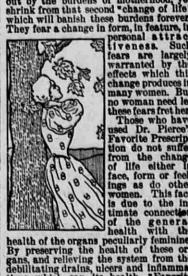
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AN APPROPRIATE TUNE,

Played to the Great Delight of the ships was giving a magic lantern lec-ture, the subject of which was "Scenes from the Bible." He arfirst picture shown was Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. The audience the gramophone burst forth mediately gave the order. The ma-chine is of the V. S. pattern and is with the strains of "There's Only e Girl in the World for Me."-

tached to the gold plated ironwork "Do you remember" she asked, of arms. Underneath the coats of arms of the two countries in Japan-



Evidence has been collected reare also marvelous travelers, and and winter in central Africa travel absolutely his worst the dear man with the same rapidity.—Pall Mall | couldn't succeed better.

Feminine Charity.

She-I guess that's right. Judg-

Neuralgia And Other ain.

to the Mikado's Wife. The Singer Sewing Machine Com nerve pain, the result of a turmachine for the Empress of Japan bulent condition of the nerves. on the order of President Roosevelt. The stabbing, lacerating, darting, burning, agonizing It is a present to the Empress by the President in recognition of the courpain that comes from the promtesy extended to his daughter, Miss Alice Roosevelt, during her recent inent nerve branches, or sensory nerves, is neuralgia, and is the "big brother" of all the The selection of a sewing machine

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ese characters is the date and then follows the reason for the presentation.

"Remember it!" he cried. "I should say I did. Years an exacts and the reason for the presentation.

"From the time that the machine was started until it received its final since."

"And what did you tell her?"

"I—I told her it was my only sonvenir of a lamented pet dog."

"Mercy! And what did she say?"

"Mercy! And what did she say?"

"She said she had never before heard of a dog that bleached its heard on the machine head and no relief from various head and head and

HIS USEFUL GIFT'S

to educate a man! And some of them

Take James Malcolm Fairweather n for example. Now, with a name like that one would naturally suppose its told that it was foolish of him to expect his wife to be pleased with a bright, blue parasol—when there is of any color which would have made

pretty wife as she exhibited the fatal



"There was the time I was indis creet enough to mention that I'd like a white crepe de chine waist to wear

yards of a splendid quality of crepe | quire of Mrs. A. J. Lewis. The experiments proved that the stations could at any time communicate with a train running at full it's coming within a mile of that

> hang and there are dress patterns either crazy or ghastly. At first I tried to educate him but he was so penitent and disappointed in himself when the error of his ways was when the error of his ways was vergennes. Terms easy. Inquire pointed out to him that I gave it up. J. H. Wesbrook. Some time I'm going to ship the whole lot of stuff to the heathen, bemile north and 3 west of Lowell, all

> whole lot of stuff to the heathen, because I know they would be delighted with the atrocities! And Jim means so well—bless his heart!"
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> That is the worst of it—it is so exasperating to see such a quantity of good intentions going to waste! Yet even James Malcolm Farweather's wife realizes that she is a lucky level. The state of the cultivation, 70 acres seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple or chard, also fine young peach orchard of 1100 trees, just bearing, a new 9 room house well supplied with soft and hard water. Barn and out buildings, well, good water with windmill. Liberal terms. Address that the state of Lowell, all under high cultivation, 70 acres seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple or chard, also fine young peach orchard and hard water. Barn and out buildings, well, good water with windmill. Liberal terms. Address the state of Lowell, all under high cultivation, 70 acres seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple or chard, also fine young peach orchard and hard water. Barn and out buildings, well, good water with windmill. Liberal terms. Address the seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple or chard, also fine young peach orchard and hard water. Barn and out buildings, well, good water with windmill. Liberal terms. Address the seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple or chard, also fine young peach orchard and hard water. Barn and out buildings, well, good water with windmill. Liberal terms. Address the seeded and hard water. er's wife realizes that she is a lucky windmill, Liberal terms, Address and Lorentz and Lo members to bring her presents, the wrong things though they be; for WANTED—a few bushels on sub where there is one man like that there are dozens who never waste a scription at The Ledger office.

east of Lowell, 109 acres-20 acre of timber, living water in ever Then there is the man to whom field, fine young bearing orchard Helen is engaged. He is entirely admirable and perfectly devoted, but he, too, has a talent for doing the wrong thing. If it is a fine day for a drive he asks her to go sailing and they get becalmed and corresponding the seconds in the seconds with the second with the seconds with the seconds with the seconds with the second with the seconds with the second with the seconds wit ingly seasick. If she secretly wishes fine condition. Liberal terms. Ap he would invite her to see a musical ply onthe farm or address HIRA comedy he trustingly appears with VANDEUSEN, Lowell, Mich. O26t tickets for the circus. He breaks his neck to be nice to people whom she dislikes, though he is under the mis- Three miles north of Lowell, 85 taken impression that they are Hellacres, 5 of timber, living water in Fowl en's dearest friends. Thus he is laying up all sorts of future trouble for her on her "at home" days. He insanely persists in talking about cats to her Aunt Mary when Aunt cats to her Aunt cats to her Aunt cats to her Aunt cats to her Aunt Mary when Aunt Mary loathes cats and has a fad for dogs instead. He nearly caused Helen's grandfather to cut her out of his will entirely by passing three hours at the old gentleman's side hours at the old gentleman's side hours at the old gentleman's side

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per will be served. Bill \$1.00. "Of course, he will do it again," she says, resignedly. "And the surprising thing is that I keep right on Those having books belonging to guests at your home. If you are the Vergennes township library are going away also let us know about it. Any item of news will be of interest to your friends. Call the Len Grand Rapids Herald has set ILL EFFECT OF LARGE HATS. There is no doubt in my mind | before they were sufficiently trained

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in such large quantities that you Rexall Remedies.— We believe that The proprietors of the Rex-all Remedies, have in-H. S. Thompson gets his Lat Grand Rapids now instead Alto, as formerly. promptly stops falling hair, cures system of supplying dandruff and will stimulate a new growth of hair. It has done so ready-made prescrip-tions. They make 200 remedies under the Mies Sarah Mooney of Grand lds has been the guest of Mr. Mrs. T. A. Murphy this week. Mrs. John Gammon of South It is not sticky or gummy; will Each remedy is a wellnot thicken on the hair; does not become rancid; has no disagreeable able odor; is clean and agreeable tried recipe of a famous physician who is a specialist in his line.

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nac spent Christmas home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Cof

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hinyan entertained Mrs. Mary Stone, Mrs. Anna Jones and Mr. and Mrs. James Bush, all of Alto, on Christmas day. All persons indebted to me are requested to call and pay up before Jan. 10th, as I am going out of busliness. Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

Mrs. Harriet Owen and daughter Vlola of Flint are spending the holidays at the home of the former's son, D. H. Owen.

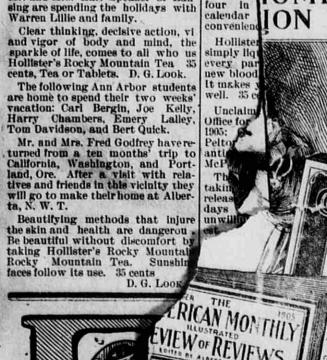
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Warren Lillie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey have returned from a ten months' trip to California, Washington, and Portland, Ore. After a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity they

Beautifying methods that injure the skin and health are dangerou. Be beautiful without discomfort by



Is it surprising that a heavy hat, and closeness to the roots is bad for held fast to the scalp by long hat the scalp.—New York Telegram. Found Clinging to Side. vantage of it by a subscripter of gravity in such a pattern is It is an interesting scientific fact, three, six or twelve months changed from the crown to the mid-LEDGER on any of the Bar- die of the rim, and just imagine how nothing that falls from the mouth of much juggling it takes to keep such the deepest mining shaft in the world a one in place. To keep it at the correct angle the muscles at the sides | been demonstrated at the famous

of the neck are on a constant tension to hold the head high and stiff, while those in the forehead that must support the bulk of the weight are so continually strained that they devel op wrinkles, and all because styles The muscles thus strained to keep the hat on are not able to resist the

they have is the lack of a brim, and | against the east wall of the shaft. the fact that they are a little more down over the head, and keeping it would mean sure death, the body, rest of the day. It pays no attention The headdress our women wear is the timbering on the east side. Mem- is able to offer an explanation as to not been trained from infancy to | Mines are now engaged in experithink they could bear the weight of as to the thickness of the earth's a four pound hat, built up like a | crust. It is not hoped to solve the ticed since these unusually big styles | tion of the earth's matter, but it is have been worn that many other- noved to add to the information colport cards at wise beautiful women have devel- | jected concerning it. oped a habit of dropping the head or

to-day, Don't put it off.

to balance the extra amount of hat trimming, and many actually have rounded shoulders from persistently carrying about an abnormal weight heads as they are nowaday are large- | gear. If no other argument appeals | the civilized nations who wear such fall out should do so. No air can get through these big thick frames,

It is an interesting scientific fact, ever reaches the bottom. This has Red Jacket shaft of the Big Calumet size it may be, is invariably found One day a monkey wrench was dropped, but it did not get to the

most of it thus falls on the spinal column, frequently causing a dull to make a careful test of the appar- average of sixty nine miles an hour. ache in the head. Big hats should | ent phenomenon. It was decided best | and more than one hundred exceedbe avoided on windy days, for they | to use a small but heavy spherical | ed a speed of sixty miles an bour. are twisted and swung about and | body, and a marble, tied to a thread | One of the oldest homers is a bird pull so hard on the hair that the was suspended about twelve feet be which makes its home around the roots are strained, the scalp becomes low the mouth of the shaft. When railway station at Liege, in Belgium. irritated and many times they bring | the marble was absolutely still, as- | There is a train from Liege to War-Small turbans or bonnets are the down, the thread was burned ten o'clock. As soon as the train cause of almost as many headaches, through by the flame of a candle. pulls into the station the bird comfor they frequently weigh more; than big hats. The only advantages feet from the surface brought up they have is the lack of a brim, and a scainst the east wall of the shaft.

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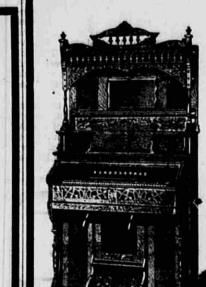
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Mr. and Mrs. Sweet entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvard of Belding and Mr and Mrs. I. Sweet Christmas day.

Sessional Endorscencials

Wishing continued and production and pro

bowels. When this is done there is no reason why the average man should not live to old age. For sale by all druggists.

Will Booth and family have moved to Chicago last week Wednesday to spend the Winter with her daughter, for the control of the vicinity of Potter's corners in Keene, where he has rented a farm for three years.

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ECZEMA suffererscuredwith Hermit Salve, who had lost hope of relief. 25 & 50c. All druggists Hermit Remedy Co., Chicago

Divide Twenty-four Teachers. Best results assured. Under new management. W. F. JEWELL, Pres. 11-19 Wilcox Ave.

Has it Occurred To You Why ... So many wheat naked forms have come and gone? Lack of quality of course. The richness that is distinctively noticeable in **Cream Crisp** gives it a taste quality unequalled. This accounts for growing business.



Start now and get full value for your dime. Ask your Grocer and accept no substiHeard About Town

Dr. Hodges, dentist. Pretty Calendars for 1905 at Look's J. Madsen spent Christmas at

Miss Bessie Tate is home from Cor-

J. S. Kelly of Muskegon spent visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Post.

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Rexall Remedies. — We believe that The

United Drug Co., the proprietors of the Rex-all Remedies, have in-

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Lewis of Hastings spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis.

If you can guess who I am in Godfrey's adv. on back page he will sell you an overcoat % off, within the next ten days. spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis.

Your last chance to get one-half dozen photos free—January 10th is the last day. Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

Geo. Winegar and family of Saranac spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Winegar.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Cotton of Detroit spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deerly of Riverdale have been spending a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christmas with the saranac with the saranac

All persons indebted to me are requested to call and pay up before Jan. 10th, as I am going out of business.

Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

Mrs. Harriet Owen and daughter Viola of Flint are spending the holidays at the home of the former's son. D. H. Owen.

The Lowell State Chamberiain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all drugged tested, "I do not care for the smiles of other women."

"No," she sobbed, "but I do, and it's just hateful of you to make me wear such a dowdy bonnet."—Philatoken. Look can supply you.

The Lowell State Bank is present.

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Miss Louise Lillie of Ludington, Miss Jennie Lillie of Latings and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Speaker of Lansing are spending the holidays with Warren Lillie and family.

Clear thinking, decisive action, vi and vigor of body and mind, the sparkle of life, comes to all who us Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. D. G. Look.

The following Ann Arbor students are home to spend their two weeks; vacation: Carl Bergin, Joe Kelly, Harry Chambers, Emery Lalley. Tom Davidson, and Bert Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey have returned from a ten months' trip to California, Washington, and Portland, Ore. After a visit with relatives and friends in this vicinity they will go to make theirhome at Alberta, N. W. T.

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Dr. White, dentist, 'phone 151. Miss Myra Lillie is recovering from a two weeks' iliness. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lampman and

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark of Alto all if I'd another over t'other!"-T. Dr. and Mrs. E. D. McQueen are spending the week in Chicago.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Merriman of with a constable, and one day she in-

Chas. Fisher of Chicago spent Christmas at the home of his parents berg.

The King Milling Company presented their employes with turkeys for Christmas.

When he came it was washing day. She went and fetched him some beer, biscuits, and cheese, but just then a voice called out. "Mary, have you here.

Geo. Tate of Chicago spent Christmas at the home of her mas with his mother, Mrs. Phoebe

Miss Mary Childs of Grand Rapids started to wash yet?"

Mary—Yes.

"What are you doir Misses Edith and Ella Kopf of John Clark of Grand Rapids spent Grand Rapids spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowell relatives and friends. "Oh, I am just per."—Tit Bits. W. E. Post of Chicago has been

O. Kelly.

Guess who I am on back page and you can secure an overcoat ½ off at lly entertained J J. Kelly of Ohio for Godfrey's, within the next ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Art VanAllsburg and while you have the chance." H. S. Thompson gets his Ledger son Orie of Coopersville visited at the home of Warren Lillie on Christ-Alto, as formerly.

"Oh, we's seen 'em before," said Reuben Grassbinder. "They kim up tew my place every year to git some

Mrs. John Gammon of South Bend, Ind., is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Thomas.

Feed Clover Brand stock food, the best there is, for sale at Bradish's harness store, King block.

The season from Charles Boyle of Ionia.

Mrs. J. D. Harvey of Grand Rapids came Saturday to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. H. R. Johnson, returning Tuesday.

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Lost—Between Grove schoolhouse and Lowell postoffice a black shop ping bag, containing money. Finder leave at Ledger office. Reward.

When you want a pleasant laxative take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all druggers, and of other women."

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The Smiles Were On Her.

"I assura you, my dear," he protested, "I do not care for the smiles of other women."

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D. A. Church and family visited at the home of Kirk Ford at Steele's Sunday to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. D. Jackobson.

The English Luggage Porter. said to a traveler, "I see as your luggage is overweight, sir." "Ah! your visionary powers are too acute for me, my friend." 'Sir," with a grunt like a pig.

had sixpence over one eye?" "Well, I don't know, sir; but I'm darned well sure as I couldn't see at

Miss Alma Brown is spending her Grand Rapids recently visited S. with a constable, and one day she invacation at her home at Rockford, Sweetland and wife. voice called out, "Mary, have you

"What are you doing now?" "Oh, I am just filling up the cop-

Familiarity Breeds Contempt. "Those ladies," shouted the spiel-Miss Sarah Mooney of Grand Rapids has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Murphy this week.

THE LEDGER is in receipt of a two years' subscription and greetings of the season from Charles Boyle of in'."— Cincinnati Commercial-Tri-

> Practical Philanthropy. "I believe," remarked the of magnate, "in helping the people to "So do I," emphatically agreed the

week.

Mrs. T. Kolt is visiting her parents and friends near Ada this week.

Chicago News.

No improvement has been made week.

No improvement has been made in the kiss old Adam invented in the garden of Eden.

Tax Notice.

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We have heard it asked about town.

Was Business Good?

It surely was. WHERE? At the corner store where you can buy everything n Dry Goods and Clothing at prices a little lower considering the quality than you can in the large City Stores. We are more than pleased with the liberal patronage the people have given us this season and wish to extend a hearty welcome to you all, and with a happy New Year we will endeavor to be at your service in all our busi ness transactions. LOOK AND READ.

Lot No. 5, a few left in extra

Fascinators

Lot No. 1, all wool Fascina-

Remember we do as we Advertise.

Ladies' Cloaks Lot No. 1, 45 inch Black cloaks, shoulder lined, well made throughout, former price \$7.50 now 4.98

cloak, shoulder lined, made of a very fine wool Kersey, pleated front and backs, former price \$12.50 not want to carry them over. Thil we involce, we will sell them while 21c

Lot No. 3, 45 and 50 inch cloaks, shoulder lined, made of extra fine Kersey, guaranteed to be Black as long as you want it and have sold all the season for 14.50 and 16.50, now... 9.75

Lot No. 3, it is a beauty and Lot No. 4, Children's cloaks sizes from 6 to 14 years, all new this season, only a few left, former prices 2.98
4.00 and 4.50, now 2.98

Lot No. 1, Boy's Knee Pant Suits, sizes from 3 to 9, former price \$2.00 to reduce the stock before inventory will put the price at... 1.69 Lot No. 3, Boy's Knee Pants Suits in sizes from 9 to 16 years, extra heavy Scotch Mixed Wool Suitings and well made, have sold a bunch of them for \$4.50, but like all others we

do not want to inventory and will place the price Lot No. 2, Boy's Knee Pants Suits sizes from 9 to 14 years, they are wearers and sold like Hot Cakes for \$3.00, but we are going to give the people the benefit of the inventory prices and will sell them

2.20

while they last at

Lot No. 4, Youth's and Young Men's Suits in all sizes and colors, former price \$5.50, Sacks only, don't want to inventory them, will 4.48 Lot No. 5, Young Men's Square Cuts, Donble Breasted Suits and have sold all the season for \$8.00 but before we

Lot No. 6, W. J. Dickey & 2.00 Sons all wool Kersey pants at. 2.00 They are the real article and now is

We almost forgot to mention our Men's FUR COATS but we have got them at prices that will defy competition from any of the out-of-town houses.

Remember that this is our first clean-up sale prior to taking inventory. Our special prices on Cloaks and in fact everything will have the inventory knife applied and that at once as we must make room for the new Spring stocks which will soon

Thanking you again for your liberal patronage, we remain

W. A. Covert Dry Goods Co. Saranac, Mich. STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PARTY

Our Country Cousins

How do you do it?

"Oh, we all get around him, and toint our fins at him, and yell 'Trust!" It makes him crazy."—

Ray and family at byron center.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tucker of Chicago are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wood.

Lida Boyd is attending the McLaughlin business college in Grand Rapids.

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The Christian church gave a vote

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderlip of Hart are guests at Walter Clark's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams are visiting relatives at Englishville this week.

Imain a few weeks visiting friends.

Mr. Boyd and family spent Christians with friends in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Wm. Jennings and son spent Christians with Mr. and Mrs.

Archibald.

Imain a few weeks visiting friends.

Mr. Boyd and family spent Christians and held services Sunday morning. He expects to be here again for services April 15th, one united with the church and one with the association.

C. R. Porter and Wm. Boyee were

hn Andrews has been ill.

The last fall of snow has spoiled skating for the boys at present.

Miss Gertude Slayton is entertaining company from Buffalo, N. Y.

Post cards—The Ledger.

Spend Christmas with friends here.

The annual business meeting of the Congregational church will be held Saturday, Jan. 6th, at 2 p. m.

Union Young People's meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening at 6:30.

Spend Christmas with Instant Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Andrews is in poor health.

Mrs. Denton of Coral is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Ford, and other relatives.

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Mrs. N. Ford and family 'spent Christmas with Mrs. W. Pardee of Lowell.

Mrs. Shaffer and family a. 1 Milo Miller were Christmas guests of Willer and family and

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Byrnes enterllies Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis enter-tained about thirty relatives and friends at Christmas time. Seth Bates of Ludington is visiting relatives and friends here. Ina Wiggins has been visiting at Belding the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Haskin and son Louis spent Sunday with their son Ray and family at Byron Center.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tucker of the Baptist society will hold a Fair at the church on Friday evening. A chicken ple supper will be served from 5.30 to 9, tickets 15c.

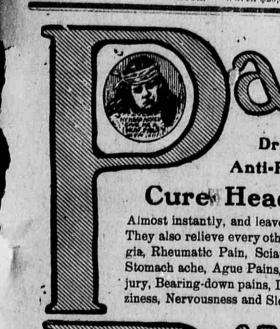
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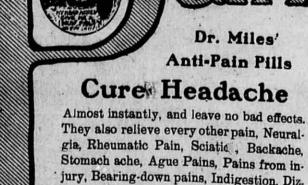
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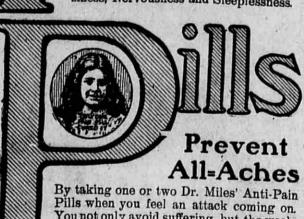
Miller were Christmas guests of Will Miller and family.





Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills





You not only avoid suffering, but the weakening influence of pain upon the system. If nervous, irritable and cannot sleep, take a tablet on retiring or when you awaken. This soothing influence upon the nerves brings refreshing sleep. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk.



Almost instantly, and leave no bad effects. They also relieve every other pain, Neural-

jury, Bearing-down pains, Indigestion, Diz-

"What other four?" I asked.

CHAPTER V.

A Trip to the Grand Canon.

dressing, but I expressed my regrets through the door that I could not go with his party to the Grand Canon, told him that all the stage arrangements had been completed, and promised to told him there in case my ised to join him there in case my luck was good. Then I saw Frederic for a moment, to see how he was (for I had nearly forgotten him in that's where they put two pumped the the excitament), to find that he was other four inter the moon." gaining all the time and preparing even to get up. When I returned to the saloon, the rest of the party were there and I bade good bye to the captimes," I told him. Lord Ralles, and, holding out my been pretty nigh together for a min-

other morning about the way you thought road agents ought to be there were six empty cartridge shells. treated. You have turned the joke I stood looking blankly at them, hardvery neatly and pluckily, and I want ly able to believe what I saw; for to apologize for myself and thank you Albert Cullen had said distinctly that

Meither is necessary," he retorted miss, and that the last three Winchester shots I had heard had been fired by himself. Then, without speaking, I walked slowly back, searching along the edge of the road been for more shells; but, though I went beyond the point where the last car had stood, not one did I find. Any meeting made me forget even Lord Railes.

The poet it isn't good-bye, but only one conclusion, namely, that all of the rain robbers had fired only four times, and that the last three Winchester shots I had heard had been invested by himself. Then, without speaking, I walked slowly back, searching along the edge of the road been for more shells; but, though I went beyond the point where the last car had stood, not one did I find. Any man who has fired a Winchester whose that it drops it isn't good-bye, but only one conclusion, namely, that all

you must let us see you some time in only one conclusion, namely, that all ponies a feed and an hour's rest. We Chicago, so that I may show you how grateful I am for all the pleasure you have added to our trip." Then, as I stepped down off my platform, and leard of men supposing they had as all the rest of the ride was through hearing another leaned over the rail of 218, and added, in a low voice, "I thought you were just as brave as the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I think you are the rest, Mr. Albert Cullen either had fired his the rest of the ride was through the rest of the ride was through as all the rest of the ride was through as all the rest of the ride was through the rest of the ride was through as all the rest of the ride was through the rest of the ride was through they sell Dresden china and picture rhotographs and a few other things that do not matter. Then there is the Brulsche tarrasse. It is a high term of Catarra that cannot be cured by Half the rest, Mr. Catarra that cannot be cured by Half the rest of the ride was through as all the rest of the ride was through they sell Dresden china and picture rhotographs and a few other things that do not matter. Then there is the Brulsche tarrasse. It is a high term of Catarra that cannot be cured by Half the rest of the ride was through they sell Dresden china and picture rhotographs and a few other things then there is scarcely as all the rest of the ride was through the rest of the ride was through

the signal, the Mell rang, and No. 3 pulled off. The last thing I saw was a handkerchief waving off the plat-

form of 218. When the train dropped out of lump in my throat and went for the telegraph instrument. I wired Coolidge to give the plarm to Fort Wingate, Fort Apache, Fort Thomas, Fort Grant, Fort Bayard and Fort Whipple. mere waste of energy. Then I sent appearance of the robbers. Yet to sup- ful bad." mere waste of energy. Then I sent the brakeman up to connect the cut wire.

Then I sent the brakeman up to connect the cut wire.

Then I sent the Surrey side, but on the Surrey crowded Green Lake car last night to go swimming. Isn't the water suf- you have not the Belvedere. The when a masterful, stout woman enter-

here, Mr. Gordon," the man called "Surely not!" I exclaimed.

"Yes, sir," he responded. "The bulk have but the whole thing down as a "Well yes it."

have put the whole thing down as a "Well, yes, it is a considerable per practical joke of Mr. Cullen's party, riod," admitted the old gentleman, with the train had lain. "I don't wonder registered letters. Even a practical no vital connection between wind and nobody was hit," I exclaimed, "if joker would hardly care to go to the swimming — just explain, if you Some one was a worse rattled man mail pouches; for Uncle Sam doesn't "W'y, it's like this," said the boy. than I ever expect to be. Dig the approve of such conduct.



now I own car, I ordered a quick supper, think you are braver." cullets out. Douglas, so have a look at them.

He brought them down in a minute. front door of my car, as I had order- was able to work, confound him." They proved to be Winchesters, as I ed when I went out; that as he turned "And what do you do here?" had expected, for they were on the to go to a safer place, he had seen a "Sit around mostly, smokin' and side from which the robbers must man, revolver in hand, climb over the waitin' for the next meal time."

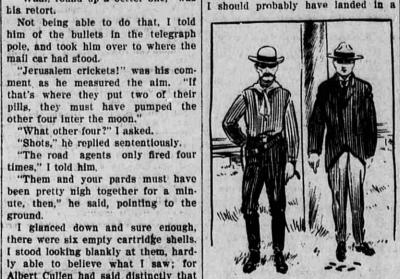
wild as he did," I ejaculated, and Albert Cullen. walked over to where the mail car "That was just after I had got off?" here?"-Chicago Record-Herald. had stood, to see just how bad the I asked. shooting was. When I got there and Then it couldn't have been Mr. "The weather man said it would miss one of the greatest pictures in the world—Raphael's Sistine Madon-badly, for raising my own Win-badly, for raising my own with the world with the wor the pole put it twenty de- "Tell you it wuz, Mr. Gordon," lim

and I laughed to think how near I had come to giving nitroglycerin to a ellow who was only shamming heart failure; for that it was Frederic Cullen who had climbed on the car hadn't the slightest doubt, the resemblance between the two brother being quite strong enough to deceive any one who had never seen them

ters, and they had evidently been fellows greater skill in such matters taken. This made me feel soler, they could find what I had not, but taken. This made me feel soler, slight, as the probable loss was. He slight, as the probable loss was. He slight addressed to Ash Forks, Arizona, making it improbable that their contents could be of any real value. If possible, I was more puzzled than contents of the could be of any real value. If a slight abouts, for they couldn't a' got at sixten the runner whistled to at sixten the runner whistled to a sixten the runner was a sixten the sixten the runner was a sixten the runner was a sixten the runner was a si show he had steam up. I told one of the brakemen to stay behind and then went into 218. Mr. Cullen was still the steam up and told the sheriff so.

I didn't put much stock in that idea and told the sheriff so.

Waal, round up a better one," was I should probably have landed in a slow of the state of the I should probably have landed in a



Six empty cartridge-shells

braver."

I turned impulsively, and said, "You would think so, Miss Culien, if you knew the sacrifice I am making."

Then, without locking at her, I gave

Albert Culien either had fired his which, at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which, at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at white streets and modern "villa restigation."

Whichester up by the mail car, or else thing else wide than the Thames at white streets and modern "villa restigation."

Wathing, Kinyak Martis, Wholesale Drugglatons made by Martis, which, at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at white streets and modern "villa restigation."

Wather Culien either had fired his which, at Dresden, is something else wide than the Thames at which was built by a long-the dead minister, named Bruhl, as part of his private gardens and it proves dead minister, named Bruhl, as part of his private gardens and it proves the provided that the new—ner factories and (within a few miles, though out thing else wide than the Thames at thing else wide than the Thames at which was part of sight) her collieries, her blood and the new—ner factories and (within a few miles, though out thing else wide than the Thames at thing else wide than the Thames at which was part of sight) her collieries, her blood and modern "villa restigations and the new—ner factories and (within a few miles, though out the some which was part of sight) and the new—ner factories and (within a few miles, though out the sound of sight) her collieries, her blood and the new—ner factories and (within a few miles, though out the sound of sight) her col old gentleman, smiling benevolently him to have been a man of taste, ies of the past, and her memorials of down upon the spick-and-span small From it you can get the finest possible eighteenth-century splendor. Capital If a girl is all the world to a young

"I've been standin' here—oh, most a you have a glimpse into fairyland. I crtistic and industrial in one. And, I stood pondering, for no explanasight over a grade, I swallowed the tion that would fit the facts seemed year, waitin' for the wind to blow," grant that when a plaintive American phove all, she is the setting for the possible. I should have considered said the boy, looking wistfully at the complained to me that it was not Eistine Madonna. the young fellow's story only an at- water.

tempt to gain a little reputation for "Is that so? But why are you so York at night, as you come in from

pluck, if in any way I could have anxious about wind?" accounted for the appearance and dis- "Wy, I want to go in swimmin' aw contradict him. Nor is it finer than with a quiet and retiring citizen who

have put the whole thing down as a "Well, yes, it is a considerable pe if it had not been for the loss of the an air of candor. "I certainly recall length of cutting open government please."

returning to his trouble. "Ma won't Whatever the explanation, I had let me go in swimmin'-she never enough facts to prevent me from does! But if a big wind 'ud come along wasting more time on that alkali and blow my new hat off into plain. Getting the men and horses water, w'y, I'd have to gwin fer the back onto the cars, I jumped up on hat." the tall-board and ordered the runner

The two private cars were on a tient; "seven years. You see, they let siding, but the Cullens had left for me do pretty near as I please because the Grand Canon the moment they I'm harmless." had arrived, and were about reaching

and questioned the cook and watter, throw things at me every time I came but they had either seen nothing or in the house." else had been primed, for not a fact as brave as did I get from them. Going to my manages to live?" and while I was eating it I questioned brother, who is a rich bachelor, is can my boy. He told me that he had takin' care of her. He never would heard the shots, and had bolted the give up a cent, though, as long as I

off-side gate of Mr. Cullen's car and "Say," said the visitor, speaking "That chap must have been full of for a moment he had supposed it a softly, and drawing a little nearer to den recalls only Dresden china (which "What do you mean?" shrieked the Arizona tangle-foot, to have fired as road agent, until he saw that it was the patient, "just between ourselves, is not made at Dresden at all, bot woman. "You know very well I was how did you get them to send you at Meissen, some miles up the river) speaking to my niece there behind

"But it didn't rain at all to-day."

na. Everybody knows it from photo-the animal life of the two coasts "I know it didn't, but I met the graphs and reproductions, but until where there are marked differences a 'the air.' Yet there were dige shells on the ground that I was in the place will she had a wiz stitin'."

"I done seen his face car in know it didn't, but I met the you have seen the original you have seen th

City Old and New

court opera house.

In the Heart of Dresden.

Dresden Aptly Termed Compromise Between Past and Present Times

(Special Correspondence.)

nearly so fine as the view of New

boy who had strayed away from the other Sunday school picknickers to this remote side of the lake.

From it you can get the unest possible of an old state, which is yet but an of an old state, which is yet but an of other men to acquire the earth.

An observing tramp says the world and new, provincial and metropolitan, is often cold on a hot day.

guests of the vice president of the ficient for your purpose, my little Belvedere is a restaurant with a gar- ed. directors, would be concerned in train "I guess it's a long time since you the end of the Tarrasse. There you to hide, he was fixed and subjugated on because he wanted to. robbery was to believe something was a boy!" remarked the "little man," may sit and sip cooling drinks of a by her glittering eye. He rose and

to pull out for Flagstaff. It was a run of seven hours, getting us in a "You poor man," said Mr. Henpeck, little after eight, and in those hours who was for the first time seeing the I had done a lot of thinking which inside of a lunatic asylum, "how long had all come to one result-that Mr. have you been here? Can you remem-Cullen's party was concerned in the ber?" "Oh, yes; very well," replied the pa-

there by this time. I went to 218 | "Sure. I have a wife who used to

"How sad! Do you know how she "She's getting along all right. Her a distant tramear!) slipping across there for? Come here and sit on my

the bridges and the red and green lap."

and picture galleries. One might en you."-Seattle Post-Intelligencer. joy Dresden without even looking at a picture; it is true that one would

cars (what an effective adjunct to a furthest end of the car:

night effect are the colored lights on . "What do you want to stand up

lamps on the boats passing beneath "Madam," gasped the man, as his

To most people the name of Dres- not deserving of such an honor."

face became scarlet. "I-I fear I am

CLERGYMAN ACCEPTED THE FEE Bluff' of Bridegroom That Met With Deserved Failure.

A good story is told on a young clergyman in the suburbs who was reently married and who was properly It is a well known rule among ciergymen not to take a fee from together. I smiled a little, and remarked to myself, "I think I can In Berlin you are in the newest of noblest results that the art of religional custom is, however, for the best CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"Perhaps if they had known the danger as well as you, they would have been less courageous." she continued, and it could have been less courageous. It is made good my boast that I would have were still eating, the mail that the most careful search had falled to discover the three registered letters, and they had exidently been in the saddle and skirting the sand their tongs and they had exidently been in the saddle and skirting the sand their horses. I was hopeful that with these fellows' greater skill in such matters

together. I smilled a little, and remarked to myself, "I think I can make good my boast that I would catch the robbers, but whether the catch the robbers, but whether the cullens will like my doing it, I question. What is more, Lord Ralles will offer made up her mind to become my success as I had felt a moment become where still eating, the mail that the most careful search had falled to get a good view of the picture. It is hung for the make good will whether the cullens will like my doing it, I question. What is more, Lord Ralles will only has Dresden not yet quite given up being old German, not yet altong the moments was stopped where I was. It consisted of a string of three flats and a box car, and brought the sheriff, a dozen cowboys whom he had sworm in as deputies, and their of the make good with the shots had been fired.

While I was still cogitating over this, the special train I had ordered where the cullens will like my doing it, I question. What is more, Lord Ralles will only has Dresden not yet quite given up being old German, not yet altong the mount of the mount

a part of a never-finished palace sore about the \$100, but the joke was This house, the picture galleries and too good for the best man to keep to part of the other collections, histor himself.-Philadelphia Record. ical, ethnographical and what not. The rest are behind the Bruhische Terrace, which starts from the bridge | Washington, Kans., Dec. 25 (Spec-

following the river bank in the oppo (al)-Jesse E. Mitchell is a telephone site direction. On yet another side lineman, and also a well known restof the afore-mentioned square is the dent here. Everybody acquainted with Mr. Mitchell knows that he was

a man who held very positive views about Patent Medicine. Hear what he Dresden, as known to the Dresden says now:-Royal Picture Gallery.

er, stretches for miles along the river also now:

factory chimneys cluster thick, and filling the valley with white villas Medicines, for they never did me any factory chimneys cluster thick, and strange manufacturing smells assault the nose, where such a costume would seem absolutely out of place.

Guide books tell you that Dresden is the headquarters of the baroque and the roccoco. To me it is the city of compromise—and of the American tourist. Never was there such a meeting place for Americans. The porters at all the principal hotels have added speeds of the principal hotels have added speeds of the principal hotels have added speeds of the past, and the principal hotels have added speeds of the past, and the principal hotels have added speeds of the past, and the principal hotels have added speeds of the past, and the principal hotels have added speeds of the past, and the principal hotels have added speeds or cluster good, but Dodd's Kidney Pills have caused me to change my mind. For twelve years I suffered from Kidney Trouble. There was a hurting across my back that made it positive agony to stoop, and as I am in a stooping position nearly all day, you can imaginate the past, and the principal hotels have added that seem to lean together. I would be tired and worn out. In

and see that it the seaward, I had not the heart to The public is invited to sympathize

that of the Thames embankment from cocupied a seat near the door of a In Use For Over 30 Years, den which looks over the Elbe from Having no newspaper behind which wisdom.

summer night and listen to good music offered his place to her. Seating her | Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 80,000 testimonials. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y. In rare families, as in rare books, A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES, testing, Blind, Bleeding, Protrucing Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO INTMENT falls to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

fire escape is occasionally used as

Shiloh's Comumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, has been before the public, and this, together with the fact that its sales have steadily increased year by year, is the

as a cure for Coughs, Colds, and all-disease; of the lumps and air passages. Those who have used Shilch would not be without it. Those who have never used it should know that every bottle is sold with a positive guarantee that, if it doesn't cure you, the dealer will refund what you paid for it. Shiloh and watch the lights twinkling along self-without thanking him—she ex-the curve of the river and the tram-

thousands of the most obstinate cases of Coughs, Colds and Lung troubles. Let it cure you.

"I think your Shiloh's Consumption Cure is the greatest medicine ever discovered. My baby, who is now nearly two years old, was brought up on Shiloh, and a fatter baby or a healthier one cannot be found. If he is croupy at night or has a cough or cold, one or two does a lways releven him. I would not be without a bottle of Shiloh's in my house for many times the price of it. It has saved me many doctor's bills.—Mrs. J. B. Martin, Huntaville, Ala."

SHILOH 25c. with guarantee at all druggists. Beet Cough Syrup. Teates Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

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in a new way, different from any other, and it is permanent.

Alcoholic, opium and morphine preparations are injurious and dangerous. They destroy the digestive organs, and litterally tear the system to pieces.

Mull's Grape Tonic strengthens and builds them up. It cleanses the system to impurities, incites the digestive system to impurities, incites the digestive system to natural action, and cures the disease in a short time. To prove it to you, we will give you a bottle free if you have never used it.

Good for alling children and nursing mothers.

attracts but weakely though cleere, some slick stones and thick glasses indifferently; Arsenic not at all; Saltes generally but weakely, as Sal Gemma, Alum and also Talke; nor very discoverably by any friction; but if gently warmed at the fire and wiped with a dry cloth, they will better discover their Electricities."—Prof. S. P. Thompson in London Times. A free bottle to all who have never used COUPON.

189 GOOD FOR ONE DOLLAR 1230-5 MULL'S GRAPE TONIC Co., 148 Third Ave., | prayer book for \$1,500.

Gice Full Address and Write Plainly. 25 cent, 50 cent and \$1.00 bottles at all druggister-field bottle contains about six times as much as the 35 cent bottle and about three times as not have been bottle. There is a great aving in buying the \$1.00 size.

When a doctor encounters an ailment ered with sores, the humor spreading hat puzzles him he blames it on the to my hair, which fell out, leaving an

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that cannot be cured by any It is always the bes ough cure. You cannot

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For mle at druggists, 50 cents a box.

Trial Box and Book of Instructions Pres.

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tramicred with Thompson's Eye Water Lots of men who practice and fat think it is up to them to preach. W. N. U.--DETROIT.--No. 52--1905 He who guesses at things usually he another guess coming.

THE WHOLE LOT

LUMBAGO RHEUMATISM STIFF NECK SPRAIN

Honor That Seems to Belong to Sir Thomas Browne.

No one seems to have recalled, in connection with the commemoration of Sir Thomas Browne at Norwich, that he was the first person to use There is now a remedy called Mull's the word "electricity" as a noun. Gilbert and others who followed him had A full sized bottle is furnished you free to prove it—see coupon bolow.

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> \$12,500 for a Manuscript. At the sale of the library of the Earl of Cork in London, a French manu script, described by experts to be one

Send this coupon with your name and address and your druggle, to make and loc. to pay postage and we will supply you a sample free, if you have never used Mull's Graps Tonic, and will also send you a certificate good for \$1.00 oward the purchase of more Tonic from your druggles.

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"For two years my neck was con ered with sores, the humor spreading unsightly bald spot, and the soreness, One-half the world doesn't care how inflammation and merciless itching cura Soap and Ointment, and after a ents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind. | few applications the torment subsider to my great joy. The sores soon dis-The less a man knows the smarter appeared, and my hair grew again, as thick and healthy as over. I shall always recommend Cuticura. (Signed) H. J. Spalding, 104 W. 104th St., New

> Takes Free House from Miners. The Northumberland (England) roal owners propose to abolish th system of free houses for colliers, and offer un advance in wages to miner equivalent to house rent, cost of coals

> > THE EARTH'S AREA.

nates the area of the earth's surface it 196,791,984 square miles, of which about 53,000,000 square miles is land, the rest water. Throughout most of this 53,000,000 square miles Pillsbury's Vitos has made its way because it's so good. It is the idea breakfast food, and may be had at any up-to-date grocery.

Fess Up, Diogenes. ing for an honest man, could be have ound one by holding up his lantern and ooking in the glass?-Somerville Jour-

ne Pe-ru-na Almanac in 8,000,000 The Peruna Lucky Day Almana become a fixture in over eigh

nillion homes. It can be obtain from all druggists free. Be sure to it quire early. The 1906 Almanac is al ready published, and the supply wil soon be exhausted. Do not put it off. Lightning Stroke at Wedding. During a wedding at Grafenbaum.

ustralia, lightning struck the church tore away the bridegroom's right Ask Your Druggist for Allen's Foot-Ease. "I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE recently and have just bought another supply. has cured my corns, and the hot, burning

almost unbearable, and I would not be without it now."—Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden, N. J." Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Ad Catches the Farmer. Thousands of farmers answered the advertisement of a man who offered to sell "a receipt for making a pound butter from a pint of milk and a teaspoonful of our preparation."

Cross Ball Blue. Large 2-oz. package The Russ Company. South Bend, In

St. Jacobs Oil



DESOLUTIONS for the New Year and sentiments for the holiday season, arranged in acrostic form by F. G. Moorhead from the works of Robert Louis Stevenson:

N aim in life is the only fortune worth the having; and it is be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself,

EVERY piece of work which is not so good as you can make it should

immediate or distant interests.

RIGHT is intimately dictated to each man by himself, but can never be that will help your case. She asks noth-

CULTURE is not measured by the greatness of the field which is cov-

E who can sit squarest on a three-legged stool, he it is who has the

RIGHTEOUSNESS is to fuse together our divisive impulses and march

wealth and glory.

SOCIETY was scarce put together and defended with so much eloquence

tion and grade of society. It is a high calling, to which a man must first be born and then devote himself for life

ANNERS, like art, should be human and central, A S the sun returns in the east, so let our patience be renewed with

S O long as we love we serve; so long as we are loved by others I would almost say that we are indispensable.

FTER all, there is no house like God's out-of-doors. O man is useless while he has a friend.

OME is the woman's kingdom.

next, if not superior, to virtue.

DO what we will, there is always something made to our hand, if it were

man cannot go very far astray who neither dishonors his parents, nor

A FTER a good woman and a good book and tobacco, there is nothing so agreeable on earth as a river. PENURY is the worst slavery, and will soon lead to death.

PRACTICE is a more intricate and desperate business than the toughes theorizing; life is an affair of cavalry, where rapid judgment and prompt action are alone possible and right. YET the dearest and readiest, if not the most just, criterion of a man's

services is the wage that mankind pays him, or briefly, what he ATURE is a good guide through life, and the love of simple pleasures

TRE et pas avoir-to be, not to possess-that is the problem of life. WE must all set our pocket watches by the clock of fate.

FT. when all has been said, the man who would hold back from riage is in the same case with him who runs away from battle. EVERY man is his own doctor of divinity in the last resort.

BRAVE woman far more readily accepts a change of circumstances

STOP! WOMEN.

AND CONSIDER THE ALL-IMPORTANT FACT That in Addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman

— a weman whose experience with wonan's diseases covers a great many years. You can talk freely to a woman when it is revolting to relate your private troubles to a man—besides a man does not understand-simply because he is a man. Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impels them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probably examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great. Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation: Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. A you for a thief.

R IGHT is that for which a man's central self is ever ready to sacrifice

R IGHT is that for which a man's central self is ever ready to sacrifice of America which has never been broken of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible

> ing in return except your good-will, and her ing in return except your good-will, and her advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. — Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Following we publish two let-

Following we publish two letters from a woman who accepted this invitation. Note the result.

First letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month with my periods. The pains are exeruciating and I can hardly stand them. My doctor says I have ovarian and womb trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Str., Benning P.O., Washington, D.C.

Second letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"After following carefully your advice, and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very anxious to send you my testimonial, that others may know their value and what you have done for me."

"As you know, I wrote you that my doctor said I must have an operation of I could not invent invent and realing you and your advice and an entirely well. I can walk miles without an ache or a pain, and I owe my life to you and to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I wish every suffering woman would vest in the total and every suffering woman would vest in the total and every "Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Street. Beautiful of the country of the c

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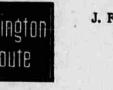
AND A POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE WORD

kills, nor commits adultery, nor steals, nor bears false witness; for these things, rightly thought out, cover a vast field of duty.

above your name and address, sending the card to me. By return mail I will send you free some interesting

If you care to ask questions they will be answered correctly, promptly, courteously.



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"3 Per Cent on Deposits"

LOWELL STATE BANK.

Heard About Town

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156. S. Baird is visiting friends in Ro-

No free photos after Jan. 10th. Mrs. T. A. Murphy. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan spent

Christmas at Portland. Born-in Lowell, Dec. 24, to Mr and Mrs. Will Malcom, a son.

Born-in Lowell, Dec. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. John Flogaus, a son. Herbert Dennis of Blanchard is vie iting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Godfrey of Caro are visiting relatives and friencs

Miss Alice Story of Holland is spend-ing the holldays with friends in this C. Wallace French of Muskegon vis-

ited his friend, Arthur Avery last Mr. aud Mrs. Jas. Muir and Miss Marion Kisor spent Christmas in

Mrs. Lula Merriman of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Compton of Shelby have been visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Avery.

Newton Warner bought afine team horses of Arthur Clark of Bowne Rev. J. H. Wesbrook and family

Mary Kerr in Vergennes.

Mrs. K. ft. Pursel of Caledonia has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss, Florence Beal. Edwin N. Gardner of Cheboygan

and Otis Seely of Belding visited Mi lo Barney Friday and Saturday.

rennes.

Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Rapids
The hardware stores will close at spent Christmas with her parents, first, until further notice, Saturday

Rollin Mack of Grand Rapids was in town Saturday on his way to Lansing to spend Christmas with his

Everett Cogswell, of Belding spent Christmas with his lather and moth-er, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Marsh are visiting at Constantine this week attending the former's sister, Miss Lorene March.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Gardner of Bar-ryton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Truman Raymond, and other

Mrs. Newell Hand is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Mary Cantrill, and sister, Mrs. J. Jasper and son Har-old from Grand Rapids.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell H. Bready

Mr. and Mrs. Geo W. Rouse held a family reunion and Christmas tree Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Thomas of Grand Rapids were present.

This is no fake. I am positively going out of business and your last chance to get one-half dozen photos free will be until Jan. 19th.

Mrs. T. A. Murphy. Messrs, and Mesdames E. Bunker of Portland, Ore., Arthur Dibble of Allegan and I. J. Batchelor of Vergennes visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G.

Twenty-two friends and neighbors met at the home of Newton Warner

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgus, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cogswell, Jas. Norton and family, Fred Kilgus, Sr., and son Chris, spent Christmas with their son and brother, Geo. Kilgus and family in their new home.

So many have been unable to take advantage of my liberal offer of one half dozen photos free, and have re-quested me to continue it longer, that I have decided to give one-half dozen photos free with every order until January 10, 1906; but the offer will postively be withdrawn at that

Wish the editor a happy New Year with a dollar on subscription. The Madame magazine and THE EDGER, both one year for \$1.50, real value \$2.00.

Mrs. Ed. Potruff of Lowell is the happy owner of that dinner set at Clyde Collar's.

Mrs. Lois Eggleston and son Willis of Ann Arbor are spending a few days with Lowell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Rathbone of Grand Rapids are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gunn. Messrs. John and Fred Riddell of Hudsonville spent Christmas with their aunt, Mrs. Phoebe Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Watters are spending the holidays with the lat-ter's parents at Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Olmstead of Denver and Mrs. Isaac Cantrell of Pontiac are visiting their niece, Mrs. Weldon Smith.

M. D. Hull of North Keene and Gilbert Hull of the Upper Peninsula vis-ited J. H. Hull one day last week.

THE LEDGER has secured a correct Rev. J. H. Wesbrook and family pondent on the river road, District and Christmas at the home of Mrs. No. 2, Lowell. Others will be accepted in available unoccupied terri-

Miss Lucile McCune of Manistique, a student at Albion college, is the guest of Misses Emma and Ethel

Dr. and Mrs. O. C. McDannell and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sinciair and Milo Barney spent Christmas day with Christmas day at the home of F. E. J. Batchelor and family in Ver-Brown in Grand Rapids.

ter, Mrs. D. G. Mange.

D. G. Look is handing out to his patrons as they call, his Town and Country Almanac and Handsome book of Valuable Information, for 1906, which is all its name implies. The Farm and Fireside, a twice a-month paper, and The Lowell Led-ger, both one year for \$1.15, to sub-

cribers paying one year in advance. Misses Jessie and Ina O'Harrow and Misses Ola and Ida Remington of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Harrow in South Lowell yes-

The members of the Methodist church presented E. R. Collar with a handsome Morris chair as an express-ion of their appreciation of his faith-

are attending the funeral of the lat-ter's mother, Mrs. E. A. Richards, in Grand Rapids this afternoon, the services being conducted by Mr. Bready

Janitor Townsend was agreeably surprised by a Christmas gift of a fine turkey from the teachers of the Central and East and West ward schools in appreciation of good and aithful service.

Dear reader, if you are one of our sample copy friends and "the best is not too good for you," come and join the big majority—the army of regular LEBGER readers. Come with us and we will do you good.

met at the home of Newton Warner Christmas night and were well entertained by Frank Hoover with his graphophone.

Mr. and Mrs. Boroughs of Grand Ledge and Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Rickert and daughter Marguerite of

ert and daughter Marguerite of Keene were entertained by Mrs. Newton Warner at a Christmas dinner.

Miss Winnie White, with her brother, Robt. I. White, of Coldwater, is attending the state teachers' meeting at Lansing this week. Mr. and Mrs. White are expected here for a visit the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kligus, Jr., and family. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cogswell.

Rapids were present.

The following from the Grand Rapids Will be of interest to Low-led Herald will be of intere Arbor, Mich., on January 4, 1906.

Arbor, Mich., on January 4, 1906.

The Sparta Sentinel is responsible for this: "A cigarette is a small amount of tobacco rolled up in a paper with a fire at one end and a fool at the other end. Some of the chief enjoymen s are considered to be fits, nightman, cancer of the eyelids and stomach, Joinal trouble and softening of the brain, and the result is usually a funeral procession and a family shrouded in gloom."

How, to get your Lenger free

will postively be withdrawn at that date Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Shear entertained the following party of relatives on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Flory, O. T. Hogan, wife and two daughters, A. Benson, all of Grand Rapide; R. McCaul and wife, W. Washburn, wife and baby of West Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Glascow of Logan, and Mrs. Curtis of Fenton.

I family shrouded in gloom."

How to get your Ledger free.

Bring us two new subscriptions at one dollar each for a year and we will credit you a year on your own paper. They must be bonafide new ones, aud not merely a shift of names in the same family. This is a fair and square order that will enable anyone to get The Ledger a year in payment for a little time soliciting among their friends. Do itnow.



For Reliable Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes at Lowest Prices

-Call on-

N. S. GODFREY

He sells the famous W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES for Men and Boys at \$1.75 to \$4.00 He sells the FIT-WELL Suits and Overcoats, made by Cohn, Frank & Co, of Buffalo, N. Y., from \$8.00 to \$22.00.

I wear a Fit-well overcoat and have actually worn a pair of Douglas \$4.00 shoes 22 months without a cent's worth of repair on them.

If you can guess you can purchase a new overcoat at Godfrey's for ONE-THIRD OFF within the next 10 days.

Patrick Drew of Grand Rapids are spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. LOTTERY ADVERTISING Will Drew and family.

Hundreds of subscriptions fall due with this number. Make the editor glad with a paid-in-advance sub-

Mrs. E. P. Sweet and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Howard, of Belding, vis-ited Mrs. Fred O'Harrow in South Lowell yesterday.

Pay up that long over-due sub-scription now, and start the new year square. It takes money and lots of it to run a newspaper. Your share is small; but remember there are a thousand others. Do it Now.

Proof Positive. Her-And would you be willing to

do something desperate in order to prove your love for me? Him-Sure thing. Haven't asked you to marry me?

Second Offense. Husband-I made a fool of myself again to-day.

Wife-Again? Husband-Yes; the first time was when I proposed to you.

Hit Them Both at Once.

A good instance of a double re proof occurred in a Scottish church. to the annoyance of the minister. His father always composed himself for a nap directly the sermon was well under way, so that the boy what to do in such cases, as I well under way, so that the boy it no longer one Sunday, so he stopped suddenly in his sermon and said: "John Merryweather, if you continue to act in such an unseemly manner during divine worship 1 shall tell your father. I would tell him now, but he happens to be asleep." From thatday Merryweather senior and junior were model listeners.- Dundee Advertiser.

Bread Fruit for Us?

Consul Anderson, of Hangchow thinks the pomelo or Chinese breadfruit would do well in this country. The fruit is grown in the United

States by a few persons, but not commercially. Foreigners agree in declaring that the pomelo is the finest fruit in the Far East. It combines the good points of the orange with the good points of the grape fruit. The Chinese say that a good-sized

be appreciated that such a tree is bearing a load. The fruit is more oval than round. Its color and appearance are those of the grape fruit

There are some

very desirable

articles in our

stock suitable

for returning an

unexpected pres-

ent.

Church Drawings Not Excepted.

The following correspondence is self explanatory; and we hope all our advertisers, correspondents and contributors will read it and govern themselves accordingly.

THE LOWELL LEDGER F. M. Johnson, Prop. Lowell, Mich., Dec. 20, 1905. Goodwin,

Ass't Attorney General, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C.

Your information of Dec. 18 thankfully received. I wish to inquire if the giving of prizes by merchants through the giving of tickets with through the giving of tickets with each purchase or otherwise, and the award being made by means of a drawing—if such constitutes a lottery in the estimation of the government; and if the advertising of such in a newspaper before the drawing, or announcing the result of same afterward would bar the paper containing such advertisement or announcement from the mails.

announcement from the mails.

Also I would like definitely to understand whether the drawings for proof occurred in a Scottish church | quilts and the like under church | auspices are to be regarded as lotter-inattentive during the service, greatly | ies and treated as such by the news-

well under way, so that the boy could do as he liked without parenand light on those questions will be offer fxpires Saturday,

Yours truly, F. M. JOHNSON.

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT

December 23, 1905.

Mr. F. M. Johnson, The Lowell Ledger, Lowell, Michigan.

Your communication of December 20, 1905, has been received. Both the schemes stated are held to be lotteries, and matter in any manner advertising or relating to either plan is therefore unmailable. No distinction is made, in the enforcement of the postal lottery statutes, between drawings for religious or charitable objects and those for the sole purpose

of gain. Hereafter when you have doubt as tree will ordinarily produce from to the character of an enterprise, the 600 to 700 pomeloes. When i is full details of the same should be considered that many pomeloes will submitted to your postmaster, who tion of thre run as large as seven or eight inches in diameter and even larger, it will refer the matter to this office for gain Days.

Very respectfully,
R. P. Goodwin
Assistant Attorney General
for the Post Office Department.

Christmas Gift from some unex-

If so return the favor with a suitable New Year's Greeting from our store.

We wish to thank our friends for making our first season's sale of Holiday Goods a big success, and to merit your continued patronage by selling the Best at the right price. A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all.

HENRY'S MODERN DRUG STORE

1906 Calendars and Almanaes, ask for them

The Grand Rapids Herald has set The Grand Rapids Herald has set aside four days this year as "Bargain Days" and on those days the LEDGER will take subscriptions for the Daily Herald for \$2.00 the year or for the Daily including the Sunday Herald for \$4.00 the year, each subscriber will also get free the Madame Magazine or if they do not

following a full year: The Farm and Home Sentinel. The Valley Magazine. Dignam's Magazine,

Agricultural Epitomist. Bargain Days are December 27-28 29 and 30. Remember the dates. All present subscribers to the LEDGER all who are not subscribers may also take advantage of it by a subscription of three, six or twelve months to the LEDGER on any of the Bar-

THE LEDGER will have a clubbing list this year as usual and will supply its paid in a dvance subscribers with reading matter at wholesale prices.

CLUBBING LIST FOR 1906.

The LEDGER will continue its practice of accommodating its subscribers by furnishing other publications Last Chance to Save Money on a Daily.

Remember, the Grand Rapids Herald bargain day offer as given expires Saturday, Dec. 30. All wishing to avail themselves of the offer must do so at once.

at clubbing or wholesale prices to all who pay for our paper at the same time all arrears and one year in advance. This involves much work and expense. is purely a work of accommodation, and is done in appreciation of faithful cash subsections. at clubbing or wholesale prices to all

All the magazine clubs handled by the newspaper agencies, including the Success combinations, may be ordered of us, as well as any news-paper published at marked reduc-tions from regular prices.

We will furnish THE LEDGER one year with any of the following

Poultry Success..... New York World tri weekly. Grand Rapids Press daily*..... Herald daily*.... Byron's Commoner ... Michigan Farmer Betroit Journal daily Farm & Fireside (Semi-ir

Prices on the Free Press, Press

Madame Magazine

A Happy New Year To All

Edelmann & Nerreter

The New Hardware.

Ten Pages This Week.

INDEPENDENT-NOT NEUTRAL.

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LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1905

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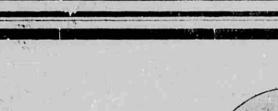
Turn Over a **New Leaf**

And along with your other good resolutions resolve to save some money this year. The best way to save is to open an account with this good strong growing bank, that will pay you 3 per cent on your money if only left 3 months and 3% per cent if left one

THE CITY BANK,

W. A. Watts, Cashier Orton Hill, President

Hill, Watts & Co. Responsibility \$150,000.00



I wish at this time to return my hearty thanks to the faithful friends and patrons who have stood by me during the changes and trials of the past; and to extend to all my best wishes for a happy and prosperous

New Year

Happy



shall continue in the future as in the past, to conduct

First Class Meat Market

in every way worthy of your patronage and good will. That you will "Keep on coming" is the hope of

A. L. WEYRICK

Everything for the New Year's dinner.

Much Obliged! AGAIN!

UR holiday trade in the new store in the Negonce block was as fine as we ever enjoyed. People came to Lowell from a distance especially to buy of us and they went away pleased and convinced that the people of this vicinity have no occasion to go to the city store to buy goods in our line. We thank our friends and patrons every one for past favors and beg a continuance of the same. You'll always find in our store the best in

> Watches, Clocks, Jewelry Silverware, Cut Glass, Fine China and Dinner Ware

and kindred lines at reasonable prices. Wishing you a Happy New Year. Yours sincerely,

A. D. OLIVER

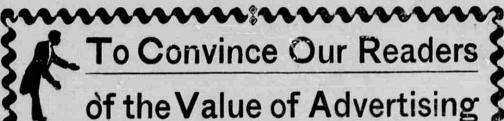
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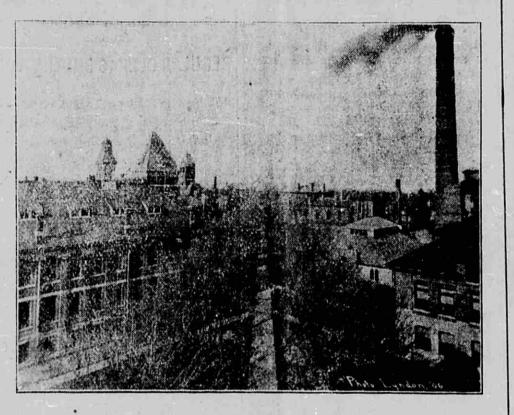
Call on...

Earl Hunter...





THE LEDGER will, commencing June 1, 1905, and continuing one year, issue to every person paying \$1.00 on 'subscription a card good for \$1.00 in advertising in our exchange Department.



Winter view from the southeast corner of Campus along the diagonal walk University of Michigan-a familiar scene to Lowell students at Ann Arbor.

A REAR END COLLISION MATRIMONIAL MATTERS

Yards in Lowell.

Offered in Next Number of Lecture Course Next Thursday.

tickets, matinee free to those purchasing season tickets from this date.
Season tickets are on sale at the State Bank, Smith's shoe store and oon's clothing store.

WORKING ON ELECTRIC

Railroad at Saranac. Money Paid for Right of Way.

the G. R. & I. electric railroad; and wife.

but men are being hired right and left and the point of a spade Tuesday afternoon sunk deep into the right of way. Yes, ground has been broken and the chief man of the construction gangs J. H. Redford, of Toron to Ontario has rented a house at

to, Ontario, has rented a house at Saranac where with his family he will reside during the period of work. Mrs. Redford has arrived. Joseph Taylor, of Owosso, foreman of the gang is also on hand.

L. C. David, living north of Saranac received \$150 that morning in

payment for the right of way over his land. H. T. Johnson has the honor of acknowledging the first deed given for a right of way on the now famous Grand Rapids and Ionia trolley road. Mr. David's land lies on the Belding branch.

Mr. Redford will hire men at once and make up three gangs which will

and make up three gangs which will set to work three directions from

The claim is made that no franchise has been forfeited. They were granted on condition that ground has been forfeited. They were granted on condition that ground was to be broken on a certain date and this, it is said, has been done. One man worked a part of one day last summer on the land of C. R. Shaefer, east of Saranac, where the right of way had been obtained and right of way had been obtained and this makes all franchises good.

This morning two men are engaged in cutting the brush along the was being done on the new road and every one in the village was thoroughly elated over the fact. In view of the looks-like-a-go turn affairs have taken the little town of Saranac is standing.

complete.
Four of the large scrapers which were at work on the Cleveland street other members of their families are road, have gone to Saranac to grade expected to do so. on the electric roadbed. Keene has furnished a large number of teams and men.

MARRIAGE LICENCES.

Leone Alexander, Lowell; Myrtle A. Potter, Boston township. Floyd W. Tapley, Boston; Anna Fleming, Boston.

Post cards-The Ledger.

Of Freight Trains in Pere Marquette Engle-Lillie Wedding in This Village Last Evening:

A through freight train from Sag- A quiet wedding occurred last eve-inaw collided with the rear end of an ining at seven o'clock at the home of extra near the Pere Marquette station Saturday morning at seven-fifteen derailing engine No. 333 and breaking up the caboose of the extra. The engine was a heavy one, and the clearing of the track caused some delay, as it was necessary to obtain a wrecker from Ionia for the purpose. Luckily, no one was hurt.

In the staturday morning at seven o clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lillie in this village, when their daughter, Miss Jennie B. Lillie, was married to Eugène J. Engle, also of Lowell. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Wesbrook in the presence of the families of the bride and groom and a few relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McNaughton of Middle-ville being the only outside guests. ville being the only outside guests. The couple will make their home in A DOUBLE ATTRACTION The couple this village.

Peckham-Hunt. Former Lowell Residents Married in California.

A. H. Peckham, senior stockholder The second number of the Lecture of the Lowell Cutter company and Course which comes Jan. 4th is a double attraction. The Passion of Lowell, married Mrs. Statira Play in the evening and Hiawatha as a special attraction for a matinee. The matinees will begin at 2.30, p. m. As this is a special attraction, all ticket holders will be admitted for 10c general admission 15c. Reserved seats for both matinee and evening will be on sale at Smith's shoe store Saturday.

The Committee having decided to make this a banner year for the lecture course make as an offer to all who have not purchased season tickets, matinee free to those pur-

Greenville Man Has "Everything to Do With" But a Wife.

Girls here is your chance. Snap it up. You may never have another. Greenville, Mich., Dec. 26, 1905.

Edator:

The Saranac papers confirm the report in The Ledger last week miles North of Greenville & wish to that work had actually began on advertise through your Paper for a

the Ionia Sentinel has this:
Shovels and picks and other paraphernalia for distrubing the soil along the route of the new electric railway have been unloaded at Saranac. Not only are the tools on hand but men are being bired right and

Greenville, Mich R. F. D. No. 1.

The Ledger will supply the name to interested persons. It has been withheld here for fear the advertiser would be flooded with applications.

Churches and **Societies**

CATHOLIC.

There will be mass at St. Mary's church in Lowell on New Year's morning at nine o'clock standard, instead of at the usual hour.

METHODIST.

SOCIETIES.

Central W. C. T. U. will be at the home of Mrs. Newell Hand Jan. 2.

Saranac is standing on the corners and talking it over with itself in proud tones.

meet at the lodge rooms Sunday evening at 6 o'clock to attend services at the Methodist church in accept-The work will take two years to ance of the pastor's invitation. Hustomplete.

Four of the large scrapers which vited and those wishing to bring

CONGREGATIONAL.

Subject for Sunday morning: "New Year's resolutions." Evening subject: "The New Year." Sunday school at twelve, Christian Endeavor

The Grand Rapids Daily Post and LEDGER both one year only \$2.15 to subscribers paying one year in

Where Cwo Years Meet

A Word of Appreciation

At the beginning of the new year we desire to thank our customers for the trade and good will extended us during the past twelve months.

The year 1905 was one of the most satisfactory we have ever had, both in amount of business done and in the pleasant relations existing between ourselves and our customers.

We endeavor to so conduct our business that each customer will be a satisfied and loyal one and the past year has produced abundant evidence that we enjoy the confidence and good will of our trade.

We trust we may merit a continuance of these favors, for we shall in the coming year, as in the past one, make every effort to conduct a drug store that shall appeal to careful buyers; a store where everything in drugs and sundries may be had with utmost confidence in their quality and with the assurance of the most reasonable prices. Again acknowledging our appreication, we extend to all our friends best wishes for a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

D. G. LOOK

Drugs, Books, Wall Paper

At the...

Lowell Music Store

you will always get low prices on Musical instruments of all kinds,

Pianos, Organs, Violins, Banjos and Mandolins Victor Talking Machines and Edison Phonographs and Records

> With all the paraphernalia that goes with each. Also always a good supply of up-to-date sheet music, vocal and instrumental. Glad to have you call whether you buy or not.

> > R. D. Stocking.

"A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all"

Eat POTATO BREAD and you will surely be happy.

SMITH'S BAKERY

Another Part of a Car Load of

Base Burners



Just received. No other stove gives the same satisfaction and fills the house with like warmth from an equal amount of See them coal-

SCOTT & WINEGAR'S.

a new poet laureate. Sir Alfred Charles Harmsworth's peerage entitles him to rank as Lord

of Thirty-one Newspapers. Ever since the pencil sharpener was

invented women have felt that they could get along without men.

great trials, but it takes a genius of

an appealing "Don't you think so?" at Gen. Shafter." The extraordinary

The Kansas City judge who decided fhat silk skirts are not-a necessary of

slap at Osler!

Yes, Gentle Annie, it is safe to mar. their house the morning of the tragedy

wicz would devote less attention to took her view of the case. Napoleon triology instead.

The rich farmer who is using his

writer of sporting gossip. This is also

"One can buy a modest little even- without being able to see it on account tion with local bond issues might not tween Rev. Mr. Whispers and Mrs. Tell er, has been expelled from the Michiing hat for \$50," says a fashion writer.

Maybe so, but if it's the one who sends her bills to us she is electioneering is out in the country, where there are for a jolt.-Chicago Journal.

New Jersey comes to the front with

After reading that eight titled Eng- ed in the village lockup. 11sh hunters killed 3,300 pheasants in three days, the American live-pigeon jail building burned and Groveburg all of Ohio, were each fined \$60 and the work done by the regular which he is said to have paid \$1,600. In the latter made no complaint, shooter must feel that an apology is was cremated, the remains being hard- costs for violating the game laws. Dedue for some of the things said about ly recognizable when taken from the fendants came from Obio during the and dignified with long, continuous get on the trail of the plaintiff and a collar for several days, but Presi-

on eyeglasses it will be an easy mat-

Uncle Russell Sage may not be so watch. great a financier as J. Pierpont Mor. After being dead apparently for gan, but he would like it noticed that three days, placed in a coffin and for working a confidence game on O. of their predecessors. nobody ever sold him an imposing col-

lection of liabilities in the guise of a to be in a trance and revived. zailroad system. If English reporters were as enterprising as their American confreres they would have informed the world they would have informed the world they would have informed the Princess Ena the four ships accompanying and the four

before now whether the Princess Ena strung out in tandem fashion, will extend considerably over a mile.

Strung out in tandem fashion, will extend one of his horses died of fright. The farmer wants pay for his horse.

The farmer wants pay for his horse. One bold young reporter in New ized in Wakefield, to build a saw mill Townsend to introduce a bill to relieve

York had the audacity to ask Sarah

Bernhardt if it were really true that

Mrs. Nettie Bartlett, of Grand Rapment of \$40,000 interest claimed to be

Wreath of Heily Placed on His Head

Mrs. Nettie Bartlett, of Grand Rapment of \$40,000 interest claimed to be

No. Artists' Model

Wreath of Heily Placed on His Head

Albany, N. Y., special: Decision was she is of German birth instead of ids, has brought suit for divorce, aldue the federal government on funds French. And the goddess was so over- leging that she fears her husband's remaining in the hands of the state New York dispatch: "Mark Twain" Rushville, Ind., dispatch: After de application by William and Alfred Vancome that M. Meyer had to answer for mind is unbalanced by reading action of the Society of Illusting for three and one-half hours derbit. Chauncey Depew and others

STEALS POISON AND SUICIDES.

MRS. SWITZER ACQUITTED OF HER HUSBAND IS ELATED.

EIGHT MINERS CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER FALLING EARTH AT NEWPORT MINE.

Suicide's Career of Crime.

Clarence Weatherby, of Muskegon, aged 19 years, poisoned himself Friday morning at the Detroit house of correction. When the "sick call" was made Friday morning, Weatherby answered with several others. They miles long. marched into the infirmary, Evidently Word reached Kalamazoo of the Weatherby was familiar with the de- tragic death of Charles Eames at St. facts which the governor has laid becharming woman can use to a man is chest, quickly selected a bottle of member of the family whom sudden they have been defrauding the state. strychnine and secreted it under his death has reached. plouse. Weatherby was received at the Gov. Warner has not granted a par- approximately \$321,000.

Some man has just "thrown a rock house of correction from Lansing, De- don during his first year of office. One With consciences quickened by the cember 17, sentenced to serve sixty- hundred pardons have been granted in threat of prosecution some already five days for larceny. Though he was the last six years, 57 of them being have come to look at the law as the thing about it is that he missed him. only 19 years of age, he already had by Pingree in 1901. been an inmate of the place, having Getting up in the middle of a winter served ninety days last summer on a drove directly in the way of a backing official now holding office who is Cook Corey, wife of the notincation of the nominations of the nomination of the nominations of the nominations of the nomination of the nominat

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causes of his downfall.

Mrs. Switzer Elated. life should have consulted some marlife should

the stores, buying goods and paying the young couple. bills, Mrs. Switzer was tried for the How homelike and familiar that alleged murder of Dr. John Switzer at approved the articles of incorporation and \$536 interest, representing the rey, father of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. The bill approved the articles of incorporation and some sense of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. The bill approved the articles of incorporation and some sense of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. The bill approved the articles of incorporation and some sense of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. The bill approved the articles of incorporation and some sense of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. The bill approved the articles of incorporation are sense of the steel trust chief, tificate finally being accepted. closing sentence of Capt. Amundsen's Leaton, September 19 last. The couple of a new state bank to be established money taken while he was state treas- who was empowered to make her the council City and Solomon River Bailmessage to Nansen: "Wire me \$500 as had quarreled. Mrs. Switzer, it was at Oxford under the name of the Farm- urer. claimed, was jealous of his alleged at- ers' State Bank of Oxford with a capitentions to other women, She had left talization of \$20,000.

ry on \$1,000 a year; that is, it is just and he had followed her. A struggle

Russian politics and hurry up with his In the studies they are betting that Newport mine Friday eight lives were cock, as well as a number of other rela-

come back within two years and re- the 1,300-foot level at the time. Without | Because the Eaton county jail has itors who do not elect to follow the sume black and white. Why not? a second's warning 1,000 tons of rock been condemned and fearing Thomas example set by the men who have broke away overhead. There was no Jones, alleged burglar, who broke jail Girls, when he tells you your eyes time to run for safety. They were last July, would try it again, Sheriff agreed to return the money subject mailed the following signed statement railroad opposition. He quoted the are stars in the night in his life, re. caught fairly under the mass and Halliday has secured a court order to to a court decision. member that there are estimated to member of lives lost this is the worst tile.

The law which Deneen holds has been violated by every state treasure.

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The law which Deneen holds has been violated by every state treasure.

practical!

The dead body of a man hanging to the limb of a wayside tree was the submerged up to the neck.

Although he was quickly gotten out tracks of the country in one season and taken to the general hospital.

The dead body of a man hanging to the limb of a wayside tree was the ghastly discovery made in the early dawn this morning by a farmer near and taken to the general hospital.

The dead body of a man hanging to the limb of a wayside tree was the ghastly discovery made in the early dawn this morning by a farmer near and take up the principal as it may than I did of the man in the moon.

The man is supposed to the lady's whereabouts no more and take up the principal as it may than I did of the man in the moon.

Son of Banker Ousted From Michigan possible, it is not thought that he will Rapids. true of Wall street.

McCullough walked into the tank

Burned in Lockup.

structure and the origin of the fire is censes in Lenawee county.

husking bee and while operating the spent the past five years. machine husked his handsome gold

A company, to be known as the Sun- Attorney-General Bird has requested gatton. day Lake Lumber Co., has been organday Lake Lumber Co., has been organSenator Burrows and Congressman MARK TWAIN IS GIVEN CROWN HALEY GIPE AGAIN CONVICTED

counts of a recent murder, and that Senator Burrows and Congressman trators at a dinner in the rooms of the jury in the Starbuck murder case to strike certain allegations from a he may try the same thing on her. Townsend will try to induce congress Aldine association, 111 Fifth avenue. returned a verdict finding Haley Gipe suit for \$250,000 brought against them. Breaking jail is said to be the spe- to cancel the \$86,000 interest claim The feature of the evening was a guilty of manslaughter. He was im-A New York savings bank is to cialty of Marion M. Letts, the son of against Michigan by the federal auspeech by Andrew Carnegie and the mediately sentenced to Michigan City erect a new \$275,000 building, and furrespectable parents in Kent county, thorities for interest on funds held by crowning of Mr. Clemens with a prison under the indeterminate sen-

Plans and specifications have been prepared for a \$10,000 addition to the Monroe court house. Mrs. Jeremiah Sullivan was struck and instantly killed by a Grand Trunk

engine at a Lapeer street crossing.

Chauncey Hall, an employe of the

totally blind, a flying nail having in-

Grand Rapids council has passed

Mrs. M. A. Preston, the newspaper

Willie Schimmel, an 8-year-old Flint

boy, was accidentally shot in the right

shoulder Friday afternoon by an older

brother. A flesh wound six inches long

Thursday, died of her injuries.

an ordinance to compel all saloons to

merican Screen Door factory, will be i

She was 76 years old.

jured his only good eye.

Illinois Treasurers and Auditors Are Called Upon for Large Sum.

be on police beats. Eleven saloons now REGULAR CLERKS DID THE WORK

writer of Charlotte, who was struck But Men in Charge Took Extras From by an auto at San Diego, Cal., last | Municipalities and School Districts Under Law Providing for the Issuance of Bonds.

1 - No. Chicago dispatch: Gov. Charles S. Deneen, by promise of active prosecu-Saginaw, Muskegon and Grand Rapids refunding of public money alleged to

capitalists, has purchased the largest have been taken illegally by state For thirty years, according to the They have been called on to refund | Gives Assurances That He Has Brok- until to-morrow.

governor sees it. Among them is State

George L. Atkins, of Prescott, killed the last thirty years. the largest bear seen in that section Suit was started Wednesday in ger, his father, assured her that he agreed to the conference report on the

Mrs. Margaret Switzer went about Mt. shots were necessary to dispatch it. Wulff, who could not be brought to see which his son Allan shall be his sole from the ways and means committee the Pleasant free, and in a state of elation. Albert Neal, aged 19, was found guil- the correctness of the governor's inter- heir. Cato learned Greek at 80, and now She had kisses and embraces for the ty of non-support. His wife was form- pretation of the law. The amount of Mrs. Corey has accepted this, ac- Jan. 4. At 4:55 o'clock the House adpeople who congratulated her on her erly Miss Frances Conger, and both the suit against Wulff is \$33,000.

| Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Cording to some of her close friends. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$33,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$30,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$30,000. | Description of the suit against Wulff is \$30,000. | Description of the suit a

acquittal, and she further celebrated resided at Akron, Tuscola county. A the happy event by making a round of family row broke out and estranged resided at Akron, Tuscola county. A Fred A. Busse, appointed Chicago The offer was made at the Union de A postmaster recently, refunded to the pot here when she alighted from the John M. Gearin, the newly elected senator Banking Commissioner Moore has state Wednesday \$8,759 in principal train. She was met by Alfred A. Co- from Oregon, occupied the brief open train. She was met by Alfred A. Co- session of the Senate to-day his cer-Test Case Is Planned.

Elsie Brown, a pretty 12-year-old holders and ex-office holders was suburban train. took place in the roadway, and the doc- girl, whose family removed from Men- held. Those present were Auditor Mcas safe as it is to marry on any other tor fell, mortally wounded, a revolver tor fell, mortally wounded, a revolver ago, has been sent to the reform school and the following former tree ago, has been sent to the reform school and the following former tree ago, has been sent to the resemble to Tacoma, Wash., some time Cullough and former Auditor Needles, ago, has been sent to the reform school and the following former tree ago, has been sent to the resemble in his wife's hand having been disin his wife's hand having been charged, Mrs. Switzer claimed that the charged Mrs. Switzer claimed that the marry 14-year-old George Bonnell.

John C. Smith, J. Mack Tanner, for up the railroad tracks with her son House adjourned until Jan. 4, 1906. Mr. Ryan acted like a bachelor. A charged, Mrs. Switzer claimed that the shooting was accidental, as it occurred H. W. Loomis of Geneva N. Y. came H. W. Loomis of Geneva N. Y. Mr. Ryan acted like a bachelor. A shooting was accidental, as it occurred bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor, you know, is a man who in the struggle for possession of the bachelor. does not have to answer questions he revolver. She had no designs against to Ionia to fight for a settlement with Gross. Each of them agreed to desaid, but was in terror of him, as he title to three-quarters of an acre of posit with the state treasurer a certi-

the life or welfare of her husband, she the Pere Marquette railroad for the Personally, we wish Henry Sienkevicz would devote less attention to Kidnaped from his home in small condition that in the event the case is indicated by the arrival of a trunk general topics continued for five Canadian village 28 years ago, Rudolph is finally determined adversely to the full of Christmas presents sent by Chartrand, a former resident of De. state the money should be returned Corey in New York to his wife here. were the principal topics. Mr. Gilles-By an extensive fall of rock in the troit, has located his father in Han- to them by the state treasurer. Artist Charles Dana Gibson will crushed out. The men were at work on tives. His mother died at his birth.

been violated by every state treasur- lished my offer of \$100,000 to furnish said he believed this change allowing accident that has ever happened in a Suit will be commenced on behalf of er and state auditor since 1877 was copies of letters I had between Messrs. a maximum rate only would afford no mine on the Gogebic range, with one the Saginaw west side school district passed by the legislature that year, Schwab, Andrew Carnegie, W. E. Corremedy for unjust rates. Mr. Macon against the coal companies which are and in providing for the issuance of ey and myself. But last evening the declared that much good would some automobile "to pump water and run his corn sheller," may not have a his corn sheller," may not have a claim.

Fatally Scalded.

Robert McCullough, chief engineer under authority of the council, they ies, stipulated that the bonds could interported with the state authority of the council, they ies, stipulated that the bonds could ies, stipulated that the bonds could interport interpo undermining the streets, public build-bonds by municipalities, school dis-reporters started in on me again, out of the New York insurance inves-

and taken to the general hospital, St. Johns. The man is supposed to and take up the principal as it math than I did of the man in the moon. where he is getting the best of care have been George Antonius, of Grand tured. Treasurers Pocket Extras.

four children, who will be orphaned in mately to Elkhart, Ind., will be pushed the bonds, the law provided that the year-old man from being awakened out with the initial letters of a fraternity

Louis Roman, aged 54, of Bay City, additional amount to pay for the cler- Millionaire Compromises.

ruins. The lockup was a small frame deer season and secured resident li- observance. It became the proper they found evidence which, it is dent Wheeler of the academy took the

Frank Jenks, trapper and scout, who regarded as a part of the legitimate tional trial in Pittsburg's history if Cates. Cates asserts that half a doz-Boston spends \$6,500,000 yearly Groveburg was a stranger and noth- for years made his home at Cass Lake perquisites of the office, sweiling the for baked beans, and if some statising was known of him but that his and who is as well known there as the modest \$3,500 salary which the law is officially stated that there will be will refuse to return until he is reinfrom Luce county, where he has hometer to compute how much is left for Frank Lewis, of Pontiac, went to a steaded 160 acres and where he has Politics cut a figure of no importance whatever in the allegiance of After Clarence Weatherby, of Mus. the state officials to the profitable SECURES DREYER'S PRISON JOB United States Credited With Intention

kegon, had been sentenced to the De practice. Republicans and Demotroit house of correction for 65 days crats alike followed in the footsteps Defaulter Dougherty Put in Charge of San Francisco, Cal., dispatch: A rethree days, placed in a command about to be buried. Viola Anderson, aged 17, of Elizabeth, N. J., was found to be in a trance and revived.

Warnings have been sent out by the Warnings have been sent out by the Cullough had appropriated to his own The state military board has a common to be buried. Viola Anderson, aged 17, of Elizabeth, N. J., was found to be in a trance and revived.

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A discharged employe came to Gov. Deneen in the latter part of last September and stated that Auditor McDougherty, the Peoria, Ill., defaulter, has been given the job formerly held by Edward S. Drever in the record room to be the purpose of this government.

erect a new \$275,000 building, and furnish homes for its unmarried employes under his own roof. Excuses for not being on hand at the opening of business of at Ottawa, Kas. He is said to have made five escapes from jail

Tespectable parents in Kent county, arrested at Panama for the alleged burning of a station on the Santa Fe turned over to the state. They will act at the request of Attorney-General Bird.

Columbus, O., dispatch: Mrs. Pattisten, an artists' model, who was dressed as Jeanne D'Arc, the author's buck and infant, has been twice convicted of manslaughter.

Frank Whipp, a young state employe who is wise to many things in Springfield, and who has been made Congressional the governor's confidential agent, began to dig around in the offices of the auditor and treasurer. He soon was prepared with a mass of figures which

were taken to the governor. Gov. Deneen sent for Auditor Mc-Cullough, laid the matter before him and an agreement for a meeting of all persons concerned was arranged. which incorporated the senate amend-

The Hume-Bennett Co., composed of tion, has started a most extraordinary W. Ellis Corev. Steel Magnate, Seeks to Reconcile His Spouse.

en With Actress Mabel Gilman and Endeavors to Induce Wife to Drop Divorce Suit.

do so, and he has, through a messenof the state in half a century. It Springfield by Attorney General Stead has broken with Male Gilman. He passed a bill for the relief of the Council

Elder Corey to Newspapers.

But I think they can find her at Mrs. Busy Body's, on the corner of News-Dr. Chas. Lards, of Adrian, has re- In order that this work in connec- mongers' Lane and Tattlers' alley, be-

auditor and treasurer might levy an of his bed at midnight." bled to death from an ulcer on his ical and other work required.

The breach of promise suit against dents were chatting he playfully Charles Groveburg, aged 51. of Sag- ankle eating into an artery. The first Since the law was passed the state Gibson D. Packer, a millionaire, instipressed the bowl of his pipe against aginaw, who has been working in the he realized of his danger was when officials unanimously have adopted tuted by Mary I. Vetter, a widow, for the neck of a student named Eckstein woods at Cornwall's Camps, came into his shoe began to fill with blood. A one practice, it is charged. They have \$100,000 will be compromised. The from Duluth, Minn. The pipe was attacked a man and bit off his nose. woods at Cornwan's Camps, came into the village Wednesday night with \$27 doctor was called, but Roman died he made the additional levy for the work, terms are said to be for \$25,000, the hotter than he realized and the frafore he arrived.

Frank A. Wheeler, Lawrence Fishhad the work done by the regular

The Depris and L. H. Clandening and the work done by the regular term and the engagement ring, for on the bowl were burned in Eckstein's thing. The money thus raised was claimed, would cause the most sensal affair more seriously and expelled was agreed to at a meeting between

the Starbuck Murder.

emarks. A plea against the destruction of the old frigate Constitution was made by Mr. Sulzer (N. Y.). When the conference committee reported on the canal ap-The most effective argument a partment, as he sided up to a medicine Louis on Sunday. He is the fourth fore these former officials of the state, SON TO BE MADE SOLE HEIR propriation bill Mr. Williams, the minority leader, objected to action on it until to-morrow, and the report went over a day. At 4:55 p. m. the house adjourned

tion by Messrs, Foraker and Culberson. Samuel Reeves, of Constantine, Auditor James S. McCullough, the one Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 23.—Mrs. Laura calling on the President for the return night to run ninety miles might not seem such great sport to some people.

Nothing but pity is felt in Muskegon for the mother. From early youth weatherby had caused his mother and who is great sport to some people.

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Nothing but pity is felt in Muskegon for the mother. From early youth weatherby had caused his mother and who is among the delinquents, State Treasurger among those decided to abandon her intention of applying for divorce from her husbate to-day, and it is understood that the bate to-day, and it is understood that the John Bartlett, compiler of the well-known "Familiar Quotations," is dead. "After life's fitful fever, he sleeps well."

Weatherby had caused his mother and relatives much trouble. The boy's father discussion of the president's message, which has been in progress that has been aftered the properties of the well-discussion of the president's message, which has been in progress that been offered \$1,000,000 as a room frequenting are said to be southern members, who indored the general department of the bate to-day, and it is understood that the discussion of the President's message, which has been in progress that been offered \$1,000,000 as a room frequenting are said to be southern members, who indored the general department of the president's message, which has been in progress that the last thirty years.

> above offer. She accepted, and then road of Alaska to complete its line was had her trunks directed to the elder passed. At 12:36 p. m. the Senate went into executive session, and at 1:10 p. m. Last Saturday a meeting of office Corey's home and went with him on a adjourned until Jan. 4, 1906.
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> The House was in session only ten

> > rive for a reunion under the parental rate situation. This word, he said, was the only change the president had

> > J. B. Corey, uncle of the magnate which a great calm had come over the to the Pittsburg newspapers: "I president of the Pennsylvania road as

MAY PURCHASE TAHITI ISLAND

Proceedings

Tuesday, December 19, 1905. This meeting resulted in the deposit ment as article 1, making the canal bonds of certified checks with the state available as a basis of national bank cirulation. There was a brief discussion of the restoration of this provision and of the attitude of the house in resentire; the senate's action, in which speeches were made by Messrs, Spooner, Aldrich and the senate had not exceeded its preroganois, \$25,000 being appropriated. At 3.40 The house to-day continued debating opies of local or national interest, under he guise of referring the message of the president to committees. Federal control of insurance was the main feature in the

Wednesday, December 20, 1905. The only notable feature of the open session of the Senate to-day was a

brief discussion of railroad rate legisla-

Thursday, December 21, 1905.

Washington dispatch: The house hours. Rate regulation and insurance

made in his recommendation, since

that the matter was a joke and ex-

position from foreign powers.

was forced to go to bed in a hotel.

casses, 15@16c per lb.
Apples—Jonathans, \$3.50@5 per brl;
Greenings, \$4@4.25 per brl; Baldwin, \$3.75;
@4 per brl; Ben Davis, \$3@3.25 per brl;
Bellflower, \$4@4.50 per brl.
Cranberries—Cape Cod Howes, \$11@12;
McFarlane, \$11@12; Bell and Bugle, \$12.50; Centennial, \$11.50@12; Fenwick, \$14@15; Jeresy's late reds, \$11@12; boxes, but \$3.25@2.50 GIVE THANKS! GIVE THANKS! FOR IT BRINGS GOOD CHEER; FROM THE LAND OF THE HO-LY LIGHT GIVE THANKS! GIVE THANKS! LET EVERY HEART RING WITH SONGS OF THE YEAR SOME BY sack; carrots, home-grown, 65@75c per sack; cabbage, \$1.40@1.75 per bri; celery, 50c@\$1.25 per box; cucumbers, \$1@1.50 per doz; radishes, hothouse, 25@50c per doz; spingel, 75c per bri; celery.

A peculiar provision in the articles 30@40c per case; potatoes, car lots on track, 52@59c per bu; turnips, 75c per sack; string beans, \$1.50@3.50 per hamper; cauliflower, \$2.50@2.75 per crate; onions, 50c per bu; kohlrabi, \$1.25@2.50 serve the birthday of Abraham Lir common to choice, \$50@85 per ton; hurl, common to choice, \$50@90 per ton; dwarf. REJOICE! OF THE NEW YEAR'S BIRTH, REJOICE, IT IS NEW YEARS DAY REJOICE! OF WORRY BE FREE REJOICE, IT IS THE YEARS DAY

Rejoice! It is New Year's Day!

WRITTEN AND COMPOSED DY GEORGE SEYMOUR

-New York Press. Thousands of Centuries Re-Echo in the Blowing of Horns To-Day

who in one voice indulge a celebration | Christian new year?

(shophar) proclaimed from Mount trumpet.

Sinai the giving of the Ten Command- Therein the people are commanded ments to the end of time. The first mention of it is in the Old to hold "an holy convocation," to do conflicts of later centuries, sans ma-Testament at the giving of the law: no servile work, it being "a day of And all the people saw the thunderings. blowing of trumpets unto you"-a As the sound of the horn signaled the giving of the law which was to moral and spiritual obligations along the ages, the multitude bowed with

feelings of awe and humility. The sounds were new to the ears unto Moses, "Speak thou with us, and we and victory and holy festival influ-

the horn. So, from the very first in- event?

bled and steed afar off when Moses respectively, to the sovereignty, jusbade them to fear not; that God had tice and mercy of God, and as each worship the Lord in the hely mount come to prove them and that his fear part is concluded the shophar is might be before their faces that they sounded from the pulpit. The sounding of the horn on an oc- claims God the universal king. casion so prolific with divinely poten. The second part, "Zichronoth," cm-

They were also heard in times of of the scriptural shophar, and espe- one denomination to voice the anniextreme jubilation and in the temples cially as it is connected with the givof the Jews on their days of rejoicing ing of the law on Mount Sinai, when By that same people its sound is re-

And even in this age of "advanced sages from the Talmund, by the Rev. promise of amendment. thought," the Jew, following commandment and the voice of tradition 1897 (5657 Jewish year), the follow- of the shophar, even at this period, madian border on Christmas eve. assembles in his temple to hear the ing occurs: sound from the shophar. What effect must such tones issuing At every sound cur bosom swells:

Blowing of horns on occasions of | But is this description not exactly | When God, creating out of nought, joy and festivity has grown to be an and strangely in accord with the tones This world into existence broughtestablished institution in the United from the modern horn, the horn with And framed by His Almighty handticed is strictly in musical accord with woman and girl, of this period give Whose every part, below, above, the harmonious feelings of a people vent to their joy at the birth of the The impress hears of gracious love.

which affects all alike is another mat- Try as you will, you can get noth- Thus, from its first mention up to While the custom of horn blowing lous tone from the tin instrument and been given the most profound and is growing, few of the old heads stop like the ancient shophar, its tones are grave consideration. to think of its origin, and the youth- unmusical, having neither range or Besides the sounding of the horn in ful celebrant little dreams that it is compass. If needed for such a pur- the hour of religious and joyous festisounds which escape neither nock nor summit of Twin Peaks would summon war to summon and assemble the corner, loft nor cellar, are the echoes a multitude that would comport itself army, and in this respect it is first vince. re-echced from thousands of centuries according to the import of the occas- mentioned in Judges, iii:27:

indulged without the slightest religious

Who will say that there is no feeling anything could be more effective on a The fear then in the hearts of the of thankfulness in the hearts of the modern battlefield than the slaying of multitude was significant. They real- nation when, with horn a-blowing 10,000 valiant men, as was done by the ized the import of the occasion, which and flags waving, it gives vent to tis israelites who answered the shophar's had been signaled by the blasts of joy over victory or any great national call to arms. troduction of the instrument its | The ancient New Year's service, ob-How well one can picture the scene impressive in the Jewish liturgy. It is

The first part, "Malchioth," prostrument into use and prominence work of the world and visits all creat- earliest period.

its tones were first heard, and also sorted to as an alarm or warning of In Leviticus, xxv: 9, is found the with reference to the time when the following:

Its tones were his tender to as an anomal of the approach of the day of atonement the approach of the day of atonement and that they should review the action of the following the steamboat John W. Thomas and that they should review the action of the following the steamboat John W. Thomas are the steamboat John W. Thomas are blown against the dock at Tell ized Receiver Wheeler of the German the seventh month, in the day of atonement shall ye make the trumpet sound throughout all your land.

The seventh month, in the day of atonement shall ye make the trumpet sound throughout all your land.

City, Ind., by a high wind and sank.

The police at Sault Ste. Marie, offer as the Assets Realization com-

The last part, "Shopheroth," speaks

ing but a piercing, sheill or inharmon- the present period, has the shophar Null, August last, returned a verdict of not guilty. all tradition; that in those reveling pose, however, its blasts from the val it was brought into use in time of German names as a further step to pute over a tree near Paducah, Ky.

And it came to pass, when he was come. Northern Presbyterian and the Cum- tralia, was wrecked Nov. 8 on Pa world's spiritual and material history In Numbers, chapter xxxix: 1, we of Ephraim, and the children of Israel berland Presbyterian churches to ar- merston island. Polynesia. All when the blasts from the ram's horn find an injunction as to the use of the went down with him from the mount, range the details for the union of board were saved. of 10,000 lusty men and the downfall St. Louis Dec. 28.

Here is demonstrated the giving up from its initial requirements, when it Line Railroad company. gogues to this day on a like festival. and lightning and darkness which of the penitentiary at Columbus, O., Washington. The skeptic may say that to-day's after prevailed and filled the assem- and one of them, W. H. Moorehoad, outpourings of joy lack thought, are bled multitude with awe and fear. received fatal wounds. After all, in comparing the past President Faulkner, in a letter is sentiment, have no relationship with with the present there seems but the sued at Cleveland, urges the members of the people who listened to their the very same movements and same difference in the manufacture, design of the Amalgamated Window Glass echoes along the mountain, wondering trumpetings that characterized the and manipulation of material and the Workers of America to accept a reducday when the law was given from advantages in these times of having tion of wages in order to meet the And when the people saw it, they re- Mount Sinai, those periods when joy more powerful and more scientific im- competition of machine-made goods. unto Moses. "Speak thou with us, and we will hear; but let not God speak with us, lest we die."

and victory and noty restival innuenced the early peoples of the earth.

foe Indeed, it is doubtful whether

chinery of modern warfare.

The shophar has been utilized i sounds have generally had a signifi- served in the synagogues even at this war, for it is told in Isaiah xxvii:13: the hands of the receivers. Dr. W. S. mills agree to curtain the shingle outat Mount Sinai when the people trem-

sas City Coal and Coke company. phar should announce the recall of the importation and slaughtering of hogs state bank examiner testified that the people from exile. Therefore it is in bond from the United States will go company did not have a dollar of seen how, stride by stride, the sho into effect Jan. 1. The purpose of it assets so far as he could learn, altial incidents naturally brought the in- phasizes that God remembers the and favor and need in the world's case. phar, the horn or trumpet grew in use is to prevent the importation of dist though it professed to have a surplus

is to emphasize to the Jewish com-

meeting in Washington of the direc-Harvard college will receive a leg- tors of the greater museums of Ameracy of \$50,000 for its medical school ica called to take the preliminary under the will of Dr. George S. Hyde, steps toward forming the Museum As-The jury at Kingman, Kan., in the sociation of America, which, it is excase of Mrs. Rosa Null, charged with pected, will be completed at another he murder of her husband, Harvey meeting to be held in New York May

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Produce.

itock. 15½@1½c; storage, 22@22½c. Eggs—Fresh stock at mark, new ca included, 18½@22¼c; cases returned, 1 22c; firsts, 20c; prime firsts, packed

ade, 27c; storage, 18½c. Cheese—Full cream, daisies, 13c; twins

11½@11¼c; young Americas, 13c; long horns, 12¾@13c; Swiss, block, 12½@

12%c; drum, 13%c; limburger, choice, 116 11%c; off grades, 6@8c; brick, 12@12%

Grain Quotations.

New York—No. 2 red, 9478c. Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, 8614c. St. Louis—No. 2 red, 92c.

Duluth—No. 1 northern, 86c. Kansas City—No. 2 hard, 82½c. Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 87½c. Toledo—No. 2 red, 92½c. CORN.

Liverpool—American mixed, 5s 9½d, New York—No. 2, 58½c. Peoria—No. 3, 46½c. St. Louis—No. 2, 47¼c. Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 46¾c.

Chicago—Standard, 31@32c, New York—Mixed, 37@37½c, St. Louis—No. 2, 31½c, Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 30%c, Milwaukee—Standard, 32c,

Live Stock

Chicago-No. 2 red. 871/2c.

Chicago-No. 2, 49@50c.

Chicago—\$1.50@6.65. Omaha—\$1.75@5.75. Kansas City—\$2@6.25.

Yew York-\$1.50@6.50

Chicago - \$4,45@5.07%

ansas City-\$4.25@7.50.

Butter—Extra creamery, 25½c; 6½c; firsts, 19@21c; seconds, enovated, 19@19½c; dairies, 90c; firsts, 18c; ladles, 16½@17c;

A royal decree was published at Ber. farmer, was shot through the heart in changing the names of ninety, and killed by Mrs. Ella Gholson, a ward the Germanization of the pro- Advices from Auckland, N. Z., say

Subsequent verses relate the defeat these two church bodies will meet in Hugh Watt, the former member of on the first day of the seventh month of Moab, much resembling the bloody Judge La Lontaine, extradition com- inciting hired agents to murder his missioner at Montreal, committed J. divorced wife, Julia Watt, and Sir N. Strobhar for extradition to the Reginald Beauchamp, was sentenced | Money back if it fails. Trial Bottles free. And here we find the horn brought state of Georgia on a charge of steal- to five years' penal servitude. into military use, which is a long step ing money from the Atlantic Coast John H. Gearin of Oregon, who has

of all labor and indulging the tones of served to bring the people together to Five guards battled with Butler senate to fill the vacancy caused by the shophar as heard in the syna- hear the law read amid the thundering Styles, a prisoner who was in the yard the death of Senator Mitchell, reached Gov.-Elect John M. Pattison of Ohio has appointed State Senator Louis B. Houck of Mount Verbon secretary to

> neers, U. S. A., has been selected to donor was withheld, succeed Rear Admiral Baird as superintendent of the war, state and navy The creditors of the late C. J. Devlin mills bureau organized to inaugurate ther than times of law-giving and peka, Kan., and took the estate out of mills in Washington. The combination

> trustee to handle the affairs of the gies up to Feb. 1. Marceline Coal company, the Marce-Illine Mercantile company and the Kan-The prophet forefold that the sho- The Canadian order prohibiting the court in Jersey City. The Jersey

during special spiritual exercises and ures and that "nothing remains consettled upon as the meeting place of Charies E. Shively of Richmond, the Moroccan conference. Ind., supreme chancellor of the Mrs. Sarah Whitmire, 53 years old.

> Mich., have discovered a plot to smug- pany of Chicago for the bank's assets the assets is \$2,100,000.

Mrs. Anna Brandt, aged 69, despon- Major Montgomery M. McComb. U. What solemn thoughts each blast com- munity the conviction that the time dent and in ill health, severed the art S. A., who was attached to the Ruswill come when the shophar will and ery in her wrist and jumped off the sian army throughout the war with from a holy place have upon the hearer? They are not musical sounds.

At every sound cur bosom swells:
Our soul is stirred by every note prophet, a universal freedom when all it was announced that Dr. George

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It is due Governor Warner that he recive credit for Gazette. establishing a reform in the matter of pardoning criminals. In view of the disgraceful wholesale prison delivery that characterized the closing hours of Pingree's administration and the unsavory record of Bliss, the fact that Warner has not issued a single pardon makes him shine by contrast. THE LEDGER is not a Warner paper; but it believes in "giving the Zossen. Telegraph stations were

THE death of a daughter of a Revolutionary soldier at the age of 101 years, 122 years after the close of that war, is a reminder that people who are living in 1987 may read similar work items concerning daughters of the Civil war. As the number The experiments proved that the de chine of a regular apple green. of men engaged in the latter war was vastly greater than that stations could at any time communiin the former, such news items as the above will not be uncommon at the period named.

A FORMER governor of Wisconsin has been brought to the safeguard trains on one-track rail- "My collection! Why, it's impoorhouse by speculating in wheat—the rock upon which a multitude of fortunes have been wrecked. There's a lesson here for those who are willing to learn it. Otherwise, let will be much beyond the budget alwell be much beyond the b poorhouse by speculating in wheat—the rock upon which a ways. hard experience be their teacher; and if not taught until hope lowed each year for repairing old ty people—and I never gave a dinner has departed forever, who will be to blame? Avoid speculation signals and introducing new invento more than eight at one time in my as you would a pestilence.

THE pastor of an Episcopal church at Windsor gives his hearers to understand that he believes in church unity-provided the other churches unite with his. Exactly so. There are a whole lot of that sort of Christians in the world, built on the same plan as those David Harum tells about—"So narrer her past covered about thirty-seven that seventeen of 'em can set in a row on a buggy seat.'

THE Russian people are showing themselves utterly unfit for a free government; and the civilized world begins to think the Czar was too good for them.

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"that lock of hair I gave you just be- of arms. Underneath the coats of | Sleeplessness, Nervousness, insanely persists in talking about fore we parted?"

He scowled. "Remember it!" he cried. should say I did. Years afterwards my wife found it among my papers, and has been fussing over it ever | was started until it received its final

test in the operating room the utmost care and secrecy, were main-"I—I told her it was my only souvenir of a lamented pet dog."

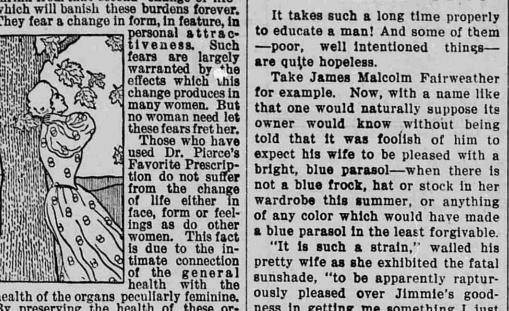
'Mercy! And what did she say?"

"She said she ad never before heard of a dog that bleached its tailed and none but the most trusted employes was allowed to do any part of the work upon it. The machine was placed in a mahogany cabinet inlaid with slik and plush in Japanese that the first package will benefit. If it falls he will return your money.

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out by the burdens of motherhood, yet shrink from that second "change of life" which will banish these burdens forever. They fear a change in form, in feature, in



The Swiftest Birds. Evidence has been collected respend the summer in central Europe he sat up nights planning how to do and winter in central Africa travel absolutely his worst the dear with the same rapidity .- Pall Mall | couldn't succeed better.

speed and warn it of impending dan- Nile green skirt, but I smiled heroi-

tions which aim to protect life and life! There are two expensive pairs

He-It is rumored that Mrs. Grass-

Neuralgia And Other

The stabbing, lacerating, there are dozens who never waste a scription at The Ledger office. darting, burning, agonizing thought over such lover like atten- FARM FOR SALE-24 mi pain that comes from the prominent nerve branches, or sensory nerves, is neuralgia, and is the "big brother" of all the

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills leave no bad after-effects, and are a reliable remedy for every kind of pain, such as headache. backache, stomachache, sciattached to the gold plated fronwork arms of the two countries in Japan- | Car-Sickness, and Distress af- | cats to her Aunt Mary when Aunt | ese characters is the date and then | ter eating.

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ffects which this Take James Malcolm Fairweather change produces in for example. Now, with a name like many women. But | that one would naturally suppose its no woman need let these fears fret her. owner would know without being Those who have told that it was foolish of him to used Dr. Pierce's expect his wife to be pleased with a bright, blue parasol—when there is the change not a blue frock, hat or stock in her life either in wardrobe this summer, or anything face, form or feel- of any color which would have made ings as do other women. This fact a blue parasol in the least forgivable.

is due to the in- "It is such a strain," wailed his timate connection of the general health with the country pleased exhibited the fatal sunshade, "to be apparently raptur-



Back from a trip.

"There was the time I was indiscreet enough to mention that I'd like a white crepe de chine waist to wear Two years ago exhaustive practi-Back from a three days' trip came James Malcolm exceedingly pleased

lighted with the atrocities! And Jim seeded, 5 acres timber. Apple means so well-bless his heart!" chard, also fine young peach orcha exasperating to see such a quantity room house well supplied with s of good intentions going to waste! and hard water. Barn and o Yet even James Malcolm Farweather's wife realizes that she is a lucky Jay J. Evans, Ada, Mich R. F. D. woman to have a husband who remembers to bring her presents, the Phone Lowell, 104-1 1.

POTATOES AND APPLI

Helen is engaged. He is entirely 13 acres Summer fallow in whea admirable and perfectly devoted, but he, too, has a talent for doing the wrong thing. If it is a fine day for a high cultivation. Fine farm res rarely ever fail to relieve these drive he asks her to go sailing and dence, basement barn and ot pains by soothing these larger nerves, and restoring their tranquility.

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India neuralgia laying up all sorts of future trouble for her on her "at home" days. He Mich. R. F. D. No. 50 28dec. Pd Mary loathes cats and has a fad for

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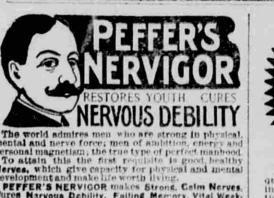
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it has proceeded to ulceration, is remarkably benefited by Hydrastis (Golden Seal root). "Golden Medical Discovery" can be relied upon to do all that is claimed for Golden Seal root in the cure of all the Dr. Grover Coe, of New York, says: various diseases as set forth in the "Hydrastis (Golden Seal root) exer- above brief extracts, for its most cises an especial influence over mu-cous surfaces. Upon the liver it acts with equal certainty and efficacy. As a cholagogue (liver invig-orator) it has few equals." Dr. Coe addition, in just the right proportion also advises it for affections of the of Queen's root, Stone root, Black spleen and other abdominal viscera Cherrybark, Bloodroot, Mandrake root generally, and for scrofulous and gland- and chemically pure glycerine. All of ular diseases, cutaneous eruptions, in- these are happily and harmoniously digestion, debility, chronic diarrhea, blended into a most perfect pharconstipation, also in several affections maceutical compound, now favorably peculiar to women, and in all chronic known throughout most of the civilized derangements of the liver; also for countries of the world. Bear in mind chronic inflammation of bladder, for that each and every ingredient entering which Dr. Coe says "it is one of the in the "Discovery" has received the endorsement of the leading medical most reliable agents of cure." Prof. Hobart A. Hare, M. D., of the University of Pa., says of Golden Seal What other medicine put up for sale catarrh of the stomach and bowels, following abuse of alcohol, and as a tonic after melevial feedball, and as a tonic after melevial feedball for sale tonic after malarial fever." He further pepsia, liver troubles, all chronic catarsays, it "has a distinct anti-malarial influence." Also "good in all catarrhal conditions, as uterine catarrh, leucorrhea, etc., and as "a curative agent in chronic dyspepsia."

chronic dyspepsia." Prof. Laurence Johnson, M. D., of below any one will readily see the the Medical Department, University applicability of the "Golden Medical City of N. Y., is equally loud in his Discovery" to the cure of all the forepraise of Golden Seal root, especially for its tonic effects in convalescence from acute diseases and its special those of the heart, kidneys, bladder, tonic influence upon mucous surfaces skin and blood.

A little book of extracts treating of Doctors Barton and Tully recom- all the several ingredients entering into mended Golden Seal root as a pure Dr. Pierce's medicines, being extracts tonic and as an alterative in dis- from standard medical works, of the eased conditions of the mucous mem- different schools of practice will be mailed free to any one asking (by postal Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cin- card or letter), for the same, addressed cinnati, author of the AMERICAN DIS- to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and PENSATORY, gives it a prominent place giving the writer's full post-office adamong medicinal agents, reiterates all dress plainly written.

the foregoing writers have said about | In cases of chronic ailments, atit, as does also Prof. John M. Scudder, tended by marked, or persistent, con-M. D., late of Cincinnati. Dr. Scud- stipation, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets ing Mrs. James Wright. der says: "It stimulates the digestive processes and increases the assimilation of food. By these means the blood is enriched, * * * * the consequent in harmony with the "Discovery," and "Disco enriched, * * * the consequent in harmony with the "Discovery," and improvement on the glandular and will be found to be a most valuable nervous systems are natural results." laxative, or, in fuller doses a cleans-Dr. Scudder further says, "in relation ing cathartic. to its general effect upon the system, Podophyllin, the active medicinal

there is no medicine in use about which principle of Mandrake root, enters there is such general unanimity of largely into the composition of the litopinion. It is universally regarded as the sugar-coated "Pellets," in fact is the tonic, useful in all debilitated one of their chief ingredients. They regulate the liver, stomach and bowels.

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Guests of Mrs. Helena White Chri

tmas day were her daughter, Mrs. !

Purdy, and husband, of Alton and

of entertaining Rev. Cavers Sunday.

Messrs, and Mesdames Denny and

Sherrard were guests of their niece,

Mrs. Walter Rogers, at Lowell Christ-

Rapids several days last week.

Scott, Saturday and Sunday.

Happy and prosperous New Year.

Saturday

Frank Jones and family spent

Rogers of Vergennes, Charles Colvin of attended last Friday.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr and Mrs. Frank Finch on December

ets and took possession. The hostess was for some time com pletely bewildered and looked from Knee in behalf of the company, and a pipe was given to Mr. Finch. In

An Emergency Medicine. For sprains, bruises, burns, scalds I similiar injuries. There is nothing good as Chamberlain's Pain i, but causes the parts to heal in usual treatment. Sold by All

SEELEY CORNERS. The Christmas exercises at the dorned the trees and tables. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Yeiter and pneumonia. ildren speut Christmas day at B. Seelev's home.

Mrs. Henry Hesche entertained her of Orin Green.

ontemplate going West in th . E. Clark and family, formerly o is place, who have been living in ergennes the past Summ r, are ex pected home this week. ell Tuesday to stay a few weeks.

VERGENNES.

lends in Grand Rapids.

Long Living.

The men of eighty-five and ninety ll, however, a man past middle age | English. ould not live to old age. For sale

BOSTON CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harker wen Chicago last week Wednesday to to the vicinity of Potter's corners in who is connected with the Weather Keene, where he has rented a farm bureau, has received another J. Parker was in Grand Rapids Cheyenne, Wyoming; but Mrs. Church Miss Effie Loucks of Keene visited Spring.

In Mad Chase.

Mrs. Emma Beckwith and son Gladys Stanton last Thursday.
Frank and Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Evans' general sale was largely Grand Rapids, Carl Colvin of Ionia Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Moon are health, from one extreme of faddism the Grangers. and Miss Edith Colvin of Middleville. spending the holidays at Benton to an other, when, if they would only Mr. and Mrs. David Garfield visited | Harbor with their daughter, Mrs. | eat good food, and keep their bowels Lura Harvey and at Kalamazoo regular with Dr. King's New Life J. Tower and wife had the pleasure with their son, Frank. A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure

the terrible torture of Piles. "I can **CLUBBING LIST FOR 1906.** truthfully sav," writes Harry Colson Mrs. Cora Davis(nee Burnett) of of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Muskegon Heights, formerly of this Bleeding, Itching and Protruding tice of accommodating its subscrib- Smyrna spent the holidays with Mr. Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the ers by furnishing other publications and Mrs. S. A. Bevier. Mrs. Moon of Keene visited Mrs. best cure made." Also best for cuts, at clubbing or wholesale prices to all Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gould spent the James Stanton one day last week. burns and injuries. 25c at D. G. who pay for our paper at the same holidays at Muskegon. George Raymond was in Grand Look's. KEENE CENTER.

Christmas in Keene with his parents, Geo. Golds and family of Lowell are Miss Flossie Powell of Chadwick Mrs. Golds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. scribers.

few days with his parents, Israel ordered of us, as well as any news-Miss Hazel McKenney is spending Cave and wife. the holidays with her parents at Geo. Barlett will work for Chas. | tions from regular prices. Davenport the next year, and will We will furnish THE LEDGER one Just Breathe Hyomei Four Times Frank Sears of Grattan visited his move his family to the house known | year with any of the following grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry as the Ephram Abbott house. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson and both papers. The Ledger and-

Ervin Parker of Grand Rapids was Geo. Golds and family of Lowell spent | Grand Rapids Post, daily\$2 here from Saturday until Monday Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Detroit Free Press, daily. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wood and Poultry Success.. Miss Myrtle Raymond of Lowell daughter spent Christmas at Sag. New York World tri weekly. joined the family reunion at home inaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Leespent Christ-DeWitt Stanton is still suffering with rheumatism and unable to be mas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lee, at Elsie.

Frank Daniels and mother are spend- Michigan Farmer . ing the holidays with their sister and Detroit Journal daily* Sam'l H. Post is very poorly and not improving very much from his daughter, Mrs. Mark Brown, at Otis-

We hope our editor enjoyed a Little Elva Wilkinson of Saranac Madame Magazine... spentlast Wednesday with her grand- *Prices on the Free Press, Press dropper, and a bottle of Hyomei. ma. Mrs. Wilkinson.

George Copeland and wife of Ver- Ray Cave has rented the I. B. Gunn only. gennes visited at James Stanton's farm at Easton, and has moved his

Christmas dinner at Bert Lillie's. has rented. Mr. and Mrs. George Copeland Bert Lines.

Ed. Trask and family and Mrs. Etpaper. They must be bonafide new ta Trask celebrated Christmas at the ones, and not merely a shift of known people who have been cured been cured by the contract of spent Monday with relatives in

Evie Pottruff, Gladys Stanton and mas tree. Lottie Parker celebrated by way of James Parks of Belding 1; spend- year in payment for a little time This is the strongest evidence that | Grocer and accept no substia Christmas tree at the home of Miss ing a few days with his mother at soliciting among their friends Do can be offered as to his faith in the

19th in honor of their twenty-second wedding anniversary, by a company of thirty-five friends who walkin with well-filled bask-

ing medical writers of all the several schools of practice, a brief glance at the standard works on Materia Medica will show. Of Golden Seal root, which is one of the prominent ingredients of "Golden Medical Discovery," Dr. Roberts Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College, says: "Very useful as a stomachic (stomach) tonic and in atonic dyspepsia. Cures gastric (stomach) catarrh and headaches accompanying same." He also mentions catarrh of the gall duct. jaundice and constipaparting each one expressed his envment of the day.

the program well rendered and

ister and husband from Grand Rap-Mrs. Archie Ross of Centralia. Wash, writes to her friends here of the beautiful scenery and fine climate | will move in about two weeks. and the pleasant people of that

Several families from this vicinity a good crowd was present.

The Good Cheer Club will meet at J. Odell's next Saturday evening. running, with alternate spells of children, and can truthfully say it Allen Bennett and wife have re-chills and fever. We began using always gives prompt relief." For rned from a week's visit with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding sale by All druggists. James Wright is on jury in Grand lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, Mrs. Mary Scott of Lowell is visit- ly knocked out the grip." These

the Key That Unlocks the Door to

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The LEDGER will continue its practime all arrears and one year in advance. This involves much work with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A and expense. is purely a work of accommodation, and is done in S. Stannard, at Lowell. spending the holidays at the home of appreciation of faithful cash sub-

was here Christmas, accompanied by F. Wilkinson, and with other friends. All the magazine clubs nancied by the newspaper agencies, including All the magazine clubs handled by at Freeport Saturday and Sunday. her uncle and aunt Ray Powell and Ed. Cave and family are spending a the Success combinations, may be simple REMEDY paper published at marked reduc-

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and Herald are good on rural routes

How to get your LEDGER free, of catarrh. It soothes and heals the Mr. and Mrs. Wayson of Lowell and Mrs. Willer enjoyed a the Delos Reynolds farm, which he one dollar each for a year and we sages, prevents irritation and effects will credit you a year on your own a complete and lasting cure. home of Leroy Hunter at Saranac on names in the same family. This is a sunday and enjoyed a family Christ- fair and square order that will en- not cure you, M. N. Henry will reable anyone to get THE LEDGER a turn the money you pay for Hyomel.

it now.

Have You

tors use a great deal of it for throat and lung troubles. "I had a terrible cold and cough and was

9 SARSAPARILLA. A SUCIO HAIR VIGOR.

One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

Wm. Sparks and wife and Freeman Sparks and family spent Christmas any pretty and valuable presents day with Melvin Sparks and family. James Hopkins is very ill with Mr. and Mrs. Benson Kimble of

Saranac spent Christmas at the home

Mrs. Ellen Frost has been very ill with grip, but is recovering. Braley's residence at Saranac and their high esteem, for which he and A dance was given at the home of Eber Compton Wednesday night, and

Grip Quickly Knocked Out. "Some weeks ago during the se-

vere winter weather both my wife

Miss Myrtle Condon went to Low- which speedily developed into the been in use for many years and has worst kind of la grippe with all its never been known to fail, viz: Chammiserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. berlain's Cough Remedy. Mr. M. F. Egleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. Compton of Market, Texas, says of 'Knees and joints aching, muscles it, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose Remedy in severe cases of croup with the same with a dose of Chamberand by its liberal use soon complete-

Pratt Lake-South Boston.

ill occasionally eat too much or of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Grulx and Misses

me article of food not suited to his June and Bessie Burr of Big Rapids thereof be given by publication of a copy of onstitution, and will need a dose of spent Christmas with their parents, this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowert Ler Frank Rollins of Grand Junction county mach and regulate his liver and and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKinney HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate wels. When this is done there is of Byron Center spent the holidays (A true copy.) Register of Probate. reason why the average man with their sister, Mrs. Geo. Tucker.

The Christmas tree at the The Christmas tree at the Congregational church Monday STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Kent. At a session of night was well attended. The Sun-H. Evans, an elegant clock.

Our pastor, Rev. J. H. Wesbrook, wears an elegant fur coat presented him by the South Lowell church.

If Probate:

In the matter of the estate of ANDREW J. Howk and Jennie M. Oaks having filed in said court their peti-Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lind and child-ren are visiting friends at Leonidas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cilley cel-brated their twenty-fifth wedding t ebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Saturday, entertaining person.

It is ordered that the 8th day of January It is ordered that the 8th day of It is ordered that the 8th day of It is ordered that the 8th day of It is orde

the day. In the evening they were and presented with a berry spoon by tained about eighteen relatives at a

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gould and for liver and stomach trouble. 25c at daughter Helen spent Christmas). G. Look's drug store; guaranteed. with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick in Keene. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor enter- ECZEMA tained Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Taylor of Lowell Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kellogg G. L. Stannard spent Christmas

W. H. Draper visited his brother. A. I. Draper, and father, H. Draper,

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvard of Belding and Mr and Mrs. I. Sweet Christmas day. Miss Opal Montague and brother Herbert of Lowell are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Behler Mr. and Mrs. Wardell and son Earl

Miss Addie Remington of Grand Rapids is visiting her cousin, Miss Jessie O'Harrow Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bartlett and Mr.

and family of Keene. Loyd Behler of Lansing and Earl Behler of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with their parents here. Mr. and Mrs. T. VanHaitsma and dauhter Jessie are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Davs, and husband.

and Mrs. Howard Bartlett spent

Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. White

S. Braisted and grand daughter, Bessie Layer, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Wilson of Portland, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yeiter and fam-Johnson and baby of Elmdale Christ"We can't all have money,"

we had."

said Brother Bill, "but we

can at least look as though

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Sept. 24, 1905.

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School closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation. The Christmas exercises which were held at the M. E. Church last Saturthe close the pastor, Rev. J. H. Wesbrook, was presented with a fur coat Mrs. John Renwick has bought Dr. by the congregation as a token of his family are unable to express their

A Certain Cure for Croup. When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how There is one preparation that is aland myself contracted severe colds ways to be depended upon. It has

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the grip. For sale by All Druggists. Present: HON. HARRY D JEWELL, Judge In the matter of the estate of ANN LAUGHLIN deceased, Maria E. Giles havin The men of eighty-five and finitely ears of age are not the rotund well ears of age are not the rotund well of, but thin, spare men who live on Glenn of South Lowell spent Christ- person.

The men of eighty-five and finitely to George Hefferan toor some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 5th day of January in the standard of the sound of the slender diet. Be as careful as he mas with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forencon, a

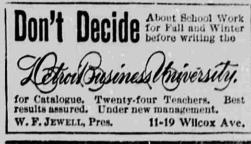
day school gave their superintendent. city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the Present: HON. HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lind and child- tion praying that a certain instrument in

A. D., 1905 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at sald probate office, be and is hereby appointgiven a reception at the Grange hall ed for hearing saidpetition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Harker enter- to said day of hearing, in the LOWELL LEDGER

HARRY D. JEWELL, Judge of Probate. Alvin E Ewing (Atrue copy.) Register of Probate

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> Dr. Hodges, dentist. Pretty Calendars for 1905 at Look's from 5c up to 50c.

a two weeks' illness. J. Madsen spent Christmas at Miss Bessie Tate is home from Cor- Cannonsburg. unna for her vacation.

spending the week in Chicago. Miss Bessie Kinyon is home from Mr. and Mrs. G. V. McConnell of St. Joseph for her vacation. Miss Albie Fletcher is spending her Christmas day. vacation at her home at Gobleville. vacation at her home at Rockford. Sweetland and wife.

Chas. Fisher of Chicago spent Christmas at the home of his parents turkeys for Christmas. Geo. Tate of Chicago spent Christ- spent Christmas at the home of her sister, Mrs. Neil Cameron.

John Clark of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowell relatives and friends. J. S. Kelly of Muskegon spent visiting at the home of his parents, Christmas at the home of his son, J. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Post.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly and fam. you can secure an overcoat % off at H. S. Thompson gets his Ledger son Orie of Coopersville visited at

Mrs. T. A. Murphy this week. Mrs. John Gammon of South Bend, Ind., is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Thomas.

Feed Clover Brand stock food, the with her sister, Mrs. H. R. Johnson, daughter, Mrs. J. F. Thomas.

returning Tuesday. best there is, for sale at Bradish's harness store, King block. frey's adv on back page he will sell Mr. and Mrs. D. Lewis of Hastings spent Christmas with the former's in the next ten days. parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lewis. Your last chance to get one-half

with the Hotel Waverly Saturday, dozen photos free-January 10th is the last day. Mrs. T. A. Murphy. Geo. Winegar and family of Sara-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oberly of Rivnac spent Christmas day at the erdale have been spending a few days home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Winegar. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Cotton of De- Mrs. Henry Lampman. with the latter's parents, Mr. and troit spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry with one of Look's Town and

Mrs. A. W. Bennett and daughters. Marion and Dorothy, have returned from a few days' visit in Grand Rap-Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hinyan entertained Mrs. Mary Stone, Mrs. Anna

Jones and Mr. and Mrs. James Bush. all of Alto, on Christmas day. All persons indebted to me are re quested to call and pay up before Jan. 10th, as I am going out of bus- An old adage says its good for the Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

holidays at the home of the former's token. Look can supply you. Miss Louise Lillie of Ludington, Warren Lillie and family. Clear thinking, decisive action, vi and vigor of body and mind, the Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is sparkle of life, comes to all who us simply liquid electricity. It goes to Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea 35 every part of your body, bringing

cents, Tea or Tablets. D. G. Look. | new blood, strength and new vigor. are home to spend their two weeks' well. 35 cents. D. G. Look. vacation: Carl Bergin, Joe. Kelly, Unclaimed letters at Lowell Post Harry Chambers, Emery Lalley, Office for the week ending Dec. 23, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Godfrey have re- Pelton, James Trowbridge, Alan Valturned from a ten months' trip to antine, Harry McPherson (2), Fred 'Trust!' It makes him crazy."-- ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wood. California, Washington, and Port- McPherson (2).

land, Ore. After a visit with rela- The man arrested on a charge of tives and friends in this vicinity they will go to make their home at Alber- released on \$500 bail. He spent three Beautifying methods that injure unwillingness to lose the interthe skin and health are dangerou . est on the money, if it Be beautiful without discomfort by was drawn from the bank. His taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain wife, who is said to be worth \$100,000 artist; Mary's a music teacher. But

worth \$20,000.-[Grand Rapids Post. others.-Modern Society.

taking liberties with girls, has been

days in jail because of his

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The English Luggage Porter. On one occasion an excess porter said to a traveler, "I see as your luggage is overweight, sir."

"Ah! your visionary powers are far too acute for me, my friend." . "Sir," with a grunt like a pig.

"Ah! to be sure, sir. I take you

Miss Myra Lillie is recovering from 'Could you see as well now if you had sixpence over one eve?" Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lampman and "Well, I don't know, sir; but I'm daughter Lora spent Christmas at darned well sure as I couldn't see at all if I'd another over t'other!"-T. Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark of Alto Dr. and Mrs. E. D. McQueen are spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P.'s Weekly.

> Literally True. Reed City visited Lowell friends on The minister's wife engaged a new

servant. The girl was very friendly Mr. and Mrs. Bert Merriman of with a constable, and one day she in-Miss Alma Brown is spending her Grand Rapids recently visited S. vited him to come round to see her. The King Milling Company She went and fetched him some beer, presented their employes with voice called out, "Mary, have you Miss Mary Childs of Grand Rapids started to wash yet?" Mary-Yes.

> "What are you doing now?" "Oh, I am just filling up the cop-Grand Rapids spent Christmas with

Misses Edith and Ella Kopf o

Mrs. J. D. Harvey of Grand Rapids

If you can guess who I am in God

W. E. Post of Chicago has been Familiarity Breeds Contempt. "Those ladies," shouted the spiel-er from the top of the "Seeing New pleated front and backs, for-Guess who I am on back page and York" automobile, "are the wives of ily entertained J J. Kelly of Ohio for Godfrey's, within the next ten days. multi-millionaires. Look at them Mr. and Mrs. Art VanAllsburg and while you have the chance." "Oh, we's seen 'em before," said at Grand Rapids now instead of at the home of Warren Lillie on Christ. Reuben Grassbinder. "They kim up tew my place every year to git some Miss Sarah Mooney of Grand Rap. THE LEDGER is in receipt of a two sunburn, et \$5 per week, and then

> Practical Philanthropy. "I believe," remarked the oil

"So do I," emphatically agreed the will sell you an overcoat % off, withbeef magnate. "And if the courts let Glenn Ernst resigned his position have the people leading the simplest kind of a simple life."-Louisville and has accepted one with the Saranac Telephone companyas manager, | Courier-Journal.

magnate, "in helping the people to

Knew His Automobile. "Where are we going to take lunch?" she asked her husband Be sure and start the new year while out in his touring car. "Oh, wherever you happen to Country Almanaes in the house. They are free at Look's drug store. "Goodness, you're not going to eat

Lost-Between Grove schoolhouse as often as that, are you dear?"and Lowell postoffice a black shop ping bag, containing money. Findr leave at Ledger office. Reward. The Smiles Were On Her. When you want a pleasant laxative "I assure you, my dear," he protake Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all drug- tested, "I do not care for the smiles

"No," she sobbed, "but I do, an entire year if you receive a New Mrs. Harriet Owen and daughter Year's gift. Haven't you a friend wear such a dowdy bonnet."-Phila Viola of Flint are spending the you wish to remember with such a delphia Ledger.

On to Her Ways. The Lowell State Bank is presentng its patrons with a large map of Smoothleigh-Your daughter made Lowell and surrounding township in a great hit with me. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Speaker of Lan. Kent and Ionia counties, twenty- Wise Father-I never knew a wosing are spending the holidays with four in number, and bearing a man yet that could keep a secret! calendar for 1906. It will prove a told her not to let you know that I had any money! -- Detroit Free Press.

Leader of Little Fishes-Come The following Ann Arbor students It makes you well and keeps you on, fellers, let's go and jolly the old 1905: Gentlemen, M. C. Fox, Henry

> September Smart Set. Useful John. Passenger-Whatever became 'Bus Driver-Oh, Bill turned ou

Just to Tease Him.

fine. Got to be an actor. Tom's an Rocky Mountain Tea. Sunshine in her own right, signed the bond. John never amounted to much. It Watson himself is reported as being took all he could earn to support the

> "At last," exclaimed Darwin, have discovered the missing link!" And reaching under the bureau he drew forth the other cuff button .--Chicago News.

No improvement has been made the garden of Eden.

Tax Notice.

I will be at Lowell State bank Dec. 14, 21, 28, and Jan. 4th; at Saranac Fox of Alaska. State bank Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30 and Jan. 6, to receive taxes. GILBERT P. HAWLEY Treasurer Keene

Furious Pighting. of Seattle, Washington.

"For seven years," writes Geo. Hoffman, of Harper, Wash, "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won E'ectric Bitters. I unhesitatingly rectend in the future to be without them onies, because of a persistent cough, in the house. They are certainly a wenderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold undersuch a bad case as mine. der guarantee to do the same for you. Dr. King's New Discovery for Conby D. G. Look druggist, at 50c. a bot- sumption, Coughs and Colds, which brother and his family. entirely cured my cough, and saved The Sabbath school Christmas tree tle. Try them today.

holidays with friends at Big Rapids. | al bottle free. Miss Ruby Slayton is home from

skating for the boys at present.

ing company from Buffalo, N. Y.

Post cards-The Ledger.

We have heard it asked about town.

Was Business Good?

It surely was. WHERE? At the corner store where you can buy everything in Dry Goods and Clothing at prices a little lower considering the quality than you can in the large City Stores. We are more than pleased with the liberal patronage the people have given us this season and wish to extend a hearty welcome to you all and with a happy New Year we will endeavor to be at your service in all our business transactions. LOOK AND READ.

Remember we do as we Advertise.

Ladies' Cloaks fine quality and sold at 5.00 and 5.50, now.. 3.79 Lot No. 1, 45 inch Black cloaks, shoulder lined, well made throughout, former price \$7.50

cloak, shoulder lined, made not want to carry them mer price \$12.50

Lot No. 3, 45 and 50 inch cloaks, shoulder lined, made and have sold lots of them of extra fine Kersey, guaranteed to be Black as long years' subscription and greetings of the season from Charles Boyle of in'." — Cincinnati Commercial-Tri-

Lot No. 4, Children's cloaks | had, Black and White, for sizes from 6 to 14 years, all | mer price \$2.75, but they new this season, only a few | must go so we will place left, former prices 2.98 them on sale at.....

will sell them while 21

Lot No. 5, a few left in extra

Fascinators

Lot No. 1, all wool Fascina

tors in all colors. We do

voice will place them 396

Donble Breasted Suits and have sole all the season for \$8.00 but before w

Lot No. 1, Boy's Knee Pant Suits sizes from 3 to 9, former price \$2.00 to reduce the stock before inventory will put the price at... 1.69

Lot No. 3, Boy's Knee Pants Suits i sizes from 9 to 16 years, extra heavy Scotch Mixed Wool Suitings and well made, have sold a bunch o them for \$4.50, but like all others we do not want to inventory them and will place the price

Lot No. 2, Boy's Knee Pants Suits sizes from 9 to 14 years, they as wearers and sold like Hot Cakes for \$3.00, but we are going to give th people the benefit of the inventory prices and will sell them while they last at

Lot No. 4. Youth's and Young Men's Suits in all sizes and colors, former price \$5.50, Sacks only, don't want to inventory them, will Lot No. 5, Young Men's Square Cuts

inventory we will sell them 6.48 Lot No. 6, W. J. Dickey & 2.00 Sons all wool Kersey pants at. They are the real article and now

We almost forgot to mention our Men's FUR COATS but we have got them

Remember that this is our first clean-up sale prior to taking inventory. Ou special prices on Cloaks and in fact everything will have the inventory knife applied and that at once as we must make room for the new Spring stocks which will soon

Thanking you again for your liberal patronage, we remain Yours as ever,

at prices that will defy competition from any of the out-of-town houses.

Saranac, Mich.

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Our Country Cousins

the word.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Haskin and son Louis spent Sunday with their son Ray and family at Byron Center. tickets 15c. "On, we all get around him, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tucker of joint our fins at him, and yell Chicago are visiting the latter's par-

Mattie Patterson and Jay Ellis at- Mr. Hillis and daughter spent tended the Christmas exercises at Alaska Sunday evening. bard in Grand Rapids. Mrs. F. Clark and daughter Esther

are spending the week with relatives in Grand Rapids. ing relatives at Holland. Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Wood of Alto spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Chesley of South Bend, Ind., spent Christmas Hapeman, Dorus Church and Otis White; vice-president, Mrs. M. E. Hapeman; clerk, Mrs. Carrie Porter; at Cosy Nook. The former returned treasurer, Mrs. Milly Wiggins. Rev.

Rapids Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams are visiting relatives at Englishville this

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dean enter- and friends near Ada this week. tained with Christmas dinner the on the kiss old Adam invented in following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Freeland and son Forest, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cronmger and children

Torture of a Preacher. The story of the torture of Rev. O.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciemons have broken up housekeeping and have moved in with their daughter, Mrs. Laura the past week.

Mrs. George Washburn and two pleasant manner greatly pleased the children have been on the sick list children, of whom there were a large number.

Grand Rapids are visiting their friends and parents here.

Henry Blough and wife of Lowell were seen our at roots.

sewing at Belding and is at home. spend Christmas with friends here. Corners last Sunday. The last fall of snow has spoiled skating for the boys at present.

Miss Gertude Slavton is entertaining company from Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. H. J. Andrews is in poor the Congregational church will be held Saturday, Jan. 6th, at 2 p. m.

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Union Young People's meeting at the Congregation at the Co the Baptist church Sunday evening atives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis enterained about thirty relatives and riends at Christmas time. Seth Bates of Ludington is visitg relatives and friends here.

lies Christmas.

Ina Wiggins has been visiting at Belding the past two weeks. Roy Taylor has rented Mrs. Ida The Ladies of the Baptist society Vandenbroeck's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Byrnes enter-

tained their children and their fam-

will hold a Fair at the church on Elmer Ward is now carrying mail Friday evening. A chicken pie supper will be served from 5.30 to 9, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. Wiggins and Lida Boyd is attending the Mc-Laughlin business college in Grand reunion at Belding Christmas day. The Christian church gave a vote Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Hubannual meeting Saturday for the part he took in getting the bell. The Christmas exercises, both at the school on Friday, and in the well attended, and the following church on Monday evening, were officers were elected. Trustees, Orrin Mr. and Mrs. J. Huizinga are visit- decided successess in every sense of Ford, Mrs. Abbie Holmes, Mrs. M. E. Hapeman, Dorus Church and Otis

Mattle Patterson was in Grand Tuesday, but Mrs. Chesley will re-tapids Thursday. Tuesday, but Mrs. Chesley will re-and held services Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderlip of Mr. Boyd and family spent Chris- He expects to be here again for ser-Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderlip of the Hart are guests at Walter Clark's that with friends in Grand Rapids. Services April 15th, one united with the church and one with the association. Mrs. Wm. Jennings and son spent tion. Christmas with Mr. and Mrs.

C. R. Porter and Wm. Bovee were

at Beiding last Wednesday. Mrs. T. Kolt is visiting her parents EAST PARIS-WEST CASCADE. mitted suicide by hanging himself on The reunion at Alonzo P. Davis' Thursday, Dec. 21st., about four was a success and thoroughly en-

rope near the top which was leaning their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. against another tree making a convenient place to "swing off" Dick," as he was called around here bronchitis.

ommend them to all, and don't in terest you. He says: "I suffered ag- parents one mile west of here conducted by a minister from Grand of Cascade spent Christmas with their parents in Grand Rapids.

Slayton Lake.

Slayton Lake.

Miss Ona Stanton is spending the price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Tri-price 50c and \$1.00, g Rapids assisted them. C. R. Porter idays with relatives here. impersonated old Santa Claus, and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Blough of with his glittering garments and Grand Rapids are visiting their friends

John Andrews has been ill.

Elemons.

A crowd of people came to Ada on Miss Sarah Clemons has finished the 7:40 train Saturday evening to the home of Kirk Ford at Steele's Sunday to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. D. Jackobson.

and Mr. and Mrs. H. Dean, all of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. James

miles south west of St Johns, motive unknown. He had been working for Mr. McPherson in Cannonsburg last executor of the estate of the late Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. James
Summer, going to Lansing to work
in the Fall. He had left his employer
for a few hours, and was expected
family and Mrs. Alonzo Stauffer and
family and Mrs. Miller of worth to visit her daughter, Mrs. back at milking time. The next day Wayland spent Christmas with Mrs.

VERGENNES STATION.

John Hapeman is entertaining a

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Epley received a owned the woods. He had climbed Misses Edyth and Rowths Davis Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Epiey received a Owned the woods. He had climbed Misses Edyth and Bertha Davis of Christmas box from his sister Myrtle the tree fifteen feet and fastened the Grand Rapids spent Christmas with

B. C. Smith and Miss Lydia Bright-

Miller were Christmas guests of Will Miller and family.

at Cosy Nook. The former returned treasurer, Mrs. Milly Wiggins. Rev.

BY PAUL LEKESTER FORD, Author of The Han Peter Stirling Etc.

clerk came to my car and reported the sheriff, a dozen cowboys whom he fore. ters, and they had evidently been fellows' greater skill in such matters San Francisco peaks. There was no and the rise of Prussia was already clusters around the Augustus Brucke, her lover was willing to pay for betaken. This made me feel sober, they could find what I had not, but use of pressing the ponies, for our heralding forth the new. There are the old bridge near the Elbe which ing united to her. slight as the probable loss was. He after a thorough examination of the game wasn't trying to escape, and, parts of Dresden—and these the most has heard the tramp of many armies, The young man's consternation can all addressed to Ash Forks, Arizona, they were as much at fault as I had rado river wasn't passable within of view—where a man can never feel so many electric tramcars. Facing man calmly pocketed the enveloper

At six-ten the runner whistled to mised. went into 218. Mr. Cullen was still dressing, but I expressed my regrets his retort through the door that I could not go with his party to the Grand Canon, him of told him that all the stage arrangements had been completed, and promised to join him there in case my for a moment, to see how he was (for I had nearly forgotten him in the excitement), to find that he was gaining all the time and preparing even to get up. When I returned to the saloon, the rest of the party were there and I bade good-bye to the captain and Albert. Then I turned to Lord Railes, and, holding out my been pretty nigh together for a min-

"Lord Ralles, I joked a little the other morning about the way you thought road agents ought to be treated. You have turned the joke very neatly and pluckily, and I want to apologize for myself and thank you Albert Cullen had said distinctly that

"Neither is necessary," he retorted. airily, pretending not to see my hand. per, and it was all I could do to hold myself in. I turned to Miss Cullen to wish her a pleasant trip, and the

Gordon, and now I think you are Albert Cullen either had fired his

would think so, Miss Cullen, if you he had lied, and Lord Ralles and Cap- goin' to be some wind soon?" Then, without locking at her, I gave the signal, the bell rang, and No. 3 pulled off. The last thing I saw was a handkerchief waving off the plat-

idge to give the alarm to Fort Winmere waste of energy. Then I sent appearance of the robbers. Yet to sup- ful bad."

here, Mr. Gordon," the man called Missouri Western, and one of our own man?" "Surely not!" I exclaimed. "Yes, sir," he responded, "The bul- equally improbable. Indeed, I should contemptuously.

Jet holes are brand new."



"I thought you were just as brave as did I get from them. Going to my manages to live?" the rest, Mr. Gordon, and now I' own car, I ordered a quick supper. "She's getting along all right. He

think you are braver." He brought them down in a minute. front door of my car, as I had order- was able to work, confound him." They proved to be Winehesters, as I ed when I went out; that as he turned "And what do you do here?" had expected, for they were on the to go to a safer place, he had seen a "Sit around mostly, smokin' and side from which the robbers must man, revolver in hand, climb over the waitin' for the next meal time."

Arizona tangle-foot, to have fired as | road agent, until he saw that it was | the patient, "just between ourselves, wild as he did," I ejaculated, and Aibert Cullen. walked over to where the mail car | "That was just after I had got off?" here?"-Chicago Record-Herald. had stood, to see just how bad the I asked. shooting was. When I got there and "Yis, sah." faced about, it was really impossible "Then it couldn't have been Mr. "The weather man said it would to believe any man could have done Cullen, Jim," I declared, "for I found rain to-day and I am glad I carried my so badly, for raising my own Win- him up at the other end of the car." umbrella." chester to the pole put it twenty de- "Tell you it wuz, Mr. Gordon," Jim "But it didn't rain at all to-day." graphs out of range and nearly forty insisted. "I done seen his face clar "I know it didn't, but I met the graphs and reproductions, but until where there are marked differences degrees in the air. Yet there were in de light, and he done go into Mr. weather man on the street and I used you have seen the original you have Scientists think that a thorough study the cartridge shells on the ground Cullen's car whar the old gentleman the umbrella to swat him good and no idea of the reality. The face of of the fauna of the isthmus ought to to thow that I was in the place wuz sittin"."

adn't the slightest doubt, the resemblance between the two brothers being quite strong enough to deceive! any one who had never seen them COPYRIGHT, BOS, 64 J. P.L. PROPORCOTT GATHAY - COPYRIGHT, 1897, 64 DOOD, MEAD. & CONTRATYS. together. I smiled a little, and re-

"What other four?" I asked.

"Shots," he replied sententiously.

CHAPTER V.

A Trip to the Grand Canon.

marked to myself, "I think I can CHAPTER IV.—Continued. | from which the shots had been fired. | make good my boast that I would new Germanies, at Augsburg or Nur- icus painting has ever produced. Un- man to go through the usual form and "Perhaps if they had known the While I was still cogitating over catch the robbers, but whether the emburg you are in the middle ages; fortunately, it is difficult to get a present the officiating clergyman with danger as well as you, they would this, the special train I had ordered Cullens will like my doing it, I queshave been less courageous," she con- out from Flagstaff came in sight, and tion. What is more, Lord Ralles will promise. This in a double sense—not in a room by itself and the room is minister then pays a graceful complitinued, and I could have blessed her in a few moments was stopped where owe me a bottle." Then I thought of only has Dresden not yet quite given always crowded by Americans. I was. It consisted of a string of Madge, and didn't feel as pleased over up being old German, not yet alto-While we were still eating, the mail three flats and a box car, and brought my success as I had felt a moment be- gether made up her mind to become Really Two Cities. that the most careful search had fail- had sworn in as deputies, and their By nine o'clock the posse and I eighteenth centuries, when old Gertourist and one which does not. The ing in anticipation of her surprise ed to discover the three registered let- horses. I was hopeful that with these were in the saddle and skirting the many was at yet not altogether old, former takes up very little space. It when she should open it and see what

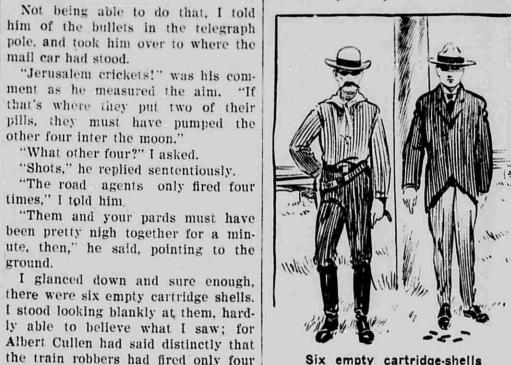
fifty miles. It was a lovely moonlight altogether at home without a nicely the bridge is the modernized Royal and made no movement to return it. tents could be of any real value. If "Them cusses must have a dugout night, and the ride through the pines powdered peruque, an amply skirted castle and next to it is the court The officiating minister had heard possible, I was more puzzled than nigh abouts, for they couldn't 'a' got was as pretty a one as I remember coat (preferably of peach color), knee Roman Catholic church. On the op glowing reports of the rich bride his ing of Madge and our talk the evening gold-hilted sword by his side. Then, Zwinger, which is a large quadrangle, that the fee would do him more good show he had steam up. I told one of I didn't put much stock in that idea before, and of what a change twentyagain, there are other parts, where filled by flowerbeds and surrounded than the newly married couple, and "Waal, round up a better one," was lucky I was riding an Indian pony, or I should probably have landed in a

That set me whistling to myself. and I laughed to think how near I

fellow who was only shamming heart

failure; for that it was Frederic Cul-

en who had climbed on the car I



Six empty cartridge-shells

searching along the edge of the road- lay before me. bed for more shells; but, though I We watered at Silver Spring at Of course, there are other things bewent beyond the point where the last quarter-past twelve. From that point sides Americans in Dresden. There fragrant with a fragrance that is not no pain in my back now, and I am meeting made me forget even Lord car had stood, not one did I find. Any we were clear of the pines and out of was one Englishman besides myself of roses. But for those who do not stronger than ever." man who has fired a Winchester the plain, so we could go a better when I was there. He came from live in them they are eminently picknows that it drops its empty shell pace. This brought us to the half- Manchester-which the local papers turesque. They are rendered all the au revoir," she said. "Whether or no, in loading, and I could therefore draw way ranch by two, where we gave the spelled Manshester. you must let us see you some time in only one conclusion, namely, that all ponies a feed and an hour's rest. We seven discharges of the Winchesters reached the last relay station just as Terrace on Bank of the Elbe. had occurred up by the mail car. I the moon set, about three-forty; and. There are some good shops where amenities-that there is scarcely a you have added to our trip." Then, had beard of men supposing they had as all the rest of the ride was through they sell Dresden china and picture street from which you may not obas I stepped down off my platform, the logned ever the rail of 218 and fired their guns through hearing and a few other things tain a distant view of blue hilltops tain a distant view of blue hilltops tain a distant view of blue hilltops tain a distant view of Catarrh that cannot be cared by Hall's other go off; but with a repeating daylight, getting a little sleep mean- that do not matter. Then there is the dominating the chimney pots.

pluck, if in any way I could have anxious about wind?" the brakeman up to connect the cut pose-which seemed the only other "But you don't need wind in order the Surrey side.

have put the whole thing down as a "Well, yes, it is a considerable pepractical joke of Mr. Cullen's party, riod," admitted the old gentleman, with ot been for the loss of the an air of candor. "I certainly recall letters. Even a practical no vital connection between wind and nobody was hit," I exclaimed, "if joker would hardly care to go to the swimming - just explain, if you

had done a lot of thinking which inside of a lunatic asylum, "how long had all come to one result-that Mr. have you been here? Can you remem-

The two private cars were on a gent; "seven years. You see, they let siding, but the Cullens had left for me do pretty near as I please because the Grand Canon the moment they I'm harmless." had arrived, and were about reaching . "Are you married?"

there by this time. I went to 218 | "Sure. I have a wife who used to and questioned the cook and waiter, throw things at me every time I came but they had either seen nothing or in the house." cise had been primed, for not a fact | "How sad! Do you know how she and while I was cating it I questioned brother, who is a rich bachelor

heard the shots, and had boilted the give up a cent, though, as long as I

off-side gate of Mr. Cullen's car and "Say," said the visitor, speaking "That chap must have been full of for a moment he had supposed it a softly, and drawing a little nearer to

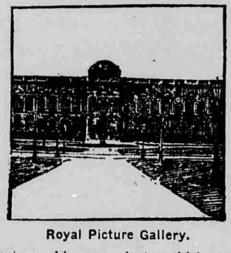
and I laughed to think how near I had come to giving nitroglycerin to a City Old and New

> Dresden Aptly Termed Compromise Between Past and Present Times

> > (Special Correspondence.)

In Berlin you are in the newest of noblest results that the art of religious cral custom is, however, for the best new; her chief interest centers some- Dresden, then, consists of two cities make a big showing before his bride

breeches and silk stockings and a posite side of a big square is the young friend was getting and decided



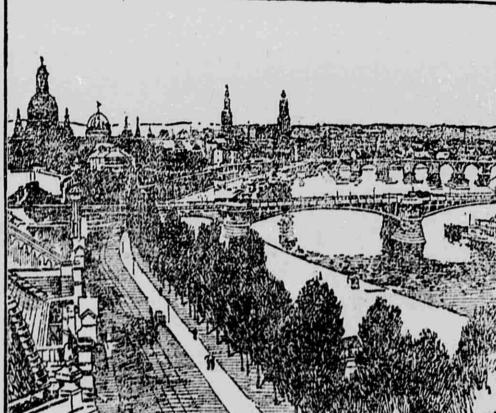
factory chimneys cluster thick, and filling the valley with white villas Medicines, for they never did me any strange manufacturing smells assault that climb the hillsides or cluster good, but Dodd's Kidney Pills have the nose, where such a costume would slong the banks --peasant suburbs, caused me to change my mind. For with pleasant houses, bowered in twelve years I suffered from Kidney seem absolutely out of place. Guide books tell you that Dresden pleasant gardens, where a man may Trouble. There was a hurting across is the headquarters of the baroque live a very happy life on a very small my back that made it positive agony and the roccoco. To me it is the city income. Then, in the heart of the to stoop, and as I am in a stooping of compromise—and of the American city are still left old streets and position nearly all day, you can imagtourist. Never was there such a meet- squares which speak of the past, ine how I suffered. After a day's work ing place for Americans. The porters quaint old houses, with high-pitched that any man would think nothing of, times, and that the last three Win- heap. I don't know that I should have at all the principal hotels have added gables, that seem to lean together, I would be tired and worn out. In

chester shots I had heard had been cared particularly if a prairie dog bur- to their list the national American rartly for mutual support, and partly fact, I was always tired. I began us-I never claimed to have a good temfired by himself. Then, without row had made me dash my brains out, drink—or what they take to be such. to whisper together of the fine times ing Dodd's Kidney Pills and after speaking, I walked slowly back, for I wasn't happy over the job that They spell it "cherry gobler," which they had in the old days that are gone. taking four boxes I feel like a new is to my mind a decided improvement. They are not very healthy, perhaps; man, I am as fresh at night as when more so by the fact-and I wonder When a fish loses any of its scale, the town council does not advertise by a wound or other means, they are

Brulsche tarrasse. It is a high ter-race, running along the right bank of city of compromises, lingering between for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly hon-Albert Cullen either had fired his Winchester up by the mail car, or else had not fired it at all. In either case he had lied, and Lord Ralles and Caphe had lied, and Lord Ra tain Ackland had backed him up "I really couldn't say," replied the of his private gardens and it proves dences," face to face with her memorother Sunday school picknickers to go up one of the hills which border item of a brand new empire, she is old An observing tramp says the world the Elbe valley-and from it at night and new, provincial and metropolitan, is often cold on a hot day I stood pondering, for no explana- "I've been standin' here-oh, most a you have a glimpse into fairyland. I criistic and industrial in one. And, tion that would fit the facts seemed year, waitin' for the wind to blow." grant that when a plaintive American above all, she is the setting for the

the seaward, I had not the heart to The public is invited to sympathize accounted for the appearance and dis- "W'y, I want to go in swimmin' aw- contradict him. Nor is it finer than with a quiet and retiring citizen who horn to the dilemma-that the son and to go swimming. Isn't the water suf- you have not the Belvedere. The when a masterful, stout woman enter-"Two of the bullets struck up guests of the vice president of the ficient for your purpose, my little Belvedere is a restaurant with a gar- od.

den which looks over the Elbe from | Having no newspaper behind which wisdom, directors, would be concerned in train "I guess it's a long time since you the end of the Tarrasse. There you to hide, he was fixed and subjugated No man ever bought a wedding presrobbery was to believe something was a boy!" remarked the "little man," may sit and sip cooling drinks of a by her glittering eye. He rose and summer night and listen to good music offered his place to her. Seating her- Mother Cray's Sweet Powders for Children.



General View of Dresden.

the bridges and the red and green lap."

and picture galleries. One might en- you."-Seattle Post-Intelligencer, foy Dresden without even looking at the world-Raphael's Sistine Madon- by means of a ship canal will mingl na. Everybody knows it from photo- the animal life of the two coas

Has Cured night effect are the colored lights on "What do you want to stand un a distant tramear!) slipping across there for? Come here and sit on my lamps on the boats passing beneath "Madam." gasped the man, as his

face became scarlet. "I-I fear I am To most people the name of Dres- not deserving of such an honor." den recalls only Dresden china (which "What do you mean?" shricked the is not made at Dresden at all, bet woman. "You know very well I was at Meissen, some miles up the river) speaking to my niece there behind Effect of Panama Canal. miss one of the greatest pictures in | The cutting of the Panama isthmus

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The Kind You Have Always Bought,

by buildings of the "Baroque" persua- therefore for once departed from the

sion, which were to have been only usual rule. The bridegroom is still

a part of a never-finished palace sore about the \$100, but the joke was

This house, the picture galleries and too good for the best man to keep to

race, which starts from the bridge Washington, Kans., Dec. 25 (Spec-

following the river bank in the oppo- fal)-Jesse E. Mitchell is a telephone

site direction. On yet another side lineman, and also a well known resi-

of the afore-mentioned square is the dent here. Everybody acquainted

er, stretches for miles along the river "I used to curse all kinds of Patent

part of the other collections, histor himself .- Philadelphia Record.

ical, ethnographical and what not. The

rest are behind the Bruhische Ter-

Dresden, as known to the Dresden says now:-

court opera house.

the Heart of Dresden.

A good story is told on a young

It Is Wrong for You to Neglect Your Duty to Yourself - Constipation, Bowel and Stomach Troubles Grow More Dangerous Daily.

Have you noticed the large number of

it because we know it will cure you. COUPON. MULL'S GRAPE TONIC Co., 143 Third Ave., | prayer book for \$1,500.

Rock Island, Ii: Give Full Address and Write Plainly. 35 cent, 50 cent and \$1.00 bottles at all druggists. The \$1.00 bottle contains about six times as much as the \$5 cent bottle and shout three times as much as the 50 cent bottle. There is a great saving in buying the \$1.00 size.

stamped on the label-take no other from that puzzles him he blames it on the to my hair, which fell out, leaving ar

DON'T FORGET A large 2-oz. package Red Cross Ball Blue, only few applications the torment subsided 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, York City." Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900. There isn't much love in a sensible

can be stopped by any medicine and cure coughs that cannot be cured by any other medicine. cough cure. You cannot afford to take chances on any other kind.

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\$1.000.00 spent for information and wil ve five dollars for a Postal Card ving the first reliable news of

nance to sell a horizontal steam engine our styles, within our range of sizes. We d ot want inquiries at this time for verti-

ENGINES AND BOILERS ATLAS ENGINE WORKS Corliss, Four Valve, Automatic, High-Speed, Co pound and Throttling Engines. Water Tube, 7 buler and Portable Boilers Atlas Engines in service 3,000,000 H. P. Atlas Hollers in service 6,000,000 H. P.



Paxtine is in povider form to be dissolved in pure water, and is far more cleansing, healing, germicidal and economical than liquid antiseptics for all

TOILET AND WOMEN'S SPECIAL USES
For sale at druggists, 50 cents a box.

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TO CURE A COY.D IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quining Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

RHEUMATISM CURED

THE WHOLE LOT

> RHEUMATISM LUMBAGO SPRAIN STIFF NECK IT CURES ALIKE THE WHOLE LOT.

THE COUPON BELOW IS GOOD, FIRST USED WORD ELECTRICITY. Honor That Seems to Belong to Sir

Thomas Browne. No one seems to have recalled, in connection with the commemoration of Sir Thomas Browne at Norwich,

that he was the first person to use There is now a remedy called Mull's the word "electricity" as a noun. Gil-Grape Tonic that cures these troubles bert and others who followed him had A full sized bottle is furnished you free | adopted the term "electrics" to denote substances which, like amber, became Have you noticed the large number of cases of Typhoid Fever lately? Typhoid Fever, Malarial Fever, Appendicitis, Impure Blood, Pimples, Skin Diseases, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Piles, Female Troutle of Constinction attractive when rubbed; but they had bles, etc., are the result of Constipation.

Don't allow it to run on without proper treatment. Mull's Grape Tonic cures Constipation, Bowel and Stomach trouble in the following passage: "Glasse in a new way, different from any other, attracts but weakely though cleere, Alcoholic, opium and morphine preparations are injurious and dangerous. some slick stones and thick glasses indifferently; Arsenic not at all; They destroy the digestive organs, and lit- Saltes generally but weakely, as Sal erally tear the system to pieces.

Mull's Grape Tonic strengthens and Gemma, Alum and also Talke; nor builds them up. It cleanses the system of very discoverably by any friction; but mpurities, incites the digestive system to if gently warmed at the fire and natural action, and cures the disease in a wiped with a dry cloth, they will short time. To prove it to you, we will give you a bottle free if you have never better discover their Electricities."-Prof. S. P. Thompson in London

A free bottle to all who have never used \$12,500 for a Manuscript. At the sale of the library of the Earl of Cork in London, a French manu-139 GOOD FOR ONE DOLLAR 1230-5 | script, described by experts to be one Send this coupon with your name and address and your druggi-t's name and loc. to pay postage and we will supply you a sample free, if you have never used Muli's Grape Tonic, and will also send you a certificate good for \$1.00 toward the same firm purchased King Charles I.'s

UNSIGHTLY BALD SPOT.

Caused by Sores on Neck-Merciless Itching for Two Years Made Him Wild-Another Cure The genuine has a date and number by Cuticura.

"For two years my neck was cov-When a doctor encounters an ailment | ered with sores, the humor spreading unsightly bald spot, and the soreness One-half the world doesn't care how inflammation and merciless itching made me wild. Friends advised Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after a to my great joy. The sores soon di The less a man knows the smarter appeared, and my hair grew again as thick and healthy as ever. I shall always recommend Cuticura. (Signed) I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved H. J. Spalding, 104 W. 104th St., New

> Takes Free House from Miners. The Northumberland (England) coal owners propose to abolish the system of free houses for colliers, and offer an advance in wages to miners equivalent to house rent, cost of coals

> > THE EARTH'S AREA.

One of the best authorities estimates the area of the earth's surface at 196,791,984 square miles, of which It is always the best about 53,000,000 square miles is land the rest water. Throughout most of this 53,000,000 square miles Pills bury's Vites has made its way be cause it's so good. It is the ideal breakfast food, and may be had at any up-to-date grocery.

> Fess Up, Diogenes. When Diogenes went around hunt ing for an honest man, could be have found one by holding up his lantern and looking in the glass?-Somerville Jour-

> The Pe-ru-na Almanac in 8,000,000 Homes. The Peruna Lucky Day Almanac

has become a fixture in over eigh million homes. It can be obtained from all druggists free. Be sure to inquire early. The 1906 Almanac is already published, and the supply will soon be exhausted. Do not put it off.

Lightning Stroke at Wedding. During a wedding at Grafenbaum. Australia, lightning struck the church and tore away the bridegroom's right

Ask Your Druggist for Allen's Foot-Ease. "I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE recentv and have just bought another supply. It has cured my corns, and the hot, burning and itching sensation in my feet which was almost unbearable, and I would not be without it now."--Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden N. J." Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Ad Catches the Farmer.

Thousands of farmers answered the advertisement of a man who offered to sell "a receipt for making a pound of butter from a pint of milk and a easpoonful of our preparation."

short on the ability to use it he is to

It is almost as difficult for the average man to manage an automobile as a

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces if dammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25ca bottl at afflicted with the Thompson's Eye Water Lots of men who practice and fat think it is up to them to preach. W. N. U .-- DETROIT .-- No. 52--1905 | He who guesses at things usually ha

if we don't heed prevention, we will need a cure. The Old-Monk-Cure St. Jacobs Oil

DESOLUTIONS for the New Year and sentiments for the holiday season, arranged in acrostic form by F. G. Moorhead from the works of Robert Louis Stevensons

A N aim in life is the only fortune worth the having; and it is no be found in foreign lands, but in the heart itself.

when it changes hands. Rightly disposed, it should be twice blessed in its employment. EVERY piece of work which is not so good as you can make it sho

ONEY, being a means of happiness, should make both parties happ

rise up against you in the court of your own heart, and condemn opened, read and answered by women only. A you for a thief.

RIGHT is that for which a man's central self is ever ready to sacrifice of America which has never been broken. Out immediate or distant interests.

rigorously set forth in language, and above all never imposed up-

YOU cannot run away from a weakness; you must fight it out or per And if that be so, why not now, and where you stand?

CULTURE is not measured by the greatness of the field which is cov- First letter. ered by our knowledge, but by the nicety with which we can perceive relations in that field, whether great or small.

E who can sit squarest on a three-legged stool, he it is who has

RIGHTEOUSNESS is to fuse together our divisive impulses and march with one mind through life. F you wish the pick of men and women, take a good bachelor and

SOCIETY was scarce put together and defended with so much eloquence and blood for the convenience of two or three millionaires and

few hundred other persons of wealth and position. TO be a gentleman is to be one all the world over, and in every relation and grade of society. It is a high calling, to which a man must first be born and then devote himself for life.

ANNERS, like art, should be human and central.

AS the sun returns in the east, so let our patience be renewed with

S O long as we love we serve; so long as we are loved by others I would almost say that we are indispensable.

A FTER all, there is no house like God's out-of-doors.

O man is useless while he has a friend. O what we will, there is always something made to our hand, if it were only our fingers.

man cannot go very far astray who neither dishonors his parents, nor

OME is the woman's kingdom.

FTER a good woman and a good book and tobacco, there is nothing so agreeable on earth as a river.

PENURY is the worst slavery, and will soon lead to death.

PRACTICE is a more intricate and desperate business than the toughest theorizing; life is an affair of cavalry, where rapid judgment and prompt action are alone possible and right.

YET the dearest and readiest, if not the most just, criterion of a man's services is the wage that mankind pays him, or briefly, what he

ATURE is a good guide through life, and the love of simple pleasures next, if not superior, to virtue.

TRE et pas avoir-to be, not to possess-that is the problem of life.

WE must all set our pocket watches by the clock of fate. YET, when all has been said, the man who would hold back from

riage is in the same case with him who runs away from battle. VERY man is his own doctor of divinity in the last resort,

A BRAVE woman far more readily accepts a change of circumstances than the bravest man.

RIGHT or wrong, this have I done, in unfeigned honor of intention, as to myself and God

STOP! WOMEN. AND CONSIDER THE



Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation: Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs.

Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received. woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge RIGHT is intimately dictated to each man by himself, but can never be that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her

> Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Following we publish two let- "As you know, I wrote you that my doctor ters from a woman who accep- said I must have an operation or I could not

does not take advantage of this generous

offer of assistance. - Lydia E. Pinkham

ted this invitation. Note the result.

First letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month with my periods. The pains are execuciating and I can hardly stand ing to you and your remedy."—Mrs. Mary

them. My doctor ays I have ovarian and them. My doctor ays I have ovarian and womb trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Streets, Benning P. O., Washington, D. C. When a medicine has been successful in restoring to health so many women whose testimony is so unquestionable. Second letter. Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

"I do not believe it will help me." If "After following carefully your advice, and taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very anxious to send you my testimonial, that others may know their the compound at once, and write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn. Mass., for special advice you are ill, don't hesitate to get a botvalueand what you have done for me. it is free and always helpful.

TAKE A MINUTE

AND A POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE WORD

kills, nor commits adultery, nor steals, nor bears false witness; for these things, rightly thought out, cover a vast field of duty.

above your name and address, sending the card to me. By return mail I will send you free some interesting literature.

If you care to ask questions they will be answered correctly, promptly, courteously.



J. FRANCIS, General Passenger Agent, 258 "Q" Building, CHICAGO.



Make a New Start"

Because of the many resolutions heretofore broken, do not be discouraged but on January 2nd, 1906 make a Savings Deposit in this bank, even if only a dollar and you will thereafter find saving so easy that your resolution will hold good.

""3 Per Cent on Deposits"

LOWELL STATE BANK.

Heard About Town

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156. S. Baird is visiting friends in Rochester, N. Y.

No free photos after Jan. 10th, Mrs. T. A. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boylan spent Christmas at Portland.

Born-in Lowell, Dec. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Malcom, a son.

Born-in Lowell, Dec. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. John Flogaus, a son. Herbert Dennis of Blanchard is vis-

iting relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. John Godfrey of Caro are visiting relatives and friends

Miss Alice Story of Holland is spending the holidays with friends in this

C. Wallace French of Muskegon visited his friend, Arthur Avery last

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Muir and Miss Marion Kisor spent Christmas in

Grand Rapids. ids spent Christmas with Mr. and of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Avery.

Mrs. S. H. McDeid. Center last week.

Rev. J. H. Wesbrook and family spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Mary Kerr in Vergennes.

Mrs. K. H. Pursel of Caledonia has tory. been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Florence Behl.

Edwin N. Gardner of Chebovgan and Otis Seely of Belding visited Mi lo Barney Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sinclair and Milo Barney spent Christmas day with 1. J. Batchelor and family in Ver- Brown in Grand Rapids.

six o'clock standard after January first, until further notice. Saturday ter, Mrs. D. G. Mange. excepted.

Rollin Mack of Grand Rapids was

Everett Cogswell, of Belding spent Christmas with his father and mother, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Marsh are visiting at Constantine this week at- and Misses Ola and Ida Remington tending the former's sister, Miss Lorene March.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Gardner of Barryton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Truman Raymond, and other

Lowell friends. Mrs. Newell Hand is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Mary Cantrill, and sister, Mrs. J. Jasper and son Har-

old from Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Geo W Rouse held a family reunion and Christmas tree Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Thomas of Grand Rapids were present.

This is no fake. I am positively going out of business and your last chance to get one-half dozen photos free will be until Jan. 10th.

Mrs. T. A. Murphy. Messrs, and Mesdames E. Bunker of Portland, Ore., Arthur Dibble of Allegan and I. J. Batchelor of Vergennes visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sinclair Tuesday.

Twenty two friends and neighbors met at the home of Newton Warner Christmas night and were wellentertained by Frank Hoover with his graphophone.

Mr. and Mrs. Boroughs of Grand Ledge and Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Rickert and daughter Marguerite of Keene were entertained by Mrs. New-

ton Warner at a Christmas dinner. Miss Winnie White, with her brother, Robt. I. White, of Coldwater, is attending the state teachers' meeting at Lansing this week. Mr. and Mrs. White are expected here for a visit the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kilgus, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cogswell, Jas. Norton and family, Fred Kilgus, The Sparta Sentinel is responsible

So many have been unable to take at the other end. Some of the chief advantage of my liberal offer of one half dozen photos free, and have re- nightmare, cancer of the eyelids and quested me to continue it longer, stomach, spinal trouble and soften-that I have decided to give one-half ing of the brain, and the result is until January 10, 1906; but the offer family shrouded in gloom." will postively be withdrawn at that How to get your LEDGER free.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Shear entertained the following party of relatives on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Flory, O. T. Hogan, wife and two sons, W. B. Shear, wife and two daughters, A. Benson, all of Grand Rapids; R. McCaul and wife, W. Washburn, wife and baby of West Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Glascow of Logan, and Mrs. Curtis of Fenton.

Bring us two new subscriptions at one dollar each for a year and we will credit you a year on your own paper. They must be bonafide new ones, aud not merely a shift of names in the same family. This is a fair and square order that will enable anyone to get The Ledger a year in payment for a little time soliciting among their friends Do itnow.

Chas. R. Hine has arrived at Los Angeles in h's western trip. Wish the editor a happy New Year

with a dollar on subscription. The Madame magazine and THE LEDGER, both one year for \$1.50, real

Mrs, Ed. Potruff of Lowell is the happy owner of that dinner set at Clyde Collar's.

Mrs. Lois Eggleston and son Willis of Ann Arbor are spending a few days with Lowell friends.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Rathbone of Grand Rapids are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gunn.

Messrs. John and Fred Riddell of Hudsonville spent Christmas with their aunt, Mrs. Phoebe Tate. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Watters are

spending the holidays with the latter's parents at Kalamazoo. Mrs. Olmstead of Denver and Mrs. Isaac Cantrell of Pontiac are visiting

their niece, Mrs. Weldon Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Compton of Mrs. Lula Merriman of Grand Rap- Shelby have been visiting at the home

M. D. Hull of North Keene and Gil-Newton Warner bought a fine team | bert Hull of the Upper Peninsula visof horses of Arthur Clark of Bowne ited J. H. Hull one day last week. THE LEDGER has secured a correspondent on the river road, District No. 2, Lowell. Others will be accepted in available unoccupied terri-

> Miss Lucile McCune of Manistique, a student at Albion college, is the guest of Misses Emma and Ethel Wesbrook.

Dr. and Mrs. O. C. McDannell and Geo. M. Winegar and family spent Christmas day at the home of F. E.

Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Rapids The hardware stores will close at spent Christmas with her parents, x o'clock standard after January Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cogswell, and sis-

D. G. Look is handing out to his patrons as they call, his Town and in town Saturday on his way to Country Almanac and Handsome Lansing to spend Christmas with his book of Valuable Information, for 1906, which is all its name implies.

> The Farm and Fireside, a twice amonth paper, and The Lowell Ledger, both one year for \$1.15, to subscribers paying one year in advance.

Misses Jessie and Ina O'Harrow of Grand Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Harrow in South Lowell yesterday.

The members of the Methodist church presented E. R. Collar with a handsome Morris chair as an expression of their appreciation of his faithful services in the choir and as secre

Rev. and Mrs. Russell H. Bready are attending the funeral of the latter's mother, Mrs. E. A. Richards, in Grand Rapids this afternoon, the services being conducted by Mr. Bready.

Janitor Townsend was agreeably surprised by a Christmas gift of a fine turkey from the teachers of the Central and East and West ward schools in appreciation of good and faithful service.

Dear reader, if you are one of our sample copy friends and "the best is not too good for you," come and join the big majority-the army of regular LEDGER readers. Come with us and we will do you good.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blakeslee entertained a large company of relatives at a family reunion at their home at Lowell center on Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Oberly of Grand Rapids were present.

The following from the Grand Rapids Herald will be of interest to Lowell people, as Mr. Eddy is well known here, having been a former resident; and a son of the late W. H. Eddy: Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Eddy of No. 277 South East street, for the mar-riage of their daughter, Katherine,

Sr., and son Chris, spent Christmas for this: "A cigarette is a small with their son and brother, Geo. The Sparta Sentinel is responsible Kligus and family in their new home. per with a fire at one end and a fool

Mrs. T. A. Murphy. Bring us two new subscriptions at



For Reliable Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes at Lowest Prices

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W. S. GODFREY

He sells the famous W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES for Men and Boys at \$1.75 to \$4.00 He sells the FIT-WELL Suits and Overcoats, made by Cohn, Frank & Co, of Buffalo, N. Y., from \$8.00 to \$22.00.

I wear a Fit-well overcoat and have actually worn a pair of Douglas \$4.00 shoes 22 months without a cent's worth of repair on them.

no am

If you can guess you can purchase a new overcoat at Godfrey's for ONE-THIRD OFF within the next 10 days.

Patrick Drew of Grand Rapids are spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Will Drew and family.

Hundreds of subscriptions fall due with this number. Make the editor Defined by the Post Office Department. glad with a paid-in-advance sub-

Mrs. E. P. Sweet and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Howard, of Belding, vis-Lowell yesterday.

Pay up that long over-due sub-scription now, and start the new year square. It takes money and lots of it to run a newspaper. Your share is small; but remember there R. are a thousand others. Do it now.

Proof Positive.

Her-And would you be willing to do something desperate in order to prove your love for me? Him-Sure thing. Haven't I

asked you to marry me?

Second Offense. Husband—I made a fool of myself again to-day. Wife-Again?

Husband-Yes: the first time was when I proposed to you.

Hit Them Both at Once.

A good instance of a double reproof occurred in a Scottish church. A lad named Merryweather was very inattentive during the service, greatly to the annoyance of the minister. His father always composed himself for a nap directly the sermon was well under way, so that the boy could do as he liked without parental reproof. The minister could stand it no longer one Sunday, so he stopped suddenly in his sermon and said: "John Merryweather, if you continue to act in such an unseemly manner during divine worship 1 shall tell your father. I would tell him now, but he happens to be asleep." From that day Merryweather senior and junior were model listeners .- Dundee Advertiser.

Bread Fruit for Us?

Consul Anderson, of Hangehow, thinks the pomelo or Chinese breadfruit would do well in this country.

mercially. Foreigners agree in declaring that the pomelo is the finest fruit in the Far East. It combines the good points of the orange with the good points of the grape fruit.

The Chinese say that a good-sized be appreciated that such a tree is bearing a load. The fruit is more oval than round. Its color and appearance are those of the grape fruit.

Church Drawings Not Excepted.

The following correspondence is self explanatory; and we hope all ited Mrs. Fred O'Harrow in South | our advertisers, correspondents and contributors will read it and govern themselves accordingly.

> THE LOWELL LEDGER F. M. Johnson, Prop. Lowell, Mich., Dec. 20, 1905. P. Goodwin,

Ass't Attorney General, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C.

Your information of Dec. 18 thankfully received. I wish to inquire if the giving of prizes by merchants through the giving of tickets with each purchase or otherwise, and the award being made by means of a drawing-if such constitutes lottery in the estimation of the government; and if the advertising of such in a newspaper before the drawing, or announcing the result of same afterward would bar the paper containing such advertisement or announcement from the mails.

Also I would like definitely to understand whether the drawings for quilts and the like under church auspices are to be regarded as lotteries and treated as such by the news

Wishing to comply with the laws we have been puzzled at times to know what to do in such cases, as 1 persume has many another publisher; and light on those questions will be appreciated. Yours truly,

F. M. JOHNSON.

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON.

OFFICE OF THE

December 23, 1905.

Mr. F. M. Johnson, The Lowell Ledger, Lowell, Michigan.

20, 1905, has been received. Both the Madame Magazine or if they do not schemes stated are held to be lotter-The fruit is grown in the United ies, and matter in any manner following a full year: States by a few persons, but not com- advertising or relating to either plan is therefore unmailable. No distinction is made, in the enforcement of the postal lottery statutes, between drawings for religious or charitable

Hereafter when you have doubt as may take advantage of this offer and tree will ordinarily produce from 600 to 700 pomeloes. When j is considered that many pomeloes will run as large as seven or eight inches if he is undecided as to its character, who if he is undecided as to its character, will refer the matter to this office for which is to the character of an enterprise, the all who are not subscribers may also take advantage of it by a subscription of three, six or twelve months will refer the matter to this office for in diameter and even larger, it will will refer the matter to this office for gain Days. a ruling. Very respectfully,

R. P. GOODWIN Assistant Attorney General

Did you receive a Christmas Gift from some unexpected source?

If so return the favor with a suitable New Year's Greeting from our store.

> We wish to thank our friends for making our first season's sale of Holiday Goods a big success, and to merit your continued pat- . ronage by selling the Best at the right price. A Happy and Prosperous New Year to all.

HENRY'S MODERN DRUG STORE

1906 Calendars and Almanacs, ask for them.

HERALD BARGAIN DAYS

Offer Expires Saturday, December 30. Last Chance to Save Money on a Daily.

Remember, the Grand Rapids Herald bargain day offer as given expires Saturday, Dec. 30. All wishing, to avail themselves of the offer must do so at once.

The Grand Rapids Herald has set aside four days this year as "Bargain Days" and on those days the LEDGER will take subscriptions for the Daily Herald for \$2.00 the year or for the Daily including the Sunday Herald for \$4.00 the year, each Your communication of December subscriber will also get free the want that they may have all of the

The Farm and Home Sentinel. The Valley Magazine. Dignam's Magazine.

Agricultural Epitomist. Bargain Days are December 27-28 objects and those for the sole purpose | 29 and 30. Remember the dates. All present subscribers to the LEDGER

THE LEDGER will have a clubbing list this year as usual and will supply its paid in a dvance subscribers with for the Post Office Department. | reading matter at wholesale prices.

CLUBBING LIST FOR 1906. The LEDGER will continue its prac-

tice of accommodating its subscribers by furnishing other publications at clubbing or wholesale prices to all who pay for our paper at the same time all arrears and one year in advance. This involves much work and expense. is purely a work of accommodation, and is done in appreciation of faithful cash sub-

scribers. All the magazine clubs handled by the newspaper agencies, including the Success combinations, may be ordered of us, as well as any newspaper published at marked reductions from regular prices.

We will furnish THE LEDGER one year with any of the following named papers at the price named for both papers. THE LEDGER and-Grand Rapids Post, daily\$2 15

Detroit Free Press, daily 3 00 Chicago Inter Ocean, weekly 1 50 New York World tri weekly 1 65 Toledo Blade weekly...... 1 25 N. Y., Tribune Farmer weekly.....1 25 Grand Rapids Pressdaily*.......2 50 Herald daily*.......2 50 Byron's Commoner 1 60
 Michigan Farmer
 1 50

 Detroit Journal daily*
 3 00
 Farm & Fireside (Semi-monthy)1 15 Madame Magazine...... 1 50 *Prices on the Free Press, Press

and Herald are good on rural routes

A Happy New Year

Edelmann & Nerreter The New Hardware.

There are some very desirable articles in our stock suitable for returning an unexpected pres-

ent.