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cheerful, airy room finished in Georgia pine and having a porcelain sink with hot and cold water. A toilet room opens from the kitchen was arrested Monday on a warrant on the east, and also a back stair- issued by Justice M. M. Perry charged way to the second floor.

tending across the front of the house, who was formerly in the lewelry is the pastor's study, which is business here. He was taken to especially well lighted and arranged so perfectly that is will be a delight to all the ministers who come here, fore Justice Perry and held for trial A hall runs the whole length of the at the bext session of circuit court.

Nelson W. Watters of this village way to the second floor. At the head of the hall stairway, ex: with having taken \$500 worth of jewelry belonging to C. M. Higby, Grand Rapids Tuesday and after-

second floor, and three bed-rooms, in default of the bail he was taken each one heated and fitted with to the county jail. Higby claims that the property was taken from a box in Edelmann bronzed copper electric light fixtures. open from it. A bath room with walls of imitation tiling is situated & Nerreter's safe, where he had been at the end of the hall. From the permitted to leave it. The jewelry at the end of the hall. From the kitchen a short stairway leads down into the basement, and from this stairway a sash-door opens outdoors towards the church. The first part of the basement forms a vegetable cellar, separated by a door from the furnace-room, which is fitted with a Welcome furnace, the largest house furnace there is, made in Syracuse At the right of the furnace door is a coal-bin, and at the left an ash-pit, which will save a great deal of run-ning out into the cold. There is a nickel register in every room, hot and cold water on both floors, and everything is arranged in the most modern and convenient way through-out the bouse. It is a parsonage of which the church and the whole vil lage may be proud and to which they may gladly welcome their ministers; and the pastor, Rev. Bready, is to be congratulated for his earnest work in carryingforward such a successful enterprise. The photograph from which the kitchen a short stairway leads down | was there two weeks in November,

such a successful enterprise. The photograph from which the cut was taken may be ordered through the pastor, and Mr. Rhodes has offered the church five cents on each one that fis sold, for the parsonage fund.

As THE LEDGER goes to press, Pas-tor Bready informs us that the re-maining debt is nearly provided for and that if there are a few more re-sponses no appeal will be made on Sunday.

#### CONGREGATIONAL.

next Sunday morning and preach from the topic: The "Growth of the Preaching services in the evening

at 7 o'clock.

#### BAPTIST.

Regular business and covenant meeting will be held at the Baptist church Thursday evening of this week. A full attendance is desired.

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Mrs. Geo. M. Parker has been ill the past few days.

Remember the literary contest at the high school tonight.

Remember the annual reunion of Old Residents' association at Train's hall Thursday evening, March 8, at 7 o'clock. Picnic supper. There will be no dance; and the program will be largely of a memorial nature.

The East Side and the West Side from choice and, looking over the Afternoon clubs gave a party at business conditions of the ownI Train's opera house Monday evening. this-that we are in sad need of more The husbands were invited, making union in our village, among our in all a company of eighty-eight, husiness man, There is too much Euchre was played for several hours, 'every man for himself.' There has been beginning at eight o'clock, and danc-ing followed. Mrs. J. W. Oliver of town, and there is at the present Grand Ripids was present as the time. Scattered brands never made guest of her sister, Mrs. O. C. Me- a fire and the energy and ability that Dannell. exist here among the business men For clover and timothy seeds go need organization. There are many to John Giles & Co. (Continued on last page)

#### for Alleged Theft.

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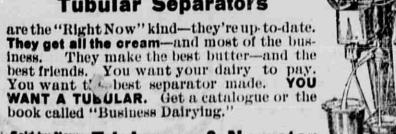
Tools are the best made We have

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raw Knives

EEN KUTTER Bready's Sunday Evening Lecture. In the lecture at the Methodist church last Sunday evening on the topic, "What's the Matter With Lowell?", Rev. Russell H. Bready

spoke in part as follows: "My plan is tonight to go into the intensely practical realm, to give no set speech in any way, just picking up here and there points that appeal to me as being appropriate to the hour. I am interested in all that you are interested in, in this village. **CONGREGATIONAL.** The pastor will occupy the pulpit next Sunday morning and preach churches and I wish that they were churches and I wish that they were all open instead of our next door neighbors being closed at this time. The ideal condition is for each church to be open and filled to the doors. We come tonight to this subject that I have announced: "What's the matter with Lowell?", and if any-body has come here tonight expect-ing that I am going to cut everything ing that I am going to cut everything and everybody wide open you will be mistaken. I am not. I want to say that I am pleased with the people of Lowell to live among, and I consider Lowell a beautiful town to live in. The town has the reputation, however, of being a slow, conservative, un-progressive town. I find that most of that isn't justified, though I think from missing crosswalks that some of it is justified. But here I wish to say that after learning the financial condition of the town, I believe this— that much of this condition here has been caused more from necessity than



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gut troubling you."

was being fanned. Not wasting time, the specials, while others knocked at f struck for the railroad, because I the station door. knew the geography of that best, but | One of the Cullens' servants opened longer in jail.

It didn't take me three minutes to "Sorry to trouble yer, miss," said was black as a coal-dumper, except for | jail, and we've got to look for him." the cracks of the certain windows in "How?" the specials, the dim light of the lamp "That's just what gits away with in the station, and the glow of the row me," marveled the sheriff. "My idea

i told him what I wanted of him,—to find if the pony I had ridden (Camp's or Batdwin's) was in town and, if so, to learn where it was, and to get the letters on the quiet from under the because I could trust him, and next. because I could trust him, and next. We'll send a feller up for Mr. Cullen, as the bully treated the little boy. "A little boy was peaceably mak-to treat the poor and helpless man as the bully treated the little boy. "A little boy was peaceably mak-to tearn where it was, and to get the because I could trust him, and next. because I could trust him, and next. Here the Argument Was Weak. We'll send a feller up for Mr. Cullen, as the bully treated the little boy. "A little boy was peaceably mak-the astion." "Come, we can't wait all night for because I could trust him, and next. Here the Argument Was Weak. Here the Argument Was Weak. as an alternative, and if any of them | ahead.

"And where'll you asked the man "Is there any place about here that's | Camp

a safe hiding spot for a few hours?" I "Nothin' of the kind," denied asked. "I want to stay till I'm sure sheriff. those letters are safe, and after that

said the man. "I'll tell you, I've got late, just the place for you. The platform's | "Look a here," growled the sheriff, boarded in all round, but I noticed one | "who are yer sayin' all this to, anyand if you just pry it | right off. open enough to get in, and then pull "All I mean," hastily said Camp, "is

"That will do," I said; "and when | "I don't need no instructin' in my



#### "When the letters are safe, say 'That | way freight is late.""

get a chance, tell one of the Cullens him if you can, and if you can't, fire fired with an enthusiasm that four the most aristocratic in Naples.

ed down, and walked away. But after | ly, ironically, clearly insulted at the shouted: going fifty feet I dropped down on my suggestion that he would travel with- "Yes, yes, and if Maud consents, the Cirrhosis of Liver Confines Standard Nuts army. I showed him what it Inside of two minutes I was safely "Then keep a sharp lookout, and stowed away under the platform, in listen to everything you hear, espeabout as neat a hiding-place as a man could ask. In fact, if I had only had If you can spot their lay, crawl out No? De ol' man was smokin' in bed be ill in his home, suffering from cirr-of numbers of my fellow-students who my wits enough about me to borrow a and get word to me at once. Now, an' he set things afish an' burnt de hosis of the liver and a general break of numbers of my fellow-students who have made visible improvement men-

gravel, and, as an additional precau- They weren't a moment too soon, for "An' what 'bout de ol' man?" tion. I scooped out, close to the side the next instant I heard two or three "De ol' man? Oh, he was daid!" | ried about his condition.

ed in, it would take uncommon good dreadful swearing."

still more because I wanted to get to the door of 218, and I heard the sherthe station. It was a big risk to go iff's voice telling him he'd got to there, but it was one I was willing to search the car. The darky protested, take for the object I had in view, and, saying that the "gentmun was all since I had to take it, it was safest to away, and only de miss inside." The get through with the job before the row brought Miss Cullen to the door, discovery was made that I was no and I heard her ask what was the mat-

reach the station. The whole place | the sheriff, "but a prisoner has broken | the slices of light which shone through "Escaped!" cried Madge, joyfully.

"I hope you'll wait till my father comes." begged Madge.

sheriff. "We musn't discomfort the "I believe you're wasting time in or-

der to help him escape," snapped

"If you won't do your duty, I'll take he law into my own hands, and order be near here." angry as hardly to be able to articu-

ace, they'll never find that it's your duty, in your honorable position, to search this car."

> ooty as sheriff," retorted the official. But a bigger dooty is what is owin' to the feminine sex. When a female is in question, a gentleman, Mr. Camp .yes, sir, a gentleman,--is in dooty ound to be perlite." "Politeness be ---- !"

roared the sheriff wrathfully. "but - my soul to --- if any ---cuss has a right to use such ---talk in the presence of a lady!"

#### -----CHAPTER XIV.

the sheriff's indignant declaration of Herald. the canons of etiquette, I heard Mr. Cullen's voice demanding to . know what the trouble was, and it was

"Two of you fellows get down beow the car and crawl in under the ramble. Won't you join us?"

people jump on to the platform, and Albert Cullen's voice drawl, "Aw, by Jove, what's the row?" Camp not enightening them, Lord Ralles suggested that they get on the car to find out, and the three did so. A moment later the sheriff came to the door and told Camp that I was not to be found. "I told yer this was the last place to look fr. " cuss, Mr. Camp," he said. "We .. just discomforted the pres

"I'll show just what it is worth, with- boys found the loose plank and crawl- thank you for reproving Mr. Camp's a committee to join a Senate committee to attend the funeral at Philadelphia.



"A benevolent gentleman saw this included a bill authorizing the Se outrageous bullying from a distance. of the Interior to reclassify th He drew near, shook his fist at the bills: To extend the provisions of homestead laws to certain lands of letters, put them in the "Now go slow, Mr. Camp," said the big boy and gave the little one a dime lowstone

virtuously, 'but I ought to have all by the car searched," sputtered Camp, so rights, for if I hadn't walloped ye ye Desperate Efforts by Lawyers to Save wouldn't have gotten a cent.""

row, points in a northeasterly direc- drop fell at 1:34. Listeners Never Hear Anything Good" tion. It was a great sight to see the Before I had ceased chuckling over giant waves racing along."-Duluth ITALIAN PRINCE SHOOTS SELF fculty.

#### Maud Consented.

two shots. Mosely, are you heeled?" years of gnawing at his heartstrings I crossed the platform boldly, jump- "Do I chaw terbacey?" asked Mose- had failed to arouse, and he fairly H. H. ROGERS IS REPORTED ILL

sooner the better."

A Minor Trouble.



moment I spoke. "Don't speak my name," I said, warningly, as he struggled to his feet; and then in the fewest possible words I told him what I wanted of him,—to Ke'll send a feller up for Mr. Cullen, Ke'll send a feller up for Mr. Cullen,

Several minor bills were passed by unanimous consent in the House. They

died on the gallows Friday. The sen- stone and designed especially for de- reduced almost to nothing. "I never before saw the waves run-tence of the court that he should be fense, and the miserable hut of the "In the spring of 1904, upon the ad-ning so high on Lake Superior as hanged between 10 and 2 o'clock was peasant, built of timber and stucco vice of a friend. I began to use Dr. they were during the big storm of No- carried out shortly before the latter and thatch. When feudalism fell and Williams' Pink Pills. At that time I vember," said Walter Peters, one of hour. Stoically he stepped upon the the world became more secure, the wasn't able to do anything and could the keepers at the Passage island light- drop, made a last declaration of his modern home, designed for residence house. Passage island is located about innocence, and his life was given in and not for defense, replaced the fortfour miles east of Isle Royale. legal atonement for the murder of ress. "The house is 60 feet above the Marie Welcker Hoch, one of the many level of the lake," continued Mr. Pe- wives whom he was accused of poisonters, "and the waves were so high that ing. Desperate efforts were made to all the windows in the kitchen were save him from the gallows even until broken and the floor was flooded. Our the hour when he was taken from the "All through my high school course new pumping house was swept en death cell, but all measures were in and first year in college," writes an adequate to do more than to prolong ambitious young man, "I struggled "When the storm had subsided we his life two or three hours. It had with my studies on a diet of greasy, by all druggists and by the Dr. Williams found some stones weighing as much been planned to place him upon the pasty foods, being especially fond of Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. as 100 pounds strewn about in the vi- scaffold before 11 o'clock, but the ef- cakes and fried things. My system cinity of the house, washed there by forts of his attorneys and the desire got into a state of general disorder of Jailer Whitman, to grant his last and it was difficult for me to apply "The wind was from the northeast, request for as long a time as possible myself to school work with any deand our island, which is long and nar- delayed his execution until 1:30. The gree of satisfaction. I tried different

## to Duke's Daughter.

quickly explained to him that I had how once he was unconsciously re- Strongoli, aged 19 years, son of a directions on the package, and in quickly explained to him that I had how once he was unconsciously it. Strongoli, aged 19 years, son of a escaped. He at once gave them per-mission to search his car, and went in His mind was filled with a subtle committed suicide by shooting. He to a few weeks my strength was rewith the sheriff and the cowboys. Ap- theological problem when a neighbor's was to have been married in a few stored, my weight had increased, I stomach back into good condition parently Madge went in too, for in a daughter passed in company with a hours to a daughter of the duke of had a clearer head and felt better in and then the chances are ten to one noment I heard Camp say, in a low diffident youth. His thoughts were in- Corigliano. He left a letter to his every particular. My work was sim- that you will have no more sympterrupted as she called out to him: father saying he killed himself be. ply sport to what it was formerly. "Oh, doctor, we are just going for a cause he was skeptical about life and another letter to his fiancee saying down and she had become so nervous Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 5oc. truck where you can't be seen. Evi- "With pleasure. Do you want the she would have been unhappy with that she could not attend to her That way freight is late.' And if you likely to come by and by. If so, nab The bashful lover was suddenly that four the most aristocratic in Naples. him. The affair has caused a great music. She went on Grape-Nuts and

Magnate to His Home.

New York dispatch: H. H. Rogers, down condition he has developed into my wits enough about me to borrow a revolver of the man. I could have made a pretty good defence, even if discovered. A. J. TOWER CO., Battle Creek, Mich. that his friends and relatives are wor- There's a reason. Read the little

Giant Waves on Lake Superior.

#### His View Utilitarian. To her already considerable collecadded an unusually large dresser that

had its top covered with a slab of marble not less than six feet long. O. C. Hayden, of O. C. Hayden & · All sorts of comments had been made | Co., dry goods merchants, of Albert on it, but one of her men friends Lea. Minn., says: "I was so lame struck a note that illustrated just how oc-, many different viewpoints there may be in the world. He stood in front of

An eminent physician declares that if all the strength had gone from my two hours of sleep before midnight back. After suffering for some time

#### AWFUL PSORIASIS 35 YEARS. Terrible Scaly Humor in Patches All

generally forming a circle, leaving in the center a spot about the size of a Certain men are determined to get in the Senate to-day and was accorded the unusual privilege of a reading at length. The hazing bill was passed without division after several amend-ments had been made. Mr. Tillman pre-sented a petition from the Independent Oil Reiners' Association of Titusville and Oil City, Pa., asking relief from alleged discrimination, declaring that the rail-road freight rate on refined oil in barrels from the oil regions of New York harbor for export had been increased to a pho-hibitive point. Mr. Clapp from the com-

Friday, February 23, 1906. ing the weight of the copper conduct- Disappear When Dr. Williams' Pink

he buily came up and demanded half he money. "'I'll be satisfied with half,' he said differences of the baye all by "'I'll be satisfied with half,' he said differences of the baye all by the money. "'I'll be satisfied with half,' he said the point of the baye all by th

#### Origin of Modern Home.

#### FOOD AND STUD7

A College Man's Experience. medicines and food preparations but did not seem able to correct the dif-

"Then my attention was called to Dies Within Few Hours of Wedding Grape-Nuts food and I sampled it. I had to do something, so I just buck-An absent-minded clergyman tells Naples cablegram: Prince Pignatelli led down to a rigid observance of the Lane's Family

who is in the postoffice department at Washington city and had been trying to do brain work on greasy foods, was and could do and from a broken-

book, "The Road to Wellville," in

HIS ONE WEAK SPOT. tion of old mahogany the woman had Prominent Minnesota Merchant Cured to Stay Cured by Doan's Kidney

Pills. that I could hardly

walk. There was

an unaccountable

weakness of the

back, and constant

pain and aching.

could find no rest

and was very un.

comfortable at night.

As my health was



good in every other way I could not understand this trouble. It was just as

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hibitive point. Mr. Clapp from the com-mittee on Indian affairs reported the bill for the settlement of the affairs of the hours. It was worse on my arms and for the settlement of the affairs of the five civilized tribes by urging im-mediate action, as the existing Indian government expires a week from Satur-over my body, also on my scalp. If love, and get away with them, than y. The bills authorizing the purchase I let the scales remain too long with-coal lands in the Island of Batan, P. I let the scales remain too long with-and amending the Philippine tariff act out removing by bath or otherwise, the courage to stand for in a million

> Three Causes of Death. There are only three immediate causes of death: The stoppage of the functions of the cerebro-spinal nervous system, of the lungs, or of the

RHEUMATIC PAINS

#### Fills Furify the Blood and Heal Inflamed Tissues.

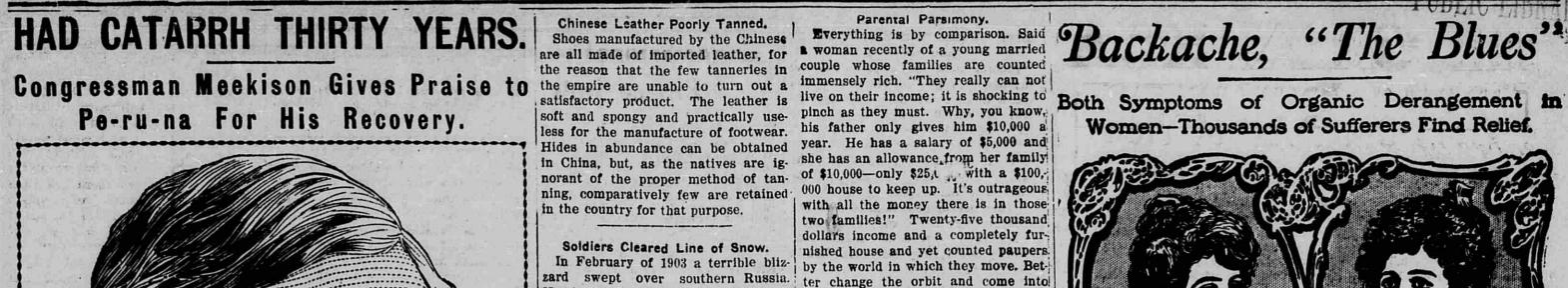
street, Sandy Hill, N.Y., was a sufferer A member of the New York bar from inflammatory rheumatism from says that he once attended a trial in the time she was sixteen. She says: a Western city in which the counsel "It first appeared in my kneo joints, He drew near, shook his fist at the big boy and gave the little one a dime to comfort him. "There, there,' he said. 'Here is a dime for you. Now dry your eyes.' "Then he departed. "But he was no sooner gone than "But he was no sooner gone than

> lieved the pain for a little while there seemed no prospect for a permanent cure. I was confined to my bed, off and Johann Hoch From Gallows. Chicago, Ill., special: Johann Hoch forms of house, the castle, built of swelled dreadfully at times and I was

barely est enough to keep alive. I felt a chauge for the better in about a month. I began to eat heartily and I suffered less pain. Of course I kept on the treatment, using care in my diet, and in about three months I was cured. I am entirely well today and do all my own work

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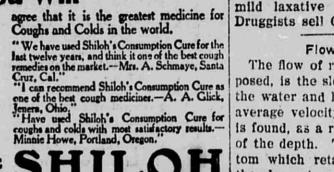


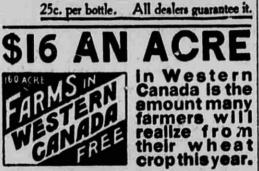
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Coffee and Epilepsy. Austrian and German physicians have fixed on coffee as one of the pupil as to what was the distinguish. cial catalogue called auses of epilepsy.

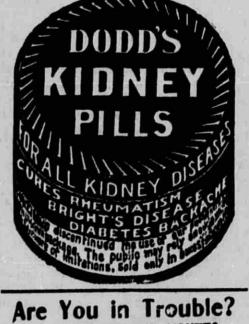
To Get the Best Out of Life: Order the life habits to conform to States that is the largest."-Harper's you back what you paid for it. If you the laws of hygiene, take proper rest, Weekly. food, drink and exercise, have plenty of light, fresh air and sunshine, and take a cup of Garfield Tea daily. This mild laxative insures Good Health. Druggists sell Garfield Tea.

Flow of Rivers The flow of rivers, as might be sup- pigs are Have used Shiloh's Consumption Cure for average velocity of the entire stream he movement of the deepest water is much greater, relatively to the whole volume of the stream, in a shallow river than in a day at home, she has been making

> Treasure in Russian Churches. in Western Canada is the sian churches are of fabulous value.

amount many St. Isaac's cathedral, in St. Petersburg, is said to have cost \$50,000,000. our great aim, instead of a fat pocketits copper roof is overlaid with pure book. If the aim is directed towards cropthisyear, gold. In the Cathedral of Kazan the the picketbook the head will suffer. 25 Bushels to the Acre Will be the name of the Almighty blazes in dia- the heart will starve, and the life will monds from a cloud of beaten gold, ceteriorate.-Success Magazine. under which are solid silver doors, The land that this was grown on cost many of twenty feet high.

> Parasols and Sunshades. "I always thought," remarked an English judge, "that a parasol and a ed into South and Central America. sunshade were the same." "No," relied the witness on the stand: "a



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New York State Logal Advice Ass'n,



Before chrysanthemums are exhibited at the various shows they are curled and frilled by specialists to make them appear to the best advan-

Question That Is Fatal. "What is the use?" Nothing-nothing in the world, if you are determined to insist upon the question .---John A. Howland.

DOES ANY ONE OWE YOU MONEY? DO NOT WORRY ANY MORE. LET US WORRY FOR YOU. NORTOAGE YOUR FARM; RENEW YOUR LEANE; MTART IN BUSINESS OR MAKE A WILL? IN UNIVER ANY SUBJECT ON WHICH

in the country for that purpose.

ied beneath the snowdrifts, while out- | Herald, side Odessa three trains were completely blocked. Word was at once

#### Not in His Line.

at a function spoke of her new diamond necklace. "It's a present from my husband, and cost \$40,000. But" ways. \* \* \* Find out what you -fearfully-"don't put that in the to do and then stick to it. paper." "Madam," returned the rereporter, "you need have no fear. I'm not the financial editor."

#### Artificial Vocal Chords.

A Viennese, whose larvnx was cut out for cancer, has invented a speak-ing apparatus made of a rubber pipe fitted with artificial vocal chords, our state of the second state of th out for cancer, has invented a speakwhich he inserts in his throat when he wishes to speak. He spoke before the Viennese Medical Society at its last meeting. The voice is a high falsetto, but what he said was easily un-

#### Feather Headdresses Coming. We are wondering (says a fashion

pert) whether we are slowly vee round to the elaborate headentury. Plumes and other feather erections of size have been seen both less headdresses) adorning the coif-

#### The Coming Woman.

suming large proportions, and the delthe past will soon become extinct as for hogs, cows, sheep and swine. IS GUARANTEED TO CURE the dodo. There is already talk among s of repudiating the sex" in favor of men.

#### Unique Distinction of Texas.

ing feature of the state of Texas. for being the only one of the United gain prices.

#### Most Curious Vegetable.

oots, stem, flowers, leaves por seeds. In some parts dogs and rained to dig for it, the bottom of lanimals being guided by their sense

#### Woman's Work is Never Done.

When a woman says she has been working hard it is a sign that she has been out calling all day; and when she says she has had a quiet restful clothes for the children .-- New York

#### The Proper Aim.

We should make a rich personality

## Elephants for South America.

It has been suggested that Afri can and Asiatic elephants be importin the vast forests of which they would multiply and provide a future source of ivory.

#### Teach Children to Save Teeth. School children in Strasburg, Darm-

stadt and other cities of Germany not only have their teeth treated free of charge, but are taught how to masticate food with the least injury to the

# Curl Chrysanthemums.

When He is Unfortunate. There is a tide in the affairs of man when everybody seems to try to soak him.--Exchange.

Smallest Dogs. The Mexican lap dog is the smallest member of the dog family.

the reason that the few tanneries in couple whose families are counted soft and spongy and practically use- pinch as they must. Why, you know, less for the manufacture of footwear. his father only gives him \$10,000 a Hides in abundance can be obtained year. He has a salary of \$5,000 and in China, but, as the natives are ig-norant of the proper method of tan-of \$10,000-only \$25,t with a \$100,ning, comparatively few are retained, 000 house to keep up. It's outrageous with all the money there is in those ? two families!" Twenty-five thousand dollars income and a completely fur-Soldiers Cleared Line of Snow. nished house and yet counted paupers In February of 1903 a terrible bliz- by the world in which they move. Betzard swept over southern Russia. ter change the orbit and come into Hundreds of peasants' huts were bur- one of common sense. - Boston

Deafness Cannot Be Cured sent to the neighboring barracks and over 4,000 soldiers, armed with shov-els, promptly appeared upon the scene. In a very short while the lines were cleared. tion, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. A woman was detailing some social news to a newspaper reporter the other day and in describing her gown at a function spoke of her new dia-

# You can't advance fast by moving cross

DON'T FORGET A large 2-oz, package Red Cross Ball Blue, only 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind. When a man has had a quarrel with may be caused by diseased kidneys or weakness, displacements or ulceration, is wife he tries to look upon himself some derangement of the organs. that bearing-down feeling, inflammahis wife he tries to look upon himself as entitled to sympathy.

Each woman feels sure she has force of character which a man is compelled to admire.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces in-iammation, allaye pain, cures wind colle. 25ca bottle. Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Cotrely.

that it is advertising truffles when the Dakota, writes: people need potatoes.

sses of the end of the eighteenth DR. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 951 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

## USE THE FAMOUS Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2-oz. package 5 cents. The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

The ordinary woman does not have On the whole the modern woman to trace backward to the missing link (says a correspondent) is slowly as. to make a monkey out of man!

A Baltimore school teacher says Grown Pedigree Seeds on our seed farm once put a question to a boy the past year compel us to issue

SALZER'S BARGAIN SEED BOOK. "Texas," replied the lad, "is celebrated This is brim full of bargain seeds at bar SEND THIS NOTICE TO-DAY.

and receive free sufficient seed to grow tons of grass on your lot or farm this summer and our great Bargain Seed Book with its wonderful surprises and great bargains in seeds at bargain prices. The most curious vegetable in the Remit 4c and we add a package of Cosbeautiful annual flower. John A. Salzer Seed Co., Lock Draw-er W., La Crosse, Wis.

> Even if London's starving hordes learn Desk Calendar FREE. Higher that England has a \$10,000,000 battleship. Communications confidential. Established 1861. their enthusiasm will be moderate. Mason, Fenwick & Lawrence, Washington, D. C. DR. W. O. COFFEE. 360, Century Bidg., Des Moines, la.

Women-Thousands of Sufferers Find Relief. How often do we hear women say: "It ham's Vegetable Compound, When I com-seems as though my back would break," menced taking the Compound I suffered or "Don't speak to me, I am all out of sorts"? These significant remarks prove that the system requires attention. that the system requires attention. to you," Backache and "the blues" are direct

symptoms of an inward trouble which When women are troubled with irregwill sooner or later declare itself. It ular, suppressed or painful periods, Nature requires assistance and at once, tion of the female organs, backache, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com- bloating (or flatulence), general de pound instantly asserts its curative bility, indigestion and nervous prostra-

Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Cotrely. The trouble with much preaching is Mrs. J. C. Holmes, of Larimore, North

Dear Mrs. Pinkham ;-FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after and female trouble-I let the trouble run on widespread and unqualified endors ment. Refuse to buy any substitute. until my system was in such a condition that The value of a strong man's power depends on his patience with the much suffering I would have saved I should invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if

Street, New York City, writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:-

suming large proportions, and the del-icate, slender, finely-made figure of the past will scop become ortingt as Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice-A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills

powers in all those peculiar ailments of tion, or are beset with such symptoms women. It has been the standby of as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitintelligent American women for twenty ability, irritability, nervousness, sleepyears, and the best judges agree that lessness, melancholy, "all gone" and it is the most universally success- "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues ful remedy for woman's ills known to and hopelessness, they should remem-

No other medicine has such a record cures of female troubles. No other medicine in the world has received this videspread and unqualified endorse-

#### I was unable to be about, and then it was 1 FREE ADVICE TO WOMEN.

have taken it months sooner-for a few there is anything about her symptom weeks' treatment made me well and strong, she does not understand. Mrs. Pink-My backaches and headaches are all gone and I suffer no pain at my monthly periods, whereas before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered intense pain." she does not understand. Mrs. Pink-ham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant before her de-cease, and for twenty-five years since Mrs. Emma Cotrely, 109 East 12th her advice has been freely and cheerfully given to every ailing woman who asks for it. Her advice and medicine

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PATENTS for PROFIT DR. COFFEE'S 80 - PAGE

HIGH CLASS DRUGGISTS AND – OTHERS.

The better class of druggists, everywhere, are men of scientific attainments and high integrity, who devote their lives to the welfare of their fellow men in supplying the best of remedies and purest medicinal agents of known value, in accordance with physicians' prescriptions and scientific formula. Druggists of the better class manufacture many excellent remedies, but always under original or officinal names and they never sell false brands, or imitation medicines. They are the men to deal with when in need of anything in their line, which usually includes all standard remedies and corresponding adjuncts of a first-class pharmacy and the finest and best of toilet articles and preparations and many useful accessories and remedial appliances. The earning of a fair living, with the satisfaction which arises from a knowledge of the benefits conferred upon their patrons and assistance to the medical profession, is usually their greatest reward for long years of study and many hours of daily toil. They all know that Syrup of Figs is an excellent laxative remedy and that it gives universal satisfaction, and therefore they are selling many millions of bottles annually to the well informed purchasers of the choicest remedies, and they always take pleasure in handing out the genuine article bearing the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co.-printed on the front of every package. They know that in cases of colds and headaches attended by biliousness and constipation and of weakness or torpidity of the liver and bowels, arising from irregular habits, indigestion, or over-cating, that there is no other remedy so pleasant, prompt and beneficial in its effects as Syrup of Figs, and they are glad to sell it because it gives universal satisfaction.

Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal satisfaction which it gives and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not besitate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name-" Syrup of Figs"-or "Fig Syrup" and of some piratical concern, or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co.-printed on the front of the package. The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Figs" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians' prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the druggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only, at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company-California Fig Syrup Co.-printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.

From Our Point of View

THE will of a Missouri man who wrote poor "poetry" has been set aside because, judged by his writings, he was deemed mentally unfit to make a will. If this could be read and heed-ed by doggerel writers who make life miserable for country aditors some of whom lack the brains or spunk to use the editors, some of whom lack the brains or spunk to use the though waste basket, it would be helpful. Previous to establishing THE LEDGER, the writer had about ten years' experience as a publisher at Almont and Mayville, in both of which places he and his readers suffered much at the hands of obituary "poets." Nearly every death was the signal for yards of doleful lines "dashed off" withert and lines of the branches of the branch "dashed off" without regard to rythm, rhyme or reason; all of which the editor was expected to revise, correct and print, without pay, for the "pleasure" it would give his readers. Ten years of this was a plenty; and when we started in Low-ell with a clean sheet, we made a rule to which we have rigidly adhered: and our readers will now understand why obituary poetry is never printed in this paper. At times we have been tempted to break the rule; but considerations of the greatest good to the greatest number, won: and time has proven the prostration. It contains no alcohol wisdom of the course.

IN AN editorial commenting adversely upon a proposed oratorical eulogy of Ingersoll by a student of Chicago univer-sity, the Detroit Journal says: "The world is no better off for the life of Robert Ingersoll." This statement is not in accord with advanced religious thought, nor with much of the pulpit teaching of today. It is now recognized by religious teachers everywhere that the world owes much to Ingersoll for aid in ridding us of false and horrible ideas of God and religion. We ridding us of false and horrible ideas of God and religion. We have heard this credit given him from Lowell pulpits very recently; and we advise our Detroit big brother to attend church occasionally and catch up with the times. Ingersoll lived a kind, charitable and honest life; his home life being such as any man well might emulate. We do not defend Ingersoll for his roughness on the platform; and we regret that where he tore down so much he builded so little: but we assert that 'the world is better off for the life of Robert Ingersoll."

Now that the fool newspapers have started in on Roose-velt's second daughter, who is but 15 years old, the reading public must act, or submit to martyrdom until this girl is mar-ried. How would it do to daub mud on such articles and mail them back to the publishers? It might hammer some brains into their heads if persisted in. The suspicion grows that back of all the gush and drivel about the President's family, is a plot to destroy his popularity, based on the truism, "Familiarity breeds contempt.'

THAT New York preacher who read 1900 books about Lincoln before he came to the conclusion that the great Martyr was a Christian deserves the dunce cap. Had he judged the tree by its fruit instead of worming to find other men's beliefs about Lincoln's private opinions, he would not now be publishing himself a jackass, braying out a simple fact the great world discovered forty years ago. Slow? That man won't know he's been dead when Gabriel toots nis horn! -----

A DETROIT judge in sentencing a poor, old Negro for stealing scrap iron, showed the injustice of our laws, when he said: "If you were a rich man I could fine you; but you haven't a cent to pay a fine. You are an old man and I don't like to send you to jail;" and then he gave him ninety days, the same that Eliot F. Shephard got for killing a child with his devil wagon. Reader, what think you? What thinks He who is no up to our house to-day, and he said how to use the charity that institu- Mich. respecter of persons?

SPLENDID! One of the Vanderbilt family has had to go to jail in France, after paying \$120 fine and \$4,000 damages for killing a child with his automobile. Money doesn't count with the Vanderbilts; and they poured it out like water to settle on a financial basis and dodge the disgrace of a jail sentence-but in vain. American courts should study French justice.

AGAIN, THE LEDGER reminds Postmaster Quick that place in the last show."-Philadel- sometimes almost too overflowing. ly, \$3.00 per day for expenses. State failure to open the office for an hour or so in the evening after a holiday closing, works needless injury to Lowell business interests. His predecessors set him no such example; and his successors will not be apt to follow his. The office belongs to have there, Harker. What do you consisted of nine. the public. Let the public be accommodated.

NO DECENT man would convict of murder the French girl on trial in New York for shooting the vile wretch who had decoyed her from her far away home and enslaved her, for years living luxuriantly upon the earnings of her shame. By that law of justice written only in the hearts of honest men, she served the monster right. Vote her guilty? Not in a thousand years!

WE REPEAT what we have said many times before: The best interests of village and township demand that there be two tickets in the field at both elections. People generally agree that this is true; and it is hoped that the sentiment will take tangible shapes at the Spring election.

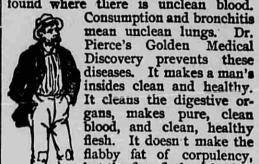
Asked if China has a grievance against the United States, General Shafter declares: "Of course she has. For years the Chinese have been subjected to every possible indignity by our officials. It has been scandalous." Shafter is right; and we do not need to add war to the scandal. A SUITABLE site for the Vergennes-Keene Methodist par-village offers many advantages which the committee will not the stomach and prevent further twould be to take steps at once to strengthen village offers many advantages which the committee will not

village offers many advantages which the committee will not the stomach and prevent further fail to discover.

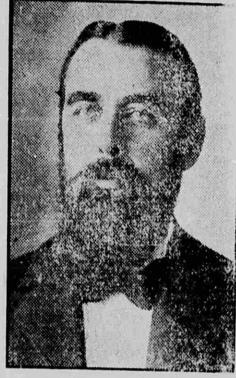
"WHISKY did it," snivelled a Detroit man who has been strengthen the gastric follicles so she—The poor little thing's face that they will pour out their daily is so dirty that it can't shut its eyes.

Outside cleanliness is less than he e battle. A man may scrub himself dozen times a day, and still be unclean. Good health means cleanliness not only outside, but inmeans a clean ach, clean bowels, blood, a clean and new, clean, tissues and fi-

A CLEAN MAN.



the firm flesh of health. to inebriate or create craving for injurious stimulants



REV. CHARLES NEASE Former pastor of the Lowell Meth- generous and hospitable. Pushed odist church who will participate in aside by the rest of the community the jubilee program at the church Monday evening, March 5.

#### Everything Depended.

He-Our grocer is using an autonobile for delivering goods. She-Is he, indeed.

he didn't know; he hadn't tried to tions for relief provide, but it is also start the machine yet!"-Yonkers because he cares for his own. The

Where the Difference Lies.

in the last place." " "Unless he happens to be an actor. door neighbor though they have lit-

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## Suitable Name.

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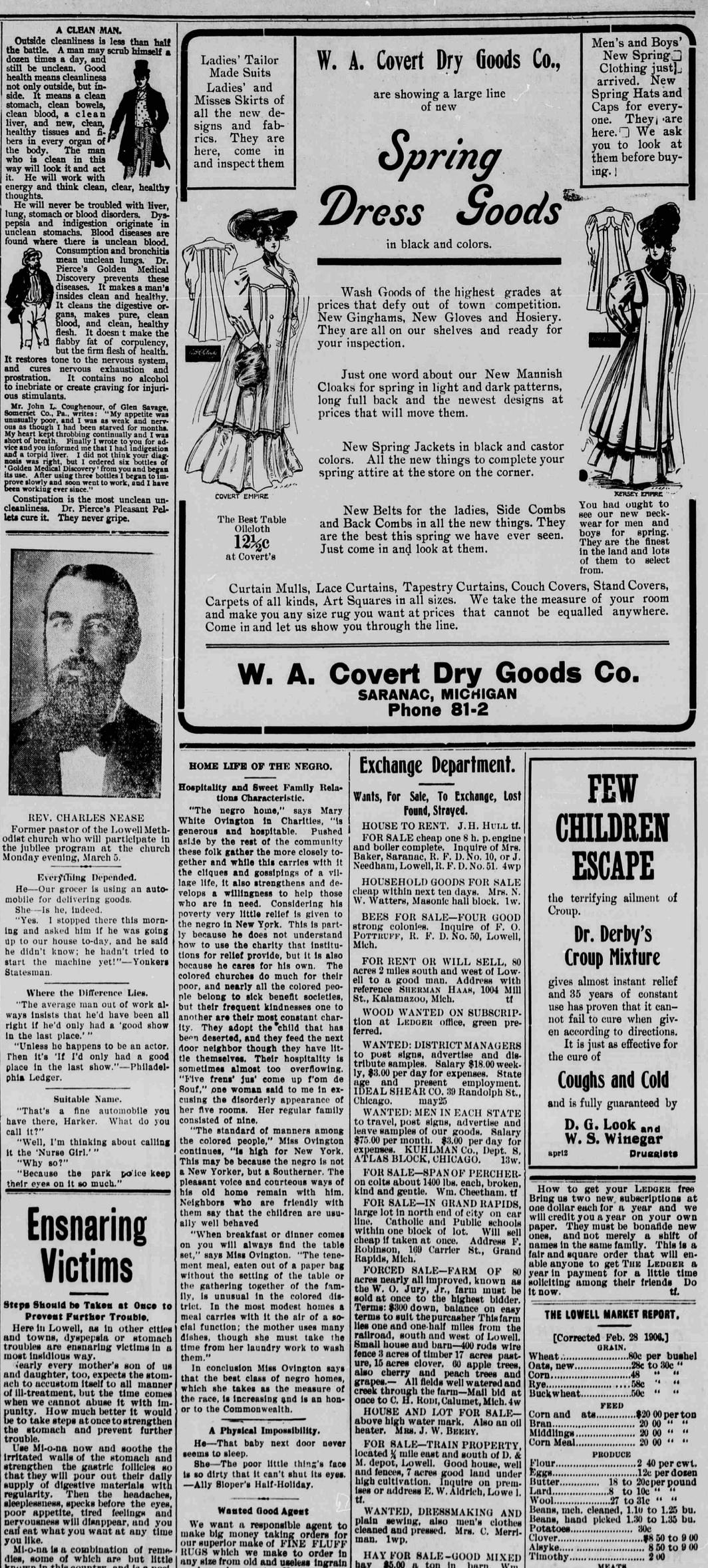
it the 'Nurse Girl.' " "Why so?"

their eyes on it so much."



Prevent Further Trouble.

Use Mi-o-na now and soothe the irritated walls of the stomach and abusing his wife and children for 20 years; but the old gag didn't save him from 60 days. Keep sober, or pay the penalty. Isn'T the Ladies' Home Journal bearing down rather hard Isn'T the Ladies' Home Journal bearing down rather hard



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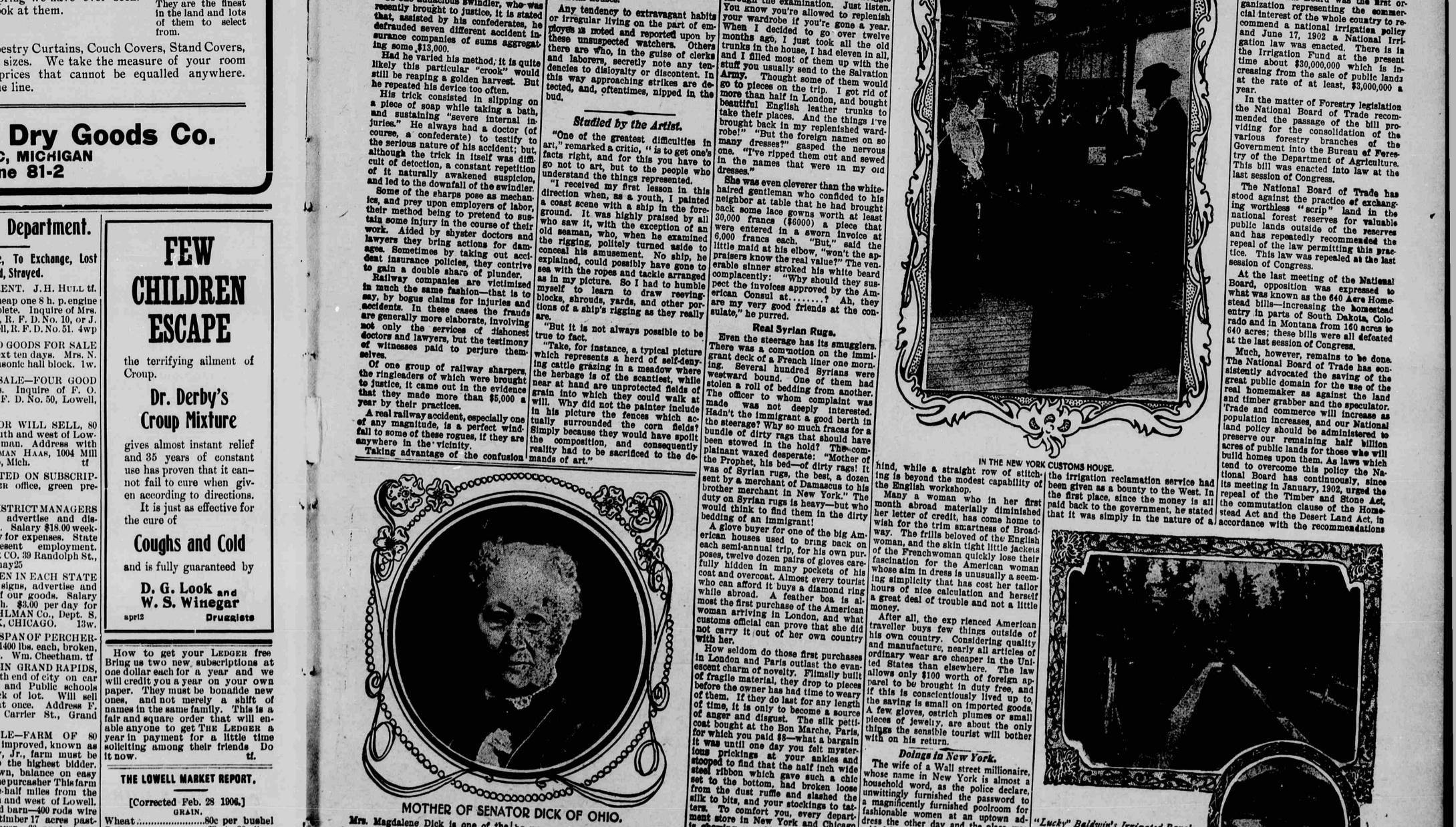
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## MAGAZINE SECTION





# THE LOWELL LEDGER.

LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1906.

brey of this robber bands.
Of one audacious swindler, who was recently brought to justice, it is stated that, assisted by his confederates, he defrauded seven different accident in surance companies of sums aggregation in state of sums aggregation.
Had he varied his method, it is quite likely this particular "crook" would still be reaping a golden harvest. But he repeated his device too often.
His trick consisted in slipping on

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ganization representing the commer-cial interest of the whole country to recommend a national irrigation policy and June 17, 1902 a National Irrigation law was enacted. There is in



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course of two years made a study of reserves.

greatest resource ever possessed by any nation on earth.

The attention of our lawmakers in ongress should be urgently called to the fact that while they are attempting economy in the expenditure of money, they are allowing laws to remain in force under which by far the most valuable asset of the nation is being recklessly wasted. Under the Timber and Stone Act,

me sales of public timber lands during the last five years have been as follows:

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'A large \_ eportion of these lands have been in the heavily timbered belt of the mr Northwest and is of the class of Imber described by the Secretary of the Interior in his report for the fiscal year ended, June 30, 1903, in which he

"The Timber and Stone Act will, if not repealed or radically amended, result ultimately in the complete destruction of the timber on the unappropriatand the opportunity offered under the Act for the fraudu tances worth forty times that (\$100) has been heretofore set forth in the pages of my annual reports and those

Hundred Million Dol'ar Waste. But estimating the values only of the

4,709,860 acres of timber land disposed f in the last five years, and at only the government, the stumpage only to proximately \$64,000,000.

of the creation of federal forest re-rerves to preserve the water supply of eastern steams, upon the continued fow of which demends much of our these "reserves" would be dangerous of the remarked that he never enjoyed flow of which depends much of our and wasteful. Timber land which a a trip more. manufacturing activity. The western few years are could have been purhalf of the United States has over 100. chased at \$1.50 to \$3 an acre has now 000.000 acres set aside in national forest trebled and quadrupled in value. Ad- Only hardshell

hand Office, Frederick H. Newell, Chief Ingineer of the Reclamation Service and Gifford Pinchot, Chief of the Bureau of Forestry, has during the Bureau of Forestry, has during the

IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA APPALACHIANS.

that time, parted with the title of land Justry alone, in the Piedmont regions mother still keeps and prizes her first by telling me you enjoyed my lecture, and worth \$117,746,500. The price received of North Carolina, South Carolina and declaration of love. been at the uniform Georgia is shown by the statistics of Judge Longworth was once travel-acre, or \$11,774,650, the mills operated by the water power ing in Italy. He was in a forward car and they both went!"

estry Service and the other half to the Irrigation Fund, two policies of great internal improvement and im-portance could be generously main-tained, while at the same time the of all New England. We are upon the came good frineds. forestry question would be to a great threshold of great industrial competi-extent solved, public forest lands being tion with the producing powers of the ed the plan of living a few days with umbered in such a manner as to pre- world; to maintain our supremacy we the bandits in Thessaly. With severwith sever-the young growth and leave the forest as a perpetual source of income to the nation and at the same time conserve the water supply. The the the bandits in Thessaiy. With sever-invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national invention is being utilized as never be fore and greatly aiding to our national famous robber chief and told him they

The importance of the Appalachian became his wife and the mother of his there," remarked the lecturer. "Oh, 1 \$25 per acre, the government has, in forest cover to the cotton milling in- son, the present congressman. The wasn't there." "Well, what do you mean

loss to the government of over \$100, derived from the streams having their with a friend; and when his wife sent 00,000. Your committee endorses the sources in these mountains. In these word for him to come back to her, the the President and three states there are 163 mills so judge remarked. "We had best take all Commission for the re- operated, with a combined capital stock our things as the dago marquis here mber and Stone Act and of \$33,000,000, with 2,770,000 spindles might swipe them." This remark was the substitution of a rational forest and 50,926 looms and giving work to made concerning a swarthy looking policy, by which the title to the public over 45,000 employees. The total an- man in the opposite seat. The judge timber lands shall remain forever in nual production of these mills is ap- was only joking, thinking too, that the stranger did not understand English. e disposed of, at its market value. Virginia has interests also, which When the train stopped, the Marquis Under such a plan as this, and under are not included in the above figures, handed the judge a card. He was whereby one half the as have also Tennesee and Kentucky, a sure enough marquis and he knew be devoted to the For- on the western side of the mountains. English. The card meant a duel, but

If the \$100.000,000 which have been prosperity. lost to the government under the above showing, were at hand, a score or more of enormous irrigation projects could white Mountain Forest Reserves can-yen the outlaws and for two weeks of enormous irrigation projects could not be left to the states; the question Longworth and his party saw much from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 acres of tional one. Nearly all the rivers of been a sealed book to even the neardesert land, and enormous areas of Eastern forest reserves created through the purchase of mountain timber lands supreme importance to the industries mitted no crimes during the visit. supreme importance to the industries mitted no crimes during the visit, of all the New England States, repre- When the stay was over the chief In this connection, your committee senting tens of millions of dollars, that escorted them to the frontier and saw much impressed with the importance the forest cover at the river sources them in safe hands. There was a

erves, as a source of future timber ditional delay will mean a further in- to park squirrels. The teeth of a squirply and for the preservation of the crease in cost. Congress should act rel grow so fast that he needs hard low of streams for irrigation; but at once and preserve from destruction shell nuts to keep them at the proper the east has no such an advantage, one of the greatest resources of the length. A souirrel's teeth will grow, whereas, the menace to her water sup-



Congressman Nick Longworth, the London society has a bad case of the



table, are as woolly as sheep and quie

Seven of these little fellows were imported by Mr. Jamrach, the naturalist, and he insists that they are quite at home and well mannered in the house and that a baby might safely play with them. Two of the herd are hestnuts, two mouse, one bay, one black, but the "pick of the bunch," the smallest of all, has a long creamcolored coat and a tail that sweeps the

All seven were bought at \$75 each on the first day of their exhibition. One of the customers is an intimate friend of the Queen, so that it is quite probable that a pigmy pony will find royal mistress.

Stoker in First Locomotive. Letchworth Cox, who was a stoker on the first locomotive that ever got up steam in America, celebrated his ninety-first birthday at his home in Jamesburg, N. J., on Christmas Day. Mr. Cox was the son of Joseph and Hannah Cox and was born in Chester county, Pa., in 1814. He is still i ssion of all his faculties.

#### They Must Gnaw. y gnaw at something, not out of pure nischief, as people generally imagine, but because they are forced to. Animals of this class, especially rats, have teeth which continue to grow as long as the owner lives. This being the case, the rodent is obliged to continue his gnawing so as to keep his teeth ground off to a proper length.

The Old Folks Were Absent. man came up to a lecturer in a hoin Kansas City, saying with enthusiasm: "Well, sir, I enjoyed your lecture very much last night." "I didn't see you

you were not present?" "Oh, I bought locket and



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WANTS ANOTHER. Gentlemen. Plane and another Telescope. Honey andered. Other was a bargain, good as instruments



# The Wireless Courtesy Technical World

At no time had the place been entire- sidewise inquiringly. ly deserted. Several men had never een out of eyeshot of the bulleting. One of them, a shock-headed youth in

ians were almost silent. They seemed 'We expect you to run double capacity to have exhausted comment and sur- 'rom the instant war is declared.' to take place of conjecture.

On the Verge of War. In Washington the federal news edi-tor apparently had worn out himself and his staff in keeping up a detailed account of the all-night session of Con-gress. As daylight came, the service wahled and what had heen a con-On the Verge of War. wabbled, and what had been a con-nected, well-sustained story of congres-

In the early morning the crowds of the room. He did not look up until which spent most of the night at the bulletin-board were gathering again. side his desk. Then he glanced at him At no time had the place have particely in the national univer-side his desk. Then he glanced at him Young Inventor Busy.

"Mr. Shod," said the younger man, ais hair and eyes gray, and his face

The groups of miners and electric- Look here-a message from the chief, IV.

Atsins became confused and awk- posted. He must be above them." "Can you reach him?"

## Daring Plan Explained.

The coal miners in the crowd read several moments. Then he said: this, and then started for work. Soon "You have a chance. It is too great here were left only a few scattered a chance to lose. It might be our sal-



HE WAS HELD SPELLBOUND BY THE VEHEMENT EXPLANATION. groups; but the shock-headed electri-fvation. I'll inform the chief."

#### cian still sat on the curb and smoked his black pipe. Mail by Airship.

A speck developed in the eastern sky and drew nearer, enlarging rapidly. Then the Washington mail came into sight, and landed at the areoplane sta-tion near the entrance to the power tation. A mail clerk came down the

"Williams says that opposition to b the majority will cease. War will be At that the shock-headed youth arose

denly from the curbstone, walked

was the largest of the government lar demand for war, and least prepared to carry it on. That will direct a million volts-two also sent from South Dakota, where he came to a one-story brick building marked ever its doorway, with the serve to destroy this illusion—it was word "Administration." It was sur-rounded by beds of sweet-peas, which a gardner then was watering. The young man went up the graveled walk without looking to right or left, pushed inner half, turned to the right, and inner half, turned to the right, and inner the door. He was told to enter, and did so, in antidle-sged, grav-haired, spec-in antidle-sged, grav-haired, spec-in antidle-sged, grav-haired, spec-in antidle-sged, grav-haired, spec-in a middle-sged, grav-haired, spec-in an idea." "The this idea," continued Montrus, the special continued Montrus, the continued Montrus, the special continue con

He reached over toward the keyboard but Atsing put out a restraining hand and held him, shaking his head in

Catches Airship for Capital.

Atsins turned away instantly, and ter, in the direct look with which he station. A mail clerk came down the elevator after the sacks had been thrown into the chute. He was ques-tioned eagerly by the men still stand-ting about the bulletin board, but had nothing of news later than that which the bulletins had given them. As he stood talking, another message was flashed on the board: "Well," exclaimed Montrus, sharply. "I have a concentrator—I want you to look at it—I thought—," he began excitedly, but ended brokenly in the fast Washington mail ship. It touched as he came out on the platform, and "Well," exclaimed Montrus, sharply. "I have a concentrator—I want you to look at it—I thought—," he began excitedly, but ended brokenly in the face of a cold stare from Montrus. "Here it is," he concluded, unfolding the year abound just in time. to he was aboard just in time.

II. In the early history of the nation there had been a much applauded maxim: "In time of pcace, prepare for war" The upplauded the modiness giving away to keen ap-preciation. Then he pushed them suddenly from the curbstone, walked rapidly through the gates and on into the grounds of the power station. **Vast Central Power Station.** The Susquehanna Coal and Power District, supplying not only Washing-iton, but New York with electricity for all purposes of light, heat, and power, was the largest of the government power argue into which the country

ington with its institutions, secured all they were not a militant people, they if it will do it-don't you see?" power from the wires charged by the had continued to delude themselves in Montrus stared at the shock-he uchanna District. the '-'lef that war for them was next boy in a daze. The shock-headed electrician kept his to impossible. Their history, a record rapid stride through the grounds until of conflicts made costly because under-he came to a one-story brick building taken without preparation, did not "Will the ships at Kirl ever leave son, it has not been the fault of the ad-

Commander in Despair. He had been dean of the Department young man.

astructor in one of the national military schools. In appearance he was scholastic, his figure spare and bent, Occupy Good Positions as Stewards

Scouting the Upper Air.

tower to take it."

Looking Across the Ocean

inky darkness. Then came little wave cepted without offense. of dim light which rippled across its Such an occupation with its self-

"A hundred, I should say, he re- boat, marked at last, quietly, buc in great

The man stopped and waited expect-

"Tell him-" said Montrus angrily, but stopped. "Let him in," he con-

luded, sullenly Young Inventor to the Rescue. The aide went out and came back with the shock-headed electrician who "Well, I guess you are right there, oo," the older man said; "do as you great, but his earnestness equalled it. The former showed in his awkward posture and twitching fingers; the lat

itself no thought of the insvitable speaking rapidly, "to Sending Station product of incompetence urged into action by rashness. Let him direct any changes he desires. Tell Susquehanna product of incompetence urged into action by rashness. In all this unprepared country, no one appreciated so thoroughly the im-pending danger as did Montrus, the un-ortunate commander-in-chief of the small military forces. "I hope you succeed," he said. "I-I can't fail," stammered the

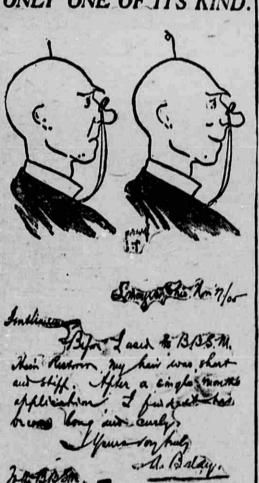
(To be continued.) ACTIVE NORWEGIAN WOMEN.

on coasing Steamers.

One of them, a shock-headed youth in everalls and wearing the cap of a government electrician, sat on the stone surbing by the entrance to the bin but did not reply, merely brushing power station, smoking a small black in-jowled. The elder then looked squarely at him but did not reply, merely brushing back his hair in an abstracted, pre-occupied manner. The young man, waited for an answer without repeating in grower station from which they had come, was no more than suggested from where the crowd stood, the build ings being partially hid in a grove oil from where the crowd stood, the build from Bright young women in Norway find from where the crowd stood, the build-ings being partially hid in a grove of trees. The groups of miner and clost ic. I solve here a message from the chief life on the inland lakes and rivers, is stated in fact to be immensely popu-"He says he is out of the path of lar with the strong and energetic girls mise, and to be waiting for the tangible Leave of absence! Man, go back to their scouts, and thinks he is safely of Northern Europe. That the duties involved necessitate a girl's having a head on her shoulders goes without

wabbled, and what had been a connected, well-sustained story of congressional proceedings had slumped to an a series of firky bulletins of which the last had come a half-hour before, reading:<br/>
"Williams still has the floor. He is making no headway against the major ity. War seems inevitable."<br/>
"Williams still has the floor. He is making no headway against the major ity. War seems inevitable."<br/>
To the men starting for the shafts, this carried no news which they had an drest as they could.<br/>
While they stood watching, another solution, until finally Atsins exast a few hours earlier, to get such sleep and rest as they could.<br/>
Wille the stood watching, another solution, until finally Atsins exast a for breakfast. No action."<br/>
The coal miners in the crowd read this, and then started for work. Soon<br/>
The coal miners in the crowd read this, and then started for work. Soon<br/>
The coal miners in the crowd read the started for work. Soon<br/>
The coal miners in the crowd read to have a chance. It is too great the suments. Then he said:<br/>
The has not her started for work. Soon<br/>
The seal miners in the crowd read the started for work. Soon<br/>
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The officer," to ascertain from the purser A hundred yards farther us the Po- of the ship how many passengers are from the traveler, which being a cus-At first this remained in black and comary thing, may be offered and ac-

> surface. These ripples became strong- respecting independence and its breezy, depths. They cleared away, and there of passengers and tourists, both old and grew up in their place the forms of a new, tends to the formation of pleasant city's roofs and towers, which stood acquaintances, at all seasons of travel. bear, they are the first to leave the



million volts-accurately, to any dis- they raise potatoes which are said to be New York with its millions, and Wash- With the self-deceiving theory that tance, at any object. Man, if it works, so large that one potato will feed six persons. Pumpkins came likewise from Montrus stared at the shock-headed South Dakota, each large enough to fur.



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of the country. Carlete.

cases are largely personal injury, dam- succeednts would be an ample price for

weather conditions having been secured by both sides. As a usual thing when an micial of the Weather Bureau appears in on trial, for it is generally arranged by the attorneys to put him on the

was once called in a case in which the plaintiff had stated that while she was riding in a street car she attempted to shut a window in order to keep out the raw cold weather. As the car reached a curve she was suddenly thrown headlong into the street. The railway introduced the weather record to show that on the date of the alleged accident the weather was warm and sunny and there was no occasion for shutting a window. The wind records of the Weather Bureau are valuable during trials involving damage by wind, such as blowing down of buildings, super structures and flag staffs, the wrecking of vessels on the lakes

in any of the large cities that the north of Weather records are not called into home of

ground that the destruction of the together w called to his assistance a scientist, then in charge of one of the principal weather bureau offices, to whom by mutual consent the decision was left. No Mud on His Boots.







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NNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT	FLOOD EXPENSES Saving timber 32 00 Labor 144 96	AD +2
Lowell Village Made by Clerk Murphy and Approve By the Village Council.	Sacks, stone and other materials 153 81	A Doctor's
special meeting of the Common Council of the lage of Lowell, held in the parlors of the Cit	e Feb. 19, 1906, Balance(Cash on hand) 3425 14 339 76 \$3564 90	Medicine
nk on Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, 1906. Meeting called to order at 8:30 p. m., by Presiden	t L. & P. FUND RECEIPTS	
o-tem Hicks. Present Trustees Collar, Hick rry and Smith. Absent Loveland, Winegar an e President.	d Feb. 20, 1905, Balance(Cash on hand) \$3908 32 d Street Lighting 1350 00 Engine house lights 36 00	Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not a simple cough syrup. It is a
feeting called for the purpose of hearing the nance Committee report on the financial condition	e Stores, residences, factories etc., for light and power 5644 09	strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. It cures hard cases,
the village. The Finance Committee reported that they have mined the books of account of the Clerk an	d For labor 225 71 d Citizens Light Co. Belding 1662 50	severe and desperate cases,
easurer and had approved the same as correct loved by Trustee Perry that the report of the mmitee be accepted and adopted. Carried. Yea	e DISBURSEMENTS	- chronic cases of asthma, pleu- risy, bronchitis, consumption.
llar, Hicks, Perry and Smith. Absent Lovelan d Winegar.	d including Superintendent) 2645 88 Transformer Station 1000 00	Ask your doctor about this. "I have used a great deal of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for course and hard colds on the
In motion by Trustee Smith Council adjourned T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.	Supplies, lamps, wire, fixtures, etc., 1874 52 Interest on bonds 1150 00 Repairs to dam and power house 2015 05	"I have used a great deal of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and hard colds on the chest. It has always done me great good. It is certainly a most wonderful cough medi- cine." - MICHAEL J. FITZGERALD, Medford. N. J.
Financial Statement of the Village of Lowe the year ending Feb. 17, 1906, as approved b	Fuel 33 00 Telephone and Telegraph 35 15	Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of
e Finance Committee. GENERAL FUND	Livery 56 25 Insurance 268 93 Freight 102 39	Auers SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.
RECEIPTS. b. 20, 1905 Balance (Cash on Hand) \$1968 ( linquent Tax from Co. Treasurer 275 4	7 Printing 21 05 Rebates on light 5 00	You will hasten recovery by tal
lance on M. C. Ransford sidewalk 50 om Tax Roll 4480 0	5 Taxes 9.03	ing one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime
om Noble & Co deposit on bid for Bridge Bond 300 ( fund from bridge fund through Groton	• Miscellaneous expense, for replacing old 276.85	A.S. STANNARD TRIBUT
Bridge Co 234 ( reet Licenses 9 (	0 avatem 990 74	Debating Societies in South Boston B
nes from Justice Courts 85 5 Total Receipts \$7357 7	Total disbursements10564 67Feb. 19, '06 Balance (Cash on hand)3803 36	fore the Civil War.
DISBURSEMENTS hreiner property 300 ( rings and benches at park 13 7		Chicago, Feb. 15, 190 Editor Lowell Ledger—
es in Justice Court 72 bod 327	Transfer from General fund\$200 00From tax levy900 00	Pardon me for "butting in" but noticed the passing of A. S. Sta nard, and I wish to pay my tribu
lewalks put in at expense of village to be assessed against property owners 127 : bates on cement walks 524 7		to his memory. In my opinion the was no one who exerted so benefici
FIRE DEPARTMENT Chief 60 00	Image: Texpenses in connection therewith         1047 67           Feb. 15, 1906 Balance(Cash on hand)         52 23	an influence upon the young men South Boston as A. S. Stannard. The winter of 1859, I was teaching
Men         225 50           Teams         30 50           Equipments         483 83         799 8	BROADWAY ST. SEWER FUND	the school known as Boston Cente There was another school house
e April 11, 1905 pecial Police 57 00	Feb. 15, 1906 Balance(Cash on hand) \$1 16 BRIDGE FUND RECEIPTS	couple miles west of the Center t name of which I have forgotten was in the "Tim White" settlemen
Teams 10 00 Lanterns, wire, etc 8 82 als for Fireman 12 00	Proceeds of Bonds \$11,650 00 DISBURSEMENTS	West and south of this last name was the "Bell" school district,
nation, A. R. Stiles 10 00 Fire Department 30 00	Groton Bridge Co \$3765 40 Groton Bridge Co (Car of cement) 234 60 Weldon Smith (services) 80 25	named on account of the house has ing a belfry and bell in it. Mr. Sta nard lived in this district. Durin
' Firemen's fund Relief Assn. G. R. 25 00 152 8 emorial Day Expenses 32 4 ushing and repairing sewers 12 5	TotallDisbursements 4080 25 Feb. 15, 1906, Balance (Cash on hand) 7569 75	this winter of 1859 there was a "d bating society" that held week meetings in the school house betwe
lephone and Telegraph 83 drant Rentals, sixty hydrants 1800 (	00 SUMMARY	the "Center" and the "Bell" school houses. Here the young men at
at \$30 00 each per year ationary, Postage, Rubberstamps, etc 11 : REBATE ON TAXES	53 (Including Balance from last year) General Fund \$7357 70	boys weekly spread their oratoric wings. Mr. Stannard was the life the society, although at that time
M. Myers         9 00           B. Loveland         23 00           A. Alexander         19 00         51 (	Street Fund 3564 90 L. & P. Fund 14368 03	rather feeble health, he was alwa on hand, and was the mentor
OFFICERS arshall 114 00	Dt         Bridge Fund         11650 00           Washington street sewer fund         1100 00           Broadway street sewer fund         1 16	these young people. Every subject was discussed, nothing was eith too small or too great for the
ght Watch         600 00           torney         254 56           erk         150 00	Total Receipts \$38041 79 DISBURSEMENTS	young orators to wrestle with, fro the utility a of "husking peg" to t
ealth Officer 50 00 sessor 80 00	General Fund         \$6279 12           Street fund         3425 14           L. & P. Fund         10564 67	right of "Secession." Mr. Stanna thoroughly enjoyed listening them. The contestants chose side
bard of Review         8 00           becial Police         10 90           B. Loveland         60 00 1326	Bridge Fund 4080 25	and lucky was the side that we first choice for it was always M Stannard or "By Stannard" as
ngine house Lighting 36 int of Council Rooms 10	90Total Disbursements25396 8590Feb. 19, 1906 Balance(Cash on hand12644 94	was called. The three school d tricts met at these debates, and t
ansfer to Washington Street Sewer Fund 200 ax on park for Washington	00 Earnings of Light and Power Plant for Year Commencing	young people all came within the sphere of his influence. I do not know where any of these boys a
fund to H. W. Noble & Co 300	00 ICP. 10, 1505 und Ending ICP. 10, 1505.	now, some I have reason to believ gave up their young lives a coup
all for meeting account of protest 31		years later in making good the word, but if any are alive to-day feel sure they have tender memor
r of cement for bridge . 234	00         " Light and power sold         5644 09           60         " Supplies sold         1541 41	of the old "debating society," and those memories the central figu
ection expenses 53 iscellaneous 12	65 "Power sold to Citizens Light Co. 1662 50	
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STREET FUND RECEIPTS	LIGHTING AND POWER PLANT DR.	"The old deacon's gittin' upp these days."
eb. 20, 1906, Balance(Cash on hand) \$ 32 iquor Licenses 1485		"In what way?" "Well we've had him prayin"
treet Com. for repairing sidewalks 6 "" " for Dirt sold 2	00" Interest on bonds1150 0050" Repairs to dam and power house2015 05	Fain fer two days, an ne si
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utting in crosswalks 60	50 '' Accounts Received Feb. 18, 1905 75 40 Total Debits \$10164 62	The Trouble in the Case. Friend—You night be able
owell Twp. for repairs on Ada road 44	02         Balance (net pronts for year)         1103 13           22         \$11267 77	break jail, mightn't ye, pard? Convicted Burglar—Not on
umber, Plank and timber 54	60 T. A. MURPHY, Clerk.	life. Dis ain't no melodrammer! Puck.
Aardware, Cement, Tile, etc. 58 Street Commissioner Salary 330	48 00 Weldon Smith Finance	
	here we are all comforta-   "How is it with you, Harold? W	<b>Every</b>

of Nova Scotia-was at its height. chatter of the summer girls at The voking way over your left ear." Pines, made his way down to the beach where he could watch the incoming tide and be soothed by old Fundy's saw you last?" he continued. deep stentorian roar.

listlessly in the summer breeze. A of them to shut out the glaring sun, talked absent-mindedly about the cur-quiet somnolence prevailed everywhere. and his mind wandered back to three rent events, and after he went out I H watched the sea gulls as they flew years before when he had first met her asked Will Travers, who happened to hither and thither, sometimes alighting, at Bar Harbor, when every corner and be with me, what ailed him. He said: for an instant, on a bit of rock or sea | crevice of his heart was filled with her | 'Why, didn't you know he'd failed in weed; then up and away, soaring high- | image. er and higher, in the heavens until they There was a delightful summer spent ular debutantes last year. Can't think were mere specks in the horizon.

The longer he watched them the more ardently he wished he were a gull "or bird of prey so that when weary of this existence he could hie him away to other scenes.

He was deep in a reverie when something dropped in his lap. A pink sunshade.

"Oh, I beg your pardon, how careless of me."

He looked up. "Edith!"

"Harold!" Simultaneously they uttered the

stretched hand. "What in the world

here?" she said. plied; "and you?"

"Oh, I'm with a party of New York she faded? Really she looked extremefriends. We returned from abroad last ly vulgar and overdressed. month only to learn that we were to "Then 1 met the Taylors and Conbe entertained by one of our party in rads in Rome, and many other of our "True," he replied, "but fortun-

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said, as he gave her a sweeping glance. "Occasionally,' he answered, gazing "Same sparkling black eyes, same wavy across the Bay of Fundy. "I ran into Emerson, tired of the nonsensical brown hair that curls in the same pro- Clyde Fessendon the other day at Sher-

She smiled.

in her company. Automobile rides, of her name now, but she's a terrible boating, bathing and moonlight strolls spendthrift, they say. Took about all where they vowed undying devotion. he made to keep her in togs and swell

they drifted apart. He awoke with a start to realize that | Harold?"

he had not heard a word of her conversation. "And what do you think, Harold?" she was saying. "I met Florence Eggleston in Paris at the opera. We only

talked for a moment. She was with some Frenchman, an inferior looking Boston Post. person with an unpronounceable name. words, and he sprang to grasp her out- I didn't have time to speak with her very long, and Mrs. De Laci, my hos- the seashore. her quite pretty, but mercy! hasn't

Montreal. From thence we came to oid triends on the continent.

ry's, and I hardly knew him, he looked so seedy. Why, he's a physical wreck, "And where have you been since I and looked more like a walking ghost than a human being. I hadn't seen ieep stentorian roar. In the distance the Union Jack waved her sunshade and arranged it in front change struck me more forcibly. He business? He married one of the pop-Then he returned to college, and she her around, so he went through." to her studies abroad, and somehow "Poor fellow," she said. "That's the penalty. I suppose you are married,

"Oh, yes, some time ago." "To whom, may I ask?"

"Florence Eggleston " They were silent.

"And you?" he said presently. "Oh! I married Clyde Fessendon."-

in after years they again met at

tess, says it is just as well, for she has a decidently questionable reputation in dyun," he said. "Just think, five "A truce from business cares," he re- Europe. You know, we used to think years ago you refused me on this very spot."

"Alas, yes," she rejoined with a soulful sigh. "But I was young and foolish then, Mr. Singleton."

ately I am older now and wiser."

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minutes. possible.

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ADA. Mr. Johnson, who has rented th

A number from here attended the

Born-A 10-lb son to Mr and Mrs Bert Bailey was home from Grand

LOGAN.

Noah Sarras has gone to Canada Mrs. H. Seese and Mrs. N. Ford

visited at the home of their parents,

Hiram Seese was called to Irving

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and violin, and in their company I

Wonder. arle Blower, the cor-
road." I him to go so far to
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Jorkins-It reminds me too much

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gant.



## **Program** at Methodist Church Sunday Morning and Evening and Monday

Sunday morning, Mar. 4, 9:30 a.m., anniversary, Tuesday evening, at 7:30 Holy Communion. 10:30 a.m., morn- March 6, 1906. Miss Edith Colvin of Middleville is ing worship, and sermon by the Rev. A. P. Moors. 7 P. M., evening Wor-

Mrs. Arthur Porter of Grand Rap-ids has been visiting at Ralph Mc- Monday evening there w in Grand Rapids. There will be it?" Worthy Willard and wife of Low- short addresses by the old pastors

by the presiding elder. amily. Fred Hooper of Ionia was here be given an opportunity to meet old to make donations of land to make donations of la

pastors, and the presiding elder. Mrs. M. Kerr, Mrs. F. Campbell, G. The Epworth league will serve ice Kroff and Dale Bowen. cream and cake, price ten cents.

# **ALTO PIONEER GONE.**

#### Jacob Yeiter of Lowell Township Died Last Saturday.

trip was very interesting. Hoping to hear from her in the near future, Jacob Yeiter died at his homenear

months and 4 days. Funeral services 7th

the club adjourned to meet March

fum John D. Baptist, en Ah shall perceed to 'lucidate on the subjec' ob tainted money; fo', as John D. Baptist say, 'Cast yo'r oil upon de watahs en-er-aftah many days it | team. shall return unter yo'." 'Amen!" said Deacon Jones, sud-

denly aroused from sweet dreams of possum and taters.

"De Lawd, he loveth er cheerful giber," continued the parson. "He like fo' a man ter dig deep down Flood view from Methodist church inter his jeans en bring up de results | west of de sweat ov his brow; but he Flood views (2) destruction of doan' want no tainted money, en he | buildings, sidewalks, bridges and doan' want no 'spender buttons. He | road way June 1905. want de col' cash. Now, de deaken am er-gwine ter pass de hat, en Ah doan' want no money what's bin tainted wid cyards en crap-shootin'. Yo' onery crap-shootin' niggahs ain'

The deacon passed the hat and the Wm, Miller, from Saturday until carpenter trade in his younger days; congregation dropped in quarters, but later in life devoted his time to halves and dollars. No tainted money farming. He came to Michigan in 1849 and settled in Lowell township in 1853. He was married in Ohio, March

## His Enviable Estate.

Mme. Albani, the famous singer, better land, Henry who died Sept. | tate I'll bet nobody will put me out and expense. is purely a work of has made the strange confession that 16, 1865, and Mrs. Lizzie Reed, Nov. said a Broadway philosopher after accommodation, and is done in as a child she never had a single 4, 1905. The six left to mourn are: listening to a tale of woe by a friend doll. "I never had a wish for dolls," John D. of Cal.; Mrs. Geo. McKee of who had recently lost his place in

any real estate."

tive of having some later on. It will We will furnish THE LEDGER One be free from taxes and I'll beexempt Chicago Inter Ocean, weekly. from jury duty."

"Isn't that fine! I congratulate New York World tri weekly .. the golden wedding anniversary you. Wish I could inherit some- Toledo Blade weekly ... celebrated three years ago will ever thing like that. Where is your N.Y., Tribune Farmer weekly ... place?"

"The grave." The other man said nothing further about the injustice of foreclosing mortgages.

## A Windy Sermon.

"I had done wrote out a long sermon, an' wuz in de woods, studyin' only. Women as Well as Men and exhale through the mouth; and of it," said Brother Williams, "w'en to do this properly you will have no a harricane hit me en' scattered it undue tightness of the dress any- ter de four winds! But even dat wus 'cordin' ter scripture-de command If you are in the least inclined to bein' dat we must make de gospe

#### Nothing to Brag Of. Robbie (proudly)-We've got

baby up to our house that just came 

KEEPINU INV

#### LOWFLL APPRECIATES ALWAYS WHEN PROMISES ARE KEPT.

Mrs. Rosa Lang of Saranac and her sister, Mrs. Morse, visited Mrs. David Garfield one day last week. David Garfield one day last week.

J. F. Hatch, of Hudson St., Lowell Mich., says: "Five or six years ago Claud McLaughlin is working in ship and sermon by the Rev. L. N. From now until Easter there will a wagon passed over my body and Pattison. Miss Sadie Kinsey of be two special services at the Metho- broke five of my ribs. I was laid up Grand Rapids will be the soloist at dist church each week. Prayer ser- for months and from that time began both services next Sunday. Monday evening there will be a special program. Feakin Memorial vice every Tuesday Evening, and every Friday evening. Next Friday I suffered from a distressing urinary like sediment deposited. My rest was disturbed at night by this trouble and my back pained me all The Second Quarterly Conference of the Vergennes and Keene circuit sisted upon my trying Doan's Kidney church and the following citizens: S. A committee has been appointed to away, the pain and urinary difficulties them again and found complete re-

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milbourn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, The Clover Leaf club will meet with and take no other. ----

## "CANNOT GET ON WITHOUT IT."

Hood River, Ore., Feb. 20, 1906. M. Johnson.

Editor LEDGER: Dear Sir

Enclosed find one dollar on subscription. It has been many years since my leaving Lowell, but can not get on without your paper. It keeps one in touch as it were with many NO TAINTED MONEY OFFERINGS old friends there and others that have found new homes in various places. Like my location here very much. It is one of the prettiest val leys in the Pacific northwest. What has become of friend Chapman of Los Angeles?

#### Yours truly, Geo. W. KRUM.

## SOUVENIR POST CARDSOF LOWELL.

New King block. Borax Bill and his twenty-mule

Main street east in flood before the big fire. New Negonce block. New Electric Light and Power

station Flood view, Grand river valley. The old saw mill in 1880.

After the big fire.

Island Park. Central school

For sale at LEDGER office and at Look's store, 3 for 5c.

## **CLUBBING LIST FOR 1906**

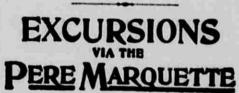
The LEDGER will continue its prac tice of accommodating its subscrib ers by furnishing other publications at clubbing or wholesale prices to all who pay for our paper at the same time all arrears and one year in When I come into my landed en advance. This involves much work appreciation of faithful cash subscribers.

All the magazine clubs handled by the newspaper agencies, including the Success combinations, may be "Why, I didn't know you owned ordered of us, as well as any news-"I don't now, but I am very posi- paper published at marked reduc-tions from regular prices.

the German M. E. church about 1856. be a very snug retreat, too-abso- year with any of the following the German M. E. church about 1850. He has been Sunday school supt., teacher, steward and trustee at different times. He leaves to mourn their loss his Poultry Success... Grand Rapids Press daily\*.

Herald daily\* ... Byron's Commoner. Michigan Farmer ..... Detroit Journal daily\*.

" semi-weekly. Farm & Fireside (Semi-monthy)1 20 Madame Magazine.... \*Prices on the Free Press, Press and Herald are good on rural routes

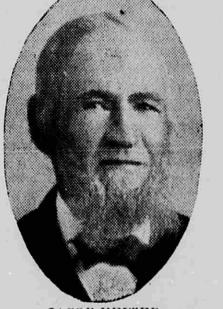


## clouist Rates to the West Au

Southwest.

Boiling vinegar as hot as can be mon things; our washwoman's got on first and third Tuesdays in March. borne applied to the gum and cavity one.—Philadelphia Press.





## JACOB YEITER.

Jacob Yelter, second son of Jacob M. E. church at Freeport, Feb. 21, at parents in 1832, settling in Crawford county, Ohio. He received a com-Mr and Mrs. Sweet of Grand Ledge mon school education in a log school 'spected ter put in ennything." house in Ohio, and worked at the

13, 1853, to Caroline Myers. Eight children were born to them. Two preceded their father to the she says, according to Home Notes, "nor the time to play with them. My favorite toys were my tiny harp and violin, and in their company I go to his home "over there." He church at the age of 16, and joined

aged wife, six children, 13 grandchildren, 4 great grand-children, one brother and two sisters. To these remain a pleasant memory.

#### -----GUIDES TO HEALTH.

A tablespoonful of melted butter, swallowed, will cure croup or hoarseness. Melt over a lamp and take

Take a dozen deep, slow breaths a dozen times a day through the nose where.

be flat footed, to have the instep fly!"--Atlanta Constitution. drop, a most painful minor comcourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor plaint, a good plan is to be often rais-and cheerfulness soon ing yourself on your toes, keeping disappear when the kid- the latter well pointed.

neys are out of order | Eat nothing that you know will | the other night. for a child to be born borne applied to the gum and cavity one.-Philadelphia Press. afflicted with weak kid-neys. If the child urin-ates too often, if the pack the tooth cavity and apply until

kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as secure for any one a complexion to be envied.

> No, Alonzo, a man of grit doesn't essarily have a sandy complexion Many a woman leads a dog's life-by

holding the other end of the string. Speaking of unnatural motners what's the matter with the incubator?

Money saved makes heirs extrava

#### And it Came to Pass as Parson Black Ordained. "Mah deah bredren en sistren," began Parson Moses Black with his usual gravity of speech; "mah deah bredren en sistren, Ah take mah tex'

Churches and

**Societies** 

METHODIST.

The Second Quarterly Conference of

SOCIETIES.

The L. L. C. met Feb. 21st. Mrs.

Coons and Miss Ruben gave a fine

musical program, and Mrs. May-

nard's description of her western

Mrs. L. P. Hodges March 6th.

# MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

Adam's lame excuse is playing too large a part nowadays with wrong-

MICHIGAN

No, Freddie, it is not "grafters" that have seized one of the Hebrides, but "crofters."

tro as the other 15,000.

atlantic communication by wireless through Arcadia court he came close Mr. Sample a check for \$1.70 and took David B. Henderson died at Mercy will doubtless be postponed.

dinner in New York was appropriately called for help hour after hour. The from the table and I hurried after her. Since a week ago last Friday Mr.

An account of the dog show with result of his experience. no mention of Harry Lehr? What's

The latest applicant for some of the Carnegie hero dough is a man who saved himself, and claimed he was a who reside two miles east of Burhero "per se."

New York's swell set is taking to

Now that Esperanto, the new universal language, has been set to music. perhaps it will be arranged next for window to the ground, a distance of She was sued under this law by the was his for the asking.

Mr. Yerkes-Mizner says Alaska is full of opportunities. However, it is man finally got away. This is the Robert Cooper. She claims that the son's career as speaker of the house of the prominent firm at Dubuque of not believed that there are any \$10.-200.000 widows there.

M. Taigny denies that he called Castro "the monkey of the Andes." He is much too polite to state his thoughts in that blunt, crude way.

The attempt of a woman up-state to sleep in the open air, for her health, is a modified success, because the natives and Detroit. Since the properties of breaking the screen on the back door gather around to see her do it.

Now that science has discoveredas it thinks-that insanity is caused by a bacillus, the slang expression, made for through passenger and freight service to Detroit, J. A. and heard the child's screams. He "He's bughouse!" takes on added Bucknell of Jackson has been made tore off the burning clothing, but the

A New York woman, said to be conscience stricken, has returned a lot of zoo and Jackson. stolen silverware to its owner. The fact that it was "plated" is of no significance.

It is said that as many as 4.061 mus-

sity-but all the young men of whom handsome fixtures. the same is true cannot become presidents of France.

chop ought to make the congressmen It is said that they were hungry and at last realize the value of the De. believing they were deserving of a partment of Agriculture for even their square meal, made a desperate effort own practical uses.

put a double sextet and a leap for life into each of his plays.

eity official who gave up a \$4,500 a year is shown by the fact that four have given correct weights. year job in order to avoid any re- carloads of German-grown beet seed striction on his freedom of speech were cleared through the Grand Rapreally has something to say.

of his time. But the working people distribution to the farmers. of our time understand Shakespeare, which is a more important fact.

Borrowing, says young Mr. Rockefeller, kills friendship, and should be shunned. We hope no one has been

hour and three-quarters must have probe. looked down with pitying sympathy at the sea-sick passengers on the oldfashioned steamer.

anese capital. We judge that there lage of Holly to restrain that company furnish both lighting and heating. It 1840, and his parents, rich only in the Prince Arthur, and will arrive in New would have to come off.

The annual report of Washington's chief of police in tabulating the po-Lansing police court against O. A. cently purchased by a Charlevoix com-New York dispatch: Edward H. Washington dispatch: Among the lice work of the year reports the ar-Jenison, a prominent citizen, for driv-pany for use on the streets between Harriman is said to be behind a move-midshipmen found deficient in the midshipmen count deficient in the rest "of one senator" and "two repre-ing his automobile on a cement side- the resorts and Charlevoix, was de- ment to oust Stuyvesant Fish from the midyear examination and slated for dismissed in L. P. Kimbrough of Ten sentatives in congress." Naturally walk. The automobilist claims he stroyed by fire, together with the barn Illinois Central presidency as a punknow the names

The Portland Express prints a story The Yysilanti council voted to remit about Si Jones-a suspiciously generic special paving taxes of \$700 to St. complain of the frightful condition of Ossining, N. Y., dispatch: The body Knoxville, Tenn., dispatch: Three name-and his hens, which would "sit" in spite of him. The hen, be it re-was taken with the understanding the to make their trips on time, as the head severed, was found beside the Tennessee river bridge of the Louiscan't "sit," unless laying the breast churches.

STANDS IN CHILLING WATER. I Aged Man Falls Into Creek and City Treasurer Makes Serious Charge

Cannot Climb Out. Pleas Powell of Kalamazoo, 63 | City Treasurer Sample of Ann Aryears old, stood in two feet of water | bor has signed a warrant for the ar almost all night. His cries could not rest of Mrs. Mary Collins Whiting. be heard and it was only by accident Ann Arbor's wealthy woman attorney. HAD A RUGGED CONSTITUTION The Chinese seem to be tuning up that he was discovered by a police Mr. Sample made a statement to the their hatred of the foreign devils to officer about 2 o'clock in the morning. prosecuting attorney to the effect that Wounded in Battle, He Lost a Leg. Almost frozen he was taken to the Mrs. Whiting came to the city treas- but Again Entered the Field as Venezuela has only 8,000 troops, but jail, where it took three hours to urer's office before office hours and claims 23,000. Probably it counts Cas- make him comfortable. Mr. Powell is asked to be let in. She had been conextremely feeble. He went to the sulting before about some taxes on a Serving with Distinction. western part of the city on an errand certain piece of property and which Now that Marconi has a baby, trans- about 8 o'clock. While passing she supposed had been paid. She gave Dubuque, Ia., Feb. 26.-Ex-Speaker to the bank of Arcadia creek and fell a receipt. "Then she went out and hospital there Sunday afternoon of in. The banks are extremely steep came back again," said Mr. Sample. paresis, which attacked him nine The crack speaker at a deaf mute's and he could not get out alone. He "I noticed that the check was gone months ago. referred to as "our silver-tongued ora- officer who found him was attracted I caught up with her and charged her Henderson had recognized no one exby his cries. Mr. Powell is in a critical with taking the check. She denied it, cept his wife. On that day he had a condition, and he will likely die as a but I asked her to let me look into her recurring stroke of paresis which left 

Audacious Burglar, Found Under been served.

Bed, Makes Hasty Exit. teson home.

#### Through Freight Service. It was announced at the offices of

the Michigan Traction company at The 4-year-old son of William Man Kalamazoo that it would be but a ning died at Fowlerville from burns short time until arrangements would With the 4-year-old son of Robert be completed for a thorough interur. Ling, they entered the home of the ban freight service between that city latter while the family was away, by the Michigan Traction company were With papers and sticks they started a taken over by the Michigan United fire in the parlor stove and the dress Railway company efforts have been of the Manning child caught fire made for through passenger and Drayman Call was passing at the time the general freight and passenger little one was so badly burned about agent of the lines between Kalama- the chest and waist that he died in

#### New Bank at Alden.

#### Tramps Break Into Jail.

Three tramps broke into jail at Mar. of its kind in the state. The discovery of an artificial lamb shall and were straightway arrested. and broke into the city tramp house. They refused to get out under any

#### Beet Seed from Germany.

ids customs house recently. The seed

#### Boat Works Burn.

The office of the Leelenau Enterprise had a narrow escape.

#### His Curiosity Was Satisfied.

tleman's friendship by asking him played with an air gun and placed his kind being acceptable as long as it is I could notice they were touched. the scale." mouth over the muzzle. A heavy of 240 heating units. The city hall There was Jim Tawney, that man of shot tore a hole in the roof of his will be lighted free. The work must iron, from whose eyes I have seen the LONGWORTHS WILL VISIT FETE Two aeronauts who crossed the mouth and still rests there, a doctor be commenced by July 1 and com- fire flash more than once. As he sang English channel in a balloon in one being unable to locate the ball with a pleted by Nov. 1.

#### Phone Company Loses.

Judge Smith, at Pontiac, denied the have applied for a franchise to estably before the song ended." motion of the attorneys for the Penin- lish a gas plant. As soon as they re-

#### Drives Auto on Sidewalk.

Complain has been made in the A new auto car costing \$4,500, reound the road too muddy.

# SENSATION IN ANN ARBOR.

Against Wealthy Woman.

handbag. I took the handbag and him totally blind. Last Friday he be-

shotgun the man jumped out of the before the vendee can take possession. refused a renomination, although it colonel, again entering the field. twenty feet. Mr. Marteson managed G. & R. McMillan Co., of Detroit, after Last Day in Congress. second time within a month that a law is unconstitutional because it deburglar has been found in the Mar- prives citizens of property without due process of law and is class legis lation against merchants.

#### Babe Dics of Burns.

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a few hours.

#### Contract for Paper Mill.

A bank has been organized at Al. Directors of the Michigan Paper den. Following are the officers: Chas. company at Plainwell awarded the Coy, president; Leon Titus, cashier contract for the erection of a \$200. cles have been counted in the body of a moth. If the moth ever has the in-City, first vice president: L. Arm-Jones, a prominent contracting firm strong, second vice president; D. B. of Grand Rapids. The contract calls flammatory rheumatism, how he strong, second vice president; D. B. for everything except the purchase Oviatt, cashier; John T. Beadle, presi- for everything except the purchase dent of the First National bank of and installation of the machinery. M. Fallieres did not distinguish Traverse City, director. The bank will Work will be commenced at once and himself at school, college or univer- start with a nice working capital and must be completed by Oct. 1. The buildings will be of brick and when completed the mill will be one of the finest and best equipped institutions

## Short Weights in Coal.

The information obtained by the police force of Lansing by weighing the coal from eleven coal yards of the city has been turned over to the pros-The theatrical syndicate has decid. ed to drop Shakespeare. That is the circumstances and were arrested. They were taken before Justice Dend, whose weights were found to be incor-whose weights were found to be incor-was one long to be remembered. Aft-which United States Judge Shiras was rect. The police found that eight out er the gavel had fallen for the last the head. He also served as collector It is to be hoped that the New York hopeful of a crop of sugar beets this three of the dealers were found to days in the house, the members of signed. And and the second second

## Peach Buds Are Frozen.

Reports received in St. Joseph from sung, followed by "He's a Jolly Good President Mitchell Says It Seems to came from Hamburg. Two cars of it reliable fruit growers say that the Fellow," "Good Night, Ladies," and John Burns says that Shakespeare will go to the St. Louis factory, one peach buds in that section have been others in lighter vein. did not understand the working people to Holland and one to Charlevoix for killed by frost. It is believed that the Then, as if by common consent, the Pittsburg dispatch: "There certainfruit buds were advanced by the mild singers gathered about the speaker | ly will be a strike April 1," said Presweather experienced during January. as he was bidding the members good-An investigation of various orchards by, and began to sing "God Be with Mine Workers Wednesday. "That Word comes from Traverse City shows that many of the leading varie- You Till We Meet Again." In an in- seems a foregone conclusion. I do not President Eliot says football is more of the burning of the Leland Boat ties, including Elbertas, St. Johns and stant the push and jostle ceased and say it will be national in character. It brutal than bullfighting. If the help-Works. The loss is \$6,000, with very Gold Drops, are practically all killed. all eyes were turned upon the sing-is more than likely that several disless dumb animals used for bullfight- little insurance. A fine gasoline while a small portion of the white ers, and one after another on the floor tricts will have their scales settled

#### Gas Franchise Granted.

granted by the Lapeer council to the chamber, he said:

have been no graft scandals and ex- from erecting its poles on Maple is proposed to confine the stock to Scotch elements of industry, and Orleans on Monday in time to parti-

## Auto Car is Destroyed.

in which it was stored.

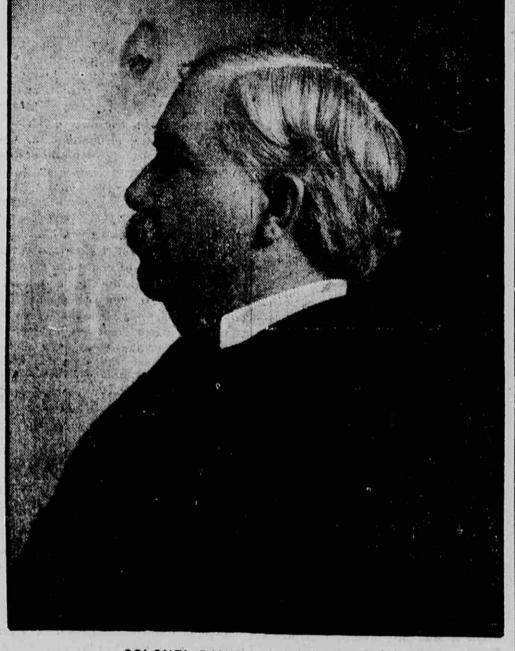
## Country Roads Are Bad.

Rural mail carriers out of Lansing highways.

## Former Speaker Succumbs of Paresis After Nine

Months' Fight.

the eulogy.



congress began singing "The Star Spangled Banner," "Dixie," "Auld COAL STRIKE SURE ON APRIL 1 Lang Syne," and "America" were

I saw the tears were coursing down his cheeks, and he wasn't alone.

strength, and love of right, six years cipate in the carnival festivities,

investigating committee.

no clew to her identity.

in Illinois, and three years later in Iowa, opening a farm upon "Henderette county. The country then was new, neighbors few and far away, and L the life of young David was one of iso lation and toil of the pioneer farmer eager for the intellectual development of their children, availed themselves of all the means within reach to seand sent David, at the age of 19, to Upper Iowa university, a Methodist

Young Henderson was there but a couple of years when the civil war broke out. The little band of students at Fayette college was full of patriot-Colonel of the Forty-sixth lowa, ism, and in the summer of 1861, when William B. Allison, now United States senator from Iowa. but then a young military aid to Gov. Kirkwood, was organizing the volunteers at Camp Franklin, Dubuque, young Henderson appeared at the camp at the head of a company of Fayette students and farmers, asking to be mustered in the United States service. Gallant in Battle.

Three months afterwards he led his company-his captain being disabled found the check in it." Mrs. Whiting came unconscious, and so remained elson, up the slope, and to the very -through the abattis before Fort Donthe matter with the New York re- ESCAPES THROUGH A WINDOW says that it was all unintentional and until his death. The funeral will be top of the parapet, on which he was Mr. and Mrs. William Marteson, TO CONTEST SALE OF STOCKS. D. Perkins of Sioux City will deliver nificent strength and courage brought, that may be entity lington, went to that village for choir New Law in Regard to Merchants Sell- Mr. Henderson retired from Con- the latter part of the same year, while ballooning. The automobile is now Marteson heard a noise under the is going to test the constitutionality of publican party leaders on the ques- tion. On his return home he was made to inform him of the fact. A strange where a person sells a stock of goods nation to sacrifice himself rather than ment, on which he served for some man was discovered under the bed. the vendor must furnish a list of cred- his convictions was characteristic of months, and on the organization of On the conclusion of his military

to catch him by the foot, but the the Occidental hotel stock was sold to The last day of Speaker Hender- and subsequently became a member

of the eleven loads weighed were un- time members crowded about the of internal revenue and as assistant der weight, four of the loads being speaker's desk to grasp his hand. United States district attorney, both That the beet sugar factories are short more than 100 pounds. Only Meanwhile, as is usual on the closing of which positions he voluntarily re-

Be a Foregone Conclusion.

ident John Mitchell of the United ing purposes could express an opinion launch, almost completed, was also peach variety have escaped frost. and in the galleries took up the song. and proceed with operations. Negotia-The speaker was deeply touched by tions with the hard coal men are prothe closing scenes. After retiring to greasing nicely, and there is every A franchise for a gas plant was his room at the rear of the house prospect of a settlement. The southwest district probably will settle. At Chicago Industrial company for a "That song was new to me, and I present there is no immediate pros-Roman Gunther, young son of Mr. term of thirty years. The rate is to want it to preserve. It affected me pects of other districts being settled so unwise as to forfeit the young gen-and Mrs. J. D. Gunther, of Highland, be \$1 flat for heating and lighting any much, and as I looked at the singers the scale."

# Engage Passage So as to Reach New

Orleans for Carnival. Allegan to Have Gas Plant. either. There were others whose eyes New Orleans dispatch: It was re-Several of Allegan's business men were suffused, and my eyes got moist ported on the arrival of the steamer Chalmette from Havana that Mr. and A correspondent speaks of the uni-sular Telephone Co., of Holly, to dis-ceive permission it is proposed to David Bremmer Henderson was now in Cuba, have engaged passage versal smile in the streets of the Jap- solve the injunction granted the vil- form a stock company. The plant will born at Old Deer, Scotland, March 14, on the Southern Pacific steamer

shment for quitting the Mutual Life nessee, who was the victim of hazers at the academy.

marked, is so constituted that she same would be done with the other bottom seems to have fallen out of the New York Central tracks. There is ville & Nashville railroad. It is supposed they fell from the bridge.



The Ledger

Fine Rigs JONES' LIVERY Will give you first-class service at moderate prices. Good horses and mod-ern carriages, both single and double. EAST SIDE. Near Hotel Lowell

# -TOLD IN-PAGERAPTIS

dent to the final interment of the body ger sack; watercress, Virginia, 20c per construction of the body per sack; watercress, Virginia, 20c per construction of the per sack; watercress of the per sack of t

direction of the president for desertion, having been absent without leave three months.

A delegation of the Travelers' Protective Association of America invited the president to attend the annual convention of the association to be held in Buffalo on June 11. The president expressed his appreciation, but said he would be unable to accept, as he uniformly had been obliged to decline all similar invitations.

William Cotton and Park Wright changed their pleas of guilty to the charge of blowing up the bulkhead gates at the Grand reservoir and were remanded to jail at Wapakoneta, O. The will of B. F. Johnson gives La-

harpe, Ill., the income from \$150,000 to be used for free public schools. Rev. F. Hempleman, pastor of the German Lutheran church at Pana, Ill., has tendered his resignation on ac-

count of ill health. Wilhelm Gericke has resigned as conductor of the Boston Symphony orchestra, his resignation to take effect at the end of the present season.

Rear Admiral Asa Walker will succeed Rear Admiral C. M. Chester as superintendent of the naval observatory at Washington when the latter

The purchase of the Brown-Corliss Manufacturing plant at Milwaukee, wealthy brewer, expect him to return the ripening begins. Finally the blades wise. Wis., by eastern parties is to end the tr, St. Louis from his European exile, and husks turn yellow and rattle Sec. 2 governs the retailer who may

settlement in the Hawaiian islands. ing of Friends, announced that the over the door of the lodge. The Illinois miners' convention at temperance conference of delegates Springfield voted unanimously not to from all evangelical denominations The hazing of four students with

electrical currents at the Winona Technical institute is to be investigated by the Indianapolis grand jury. The Wisconsin Supreme court has

rendered a decision by which Milwaukee county is permitted to issue \$450,000 in bonds for a bridge in the city of Milwaukee. The United States dry dock Dewey

has been signaled off Las Palmas, Canary Islands.

of a brother of the police captain who tory at Washington when the latter are from?" since Sunday has been besieging the retires.

New York Life asking to whom prox- pert maker of cut glass. ies should be given, expresses the The new Elks' Temple at McKees. "Doubtless," said the professor of proxies of the state.

Fresno, Cal., for that purpose.

States Naval academy.

consin supreme bench.

Wis., committed suicide by hanging stroyed by fire Tuesday, the loss be- On ev'ry January first my himself from a tree.

the Order of Merit.

toon, Ill., colebrated the fifty-sixth an- as a Chicago lawyer, was arrested in He's sure to change his min', you know. than much unclean milk butter, but the

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS ZUNI "MAGIC" TRICK Chicago Produce Butter-Extra creamery. 28½c; prints. 29½c; firsts. 22@25c; seconds, 17@19c; renovated, 19½@20c; dairies, Cooleys 24½c; firsts. 20c; packing stock, 15@15½c: storage, 21@21½c. Eggs-Fresh stock at mark. new cases included, 12½c; cases returned, 12c; firsts 12½c; prime firsts, packed in whitewood cases, 13½c; packed for city trade, 15½c; storage eggs, 8c.

Image: And the problemImage: And the

Berlies fitzes travberties. Florida. 30% or cover.
 The retirement on Feb. 28 of Rear Admiral F. E. Chadwick, who com manded Rear Admiral Sampson's flags ship during the war with Spain, is an nounced.
 David E. Thompson, the new Unit Lincoln, Neb., Saturday with Mars.
 Secretary Bonaparte will confer, 10, 50% of the corres row. 35% of the

Grain Quotations. WHEAT. Chicaro-No. 2 red. 84@85c. New York-No. 2 red. 88c. Minneapolis-No. 1 northern. 80c. St. Louis-No. 2 red. 90@90½c. Duluth-No. 1 northern. 79%c. Kansas City-No. 2 hard. 75%c. Milwaukee-No. 1 northern. Milwaukee-No. 1 northern, 851/2 Toledo-No. 2 red. 851/2 c. CORN. Chicago—No. 2, 38½@38¾c. Liverpool—American mixed. New York—No. 2, 48¾c. Peoria—No. 2, 48¾c.

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Live Stock. CATTLE. Chicago-\$1.60@6.25. Omaha-\$2.25@6. Kansas City-\$2.25@6. St. Louis-\$2@6. St. Joseph-\$1.75@5.90. New York-\$1.50@6.40. Chicago-\$5@6.32. Omaha-\$5@6.15. Kansas City-\$5.50@6.20. St. Louis-\$5.30@6.35. St. Joseph-\$4.75@6.10.

New York-\$6.40@6.50. SHEEP AND LAMBS. Omaha—\$4.85@6.85. Kansas City—\$4.25@6.75. St. Louis—\$4@6.85. St. Joseph—\$4.50@6.75. New York—\$5.25@8.25. 

Friends. of Ellis Wainwright, the ear have reached full maturity and sealed, or in barrels, boxes or other-

itor of the Baltimore American, who the social functions with which the as to what he eats. Or he may be will- the court.

diver of Missouri, who has received suicide there by shooting was Chas. pincott's Magazine. many letters from policyholders in the | W. Beers, Jr., of Philadelphia, an ex-

deputies.

resignation of Jerdon P. Kimbrough Ga. Adjutant General Mickle said he a representative of a rubber stamp member also that the safety of the imprisoned not exceeding one year, or both, in the discretion of the court. change of dates.

geles, Cal., declared that "public opin. lowed the samples." Ind., was shot and killed by his son, artificially manufactured by the inter- triches will eat anything." self more power.

Because his sweetheart jilted him, The plant of the Prentice Tanning John Wagner, a farmer of Hokah. company at Prentice, Wis., was deing \$150,000.

Prince Arthur of Connaught invest-ed Admiral Togo and Field Marshals by those interested to hold the South-by those interested to hol in 1910.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Dalby of Mat- H. G. Miller, representing himself of course it's jes' a week or so-or two or butter because it was cheap and better niversary of their marriage Wednes-day. Rev. Mr. Dalby has ben pastor of the Bethel Presbyterian Baptist church for forty-eight consecutive years. Columbia, S. C., charged with attempt-ing to bribe Deputy Sheriff W. C. Cathcart to keep witnesses away from the trial of three men arrested as pickpockets. Columbia, S. C., charged with attempt-ing to bribe Deputy Sheriff W. C. Cathcart to keep witnesses away from the trial of three men arrested as pickpockets. Cathcart of three men arrested as the legislation star

have visited.

#### prints. REMARKABLE FEAT OF INDIAN "MEDICINE MAN."

Scientists Unable to Account for Rapid Growth of Seed of Corn Planted

famous mango-growing trick of the Hindu. Many scientists have been present to witness this strange cere-mony, but have never been able to fathom the mystery of it.

selves around the square, according to under which he can make intelligent rank. The ceremonial pipe is then selection of food. filled and lighted, and the medicine Many pure food bills have been inman blows one puff in each direction troduced and some passed by State leg-

places a grain of corn in the hole thus made. Carefully smoothing the sand over it, he resumes his seat, while the assembled chief amount of the personal liberty. The Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., perhaps the largest makers while the assembled chiefs smoke of prepared foods in the world, have their pipes in stolid silence. If the naturally a close knewledge of the val of fifteen or twenty minutes the accomplish the desired ends, and inassand seems disturbed at the spot much as a citizen of the U.S. has a where the grain of corn was planted right to food protection even when he and soon the slender green blades of enters another State, it is deemed ] the sprouting corn are seen above the proper that the gov't take control of

his wife to Washington with him was and every pkg. of Postum and Grape-

She looked up and smilingly replied food accurately.

#### ------Interesting Account.

is found there is seen to be numbered gress evades his patriotic duty hold and dated."--Chicago Tribune. 

When Pa Swears Off.

out for fam'ly jars. When pa swears off. for fam'ly jars."

ple. Work people wanted beef suct

Tokio cablegram: The arrival of Prince Arthur.

Mikado Receives Prince Arthur.

Midshipman Bowen Resigns. Annapolis, Md., dispatch: Midshipboth conduct and studies.

## Man Tosses Angry Bull.

Indianapolis dispatch: Seizing a the lives of three boys.

Explosion Kills Three. Louisiana, Mo., special: Three men

of John Paul Jones next April. First Lieut, Arthur H. Freshwater, Twenty-ninth infantry, has ' been dropped from the rolls of the army by
dropp laid before Congress and the Represen- The undersigned is paying to the before Congress that are drawn in the zines, in the conduct of what he and the kindness of the Great Spirit to formulate a satisfactory bill that gressman and Senator on this pure intelligently and effectively. and his care. He concludes with a prayer for the continuance of this yet avoid harm to honest makers and herewith presented and ask them to The reader will be freely forgiven if cine man thrusts the sacred arrow what the people shall and shall not eat. questing that they vote for it.

into the sand, withdraws it and for what agrees with one may not | Soma oppressively intelligent and

interests of all the people they should chooses to term "an educational camreceive the active personal support of paign," esteemed to be of greater dithe people and the representatives be rect value to the people than the estabinstructed by the citizens. The Sena- lishment of many libraries. That is of the compass and two to the hea- islatures; many have been offered to tors also should be written to and in- held to be a worthy method of using vens. He then makes an address, go- Congress, but all thus far seem objec- structed. If, therefore, you will re- money for the public good. Tell the ing over the past history of the tribe and the kindness of the Great Spirit It has seemed difficult for politicians will at once-now-write to your Con-themselves and rely upon them to act

prevent endless trouble to retailers. make a business of following it through he entirely forgets the reference to The great moment has arrived. No gov't commission or officer has the the committee considering it. Urge Postum and Grape-Nuts, if he will but With impressive solemnity the medi- right to fix "food standards," to define its being brought to a vote and re- join the pure food movement and do things.

C. W. POST.

#### Text of Pure Food Bill

If it meets approval cut it out, sign name and address and send to your Great Spirit condescends to answer needs of the people and the details of the prayer of the medicine man, and the business of the purveyors (the re- this. Keep one for reference and send the other to one of the U.S. Senators the generally does, the corn will sprout and send up a shoot. After an inter-val of fifteen or twenty minutes the



the sprouting corn are seen above the surface. The plant continues to grow rapidly and naturally during the day, and by the next sunrise the silk and tassels appear. By noon the stalk and the food is put up in small packages the food is put up in small packages

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United strike of the machinists, which has as it is declared that the death of when the wind shakes them. All this, open a barrel and sell the food in States of America in Congress assembled, That every person, firm or corporastrike of the mathings, which has existed at the plant for almost a year. A delegation from Colorado repre-senting the American National Live Stock association, headed by the president of the organization, Murdo MacKenzie, called on President Roose. MacKenzie, called on President Roose- fairs in Cincinnati and Hamilton coun- with him have watched the plant the statement of ingredients he must ty said at Columbus that the legisla- grow, for it is never left alone. With publish the statement of the makers | teed to be accurate by, the makers of such food, and the name and complete Dr. Walter B. Brinckerhoff of the ture would be asked to appropriate appropriate ceremonies he symbol- and add his own name and address as address of the makers shall be affixed thereto; all printed in plain type of a

Harvard medical school has been appointed director of the United States government leprosy research hospital which will be established in the leper which will be established in the leper Ind., clerk of the Indiana Yearly Meet- is pulled up by the roots and hung upon the maker, where it properly be- District of Columbia, when the food in said package shall have been taken from a covering supplied by or for the makers and re-covered by or for the The remaining sections explain them. sellers, shall bear upon its face or within its enclosure an accurate copy of Springfield voted unanimously not to accept any wage scale which does not which it was proposed to hold at Several years ago a senator from the beginning of its printed in like manner as the statement of the makers was printed, and such Washington in March had been aban- central Ohio who was planning to take existence printed on the outside of each statement shall also bear the name and address of the person, firm or cor-Lemuel Hill of Evansville, Ind., a little uncertain as to her general in- Nuts food a truthful and exact state- poration that re-covered such food.

charged with the murder of John Hill, telligence about her own home, so be- ment of what the contents were made Sec. 3, That it shall be unlawful for any persons to purposely. was arrested at Bloomfield, Ind. fore the journey he said to her, "My of in order that the consumer might wilfully and maliciously remove, alter, obliterate or destroy such statement August Knoch, a farmer, was struck by a Chicago & Northwestern train near North Freedom, Wis., and in-tenter of Ohio." for the journey he said to her, My by a Chicago & Northwestern train near North Freedom, Wis., and in-tenter of Ohio." for the journey he said to her, My by a Chicago & Northwestern train near North Freedom, Wis., and in-tenter of Ohio." for the journey he said to her, My by a Chicago & Northwestern train near North Freedom, Wis., and in-Shortly after they were settled in expect not only an equivalent for the one hundred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not Gen. Felix Angus, publisher and ed- the great capital they attended one of cost, but'a further right to a certainty less than one month nor more than six months, or both, in the discretion of

recently underwent an operation for season opens and were introduced ing to buy at less cost a jelly made Sec. 4. That the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture It developed Friday night that the woman Miss Bishop was shielding in her boarding-house at Jacksonville, Ill., was Mrs. Edward Kennedy, wife superintendent of the naval observa- may I ask what part of the state you ingredients and be permitted to use in original, unbroken packages in the Distrist of Columbia, in any Territory, his personal liberty to select his own or in any State other than that in which they shall have been respectively manufactured or otherwise produced, or from a foreign country, or intended house. Mrs. Kennedy surrendered. An investigation by St. Louis police in a high, penetrating voice, "I am The people have allowed the slow for export to a foreign country. The Secretary of Agriculture shall make Superintendent of Insurance Van- discloses that the man who committed from the inferior part of Ohio."-Lip murder of infants and adults by tricky necessary rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of this Act. makers of food, drink and drugs to go and is hereby authorized to employ such chemists, inspectors, clerks, laboron about long enough. Duty to oneself, ers, and other employees, as may be necessary to carry out the provisions family and nation demands that every of this Act and to make such publication of the results of the examinations man and woman join in an organized and analysis as he may deem proper. And any manufacturer, producer or ies should be given, expresses the opinion that if the policyholders' committee organized in St. Louis last fall took up the matter it undoubtedly would receive the greater part of the how you desire him to represent you. one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding one hundred days, or both. The national public ownership party The dates for the confederate re- "A few," answered the traveler. Remember the Congressman is in Sec. 5, That any person, firm or corporation who shall violate sections was formed at a convention called in union to be held in New Orleans April "The most interesting thing I ever his district and if a goodly number of his district and his 25, 26 and 27 have not been changed, heard, however, was a story I got in citizens express their views to him, he tion shall be fined not exceeding two hundred dollars for the first offense Secretary Bonaparte accepted the as stated in a dispatch from Macon. Africa. It seems that a year or so ago secures'a very sure guide to duty. Re. and for each subsequent offense not exceeding three hundred dollars or be

of Tennessee, fourth class, United had authorized no announcement of a house went through there and lost people is assured by insisting that the Sec. 6. That any person, firm, or corporation, who shall wilfully, purposely his sample case, containing all kinds will of the people be carried out, and or maliciously change or add to the ingredients of any food, make false Former Congressman A. H. Bush-nell has joined the already long list Fe railroad, in a speech at the Cham-pears that some ostriches found his pears that some ostriches found his religibilitien to a new for busilecting the makers of subjecting th This pure food legislation is a pure such foods to fine or imprisonment under this Act, shall be guilty of a misof candidates for a seat on the Wis- ber of Commerce banquet at Los An- sample case, broke it open, and swaltection. It will be opposed only by dollars nor less than three hundred dollars, or imprisoned for not less than James Sheridan of Terre Haute, ion" in favor of rate-making had been "I see nothing odd about that. Os- those who fatten their pockets by de- thirty days nor more than one year, or both.

ceiving and injuring the people. There- Sec. 7. That it shall be the duty of every district attorney to whom the whom he was chasing in a drunken state commerce commission to give it. "Yes; but every ostrich egg that fore, if your Representative in Conhim to strict accountability, and if ceedings to be commenced and prosecuted without delay for the fines and necessary demand equitable and hon- penalties in such case provided. est service. This is a very different Sec. 8, That this Act shall not be construed to interfere with commerce

s. condition than when a faction demands wholly internal in any State, nor with the exercise of their police powers "Of all the habits that's the worst; not Several years ago the butter interests Sec. 9, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this Act are hereby

Yamagata and Oyama at Tokio with ern Industrial exposition in that city An' brother winks an' says, "I say, look power of organization forced class legislation really unworthy of a free peo- day of October, nineteen hundred and six.

The undersigned respectfully requests the Representatives from his dis-

## London cablegram: An unconfirmed

Prince Arthur of Connaught, coming enraged bull by the horns, Nicholas dispatch has reached the government to present the order of the Garter to Oberting of Herdentown, Ind., after a reporting that five British officers and the Japanese emperor, caused rejoic- long struggle, succeeded in throwing a company of native troops have ing. The emperor himself received the animal on its back, and thus saved been killed by fanatics near Sokoto, in northern Nigeria.

Fanatics Slay Troops

#### Bank Receiver Reports.

Pittsburg, Pa., special: The first reman William P. Bowen of Columbia, were killed and twenty girls were in- port of the receiver of the failed En-Tenn., a member of the fourth class, jured by an explosion at the Hercules | terprise National bank of Alleghenry, has resigned. He was deficient in powder plant, eighteen miles north of Pa., shows total assets of \$2,199,529, with \$3,130,585 liabilities.

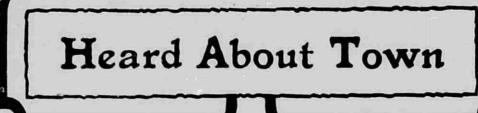
# **Our 15th Anniversary**

On February 14th, 1906, this bank completed 15 years of business. During this time it has never refused to pay a deposit on demand and the bank stands stronger today than ever before.

#### We Want Your Business

## THE LOWELL STATE BANK

Lowell, Mich.



Dr. Hodges, dentist. Mrs. J. R. Rogers is quite ill. Heavy cut glass water pitcher 25c. McCarty,

For Michigan's best cheese go to Jno. Giles & Co.

Mrs. J. P. Murphy was in Grand Rapids Friday.

Rev. Russell H. Bready will preach at Portland tonight

The Sewing club met Monday evening with Mrs. Harold Weekes.

Free 500 Chattanooga calendars and Friday. storm charts at Norton Henry's drug store.

P. J. Taylor of the Upper Penin-sula visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull last week.

Mrs. Al. VanDyke of Harvard is quite ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Flyun.

Good, old fashioned fireproof baking plates, large 3 for 25 cents, small McCarty's 3 for 10 cents.

D. LeClear has moved back from Grand Rapids and occupies the Wilson house on the west side.

James Monroe and family have re- Pleasant. turned from a five months' sojourn in northern Michigan.

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156. A. A. Hall is very ill.

T. A. Murphy was in Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. H. P. Snyder spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Norton Avery is able to be out his death. again after a severe illness.

Born-In Vergennes, Feb. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Melville McPherson, a son. F. B. Clark of Mt. Pleasant made some brief calls upon Lowell friends

B. C. Needham of Grand Rapids was in town Monday calling on old Rapids, one own brother, Alanson friends.

Mrs. F. W. Hinyan is spending a half sisters, all living at Belmont, few days with friends in Grand Allegany county, N. Y. Rapids.

Messrs. R. B. Loveland and F. W. Hinvan were at McBride on business Tuesday.

Miss Nina Wisner returned Satur. ers. lay from a visit with her sister at Norwalk, O.

Miss Vesta Smith has been spending a few days with relatives at Mt. test tonight at the high school.

#### **GEN. MILES' BUGLER GONE** WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH LOWELL?

#### (Continued from page1.)

#### Lester C. Hildreth Went to the Eternal Camping Ground Yesterday.

Lester C. Hildreth, another of Lowell's early settlers, died yes-terday afternoon at three o'clock, at morrow afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Russell H. Bready officiating, and burial will be in Oakwood cemetery

Mr. Hildreth was born Aug. 4, 1833, at Newark, N. Y. When a small boy he moved with his parents to Hume, Allegany county, N. Y. He came to Michigan in the Spring of 1855, stop- I know of no better evidence than ping at Battle Creek, then the ter. the hearty good-will with which the minus of the railroad, and driving business men took hold of the early from there to Lowell where he re-mained but a short time. He re-is so much a relic of the days before as running the stores until time or ten nothing that would send this Fall came back and settled in this village, which has for many years There is nothing so much of an enemy been his home. In March, 1858, he to the home and to the owners of the married Julia Lang and they built store as the store that is open where for a residence the house now owned men may loaf, men that do not want by Mrs. A. W. Owen. For a number to stay at home in the evening. I of years he followed the trade of gunsmith, working for some time with Mr. John Maynard. In 1861 his wife died. He enlisted in the "There is nothing to do evenings, Civil War and served for three years as chief bugler for General Miles, in the 26th Michigan Infantry. He was united in marriage to Julia was united in marriage to Julia Spencer Jan. 1, 1866, the ceremony and 1 do hope for the sake of the being performed by Justice Thos. J business men of Lowell that if the Slayton. He worked for some time electric road comes through here that in the cabinet factory, and later in every man, woman and child will rethe Kopf furniture factory, and for main true to these business men. many years has been a faithful There may be a tendency on the part employe of the Lowell Cutter Com- of many people to hie away to the pany. He was a member of the first city; but that is not for the good of that isn't our greatest need; I would brass band ever established in Low. our town, and if the business men ell. During the past Winter he has been in very poor health, not entire-ly giving up until two weeks before

Mr. Hildreth was of a gentle, kindly disposition, loved his hame and family, and held the sincere respect of all who knew him. He leaves besides his wife three daughters, Mrs. W. S. Winegar of Lowell, Mrs. C. B. Taylor of Traverse City and Mrs. A. G. Archibald of Grand Hildreth, two half brothers and two

#### Dr. White, dentist, 'phone 151.

For sale, incubator and two brood-J. F. Thomas. Our teas are unequaled in quality. Jno. Giles & Co. Adelphic vs. Olympic literary con-

Three heavy berry dishes, sold for 70c, now all three for 25c.

towns in Michigan with poorer railroads, having not as good wateramong the business men. It is 'How may we build up this town, bring in of business men than we have here. The character of the stores indicates that. And if we had an organization among the business men here for the bringing of new industries 1 believe closing. And there is nothing that

up their stores as they now are, there way much of its prosperity rests not with the merchants, but with the he times.

So far as I am able to see, the liquor aw in Lowell is fairly well observed, bove the average. But there can not be too much stringency in enforcing the liquor law. I have met all the saloon keepers in Lowell personally and they appear to be men who are trying to be gentlemen and lawabiding. I am sorry that any man can be a law-abiding citizen and be in that business. The business is morally outrageous and should be

Lowell. I felt that duty all this last response. Fall and Winter as I have gone along

the streets and seen the boys along the streets looking for a place to go. power, that have a strong union If I am permitted to stay with you among the business men. It is How another year, next Fall let us get together and do something in that way for the boys of this town and terday afternoon at three o'clock, at his home in this village. Funeral services will be held at the house to-in any town in the state a better lot where they can be together under where they can be together under first-class moral auspices.

> We have a wonderful lack in Low ell among the young people of musical ability-not ability, but of the work. It causes a good deal of R. M. Wilcox, last Tuesday night. skirmishing around here to get music for a choir. We need just a good old-fashioned singing school. Fifty years ago people used to sing. God bless the consecrated person who is willing to give his time to a choir. congregation away so happy tonight as for everybody to sing on the last hymn. Next Fall let us attempt to have an old-fashioned singing school in Lowell with a good leader and a hundred young people in it; and at the close a chorus concert to show the result of the work, and then divide these young people up among the churches in Lowell, and we will have enough music to do all the people good. \*\*\*

What is the matter with Lowell religiously? There is a good deal the matter with Lowell religiously, and yet not so much as we would port Wednesday. think upon first contemplation. Geo. Layer is recovering. What is the greatest need of the church in these days? I would like to have a big pipe organ here, but like to have an addition on the back Sold Hyomel for Years and Know it have a strong organization and keep end of this church and have it brimful, but that is not the greatest need; is no reason why Lowell shouldn't a gymnasium for the boys, a good be the center of trade. In a business kitchen and dining-room, but that kitchen and dining-room, but that most thorough and remarkable test. isn't the greatest need. The greatest For a long time he has offered to reueed of this church and all the people, who help them to keep up with churches is common everydayreligion. Just the common, ordinary religion. Just the common, ordinary religion of the Lord Jesus Christ; cures among his customers that he and if we could have that and if we has urged its use in the most chronic could constrain men and women to practice that religion, which is all summed up by Jesus: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy might and soul and strength, and thy neighbor as thyself."—if we would do that the people couldn't catarrhal germs, and restores com-get in. And then, if we did that we plete health. Its healing, antiseptic get in. And then, if we did that we wouldn't be so hopelessly divided. If we just united in that kind of love, legally outrageous and should be a man can open his door in Lowell and be in the liquor business. But we have certain laws concerning is the surpreme revelation of God, we could bring things to pass as we we have certain laws concerning night closing and Sunday closing and on legal holidays and I hope that the president of our rillor to be built built is one reason why religious work and the president of our rillor to be built bu

books and some good games. It is gressive movement in the building of a duty that we owe the boys of the parsonage and received a hearty

Post cards-The Ledger.

NORTH BOSTON. S. F. Dingman of Stanton is visiting R. M. Wilcox and family.

Miss Louise Barkley is on the sick list.

Several from this vicinity attended the party at the home of Newton Warner at Lowell Tuesday night. F. M. Wilcox of Stanton attended the dance at the home of his brother, Mrs. Leone Alexander visited Mrs. Allie Carr Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Wm. Thompson visited Mrs. Fred Johnson Sunday.

Elmer Buxton of Ionia visited friends in this vicinity last week.

#### SOUTH LOWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yeiter went to Blanchard Saturday on business.

Jacob Yeiter was buried yesterday, the funeral being held at the South Lowell German M. E. church. He was seventy-eight years ten months old.

H. Getty spent Monday and Tues-day in Grand Rapids on business.

The Ladies' Aid society met in the church parlor and made a very nice quilt for Mrs. S. Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas, Yeiter attended the funeral of Mrs. Geiger at Free-

M. N. HENRY TEST

#### Will Cure Catarrh.

M. N. Henry has given Hyomet a fund the money to any purchaser of Hyomei, if it failed to benefit.

cases of catarrh.

the nose, throat, and lungs, kills the fragrance penetrates to the most remote air passages, as no medicine taken into the stomach can possibly

is one reason why religious work The complete Hyomel, outfit costs a few days with relatives at Mt. test tonight at the high school. Pleasant. G. V. McConnell of Reed City was shaking hands with old Lowell. Three heavy herry dishes sold for on Sundays especially, and on nights, is enforced. You can not be too shall progress and that we shall do that things is not sufficient for a complete cure, additional bottles of Hyomei while I am among you that we can can be obtained for 50 cents. Compare this small expense with the fees charged by specialists, and remember, too, if Hyomei does not The pastor closed his lecture with cure, M. N. Henry will return your an appeal in behalf of the late pro- money.

Mr. Rodgers of Kalamazoo is spending the week with his daugh-ter, Mrs. Nelson Watters.

Mrs. Joseph Rogers of Boston township is spending a few days with her son, J. R. Rogers. The Methodist 1 realized \$82.50 from

Wm. Drew has been at Battle Creek this week, as a delegate from the Lowell lodge of Forresters.

S. Jay Carter's infant daughter has been very ill the past few days, but it is now hoped she will recover. Delilah have been sper

If you got left on the l5c water jug deal it's no reason why you need get left on the other bargains at Mc-Carty's.

Miss Jennie Joseph attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carr in Keene last home of her brother, Rev. Russel H. Mrs. Ed. Taylo Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Warner attended a party given at the home of last Thursday evening.

500 of the celebrated Chattanooga calendar and storm charts to be given Friday with Miss Elizabeth Rayat my drug store. Norton Henry.

Mrs. W. E. Marsh, John Lasby and son Allen were called to Grand Rapids yesterday by the serious illness of Mr. Lasby's sister, Mrs. James Nicklin.

Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 35 cents, Tea or tablets.

#### D. G. LOOK.

Rev. James E. Butler has returned

Friday afternoon from 3 to 6, price 15c. Open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, afternoon and evening. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea music and good order. Everybody enriches the blood and purifies the invited. 35 cents.

Word has been received that in the recent Portland, Ore., fire Mrs. Nellie seriously injured. The conflagation | rion. destroyed several brick blocks and the Daily confectionery store among

gave her a surprise party last even-ing in honor of her birthday anniver-room, \$91; this can be reduced. Cataing in honor of her birthday anniver-sary, and also of that of her brother-in-law, K. S. Rickert, of Keene. The roe St., Valparaiso, Indiana." apr5 company arrived at an early hour and spent a very pleasant time with cards, music and dancing. A supper was served at tweive o'clock. Dur-ing the evening Mr. Warner presented

friends Friday. Come to Henry's drug store and get a Chattanooga calendar and

The Methodist Ladics' Aid society night.

realized \$82.50 from their chicken pie supper last week.

Mrs. Perry Cambell of Wyoming ning. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bru

Mrs. A. W. Bently and daughter Avery, last week. Delilah have been spending a few days with relatives at Linden.

Everett Cogswell and chum, Ray Gleason, of Belding spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatch.

Bready.

Its unnecessary to cough your life away. Get a bottle of Look's Tar Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Carr in Keene Pine Cough Balsam at Look's drug store only 25c.

away to the first 500 people calling mond, and together they visited the

day. They will move to their new bome at Morrice about March first.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson and daughter Ruth spent Sunday at Walker Center with Mrs. M. A. Parmlee and other friends.

Three little rules we all should keep,

Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night.

Admission 10c, skates 15c. Good drives out impurities, cleanses and D. G. Look.

I have been ordered to collect all ac Daily, daughter of Oel Train, a for-mer well-known Lowell resident, was previous to Dec. 1, 1905, on or before very badly burned. Her husband March 28, 1906. After that date all died from injuries received, one son accounts will have to be placed in was burned to death and another son | the hands of an attorney, for collec-W. F. HOWK, Exc.

"Young people wanted to learn telegraphy. Railroads and telethe rest. About forty of the friends and neighbors of M.s. Newton Warner conrse at our school, tuition (tele-

The next number of the Clover Leaf course is a lecture by Reno B. Wel-bourn, "the wizard of electricity," ing the evening Mr. Warner presented his wife with a fine kitchen cabinet and Mr. Rickert with a music rack. Wednesday evening, Mar. 7, is the date and Train's opera house

McCarty's. The school literary societies will give a contest at the high school to-

The L. G. C. club was entertained by Miss Eva Gehrer Wednesday eve-

Bruce Ball of Mason visited at the nome of his grand father, H. W.

Frank Cline was called to White Cloud Sunday by the serious illness

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyers and two daughters, Bernice and Theo. of Miss Rhoble Bready of Niles has Toledo, spent Sunday at the home of I was geting him home the best way I could. I maintain that every

Bernard Friar of Grand Rapids has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. D. Kelly, this week.

Norton Henry, the druggist. has bought 500 calendars and storm charts. Ask for one.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by All druggists.

Three little rules we all should keep, To make life happy and bright, Smile in the morning, smile at noon, Smile in the morning, smile at noon,

How to get your LEDGER free from a trip to northwest Iowa, looking refreshed and better for his rest. He will resume his labors here than 300 scrap books should examine than sou scrap books should examine with renewed zeal and energy, and the new filing cabinet at THE LED- paper. They must be bonafide new

with renewed zeal and energy, and will be welcomed by his host of warm friends. He is worthy of the best that Lowell can give him. Chas. B. Jack of Ionia has opened a skating rink at Train's opera house which will be open to children every Friday afternoon from 3 to 6, price

**GLASSES** EASILY FITTED

We can easily fit glasses for any case of defective vision and the fitting is easy for the patient. We have everything needed in the way of equipment and make examination in such a man-ner that it is not tiresome or annoying in any way. It is apt to be done very promptly too, because we do not have to experiment or try various plans in order to locate the troubles. We fit easily because we know how to fit perfectly. Our prices are always very reasonable and the work is guaranteed.

strenuous in enforcing any law on the best we can \*\*\* and I hope that the saloon. I would like to see the bonds of every saloonkeeper in Mich igan thoroughly examined. A very cold, bitter night, over here on this corner, I noticed a man having hard work to navigate and a little ways from the corner he fell headlong into Station version and station and station and station of the state of th

the snow. I went and helped him up and held him up, and went along quite a ways with him. I don't suppose that he had any idea who i was. And some saloonkeeper in this town had pawned off his dirty job

Rev. I. B. Jones. Mrs. Ed. Taylor returned Monday from Grand Rapids, where she has bcen caring for her son. I could. I maintain that every saloonkeeper ought to get his own job home. For the good of humanity it was my duty to do the best I could, and I did. Such scenes as that ought not to be on the streets of Lowell.

I want to speak especially of the conditions of our boys in Lowell. We ought to keep them out of the street. We don't want the stores to east and west ward schools. George Winegar and sons Clare and George were in town last Thurs-day. They will move to their new 376 to \$2.00 Charts. Ask for one. Cold, raw winds of this season make lung protection necessary. D. G. Look has chest protectors at from 376 to \$2.00 evenings unless they go into a saloon. It needs some kind of leadership somewhere. Boys love company and they will have it some-where. We may say to them for awhile "Stay at home and be good boys," but that won't work all the

continue to progress and do things, and if we all do, we can bring something to pass."

# **Chance Wanted**

To compete with your favorite merchant, mailorder house and peddlers, on your several needs in our lines. We sell good Drugs, Paints, Oils, Wall Paper, Window Shades, Books and Stationery, as cheap, quality considered, as any reliable concern can, wherever located. Let us prove it to you. Your money back if not entirely satisfied with any purchase made at our store.

#### NORTON HENRY

The Modern Druggist Colgate's Soaps and Perfumes.

In the New Negonce Block

# **McCarty's** Is The Place and Here are **The Prices**

That's all you have to know so we won't talk. The list does that. If you are so stagnant and slow to grasp an idea that you can't tell when you are getting a good deal, why you are a hopeless case and talk wont help you. Meanwhile your shrewd neighbor walks off with the goods and, alas! it's too late.

0 lbs. Granulated Sugar, finest on the market	\$1.00
1b. Best Black Pepper	35.0
lb. Best Cinnamon	350
Ibs. Oatmeal, fine goods	25-
0 lbs. Granulated Cornmeal	10-
packages Malta Vita.	
boxes Snow Boy Washing Powder	250
(Houseeleaning is near at hand)	

while for all boys. It would only be a nominal cost for us to rent a couple of rooms in this town where the boys could have a few good

Nobles W. S. Winegar, W. A. Watts, H. W. Hakes, C. G. Stone and R. B. Boylan attended the February meeting of the Shrine in Grand Rapids Friday, and the following at-tended the matinee party at the and Paul Towsley.

Mrs. Thomas McKnight, an old resident of Freeport, Mich., and step-mother of William F. McKnight, tended the matinee party at the Majestic and the ball at the Armory tendered by the Shrine to the ladies: Mesdames W. A. Watts, Orton Hill, H. W. Hakes, R. B. Boylan, O. C. McDannell, Geo. M. Winegar, Neilie McCarty, F. T. King, G. G. Towsley, Loyal McCarty, Miss Della Winegar, Miss Florence King and Katherine and Paul Towsley. died Sunday at her home at the age of 55 years, after an illness of over a year. Thomas McKnight, her hus-band, has been a resident of Kent from Freeport.

**Examinations** Free

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14 bars Railroad Soap (only 2 boxes left)......25c 

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