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LARGEST CIRCULATION

I have been extravagant and wasted my money in the past, and WHEREAS:

Such habits are waong and lead to a sorrowful and unhappy old age, therefore

RESOLVED:

That I will save some money during the coming year, and RESOLVED:

That I will deposit it where it will be safe and always ready for me and will draw interest, and that the best place is

THE CITY BANK

HILL, WATTS & CO. Responsibility \$150,000.00

Orton Hill, President W. A. Watts, Cashier

We Wish You All

New Year

EDELMANN & NERRETER

The Leading Hardware.

happy New Year

We wish to thank our growing army of friends and patrons for the increased business given us through the past year and to solicit the continuance of their kind favors during the coming year, which we will endeavor in the future, as in the past, to merit.

Whatever is newest, most pleasing, ornamental, useful, durable and best in every way, in all departments, it is our design at all times to furnish our customers at lowest consistent prices.

Again, wishing you a very happy New Year,

Yours to command,

H. D. Oliver.

SOME ONE

Has said that poor bread is the crutch of life while good bread is the staff of life. You will find no crutch at our Bakery. The

Staff of Life

Is always to be found at

Smith's Bakery.

"Potato Bread is the Staff of Life."

A CHRISTMAS WEDDING

Frost-Converse Marriage Christmas The Ledger's Christmas Sewing Machine Night. One Hundred Guests Were Present.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Condon at Moseley was the scene of the marriage of their daughtry, Miss Lena Converse, to Mr. Byron Frost, in the presence of one hundred guests on Christmas night, Dec. 25, 1906, at eight o'clock. A beautiful altar was erected in the parlor, over which was a wedding hell suspended between two pillars of Christmas' as the owner of The Lenger's prize sewing machine, thanks to the enthusiastic support of a host of friends, who rallied to her support in the closing days of the contest in a most surprising manner. At the counting of December 19, Mrs. Chase lead by 596, while the close of the contest found Mrs. Gibson ahead by 1696.

The total number of votes cast for the four leading contestants was as follows: bell suspended between two pillars decorated with smilax and carnations, and the candelabra in the rear illuminated the chancel.

Preceeding the ceremony a program of wedding music was rendered by Miss Maggie Hickey and Mrs. J. R. Bignell at the organ, and Mr. Bignell, violinist. Mrs. Bignell sang "O, Promise Me." The bridal party then proceeded to the altar, where the ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Russell H. Bready. The grooms-men were Ray Cave and Lee Con-verse, and the bride was attended by Mrs. Edith Cave, matron of honor, and Jessie Condon, bridesmaid. The bride was attired in nun's veiling, over silk, and carried a bouquet of roses; the matron of honor and bridesmaid were attired in cream brilliantine.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was served, the following acting as waiters: Norma Church, Ara half in the sewing machine contest, I Weeks, Tony Condon, Etna Carr, Wish to express my heartfelt thanks. Frank Condon, Carrie Ford. The Mrs. James Gibson. display of presents was large, and beautiful. Guests were present from Port Huron, Ionia, Grand Rapids, New York, Saranac, Sparta, Symrna, and Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Frost will take a short wedding trip, and will be at home until further and will be at home until further announcement to their friends after January 1st., at the residence of the groom's parents.-[Com.

SMITH-FORD

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for a trip to Hastings, after which they will return to Lowell where they will make their home.

ARMSTRONG-SAYLES.

Wilson Armstrong, formerly of Lowell, and Blanche Sayles of this village were married Christmas morning at eight-thirty in Grand Rapids, Rev. Charles Nease perform-ing the ceremony at the Plainfield Methodist parsonage. The couple will reside in Grand Rapids

LEWIS-WOODS.

Joseph Lewis of Lowell and Mrs. Maryon A. Woods of Clarksville were quietly married at the parsonage of the Plainfield Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. Charles Nease officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will make their home in Low-ell.—[Grand Rapids Herald.

EAST LOWELL.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Coles spent christmas with their daughter, Mrs. M. C. Gilbert.

Mrs. Glenn Denice and children o Grand Rapids are visiting her par ents, Geo. Godfrey and wife.

C. Hendershott and wife spent Christmas with their son, Orrel, and family at Lowell. Ralph Story and family and Mrs-P. C. Story ate Christmas dinner with M. T. and wife.

John Cary and family entertained G. G. Jones and wife Christmas day.

Fred Conklin and family of Lyons visited his parents here last week. Miss Florence Gilbert has a new plano.

James Lovely lost a horse last Woman's Home Companion -

There is a week of vacation for the school between Christmas and New

Year's.

A large company of friends and neighbors assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hendershott Friday evening to assist in celebrating their 35th. wedding anniversary. A picnic supper was served, the company being waited on by the Misses Charles of Grand Rapids and Lowell and Misses Besale Story and Jessle Ware. While the wedding march was played by Mrs. Dottle Hendershott, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hendershott took their places attended by Mr. and Mrs. Will Morgan, and renewed their marriage vows, their ceremony being performed by Seymour Coles, the new justice, then J. N. Hubbell in a few well chosen words presented them in behalf of the company with a lovely rocker, as a token of the esteem in which they are held. The company dispersed to their homes at a late hour, wishing them many returns of the day. a late hour, wishing them many returns of the day,

Axel Fletcher, who has been in the West, returned Saturday and in company with his brother Guy and family spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. Bertha Coles.

MRS. GIBSON WINS

by Large Plurality.

Mrs James Gibson had a "Merry Christmas" as the owner of The Led-

four leading contestants was as follows:

Mrs. James Gibson Mrs. E. E. Chase

Mrs. Jay Bovee Mrs. Ethel Willey THE LEDGER desires to thank all who have assisted in making this contest a success and to congratulate them upon having made so wise a disposition of

our machine.

Mrs. Gibson's success and Mrs. Chase's splendid vote were largely due to the strenuous efforts of the former's little daughter Ruth and the latter's manly little son Ralph. We are proud of them

both, and sorry for the loser. Mrs. Chase by the way, has cheerfully accepted a handsome "Consolation", prize with thanks and Mrs. Gibson offers the following:

CARD OF THANKS.

Churches and **Societies**

METHODIST.

At 9:30 a. m. class meeting, 10:30 Miss Ella M. Ford and Don M. Smith, both of Lowell, were united in marriage at nine o'clock on Christmas morning by Rev. Charles Nease, at his home on Spencer avenue, Grand Rapids They were attended by the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pottruff, also of this village.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs.

Vergennes Church.

Methodist church. The pastor wishes to meet all members and friends of the church at a special meet to be held next Friday afternoon at 1:30. It is important that all interested be present.

CONGREGATIONAL.

"Another step in soul development" will be the sermon subject next Sunday morning at ten-thirty. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. At 7 p. m. the pastor will discuss "A business man's New Year endeavor." The ladies wish to thank the public for the generous patronage which enabled them to realize a clear profit of seventy-five dollars from their recent church fair.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Regular service at the church at 7. p. m. next Sunday. Mrs. Magdanz will conduct the Epworth League services. The subject: "What may a congregation expect of their minister?" will be discussed.

CATHOLIC.

There will be high mass at the Catholic church on New Year's morning at 9:45 instead of 10:00.

Regular communication Cyclamen chapter No. 94, O. E. S., Friday even-ing, Dec. 28th.

Lowell W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Arthur Howk Friday afternoon of this week. All members are requested to be present.

GREATEST MAGAZINE BARGAINS.

It has been necessary to drop the large advertisement of the THE Low-ELL LEDGER's greatest magazine bargain of the year, but the offer still holds good, towit:

Success Magazine The Lowell Ledger

Regular price Our price only \$3.75 For description of the above mag-

HAY FOR SALE-4 OR 5 TONS. Mrs. W. R. Blaisdell

family spent Christmas with their sister, Mrs. Bertha Coles.

H. Vanderwall and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

Having rented the mill at Fallasburg, we wish to solicit a portion of the patronage of this vicinity. We grind rye, graham, buckwheat and all kinds of feed. Special attention given to custom work.

2w J. J. Parker & Son.

A farmer near Greenville recently hired a lad to help him dot the chores. One morning he told had to take some salt and salt a calf out in the pasture. The boy took a quart of salt with him and thoroughly rubbed it all over the calf, working it into the hair. A gang of colts in the pasture scented the salt and got after the calf and nearly took the hide off the calf and nearly took the hide off too.

[Belding News.]

We Thank You

As we cross the boundary of the new year we wish to thank those who have honored us with their confidence and trade during the year that is past.

We strive to protect and promote the interests of our customers in every way and are gratified to note the generous response this policy brings.

The year 1906 was in every way the most satisfactory we ever had and we are pleased to express our appreciation of the favors shown us.

We assure our customers that we shall during 1907 make every effort to serve them even better than in the

TWe extend to all sincere wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year.

D. S. Look, The Drug and Book Store.

WITH 'EM

For those unexpected Christmas Presents by calling at our store and selecting a

NEW YEAR'S GIFT

as a return remembrance. Special Low Prices on holiday stock to close out. Choice lines to select from.

R. D. STOCKING

Thanks for your Christmas trade and liberal patronage during 1906. Please continue with us during 1907.

> We are showing the most complete line of

Heating Stoves and Ranges

Ever shown in Lowell.

Here is a List We are Justly Proud of

Ideal Jewel, Art Garland and Favorite Hard Coal Stoves.

Garland and Favorite Oaks.

Florence Hot Blasts for all kinds of fuel. Wood Heaters in large variety. Favorite and Jewel Steel Ranges.

Majestic Malleable Ranges.

Come in and Look Our Line Over and Get Our Prices

Scott Hardware Co.

A Trip to Florida

Would you like to go where its warm this winter? Well you don't have to go as far as Florido to get a balmy atmosphere. You can have it in your own homes day after day at a very small expense if you use HARD COAL. Get in line for the Florida atmosphere by ordering your coal supply today.

EARL HUNTER

Phone 127 Office in Williams' store

WOOD AND COAL

PORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM Comptroller Metz, of New York, laying A. Anthony in New York.

Complete Review of Happenings of

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS. Congress adjourned for the Christ. 70th birthday.

ics of the enterprise. President Roosevelt in a message at Upper Sandusky, O., died of apo- ship,

accompanying Secretary Metcalf's re- plexy. force at his command to protect lives | whisky. and property of Japanese in San Fran- On hundred prominent men through- closed its doors.

to congress, asked revision of land committee to further the movement Stanford White. cers to get commands before too old. Norton. Secretary Straus of the department | Bishop Charles C. McCabe died of to Japan in St. Petersburg. of commerce and labor decided South apoplexy in New York. in cotton fields and mills.

Secretaries Hitchcock and Wilson American republics. were "called down" by senators for The steamer W. T. Scovil blew up president of the Indiana Manufactur. \$449 worth of postage stamps, which corpse, Kenneth Frederickson, of Pewithdrawing Indian lands from allot. near Vicksburg, Miss., and four white ing company, placed his business afcolored troops of the Twenty-fifth reg. assistant treasurer at Boston, died at tees, amount to \$500,000, with liabili- used. Eight cheap watches, a revolver temporary rally, and he died shortly

coolie laborers at low rates.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Feeding company, were convicted of falo, N. Y.

A reduction of more than \$4,000,000 maximum punishment. ian immigrants. office department is shown in the an- center of the town occupied by the ary 4, as the date for the beginning no paroles would be issued until after assistant postmaster general. The fire also consumed the museum, Herrmann, of Oregon, charged with

numbering 25,000 men and women, warehouses, have voted to go on strike at once as Terrorists threw a bomb and fired office of commissioner of the general paid for carrying freight in lake ves- false pretenses. a protest against the conditions under revolvers at Chief of Police Cheshan- land office. which they are forced to labor by the owski at Lodz, Russian Poland. He Japanese Ambassador Aoki said the A rough estimate is \$61,000,000 for one of the Ruttle Nothing has ever equalled it.

sons were entombed.

against the course of the French gov- George W. Harris, a prisoner for be considered. ernment and forwarded it to all papal forgery in the county jail at Goshen. Cardinal Richard vacated his palace was perhaps the largest in the history an physicians of his staff. representatives abroad, including the Ind., declares he is the man who murin Paris and his friends made a great a profit of 35 per cent on the insurance Sheriff Alex Compton, of Wabash Ind., three years ago.

county, Ill., was shot and killed at Fire destroyed the main business 30,000, employed in different sections three years ago were no longer of any years with each of two wives. His first, Keensburg while about to take a child portion of Mexia, Tex., including six of New England, received an advance value, have since paid in profits what May Hodges, died in 1880, and in 1881

A merger of the leading woolen The Citizen's bank at Felicity, O., During a heavy fog on the British mills of the south, involving a capitalization of \$1,250,000, has been effected.

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and general counsel for the Mutual Re- and publisher of the Natchez Demo- Bonaparte were sworn in as members two months ago to become a motor. Agnes Lang, a Sarnia girl, who was

at Spring Valley, Ill., was completely Cunningham has found \$950,000 dis- firing ten shots from revolvers and sustained by falling on a defective lities have found that the commission destroyed by fire. The loss is \$15,000. crepancies in the Farmers' and Drov- throwing bombs at him, were exe- sidewalk. He sent a claim to the com- of a crime in Canada does not violate A landslide buried a number of ers' National bank of Waynesburg, cuted, houses in the little hamlet of Cuzons Pa., which failed.

The United States will have im- Frank B. Sargent, commissioner of the ported an aggregate of \$50,000,000 immigration, may have to pay a fine ported an aggregate of \$50,000,000 immigration, may have to pay a fine la worth of crude India rubber at the for being a passenger on a Japanese close of the present year, according steamer from Honolulu to San Franto a statement by the department of cisco. The Nippon Maru was fined \$1,000 for violating the law prohibitcommerce and labor. The shipment of coffee from Rio ing a foreign boat from carrying pas-Janeiro is at a standstill owing to the sengers between American ports.

fact that the stevedores have gone | Thieves looted the residence of C. V. Stein, at Hinsdale, near Chicago, One man was killed and another of \$15,000 worth of silver and jewelry. hurt by a recklessly driven automo- About 800,000 ballots were cast in bile in Minneapolis. the election of trustees of the New Mrs. Elizabeth Stalker, of Williams York and Mutual Life insurance com- FOWLER BANK ROBBED burg, Pa., a pioneer resident of Blair panies and both sides claimed the

county, celebrated the 106th anniver- victory. A SUMMARY OF THE MOST IM. sary of her birth. Among the tele- Proceedings brought by the state Meets Death at Oxford.—Yeggmen grams of congratulation received was of Missouri to oust the Standard Oil Work Fowler. one from President Roosevelt. | company, of Indiana, the Waters-Louis P. Koeken, of Philadelphia, Pierce Oil company and the Republic through counsel served notice upon Oil company from Missouri were re-

claim to the major portion of the The interstate commerce commisproperty in upper Manhattan borough sion received reports from 20 towns Saturday morning, was instantly own life and not leave those he loved and the Bronx, the value of which in the northwest revealing fuel fam-killed. Greatest Interest from All Parts runs up into the hundreds of millions. ine which imperils scores of lives. of the Globe—The Latest Foreign The London Chronicle says Joseph George S. McReynolds of Chicago school in Oxford, took the 7 o'clock is shown by the fact that his eldest G. Look Chamberlain's memory is entirely was convicted of fraudulently removat the celebration in honor of his Charges have been preferred by a Five Points by the hired man and a asylum in Wisconsin.

Rooseveit's act in discharging colored President W. E. Corey, of the United Mrs. Howard Powers, wife of the rig was struck by the 8 o'clock in-law, W. L. Sharp, in which was Good Roads—H. Nash, Chairman. soldiers was in violation of the law, States steel corporation, and also one manager of "The McFadden's Flats" northbound passenger train, Both sleeping his young wife, who had bethe constitution and the articles of of the "junior partners" of Andrew company, committed suicide in Col. wouth and horse were instantly killed. gun divorce proceedings against him. Winegar, Chairman. Carnegie, died at his home in Wilkins umbus, O., by shooting. On the stage The young man was badly cut up. His attorney believes him insane. she was known as Dollie Powers. President Roosevelt in a special message praised the work being done message praised the work being do on the Panama canal and flayed crit-

port on the Japanese trouble repeated Whisky men protested to Secretary pany, which has headquarters in Col- the high school, his position as quar Owing to his previous conduct Bailey his declaration that he would use all Wilson against his ruling on blended umbus, O., and brokerage houses in a terback and captain of the football was suspected and was arrested.

bassador McCormick for his services wards.

was elected director of the bureau of attorney.

his home in Lowell, Mass. ties of \$225,000. recurrence of the car shortage and whether a Filipino is white or col- Oakland, Cal., last week, was cremat- alighted at Fowler.

The report of the isthmian canal Prof. W. W. Borden, a widely-known by his widow. commission told of offers of Chinese capitalist, died at his home at Borden, Col. Andrew Jackson, son of the Ind. He was 83 years old.

A son has been born to Dr. and Mrs. died in Knoxville, Tenn. He was born Gerald Webb. Mrs. Webb is a grand- in 1834 at the Hermitage, the home daughter of the late Jefferson Davis, of "Old Hickory." Richards, Comstock, Jameson and and one was fatally burned in a fire at bates.

Charles Rodman, a graduate of the erson, N. J.

mained nearly five years, since his ed by two robbers who covered the barn of White, Cooley & Cutts. A dy- already employed,

the name of the people of the state of one fireman was burned to death and Lord Dunmore, of England, visited Mr. Armstong was told that Rep- and they are now all believed to have the American Ice company for the dis- John Armoy Knox, once widely N. H. He said he was struck with the Sam T. Penna, of Detroit, have stated solution of the so-called "ice trust." known as the editor and proprietor of remarkable vigor of her mind.

A masked bandit at Leadville, Col., Madame Gould, the former Countess 12 miles late at night, because of a

& Rio Grande depot, robbed the cash and money lenders against her with a broken rail sent all the coaches the state. Gov. Warner does not be- G. Rogers, assistant quarter-masterdrawer of its contents and escaped. the object of making her jointly re-plunging into an embankment. lieve in pardons and he does not es- general, who returned yesterday from Mrs. Frank Mills, 50 years old, was sponsible with the count. burned to death and 60 persons were Judge Choadle, of Montana, has sen- ly 180,000 Italians arrived at Ellis granted at Christmas time, made homeless by a fire at Butler, Pa., tenced "Bill" Hedican, a horse thief, island, New York, of whom 18,313 There will not even be any paroles which caused a loss of \$10,000. to the penitentiary for 14 years, the were assisted by the society for Ital. granted for Christmas by the state

The post office employes of Austria, library and a number of shops and the destruction of certain letter press Lake Vessels Made Money.

from its father. David Kellum, and large business houses, with their con- in wages, or a promise of advance at they could have been sold for, and tents, entailing a loss of over \$100,000, an early date.

Thousands of enemies of the Vati- it down. in the Hautes Pyrenees. Eleven per. Frank Steinhart, the American con- can gathered at the French embassy E. L. Davis, of Davisburg, head of the Michigan Milling Co., was burned sul general at Havana, tendered his in Rome and riotously expressed their the Michigan Premium Stock Co., was to death in a fire which destroyed his The planing mill of the Chicago & resignation to Gov. Magoon, he having approval of the action of France in urday night at Davisburg. He went to the top of a car to set the brake, and a prominent American financial institute of the darkness walked off, tearing the line and th The planing mill of the Chicago & resignation to Gov. Magoon, he having approval of the action of France in badly injured while loading stock Sat- home in Grape. He lived in a house

KILLED WHILE COING HOME TO CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

Instantly Killed. Bert Brown, aged 17, while on his

conductor of a train from Pensacola to drive home. When crossing the rig. Leaving the hired man, he started

his parents. He was a great favorite the house, summoning neighbors. The Interstate Commission com- among both teachers and pupils of whose aid the fire was extinguished laws to prevent further frauds; also for a national department of health. The emperor of Japan has ex- some gifts of local friends, only to lie he was sentenced to 90 days in the Loans, Collections, Real Estate and recommended law allowing naval offi. which was launched by Prof. J Pease pressed his desire to decorate Am- cold in death a short half hour after. Detroit house of correction, but his wife secured his release from Gov.

Gov. Folk of Missouri has sued St. Looted the Bank, Carolina could import aliens to work | John Barrett, minister to Colombia, Louis for \$5,833 back salary as circuit | Yeggmen broke into the State Say. ings banks in Fowler Friday night. Given up for dead and taken from a Arthur A. McKain, of Indianapolis, securing \$25 of the bank's money and Grand Rapids & Indiana train as a men and about ten negroes were fairs in the hands of three trustees killed.

Cooper A. Marden for course half or the benefit of his creditors. His off the combination of the safe but Senator Hansbrough has prepared The school authorities of Washing. The body of Sir John Long, Scotch Three suspicious persons got on a The body was sent to Petoskey.

ed and the ashes will be taken home Brennem & Co.'s store was also en- a victim of tuberculosis, and he rapidadopted son of President Jackson, turning brooms at the old stand and for some time to come," said Warden taker's wagon. President Roosevelt asked E. H. and the newcomer is the only great | The Ann Arbor railway and the To- Allen Armstrong, of the state prison. Harriman to close the break in Colo- grandson of the confederate president. ledo Ice and Coal company have been He was informed that he had been rado river causing the Salton sea. Four persons were burned to death indicted for giving and receiving recited by Judge Hesmer, of Detroit, to An attempt to burn the temporary that may be entitled to pension bounty.

Triplett, of the Nebraska Land and the Zenobia apartment house in Buf- The Butler opera house and two guilty of contempt of court for con- was made Tuesday, Prof. Mann noother structures were burned at Pat. tinuing the work, President A. B. Stickney, of the University of Illinois, where he at- New York police are searching for fication to stop the manufacture of found a blazing pile of rubbish, indi-Chicago Great Western railway, blamed shippers for the car shortage.

Gov. Higgins commuted to imprise pital for the inverse of fillinois, where he attained fame as an athlete and discuss thrower, was taken to the Central hospital for the inverse of fillinois, where he attained fame as an athlete and discuss thrower, was taken to the Central hospital for the inverse of follow out the decision of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found to the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found to the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found to the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found the first was of incendiary origin. The wires connecting the election of the supreme court regarding tric bells in the building were found the first was of incendiary origin. Gov. Higgins commuted to imprispital for the insane at Jacksonville, stealing \$10,000 worth of jewelry. Fire that broke out in Marysville, men shall be taught the trade, but that a determined effort was made to under which Albert T. Patrick has re- The bank of Horatio, Ark., was loot- Cal., destroyed the warehouse and doesn't order us to take off the men destroy the building.

conviction of the murder of William Cashier with pistols and took about namite explosion injured a number of Marsh Rice, the aged Texas million \$4,000.

"I have every respect for court or building was of incendiary origin, all J. D. Kelly & Sons Attorney General Julius Mayer, in he name of the name of the people of the state of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy at Concord, resentative Charles Manzelmann and been started by the same party,

Mrs. Elizabeth Stalker, of Williams. Texas Siftings, died suddenly of heart | Secretary Taft intimates in a re- ing on the broom contract has been | There are to be 100 of the new port on Cuba that the island republic increased 30 per cent since the su Springfield rifles, which the governdred and sixth anniversary of her A gigantic merger of all coal mining will be absorbed by the United States preme court decision. He says that ment ordnance department claims are birth. Among the telegrams of con- properties in Illinois within a radius if there is another insurrection. gratulation she received was one from of 60 miles of East St. Louis has been A hundred half frozen passengers men making brooms hasn't be in world, issued to the Michigan national planned by eastern capitalists. were forced to ride a locomotive for creased since he became warden.

guard, and two of them will be sent after shooting and fatally wounding

Joe Dale, ticket agent at the Denver ous in the suits brought by creditors of the penal institutions of the pen

In the first six months of 1906 near- pecially believe that they should be a trip to Washington and other east-A reduction of more than \$4,000,000 maximum punishment.

or 27.83 per cent, in the excess of expenditures over receipts of the post office department is shown in the ancenter of the town occurried by the date for the hogiening.

In a date of the society for the board of pardons. The board recently held a meeting in Jackson and Ionia, and heard a large number of parole cases. Secretary Murray stated that nual report of Edwin C. Madden, third general staff of the Russian army, of the trial of Representative Binger the meeting of the board in January. In a dangerous condition, Doctors are with him constantly, His sickness was

copybooks when he retired from the Never before was so much money against him of obtaining money under States would fight was too absurd to share of this vast sum which found its Creek sanitarium, was quietly wedded way into the profit account of vessels to Dr. Jean Whitney, one of the womvaluation. The despised old wooden and hearty at \$2, has celebrated his Cotton mill operatives numbering steamers, which vesselmen thought second silver wedding. He has lived 25

their owners have them yet. pile near the Ann Arbor depot in births during the month. The birth

crew of the Cap Juby were drowned. Cadillac. Gearge Burnham, Jr., vice president Capt. James W. Lambert, proprietor Secretaries Straus, Metcalf and James Atkins, who left Port Huron per 1,000 estimated population. and general counsel for the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company, convicted of grand largeny, was sentenced to two years in Sing Sing.

and publisher of the Natchez Demotrate were sworn in as members of the reorganized cabinet.

The two men who attacked Admiral Dubassoff, ex-governor general of Mostate and one of the best known men of the reorganized cabinet.

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Ald. Robt, S. Taylor, of Port Huron, in Sarnia, it was intended to send her the out on parole for theft from a hotel in Port Huron, stole \$65 from her father in Sarnia, it was intended to send her the out on parole for theft from a hotel in Port Huron, in Sarnia, it was intended to send her the out on parole for theft from a hotel in Port Huron, in Sarnia, it was intended to send her the out on parole for theft from a hotel in Port Huron, has sued the city for \$5,000 for injuries and the out of the control of the reorganized cabinet.

Ald. Robt, S. Taylor, of Port Huron, has sued the city for \$5,000 for injuries and the city for

> mon council, but his colleagues turned the parole. Frank Buck, a miller employed by smoke. The cause of the fire is unligaments loose in both feet.

I known.

VILLAGE OFFICERS OF The mysterious death by poisoning LOWELL, MICH.

H. L. Weekes, Treasurer.

W. A. Watts, President.

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of Carl Mende and his wife in Saginaw and the serious illness of their son, D. G. Look, President, aged 12, are now believed to have been T. A. Murphy, Clerk. the result of a suicide and murder plot U. B. Williams, Treasurer. on the part of Mende, either due to R. E. Springett, Attorney. ereditary insanity or despair over his failure to carve out a successful F. J. McMahon, Supt. Lighting and

Two months ago, after failing in the J. B. Yeiter, Assessor. Dr. O. C. McDannell, Health Officer. Lutheran ministry, he returned to Merritt Sayles, Marshall and Street newspaper work, which he had fo lowed early in life, and became editor Commissioner. f the German paper, the Staats Zei | Trustees-R. Van Dyke, J. A. Mattung. His work did not suit the man tern, H. A. Peckham, C. Guy Perry, Talented and Popular Young Man agement, lacking adaptation to his du Weldon Smith, W. S. Winegar. TOWNSHIP OFFICERS. ties, and his contract was cancelled Christopher Bergin, Supervisor.

Life Was a Failure.

Of aristocratic parentage in Germany, high spirited and sensitive, he was greatly depressed over his fail-Loaded down with Christmas pres- ure in life and felt keenly the plight missioner. Corporation Counsel Ellison and sumed before Commissioner Robert ents, gifts from many Oxford friends, of his family which he could foresee when their savings were exhausted. way to his home in Oakland township mind Mende decided he would end his It is believed while in this frame of

Believed to Be Insane, mas helidays and will meet again

The process adjourned for the ChristHenry McCrory, for years identities at that post fired on his car to direct mome. When crossing the Michigan Central tracks at the Thurston Confessed to the Lansing police that ment cuts off the view of the tracks, he set fire to the home of his father. Bready, Chairman. years editor of the Union Republican New York, retaining the champion- tionally bright and was idolized by ened by smoke and all rushed from OFFICE IN NEGONCE BLK., LOWELL, MICH. number of cities in northern Ohio, team attesting his popularity with the After quarrels with his father-in law boys. As president of the senior class, and his wife, whom he married when out the country have consented to the use of their names as members of a trial January 21 for the murder of President Roosevelt, in a message use of their names as members of a trial January 21 for the murder of the 7 o'clock car for home, He was Sharp home, narrowly missing his wife especially pleased over some hand and their week-old baby. For this act

Bliss when their baby died.

holding his action in discharging the George A. Marden, for several years assets, according to one of the trusand some small change were taken. after in spite of medical assistance. the outlines of legislation to prevent a ton, have been called upon to decide member of parliament, who died at train in St. Johns last night and He left home several months ago ly failed. He sent to Petoskey Odd Postoffice Bldg. Fellows, telling them he wanted to Prison Broom Making. come home to die. E. C. Labadie was "It's true that we are still manufac- sent to bring him home. On the train

A Physical Wreck.

Mr. Tattle married Marietta Clark

rate was 16.6 and the death rate 13.3

Milton M. Perry Atterney and Counselor at Law Special attention given to Collections, Conveyancing and sale of Real Estate. Has also qualified and been admitted to practice in the Interior Department and all the bureaus thereto and is ready to prosecute claims for those Fire Bug Working. show cause why he should not be held high school building in Port Huron Trun's Hell Block, LOWELL, MIOH. "We have received no official noti- of his room. In the basement was Dr. E. D. McQueen

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Possibilities By Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis

in the future. Three hundred and six- can open new furrows and sow new ty-five golden days lying before us. harvests of happiness for generations Think of it! One hour sufficed for as yet unborn.

and cross one threshold to carry sun- glories of yesterday; write one more shine with you. Every day plan to do golden page, stretching my hands out some one thing that will help men, unto the things that are before." not hurt them; make men, and not This will turn the new year into a

sequent announcement that the deal for the sale of one-third of the stock of

Entertaining New Year Guests The game of the five senses, com- one. Some care must be exercised in ently the transaction has cost them about \$1,500,000. cellent one with which to entertain tasting, when nothing harmful or dismonly called "perception," is an exgrown people or children, or both, at tasteful should be allowed.

insisted upon and called attention to. A clever hostess selects appropriate This method of playing the game prizes for each test, such as a puff Tobacco Test for Novels. calls upon but the sense of sight, and box, with a puff within, for "touch- The other day in a public library in in England by a man named Wise. is more easily arranged than when all ing;" a vinaigrette or a bottle of London an attendant noticed a young The quill pen of our forefathers was five senses are appealed to. 'The lat- cologne for "smelling," an ornament girl sniffing suspiciously at the books. first used in the fifth century. Before ter, however, is excellent fun and or book for "seeing," a rabbit's foot When he asked the reason of her that time split reeds were used to gives scope for some originality and whistle or a silver table bell for strange conduct she told him frankly, write with. There was not much use "hearing," and a soft scarf or shawl "I sniff at a book," she said, "to see for pens in the olden times. Theo

reading and that it's a good one." using a pen with which to sign docu ing fool no longer. He had loved and lost.

"Never again," he sighed. "I shall never love again."

"I'll ask her to-night," he announced. With a becoming maternal tremor in her voice, Mrs. Griswold announced tuition.

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never love again." "Oh, yes, you will," rejoined the heartless beauty. "Never again," he repeated. "I'm going to turn over a new leaf and save money." New Year's Rush.

"You seem busy?" interrogated the caller in the corner drug store. "Exceedingly," replied the druggist. "Many patrons dropping in?" "I should say so. We gave out 1,000 patent-medicine almanacs and 900 soothing-sirup calendars in two

For 1906. Father Time was observed getting his hair clipped. "What is that for?" asked the friend. "Why, people are going too rapidly these days," explained Father Time, "and I want to fix it so they can't take me by the forelock."

The Result of Observation. "Did your husband make any New Year resolutions?" "I hope not," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "I have about come to the Exchanging blows,

TRIBES HOLD FIRE SACRED. Survival of the Belief That It Is a

Living Creature. A curious modern attempt to ra- Late in the evening a report spread stitions is to be found in Kipling's fellow-passenger a man worth at least 'Life's Handicap." There Mulvaney \$20,000,000. When the opportunity shecks the author from stirring the came I made inquiry of the porter of are with Ortheris' bayonet, on the my car, and he explained: ground that fire takes the heart out of "Dat's what dev says, sah, but you the steel. The real reason is much can't allus tell. He's in de next cah, more mysterious. It was one of the sah, but I can't say how much he am maxims of Pythagoras "not to stir the wuth till in de mawnin'. Mebbe he's fire with a sword," and to this day the wuth \$20,000,000, and mebbe he hain't wandering tribes of North America wuth a hundred." and of northeast Asia hold it a sin to After breakfast next morning the take up a burning ember for a pipe-light with the point of a knife. The compartment, and with a broad smile

explanation is undoubtedly given by on his face, he said: Johannes de Plano Carpini, when he "Dat story am all true, sah." stitions concerns "sticking a knife is he?" into the fire, or in any way touching "All dat and mebbe a heap mo'. had discussed life and love in cozy here."

for they believe that so the head of was worth?" the fire would be cut off." ancient idea that fire is a living jest gib him 10 cents fur brushin' ments, yea, most of the unconscious box, addressed the card and with a must not be wounded by its human come down wid at least a quarter!" less dramatic effect. Time and again his errand. Then, with a strange grow new friendships, and keep the owners, in case it should be annoyed

old ones in good repair. You can so and deprive them of its valuable serchoose the music, the great paintings vices. Is this in any degree more irthat you see, and the architecture that rational than the belief still existent Persons who have been at a loss to you study, as that music, and elo-quence, and art and worship will enrich your life. You can make your

Memory gives us the past; and work No matter how old you are, or how

daily work, however humble it be, to

take on the culture of a full college

Burns to baptize a daisy with immor- Are you young? Take Paul's ideal: tality. One hour was enough for "Whatsoever things are honest, what-Wordsworth's Ode to Duty. One even- soever things tre true, whatsoever ing sufficed for Whitney to sketch his things are lovely, whatsoever things cotton gin. One winter's night gave are pure, whatsoever things are of the hours of Jefferson to take from good report—think on these things." the Gospels his scheme of ideal Are you old, with all your life behind you? Remember Gladstone, who For the youth the first duty is to in his dying weeks wanted to do one grow. Growth means planning; plan- more good deed, and translated ning means something definite; Horace. Remember Tennyson, who in definiteness appoints certain duties his last moments tried to write one more song. Remember that English Every day next year read one page hero who went out and planted just or poem; every day meet one man one more tree on the day that he died. greater than yourself, from whom you Remember that scarred apostle who

yourself. Every day do some one ness, but whose dying word was: "I stroke of good work that will stand, will forget the victories and the

grow in health and in enjoyment of Life will be worth the living. Work God's out-of-door world. You can will bring rich reward. the company to the Guggenheims had fallen through.

If there is a large party it is best to offer a prize for each of the five tests, money and 40,000 shares have been delivered to them, part of which had been and have them written up after each resold to customers. The Goggenheims announce that they will bear any

can be made to burn by laying the often have fallen back upon the "sen-For this test, as well as for the poker across it, or that the sunbeams sible" practice of sending a check. A new Year's party.

One method of arranging the game is to have a table filled with things to look at. The guests are taken into the room one or two at a time and given three minutes to look at the objects on the table.

When all have seen the objects each is provided with paper and pencil and allowed three minutes to write down they are not seen.

A man who was very miserly hoard the falling on a fire tend to put it out?

Miser Is Still Waiting.

A man who was very miserly hoard the bride the bother of exchanging presents," has been the excluded.

"It saves the bride the bother of exchanging presents," has been the excluded the bother of exchanging presents," allowed charged the bride the bride the both

a list of all they can remember The list of all they can remember The For tasting salt, cinnamon, flour, which the huver accepted in figured draft. They expected he would one who displays the best memory is For tasting salt, cinnamon, flour, which the buyer accepted. "How about the terms of settle buy an automobile or some other realpulverized sugar, oatmeal and allspice The objects displayed on the table are good, while for feeling bananas. may be of any number, but for the potatoes, a glove filled with bran, a "Well you goo" got the may be of any number, but for the potatoes, a glove filled with bran, a "Well, you see," said the buyer, annoyance when they learned the with bran, a cap, a cane, poker, book and quite a "my terms are to settle when I fetch young man had used the check's pro-35 is a good number. Inkwells, pens, number of objects are handled, this penholders, tea caddies, emeries, and observation being easier and, "my terms are to settle the last load away." thimbles, book and any such articles may be exhibited—except that when the other two tests. The objects two of one objects are of the other two tests. The objects the objects that when the other two tests. The objects the objects that when the other two tests. The objects the objects that when the other two tests. The objects the objects that when the other two tests. The objects the objects that when the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone to the other two tests are objects to setting debts. He had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. The had gone the other two tests are objects to setting debts. two of one object are given, such as to smell are generally liquids, such as chap watched every load go away extwo books, the color or some distin-guishing mark about each should be glue, camphor and cologne.

In this case the guests are led into or a silk muffler perhaps for "feeling." If it smells of tobacco. If it does then doric, king of the Ostrogoths, it is that before the New Year dawned he pealed forth their welcome to the glad conclusions that New Year resolutions This is a novel literary test, but a ments, he had a gold plate through "I'll ask her to-night," he announced. lessly.

NEW YEAR'S HOSTILITIES.

NO DOUBT OF HIS WEALTH. Independence in the Matter of Tips

Proved Traveler Millionaire.

tells us that one of the Tartar super- "Then the man is worth \$20,000,000,

This is evidently connected with the odder po'ter, sah. De millyonaire has needs. During all his conscious me-cauliflower, smiled approval, retied the

Daniel Guggenheim



losses that their friends may have incurred by reason of the deal. Appar-

With Oklahoma's Star In

ly necessary article. Great was their

Steel writing pens are a modern in-

vention. They were first made in 1803

Longod to Tell Her-To Ask Her- withdrew softly, but a listener might continued his rehearsals. Now on the have heard her pious ejaculation: last evening of the old year, pacing "Thank Heaven! The New Year promback and forth across his room, he was ises well." A sensation was caused in the curb market on Wall street by a drop in polations of the one New Year's reso- passed in the merriest dance the Gristhe shares of Nippissing Mines company from 231/4 to 1934, and by the sub- lution he had deemed worth while, wold home had ever known. The bells

Resolution

By JANE CRAWFORD

"Go-between," he repeated the word several times. It had a pleasant sug-A New Year's gestiveness. He smiled broadly.

"Certainly! Of course, why not? 'll write it!" He literally fell upon pen and paper, His tongue never could have formed the words that followed his facile pen. The accumulation of six months' allegiance was laid before her eyes. The HE diffidence of letter was a gem. The essential part of it was that if her answer was yes, Thomas Went-would she, when he entered the ball-

worth was disturbing to his soul's that he would send with this letter peace. For six against her face? For just a second! He would understand. been vainly trying to propose to Helen Griswold.
Opportunities had Opportunities had offen said so. There was no time to lose. He telephoned the florist to whose coffers he contributed.

not been lacking. "Oh, send a bushel!" he laughed, Together they had happily, like a schoolboy perpetrating studied moonlight a joke.

effects from shadowy porches. They

"I have a note to send, deliver them

the fire with the knife, or even taking Yes, sah, dar's no mistake about dat." corners, but the all-important words The flowers arrived by a messenger meat out of the kettle with a knife, "But how did you find out? I don't remained unsaid. Every attempt to who looked like the chief emissary of or cutting near the fire with an axe; suppose you asked him how much he speak them left him in a state of Dan Cupid. Tom untied the violet quaking disgust. At last he framed a cord, lifted out a bunch of the choicest

"No, sah. I dun found out by de little speech that exactly suited his blossoms about the size of a prize creature, a sacred animal, which him off, while everybody else has ones, he rehearsed it, with more or generous tip to the boy started him on he had gone with the strength of Sam- peace possessing him, he awaited a departed, shorn of his strength by a learn his fate. Only the family was present when

"Ah, but such a woman!" he arrived. The effusion of their greet-She had eyes like violets-big ones- ing would have set at rest his thumpthat spoke volumes; but it was a lan- ing heart, could he have seen anything guage he couldn't understand, so ne but the girl, who, standing in a circle of light made by the pink shaded lamp on the piano, was holding the violets.

With a smile full upon him, she slowly lifted the flowers and for a fraction of a second buried her face in their sweetness. He looked at her as Jacob looked at Rachel when his seven years of service were ended. When the chance was given them for a moment alone, he seized not only the chance, but, unmindful of possible damage to chiffon ruffles, he likewise seized the girl. The right words came at last. For six months, he said, he had longed to

"But, Tom," she gasped, "you haven't yet-" Her protest was smothered, and he lost no time in finishing what he had to say, reaching the climax by demanding an early date for their wedding. "But, Tom. dear! you haven't-" Mother entered softly, in time to hear her daughter in a strangely muffled voice answer. "June." For Six Months, He Said, He Had Mother was an astute woman. She

tell her, and to ask her,-

still rehearsing the speech with inter- The dying hours of the old year

time to smell, taste, hear, see and feel share. December 1 they announced that they would not avail themselves of their option, owing to a question that had arisen as to the title of the prop-



With solemn tread we bear him forth And lay him in his The lessons we have Then turn to greet his learned are safe. We hold them in the With red mouth like a breast,
The hateful things are

Unfurl the flags and And of the past and all And leave to time the

I know it's a book a man has been said, was so illiterate that, instead of would ask her. He would be a blither- New Year, and the party, grouped with bribe the orchestra for extra selec- Thomas Wentworth. tions, or prolonged numbers, which In the still, small hours of that New

they would sit out, or dance, with the | Year's morning. Tom switched on the "But," grimly, "I'll ask her. It's "After all, it was not so very diffi-In his steady tramp around the room | But just how easy it had really been he knocked down a Japanese fire he realized when he picked up from his desk the letter of proposal, prop-"In Japan they have a go-between, erly sealed and addressed, but unde-

lady of his heart.

would you? Then rise on a cold morning and wash at the pump, pull on a pair of rawhide boots that rival a tin can in stiffness, pull on a woolen shirt over your back and sit down Jack?" shod floor, eat corn pone and bacon years."

for a steady diet and labor 14 hours "Wha out of 24. Go without a daily paper, a National Flag, Showing Arrangement of Stars After That for Oklahoma is fly screen, a mosquito bar, a spring mattress, a kerosene lamp; gee-haw The war and navy departments have agreed upon the arrangement of your oxen to market and sit on the the stars in the union of the national flag, so as to provide an additional star floor of an ox cart as you wend your to represent the new state of Oklahoma. The new arrangement goes into way to church or a frolic. Parch corn

Good Old Times in Oregon. | and peas for coffee and use sassafras Return to the "good old times," for tea, and see how you like it .- Ar-

Heard on the Corner. "What do you intend to do, to-night to a bare meal with your three- "The same thing that I have done legged stool dancing around on a slip- every New Year's eve for the last ten

> "Swear off, so that I can start in. fresh to-morrow." New Year.

Every one cackles
And wrong retrieves;
This is the season
For fresh laid leaves.

boxes

From Our Point of View

CRAND DADO

LOWELL has risen triumphant over many calamities that utmost capacity. would have swamped a less determined people. Mark what Miss Landis will not return to we say: Lowell's best days are just ahead. There never was a better opportunity to get a home than right now; and were married in Grand Rapids Dec. never a better time to stick to business than right now. 19th. More than a hundred good men and true with the interests of The Waters school held Christmas our whole community at heart have banded themselves together with the following object: "To promote the com- Dorus Church and wife were vismercial welfare of Lowell, make it a more desirable location itors at the home of Wm. Herring for the investment of capital, more attractive as a place of ton at Cannonsburg Sunday. homes, and to co-operate with all of our public institutions in Mrs. Millie Wiggins of Moseley vistheir various enterprises." With such an organization, we last Saturday and Sunday. can not fail to make the future better than the past. THE There wil be divine services held at LEDGER expects to see days of great prosperity in Lowell and the Alton church next Thursday and Friday evening, conducted by a pledges its loval support to all movements that have that end blind minister from Big Rapids. in view. In this work, it invites the co-operation of all Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford were

THE McMillan senatorial campaign is a sufficient condemnation of our antequated method of electing United States |. Tom Reed is suffering with rheusenators. It McMillan had to appeal to the people for election, he would stand more chance of being struck by lightning. If News reaches us that Rev. Mudge of Maple Rapids buried his wife last he gets the plum, it will be purchased fruit, dishonorable to week Thursday. She has been a him and disgraceful to the State. THE LEDGER has no enmity toward Mr. McMillan; but it believes he is no better qualified for the great office he seeks than several hundred thousand entertain Christmas guests from other men: and that his unearned, undeserved promotion over, their heads would be the rankest injustice. Has it come to this in old Michigan that the dollar is to be elevated above the man? Let every one earn his own spurs. What has McMillan done? What has he to offer in return for this great honor? Anything under Heaven but Dad and dollars? Shades of Cass Miss Annis Forte has been spending and Chandler, save us!

THE quarrel now on between President Roosevelt and Senator Foraker, over the dishonorable discharge of the Negro troops, will serve a useful purpose. On the one hand it will dispel the halo that some have persisted in seeing about the President's head; and his impulsiveness and hasty judgments Miss Julia Crahen is spending Was very sorry not to have met will be apparent. On the other hand, the Forakers will find that Roosevelt's place in the hearts of the people is secure, because they know him to be a man of high purposes, great heart, cause they know him to be a man of high purposes, great heart, the Morse Lake school were well at t unquestioned courage and a determination to serve the people, who love him because he IS a man and not the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remoned the god that silly people have imagined the god that silly people have the god that silly people have the god the god that silly people have the god that sil people have imagined. Roosevelt will be gratefully remem- attending school at Lowell is enjoy- On account of poor health and consebered when Foraker has been forgotten forever.

THE LEDGER office has been fairly swamped with business during the holiday season, with its jamb of advertising, home of Wesley Yeiter. iness during the holiday season, with its jamb of advertising, home of Wesley Yeiter.

| Appointed when the Ledger fails to when the Ledger fails ronize the lunch counters at noon more than once. We ap- ley for Christmas were John Hartley, with our news, and let us try and Grand Rapids. preciate the business and will endeavor to show it throughout Mrs. J. R. Warner and children Mr. Johnson know we are alive. Miss Craehn's scholars at West Low. Sunday. the coming year by giving our readers a \$2.00 paper for \$1.00. spent Christmas day with Earl Cur- Hoping that we can all meet in the ell Church last Friday evening were Special meetings are being held at If this issue is not up to par, please make allowances until we tiss and family. get squared away again. Thanking all for kind favors in Mrs. McCue is spending a few weeks a Happy New Year, I am respectfully was rendered which gave much the past, not forgetting those who have helped to make our sewing machine contest a huge success, here's to a "Happy Monda

FRIENDS of religious freedom and liberty of conscience, will appland Bishop Williams' denunciation of religious bigotry. When he says that men are not won by the arguments of her vacation renunciation, heresy trials and persecution, he is altogether Mr. and Mrs. S S. Yelter spent Friright. Further, thoughtful, earnest, justice-loving people are disgusted and driven from things religious by such exhibitions. The queerest thing about it is that some are so blind they will not see it. "Give us liberty or give us death."

A WRITER in the Saturday Evening Post accuses the newspapers of reaping a rich harvest from the advertising of wild-cat mining schemes. Well, here's one that hasn't. Nu- for Davis and Son at Alto during the merous offers of stocks running into the hundreds of shares in holidays. return for space have been turned down. We propose to spend a life-time right here with the people of Lowell; and we will not help to gull them with worthless or fraudulent schemes at Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson's parents. any price, if we know or suspect it.

THIS is the time for good resolutions; and there are few climate would benefit their health. so perfect that the making and keeping of some pledges relational the December meeting of the Lind, M. C. Kellar and J. P. Free Mrs. John Burns. tive to frailties of their own, would not be beneficial to all Ladies' Aid society of the Keene concerned. If all our people would be more charitable and church it was decided to hold the January meeting at the Grange hall, kind, in word, de d and thought, throughout the coming year, but the meeting has been indefinitely and should keep that resolution, we would hardly know each postponed on account of the holiother; and Lowell might be known as "The Town of Brotherly Love." Suppose we try it.

Out at Almont the other day we saw an automobile driver then stop his machine an lead a frightened horse safely by. He only land, super given by the Ladies' Aid Messrs Hermon and Ormon Hunt complied with the requirements of law and justice; but if all ma- society of the Keene M. E. church at of Saranac spent Sunday with Louie chine men were as considerate, the ill feeling against the autothe Grange hall last Thursday eve.
Inling was a decided success. The Mr. and Mrs. E. W. English and

fatalities in foot ball were 80 per cent less during the past sea- purchasers. The presence of many of Woodland are visiting Mr. and son than in the one preceding it; also that minor accidents were olden days added much to the enjoyone third fewer. Hostility to the game will decrease in like ment, and everyone had a good time. proportion.

WARNINGS are not lacking that wide-spread extravagance Byrnie, little son of Lon Powell. and wild-cat speculation will ultimately bring disaster in day night while playing with an airprosperity's wake. Get-rich-quick schemes stare one in the face at every turn. Have a care, friend, have a care!

and all correspondents a happy new

GRATTAN CENTER. Grandma Elkins fell several days year. ago and broke her arm. John Vancize came down solld and bumped his funny bone and could not Rev. Braund preached an excellent

use his arm for several days. | Christmas sermon last Sunday to a Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Beach, Mrs. large audience. Claud Elkins and Mrs. Jay Norton, Abram Cudney has moved into his Christmas night. Mrs. Elmer Brooks and Mrs. Sadie house, recently purchased, west of Clemmons were Belding visitors last the village. Thursday. A number from here attended the Wilkinson.

Miss Mildred Brooks was sick sev- wedding of Wm. Lind and Inez eral days last week and looks bad Vananburg last Wednesday.

Richard Fiynn and wife of Mecosta week in Grand Rapids.

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Were guests at George Howard's several days last week. The company Christmas exercises Friday.

Miss Gladys Kelley spent a few days last week in Grand Rapids.

The Christmas tree service held at spent Monday and Tuesday in Belattended, and a thoroughly good ding, at the home of Mrs. May brother, Wm. Herrington.

All the schools in this vicinity held attended, and a thoroughly good ding, at the home of Mrs. May brother, Wm. Herrington.

Beef, live week.

urpose of gravelling the Church hill. Frank Keech paid out twenty-two hundred dollars for poultry last Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Christmas exercises of the Moseley school, which were held at he Gleaner Hall Friday night, were exceedingly well rendered and largely attended, the house being filled to its

of the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Andrews, who fell and broke her

Cullie Wiggins and wife expect to

Morse Lake.

Walter Blakesley and family spent Monday Sunday with Mrs. Frank Clark and Christmas with Miss Madie Ogilvie

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker of Grand | trouble is only temporary.

Rapids are the guests of their parents To the Ledger Correspondents: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Merriman.

home for his Christmas vacation.

Miss Lillian Skelding has been the guest of Miss Eva Chaterdon in South Lowell for a few days.

at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Miss Rose Ella Curtiss is clerking

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson held mer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. a family reunion Christmas day, all their sons and daughters being with

supper was bountiful and the several son Louie spent Christmas at the THE LEDGER is glad to note that under the new rules, many useful articles attracted many Mrs. Cuy Bovee and two children

lose one of his horses Monday which Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Judson spent

Miss Iva Bush and her brother of a visit with his brothers and sisters ents. Grand Rapids spent Christmas day at Tecumseh, Mich. He expects to Carl Hartwell, of Detroit is visit- Rye Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. R.

Grand Rapids to spend Christmas | Charley Chamberlin, of Newaygo, | Corn Meal per ton Titus and Hiram Lee attended the with his brother-in-law. Frost-Converse wedding in Vergennes We are sorry to learn of the sad Charles Judson and family. accident which has deprived Stanley Mrs. Mary Barker, of Bostwick Butter Ib ... Christmas at the home of B. F. target practice with an airgun. with Mrs. James Bookey.

EAST PARIS-WEST CASCADE. time was enjoyed by all present. Chapman. and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howard and and family from Belding.

Frank Randal has two men on his farm in Cannon cuting hub timber and wood.

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M'CORDS.

H. P. Davis of Grand Rapids visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Davis visiting her sister, Mrs. F. M. Davis Lowell Thursday. The many friends of Leo LaFurgey

vill hear with regret that he became School has closed for a week and a deranged and was taken to Kalamazoo Friday. It is hoped that the

Christmas with relatives in Grand von at the editor's home Oct. 29th., owing to the inclemency of the weath-

My Dear Friends:

Mrs. Mark Davis.

Frank Kiel, who has been attending Nellie Johnson who has been teach- Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Andrews and is convalescing.

church and spent the rest of the week day Saturday with relatives at Free-Artie and June Burr of Big Rapids She who was formerly Grace Flem-

C. O. Hill of South Lowell visited

man, attended the poultry show at

Miss Jessie Combs, teacher of Dis-

The receipts of the evening were

A. A. Quackenbush left Monday for spending the holidays with his par-

Lansing, Detroit and other places. Hartwell during the holidays. Arthur Parker was home Sunday The Nugent boys of Hersey are Corn and oats per ton.,

George Raymond went Monday to Mrs. E. B. Joyce.

Mrs. Wm Patterson who has been

of Cascade, returned home Sunday. Mrs R. T. Williams is speedily re-Frank Pattison and Edward Larue of Grand Rapids spent Saturday night and Sunday with their brother John and family.

to Grand Rapids Monday. Henry Patterson purchased a

Arch Wood made a business trip

not faraway future, and wishing you largely attended. A fine program the Mennonite church this week. credit to both teacher and pupils. Mrs Frank Clark and daughter

ing from an abscess for several weeks

Miss Minnie Lewis is sewing for

gone to Big Rapids to spend Christ Rev. John Walsh of Bay City and Thursday, Jan. 3d. A picnic dinner

and Mrs P. L. Strong of Grand Rap- Maggle Burns has returned home the new hall at Cascade Springs ids spent Christmas with Mr. and after spending the past six weeks in New Year's night. Mr. and Mrs Ferris of Margnette

Miss Alice Story of Holland and Rapids spent Sunday at the home of

Catholic Church here next week com- morning at ten-thirty, at the Baptist Miss Kate Parle, who has been in | Lily Bennett returned home from Grand Rapids the past two months, Albion on Friday, for the holidays.

propriate Christmas exercises con-

ducted by Minnie Wilson primary

Dan Corcoran and George O'Brien by the Misses Boyd on Saturday evewent to Grand Rapids Monday to ning, Dec. 29th. Lena Malone and Laura Hurly lotte, to spend Christmas with his spent Sunday with friends in brother, Ralph, and family.

Mrs. Mary O'Brien of Cannon father, Mr. Mondell. School closed last Friday with ap-

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guests of their grandparents Mr. and is spending the week with his uncle Flour per cwt..... Norman Quackenbush, wife and son Glen went to Grand Rapids Mon day and spent Christmas with rel-horse. The injuries resulted in hav-Beef, live weight, per cwt,

Mr. and Mrs. H. Seese were at Mrs. C. Hooper is helping care for father, Mr. Carteher, of South Bowne, who was badly injured while trying to stop a runaway team on the mail his head badly cut and he was bruised

P. H. Thomas has gone to Renwick to help care for the family of his son who are very ill with typhoid fever'

daughter, Mrs. E. Potruff, at Lowell

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Doty are spend-Esther are spending the week with ing holiday week with relatives in Fort Wayne, Ind. Their daughter

Mrs. C. H. Brown of Ada visited at Glenn A. Thompson of Grand Rap. ids drove out to this village Satur-The following officers have been

Ladies' Aid society: Pres., Mrs. Ellen Slater; vice pres., Mrs. Marion 'Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitford will

Henry Clark died at her home Suuday morning at ten o'clock. Fn-

The social club will be entertained W. P. Carle left Monday for Char-

Mrs. O. Wilcox is visiting her Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Chesley of South Bend, Ind., arrived Monday at Cozy Nook, where they are spending

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decree of divorse from Mary A. Coons, in Ionia circuit court last

having been seriously wounded by evening, aged about 18 years. Deceased was the son of the late Alon-

Married, last Saturday evening, ating. Andrew P. Coons and Alice M. Aaron Fleming has sold his farm Armstrorg, E. B. Lapham, Esq., (familiarly known as the John Eng-

Mrs. J. E. Walton of Jackson

Geo. Ring has removed his portable saw mill and engine to Greenville where he has contracted for a year's cut for the Ranney Refrigerator company. Andrew Skellenger accompanies him as engineer.

Mrs. Edwin Mallory of Nashville.

Mrs. Mallory of Nashville

die of consumption. I was reduced

The Saranac creamery is installing Matt Laux and Edna Taylor were married at Ionia Tuesday afternoon

at the court house.

Jacob Wood has moved into the house on Mill street lately owned and occupied by Mrs. Davidson.

The following statement by H. M Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others. "A miraculous cure has taken place in our home. Our child had eczema 5 of April A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the fore-

Judge Smith has suspended sen-tence on Lafayette Hale of Orleans of James Harker at Boston Center. Mesdames Isaac and Irving Seger

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ories of neighbors. Mr. Potts re-

ports his family well. Himself and wife are looking after the farm and Edith is teaching at Pickford. A Miraculous Cure

settlers in Grattan, died last Friday at the Kent county house. Funeral services were held in Lessiter hall, Grattan, last Monday, conducted by Mrs. J. E. Walton of Leekson. in Freeport Tuesday and are welcome guests of Mrs. K's parents, Mr.

The three village churches will

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In the matter of the estate of Adelbert J. Krnm deceased, John S. Bergin having filed in said court his petition praying for l'cense to said court his petition pr George A. Potts of Strongville, lat publisher of the Local and for many estate in said real estate should not be grants

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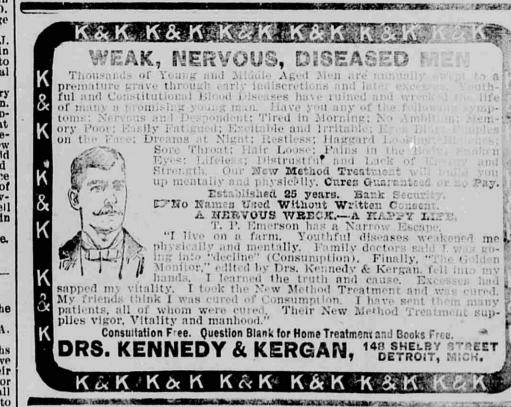
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K. N. & F. make. Regular value \$12.50 for 9.75 for 25 years. But to conduct such a sale, to keep only it growing day after day and week after week-

it must be sane and worthy. Success for two weeks, trading on friendship already won. Continuous success week after week means more than passing interest. The sale must deserve to succeed or it would not, for the country is full of good stores; and that this great trade movement should have met with such success in the face of splendid competition stamps it

as remarkable. The sale has many good reasons for which it should meet with the approval of our customers the quality of the goods, the service—but the overshadowing principle has been the fact that it offers actual, cold, hard cash savings on the best

in Clothing and Dry Goods. Any merchant who can handle a part of the designs. goods can buy them at less than wholesale prices prevailing today. We sell to our customers on

Holding Fast To Old Friendship.

The sale has made many new friends for this store. Many women came to the sale who bought goods here only occasionally or in small quantities and recognized the great advantages offered by this sale, desire to do all their trading here. ·But in several lines of goods the stocks are sold out, notably dress linings, threads, trimmings Desirable Silks. and some small items in other lines. For instance: A woman buys a dress pattern, wants to buy the linings. We are sold out on linings, yet there are in round figures seven or eight thousand dollars worth of dress goods. Customers do not like to shop around for these little things; and to sell out the stock clean we shall during the coming week order a small quantity of these goods, merely for the accommodation of our trade. We state it openly, frankly, that there may be no misunderstanding. The stock will be closed out absolutely and the goods ordered are only bought with the purpose of hastening the end.

Good Health and Resolute Pur- the Place They Make Sincerity

Regular Coats that sold The Ruben business is being closed out. It up to \$19.00 made from cloths worth \$4.00

Tan Albatros.

36 inch Green Henrietta.

At 37c per At 61c per At 79c per yard worth | yard worth | yard worth

75c. 38 inch Fancy Mohair. 38 inch Black Batiste. 44 inch Black Cashmere. 50 inch Black Sicilian. 42 Inch Cravenette Cloth. Fancy Mohairs.

NEW DRESS GOODS

Bearing in mind that these Dress Goods are all new up-to-date

goods, not left overs, that are a season or more old, we believe it fair to say that there is nothing to equal these values anywhere. The list in-

> \$1.00 42 inch Blue Henrietta.

Success for one week, curiosity or a dozen reasons. | Carpets, Rugs and Mattings. Lace MENS' AND BOYS' Curtains and Draperies. Very Great Bargains.

Where we say "regularly" it means the value of the goods at a fair profit. Many of the quoted prices are below what these goods would

At 90c Per Yard Velvet and Brussels Carpets reg-

ularly \$1.25 per yard. Can give you Floral Patterns or different

per yard to close out at 75c.

At \$1.79 Rugs

Regular values \$2.50. These consist of different patterns and

Lace Curtains \$1.98 Per Pair

Regular value \$3.00. We still have a large line of lace curtains One piece an extra value at \$1.00 | left which we are closing out at greatly reduced prices.

At 21c Per Yard

Matting, regular price 30c per yard. These consist of a great many different colors and patterns.

CLOTHING

52 inch Fancy Blue Suiting 42 inch Black Henrietta.

Bargains that are talked of by three counties.

Sincerity Suits for Men, fine all Wool Goods with servicable linings, worth \$13.50, 9.75

One lot of Mens' brown mixed suits, K. N. F. make has good linings, padded shoulders, regular \$14.00 values, at 10.38 One lot of mens' gray cashmere suits 10.38 K N & F make regular price \$13.50 at One lot of mens' all wool black clay suits K. N

& F. make. Regular price \$12.50 for only..... One lot of boys' suits, \$3.50 values One lot of boys' suits, \$4.75 values

One lot of boys' suits, \$5.00 values for

are Fine.

We still have a few silk shirt waist patterns that are very cheap. We are closing out our black silks for dresses at the lowest price ever heard of, quality con-

Miscellaneous Bargains.

The best bargains you will see this year. Not enough of any one lot for more than a few hours of brisk selling. So it will pay you to Values come as early as you can.

One lot of center pieces to be Ladies black sateen skirts at the done in Mont Mellick, 30c values following prices: 83c, \$1.10, \$1.15,

Sofa Pillow tops at 19c to 37c.

Mens' neck ties at 19c and 40c. One lot of children's hose at 11c. Mens' cotton or wool hose, either One lot of children's hose at 19c. plain or fancy, at 19c and 35c.

Other prices too numerous to mention as there is just a little of the lots. The stocks are remarkably free from plunder (cheap goods) bought to sell at a price to make things sound cheap. All our goods run from Medium to the Best Goods, for we always have aimed to keep up the qualities of our stocks.

M. RUBEN, Lowell, Mich.

DEVIL= MAY-CARE

By HARRIS DICKSON "The Black Welf's Breed," Etc.

CHAPTER XIII .- Continued.

His queer little mirthless smile parried Joe's question with one of his own: "Which room do you mean? -the first door on your right as you so into the 'all? There is one lady as says it is that one, and one as says it hain't. But I searched 'em hall- patiently, one by one.

We've had the devil of a time keep- in his pockets, thinking. hat. "Come, Mr. Baker."

"'Adn't Mr. Chaudron better go, an' leave me hout? Not give me away to the 'otel people?" "That's right, Joe-that's right; you know he's staying there at the hotel

watching them." "Very well; either one of you; I want to examine the ground for my-

They dropped off an Esplanade car at the corner of Valois street, and walked the three squares to the Hotel Louis le Grande. At first they passed get a general idea of the locality. He asked a number of questions about the neighborhood; the different houses, and who lived in them.

cab," Chaudron explained. "Mrs. Ashton stepped in the gutter as she got out of the cab; when they reached their room the French maid bathed

"Is that maid here?" "Yes, but she insists that it was one of the young ladies whose foot

color of his mustache, or the attitude of his slippered foot, for more than 40 years.

Victor rose courteously, with scarce-Balfour, from Vicksburg, Mrs. Ash-

called, "Arthemise, Arthemise, some came to the deliberate conclusion. per after he got it. He leaned his thing of him?"

we have already breakfasted. Mr.

Baffleur, I show you up ze stairs." leaving the Hotel Louis le Grande, him tell me." Victor talked jerkily, a spattering they would have met Woodford Vance. He sprang up, and one bound took How happy I was! Then he was called taken the matter out of my hands. He sprang up, and one bound took How happy I was! Then he was called taken the matter out of my hands. stream of French and English, every If Noel Duke had reached Pedro's him to the door; there he stopped. away to England—and has never come Although the young people had made have a natural finish. inch of the way up the stairs, round Place ten minutes earlier, he would He still had enough discretion to know back. After a long while my Uncle acquaintance in the most unexpected The noises squeaky hinges make

apartment zey nevaire stand vacant, ping down the stairs with a feather

Joe glanced round the very ordi- "Hip'leet! Hip'leet!" she called. mary-looking room, furnished in Vance could not make heads nor quaint old style. There was nothing tails of the inextricable jumble which to attract his attention, and he came Arthemise flung at the unoffending

Hippolyte when the old man finally "Zat I do not know," Victor smiled "Oul, ma'm'selle, il s'en est alle.

Victor led the way to the door that minute, half hour, gone; zat way." watching that house?"

the door wide open—"zis is my room minutes. Something must be done, him—particularly this man. -you see, monsieur, zat is impos- something had to be done, and done "Come with me." Vance caught not help laughing aloud, as I arrayed valescent, and had gone back to his "Monsieur Labouisse, where does appealing glance which Anita gave one step toward the door when Duke The courtyard next door. It was returned unthat door lead?" Joe pointed to the him when he left the house was struck him. He stumbled over a pointing—squalid, not to say dirty, full opened, with a brief message, "The half of brown sugar and three table-

sliding doors which filled the wall enough to drive a fellow to desperation the spoonfuls of water. Stir until the "Ze per' room; it is for lodgers. At this moment Henny Baker came Duke saw the gleam of a pistol, and some odors. I noticed a temple, in silence was the sole answer to every comes to a good boil put in one cup Els was one day ze grande salon, ah, strolling down the street twirling a his hand flew to his hip. In such which was a frightful squat figure of inquiry. The great studded gates were shelled and blanched almonds and

glorious, Monsieur Baffieur—nevaire cane and carefully adjusting a pair emergency men think with the swift- an idol, daubed with red and reeking shut fast; Narayana, the zemindar, stir until the nuts are well covered "Kind's show me to look in there?" tented on his nose.

"Ze great honaire." Victor tugged "Hi say, mister," he spoke to Vance, of turmoil. the foor which refused to slide. pointing with his cane as if he were (TO BE CONTINUED.)

He no come open; he-how you say asking a direction. Vance turned,

plantation on boat; vairy soon."

"Has he been interviewed?"

Chaudron.

"Quite well."

the city."

may know something."

"Do you know him?" Joe asked of

"Not yet, he has not yet returned

"Send a man to him at once; he

many years, and there was a four- "Out with it, Baker-out with it,

post bed backed up against it. | quick; what has happened?" "'Sh! That man is in Pedro's Place right now; Hi saw 'im go in summoned by that word! and when it band's income, what I paid my ser-Victor cocked his head on one side, just a minute ago. The one, Hi told was suggested as my future home, I vants, and why we came to Ahnolike the parrot, and thought. "Oui, you about last night; 'e's been prowl' accepted the proffered invitation, and more? She plied me with childish the plan of employing domestic help. oui, it was Monsieur Champenois; he in' around 'ere for two or three sailed eastward—the bride of a clever questions about England; and exgo away vairy early ze nex' morning." days-" "Monsieur Etienne Champenois?"

"Come on, let's get him." Vance started to rush out, but Baker held

station-" "He might get away; you and I can of palms and tulip-trees.

"I'll go get him myself." Before Baker could interfere Vance derful grounds full of mangoes and our gods." " head down, charging, like the bull Now it belongs to a rich zemindar-a amended. vearling he had mentioned, towards Brahmin-who shuts himself up with After long whispering and discus- one considers that space and furni-

"Visitors; ze city is much crowd." Pedro's Place. "Certainement." Victor opened them of mind himself when he came back I am sorry you have not better neigh- self, in the estimation of my hostess. | cheaper than a regular "general." In to Pedro's Place. He certainly had bors!" lot of old shoes, old clothes, and "they have all been searched a dozen cheek. Why he had fallen again into Indian household."

times, everything from garret to cel- this wreched little den, he scarcely "You will never do that here. These looked half frightened, and as I took the former to have idle hands in so knew. He had drifted about the west-coast Brahmins are extraordi- her hand and kissed her, her eyes small a space. Restlessness and dis-Joe asked, tersely. Chaudron took But Joe was stubborn; he had his crowded streets, tossed hither and narily strict. They have it all their were brimming with tears. way, going through the entire house thither as the human currents flowed own way in these parts, and look on "Oh, you are good!" she whispered, housekeeper cannot conscientiously "Arrests for what? Who could we again. Then he walked out and stood until the surf had cast him up. And Europeans as the mud under their and make me so, so happy!"

back a chair. Duke shook his head spell of noontide quiet-only a wan- Aralee informed me that she had read tory in such a case to dismiss the ideas of law were very crude, and he "Don't know." Joe never gave what speaking a few words in Spanish. dering wind from the sea stirred the a good deal. She told me that she "general" for an hourly worker if it soon floundered beyond his depth. the lawyers term a "horse-back opin-" is, senor," the man replied defer- heavy palms, and rustled among the feared to forget the English tongue, were not for the awkwardness of hav-"I am going down there myself." ion;" he always wanted time for re- entially, bustling around to find the jack-fruit. I happened to glance in and when she paced the garden alone ing to answer one's own doorbell at Joe rose abruptly and reached for his flection. He stood there for some marring paper, which he smoothed out passing at a large fig-tree overhanging she often talked it aloud to herself. many an inopportune and trying mo-

hair. The vision was about to with- kill myself," she declared. "The ayah er can be made serviceable again it draw, but I held up my hand with a knows of an end, both swift and sure." water is not left standing in it. On not seen a white woman for three fear-we will protect you." months. Please stay, and tell me what "Ah, you do not understand my the cracks will not show.

"I-I was a-watching for a-you," she and as secret as the sea!" asleep-after food." "Who are they?"

go to you." "How old are you," I questioned. "You look older; and your name?"

"And where is he?"

"Well, let's go around to police elbow on the window sad gazed at the "Not much. Since I was small, I forlorn and lovely. Chaudron waved the hospitality headquarters," suggested Chaudron, hotel entrance, net as if he were can recall him here. He bought this But what will be, will be! Archie half an hour. Serve in the same dish watching it, but in utter weariness of bungalow-it is his-and he spent Bethune had a sharp attack of masoul and body. Suddenly he straight- much time here, and in the forests. laria, and Robbie dispatched him ened up and clenched his hand. From him I learned English, and straight to our bungalow, in order to THE COLLISION IN PEDRO'S PLACE. "By God, there's Vance! So she did when he was laid up with a broken be nursed. "It is vairy distress, I imagine noth- if Joseph Balfour and Felix Chau- come here to meet him; and he knows leg he taught me to read. Oh, I did He arrived early one afternoon, to water and soap and when thoroughly ing what I think; come, Monsieur dron had been ten minutes later in where she is right now. I'll make love him! and I rode on a pony by his discover Aralee sitting with me in the dried in the sun the cleansed parts if side, and he told me tales of fairles. west veranda. So they met-fate had shellacked with white will look just

the hotel instead of seeing Woodford licly—drawing attention to himself. mother died, and—that is my life." of a prosaic and commonplace descene oil and brass beds may be kept Duke half opened the door, then closed "I want to do something for you," scription, yet the stinging little ques- in condition by rubbing them once or apartment Two gentleman from St. "Has Mr. Chaudron been here?" it, changing his mind back and forth. I cried. "Can I not come to see you?" tion kept buzzing in my brain—"What twice a month with olive oil. The Mary's parish zey take it las' night so stopped Arthemise as she came tripology and stopped Arthemise as she came tripology are gone; my stopped Arthemise as she came tripology are gone; my stopped Arthemise as she came tripology and taking up the paper of the control of the again. "I'm a damned coward—a—" most of his mankind, go to the great ful to welcome the heavy old green diately with a soft piece of cheese-He crumpled the paper savagely in yearly festival, to bathe and to offer palanquin, which was to transport my cloth. Quick vigorous steps rang along the big wife and the womenfall talk his hand and dashed it to the floor.

Woodford Vance stepped in. He glanced around the room, singled his What a tale I had to relate to Rob- we shall meet again soon!" and showed his tobacco-stained teeth; Yes, monsieur, Monsieur Chaudron he man out, and marched directly to him. bie that evening! "Ze good God above—he know."

Tes, monsieur, sionsieur Chaudron ne here—one more gentleman, two, ten here—one more gentleman, two ten here.

right away. He couldn't stand it; the him roughly by the arm and had made myself for my afternoon call.

he was, came up instantly.

presence of Ravi.

By MRS. B M. CROKER

(Copyright, 1906, by Joseph B. Bowles.) India! What a glorious vision was age, number of my children, my husyoung civil engineer.

his belongings to the fourth genera- sion I gained my point, and departed ture are saved and no meals given,

"There's no use in looking through none of that Christian spirit which "Perhaps we may become friendly," ing, conveyed in a closed palanquin. furnish enough work for the whole old man's room. Nothink there but a them again," whispered Chaudron; prompts a man to turn the other I answered. "I should like to see an When she stepped out, I saw that she time of a maid, and nothing is more

Miguel, the waiter, nodded genially One day I rode into our compound entertain the poor girl; everything take away the excuse that keeps her ing it out of the papers until we could "Well, what do you think of it as to an old acquaintance, and pulled just at noon. The house was under a she saw was a novelty and a delight! servant. It would be more satisfacthe wall which enclosed the zemin- The girl had but one friend-her old ment. Many a housewife pays good dar's domain; there, shining among ayah; and her future was an ever- wages to an indifferent maid. the green leaves like a flower, I des- haunting horror. Narayana, her uncle, Much of your china, bric-a-brac, and cried a white face—the face of a girl was acquainted with a rich Rajah, glassware that is discarded or thrown

easte—a Brahmin woman; these are was beautiful as a lotus flower, but be held in place by strips of muslin

"But you must come and look at me corded me the company of her niece be done quickly, as the paste harden? here, at home. I shall be thankful for day after day. Robbie, who had been rapidly. your company. I have many lonely duly introduced to my treasure trove,

"I also. But no, no, no-I can never was painfully shy in his society, and Disjoint a large fowl and put in a lips, he thought her dull.

"Aralee they call me-my father's oriental. Her soul is asleep." ze great honaire, Monsieur Baffleur." minutes, looking down into the black carefully or his knee before handing night I pray that he may soon return," secret was to me pain and grief, but chicken in a baking dish, then a thin

the balcony, through the hall, and to have seen Joe Balfour coming out of that he could not afford a brawl-pub- Narayana came to live here, then my manner, and their conversation was may be stopped by putting on kerosacrifice. He will be away about two visitor home. The four bearers and banquette; the cafe door was flung and flatter and please—wear all your picious eyes; their faces grew dark besides giving the pieces of furniture open so impetuously that glasses rat-

in putting Aralee's plan into execu- this was the last time we ever saw the That the broken knob.

Duke did not reply. It took him tion and dispatched a herald the next beautiful pale face, that nodded and has run down on the outside may be "One of the ze young lady say it was zis apartment, but zis—" he flung banquette and stood there for several banquette and stood the several banquette and stood there for several banquette and stood the several banquette and stood the several banquette and sto

> carts, ploughs, palanquins and noi- never discovered; a dead impassive sugar is dissolved. When the sirup of eye-glasses which did not seem con- ness of inspiration, and even the man with rancid ghee. Indoors, all was had returned from his devotions, and and a little brown. Turn out on to a from Devil-May-Care had had enough dim, there was a dense atmosphere of retired within his borders. There is buttered dish and separate each nut.

> > in doorways, and many eyes watched as a Brahmin's househeld!

me stealthily as I passed into the AROUND THE HOUSE Ravi-a stout, youngish woman-

her arms with many bangles, her nose and ears with jeweled rings. She wore a rich orange silk saree (the Brahmin my visit. The ayah interpreted with volubility, and many women listened Providing Room Where Space in Home is Small.

Some housekeepers are now trying amined and tried on all my ornaments to the expense of having to provide Our home was a comfortable white one by one. I presented the amber an extra room for a permanent maid. bungalow in excellent repair. It beads, and casually, before leaving, One family engaged a helper for the stood between the ruins of an old fort, preferred my request that the girl who four morning hours, from eight to 12, Calcasieu, an' go down to his river "No, wait a minute; telephone the land a large building enclosed by a lived with her might now and then time she swent, dusted, washed all high wall, over which waved the tops spend a day with me, as I was so time she swept, dusted, washed all "That was once the Residency," ex- "Of a truth, I see no harm," she the day before as well as the break-"But Hi can't let those chaps at the plained Mr. Bethune, a young friend answered, "for she mopes, and grows fast china; prepared vegetables, made 'otel know who Hi am; we'd better—" of my husband's who came occasion- thin and ugly; but she must see no beds, accomplished a great deal of thin must be no beds, accomplished a great deal of thin and ugly; but she must see no ally to see us. "I believe it has won- men. Promise that, by your God, and ironing. Of course, all this was not had rounded the corner again with his tamarind trees. Think of such waste! "No men, except my husband," I cach day was planned beforehand.

Noel Duke was in no amiable frame tion, and keeps a temple and a priest. in high glee, and high, I flattered my- this kind of a servant is in reality Aralce duly appeared the next morn- a small family a flat does not always was unexpectedly tall and slim. She trying for maid and mistress than for

of my own age. "It must be imagina- who, alas! had heard of her. away because of nicks, breaks, etc.,

tion," I said to myself, not a little | She had no parents or friends; and could be mended if a little care were these very pretty young girls are given to it. It is not difficult to glue I looked up again; yes, it was still much valued by the Rajahs in their the pieces together if one is particular about fitting the edges closely. An framed in quantities of soft golden "Sooner than accept that life, I will expensive china or glass water pitch-"Do not say such dreadful things, account of glass being transparent, it

uncle! He is immovable as a stone, For clear glass the best kind of answered, speaking with peculiar de- I had once seen Narayana, the zem- glass and gin, of which two ounces liberation, as if English were an un- indar-a tall, stately person, with of the former and one-half pint of the familiar tongue; "I do watch to see high-bred features, a pale, wheaten- latter are dissolved in a bottle. As you every day when they"-and she colored skin, and piercing eyes. His it will take some time to accomplish jerked her head backward—"are mien was impassive, his air aloof and this, the bottle should be placed in Aralee talked of her father, and his should then be strained through a "People in here—where I live—al- passion for sport. He had evidently fine cloth. The glass to be mended gained the poor child's heart. His must be well washed in hot suds, well "But surely you are a European? - memory still burned brightly, in spite dried, and the glue applied with a of absence and silence. With respect small hair brush. When the pieces "My mother was a native; of Nair to her mother, she told me that she have been fitted together they should

that of late years she had wept much, until the glue dries. and faded and faded away. People For mending bric-a-brac a good you are so young and happy, and free Thanks to little gifts and civil mes. paris mixed with the beaten white of -it makes me glad to look at you!" sages, Ravi, the zemindar's wife, ac- an egg. The repairing, however, must

was amazed at her beauty; but as she Chicken and Rice Pie. scarcely lifted her eyes or opened her stewpan with three pints of boiling "Her face is the face of an English two slices of pepper. Simmer until girl," he remarked, "but her mind is tender; the time will depend upon the age of the fowl. Wash one and one-Remembering my solemn promise, I half cups of rice and cook in three never sent for Aralee when there was quarts of boiling water ten minutes. "I wish I knew! He left this seven any prospect of a visit from Mr. Be- Add a level teaspoon of salt and cook Every day I watch for him-and every new friend. To keep such a heavy well beaten eggs. Put a layer of something at the back of my mind en- layer of rice, another layer of chicker nate bows, clapped his hands and "Damned - if - I - do - know," he But Duke did not lock at the pa- "Perhaps he will. Do you know any- forced this silence. He was a dear, and last the remainder of the rice. impulsive, warm-hearted boy-she was Pour two cups of the chicken broth

jewels—and then she will let you as young Bethune escorted the girl the appearance of cheapness and genspeak to Aralee. Now, there is your down the steps, and, handing her into the dhooly, said, "Good-bye, I hope made tight by filling the grooves into made tight by filling the grooves into Undoubtedly these words were the

Burnt Almonds. oil and incense; faded garlands hung nothing in this world so impenetrable If not thoroughly coated with the candy repeat the process.

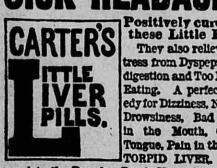
bed; her hair was adorned with gold, LATEST IDEA IN EMPLOYMENT OF DOMESTIC HELP.

color), and was evidently pleased at Having Servant in for Half the Day Does Away with Necessity for

ALWAYS READY TO USE, NO DIRT, DUST, SMOKE OR SMELL, NO MORE STOVE POLISH TROUBLES

Which enlists for 4 years young men of good at me. "For, for-" he stuttered. and allowances after 30 years service. Appli- haste. arge travel allowance 4 cents per mile to suggested, "is lady clerks." place of enlistment. Bonus four months' pay and increase in pay upon re-enlistment within "The Lord forbid," sighed the lady,

Positively cured by these Little Pills. He caught the glint of the beautiful eye and stopped.



server situated at a distance of a few

yards to distinguish the one from the

other, hence the story of its being two-

headed, the fallacy of which no intelli-

gent observer could fail to detect .--

Luxury for Young Aristocrat.

The duke of Bedford has presented

silver-mounted motor car for his use

READERS of this paper de-siring to buy any-thing advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing all substi-tutes or imitations.

while at Oxford university.

wares under the proper name. When | "Dear me, no, I was merciful." the speculator registers a trademark "It's a virtue," I said, "that suits

he has a hold on the American manu- you. It looks fresh." facturer, and he may demand and col- "Come on," she said again, and in of American manufacturers have com- I have the pleasure—" pelled the manufacturer to pay them

He smiled at me. It is therefore essential that Americans protect themselves by paying the 'is always a pleasure." \$12.50 required for registration and thus prevent the confiscation of their a shot silk effect. Now don't bring me farmer as he realizes that with him a wide one. Something that will run it is a case of remaining indoors for

Its movements are sluggish, and of from one extremity to the other once fect. Just the plain silk." perstition. The fact is that the tail of is stumpy and resembles the head so

> 'The floorwalker bowed. "Madam," he said, "in our business,

The floorwalker bowed again. tried to look stolid and felt a fool. | that the grand jury of New York coun-

"Dear me. I had quite forgotten. years and should be removable only Take me to Tosti's for a cup of tea." upon proof of charges which he has "But my tie," I protested. "Can wait," she said. "And my wilted collar."

ence, even the failures of ancestors colonial secretary explained that Sir that have placed us where we are. West was allowed to take his pet dog We still repeat many of their mistaken | with him on the German ship, a privexperiments, which they thought wise. ilege the English ships had denied It was tentative effort with them, him. though mistaken, and they did the best they knew. But, on the whole, the world is doing well. Its chief debt to gists refund money if it fairs to cure. E. W antiquity is in the lessons it has learned through which it avoids or What a different world this would may avoid repetition of old errors and be if we were all as smart as we think

that I wore only one kind. She said it its motive. looked outworn. My ties, I told her, "It suggests to me an incident that The plainest and simplest sort would "A young woman of Matawan said knows not how to stop; as the more Garfield Tea, the Herb laxative, is mild do. She affirmed that one could get to her husband one night: pared to pay for it. The first store we vou. came to looked good to me, but she "'Who is it, do you know?' the snorted and passed it. We walked husband asked.

"Show me some ties," she said, im- 'What would I do if I were to lose Take Hail's Family Pills for const'pation periously. He looked at her and looked you?' she moaned.

sitting down. U. S. NAVY RECRUITING STATION, The clerk came back with several Impossible to Get Employment, as No. 33 Lafayette Avenue, - DETROIT, MICH. boxes and opened them. He rubbed Face and Body Were Covered with his hands and smiled pleasantly. "Now, madam," he commenced. these are some of our very-"

> "Bring more," she said. tress from Dyspepsia, In- He brought them. And more, And the hospital, but they failed to cure most certain method is Allcock's more. He contrived such a pile that me, and it was getting worse all the Plaster, known the world over as a he had to come in front of his counter time. Five weeks ago my wife bought universal remedy for pain. They never Drowsiness, Bad Tasto to explain his wares. But the lady a box of Cuticura Ointment and one fail, they act promptly, they are clean in the Mouth, Coated tilted her pretty nose disdainfully. cake of Cuticura Soap, and I am and cheap. You can go right ahead

"It was miles away," I murmured, cle when he enters the Caban market | eve at me critcally, "you are looking

we went. If it wasn't the same clerk face and cars while en route. When he finally reached Minot he was compelled to take to his bed as a result of his experience .-- Minot Correspond-

"Don't be premature," I suggested. ence Duluth Herald. "To wait on our customers," he said. "Salesmanship school," I thought. "I want a dark green tie," the lady "sunny south" and all that it means, said, "not too dark, mind you. With appeals with full force to the northern

easily through a fold-over collar. But the next several months consuming The clerk fingered his lips nervous- "sunny south" something can be ly. He hadn't reached that stage in raised every month in the year, and "But wait," said the lady. "I think doors. No blizzards. No sunstrokes. I won't have it with the shot silk ef- Cattle-raising is very profitable. Large profits are made with little labor in The salesman went on and consult- growing fruits, vegetables, etc., for ed the floorwalker. They returned northern markets. Strawberries and cantaloupes are great revenue getters.

"I fear, madam," said the floorwalk- Water unsurpassed. Work plentiful. er, "that the tie you ask for is out of Lands cheap and productive. For re date. If I might suggest-" liable information, address G. A. Park "Do," I muttered. "I fail," the lady commented, "to see Agent, Louisville & Nashville Railroad

"Have you got the tie I want: the than a congressman, expressed the Lord Tavistock, his eldest son, with a lady demanded icily. "Then, bless me, why don't you say telligent despot." The idea was ridi-

> "Come," said the lady. Again I fol- ty has made a recommendation ap-"What is the time?" she asked me. view. The commissioner, says the

Why German Ship Was Favored. Sir West Ridgeway, until lately "It's better than none," said the land from that country in a German steamship. The question was raised Debt Owed to Antiquity. Are we indebted to antiquity? Yes, in the house of commons why he had mmensely. It is the labor, the experi- not traveled on a British vessel. The

SHOCK FOR THE HUSBAND. Of two grafts a politician is apt to

a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, Anthony Comstock was talking in New York about certain information But she was truly beautiful and she "It is perhaps helpful information," Bears the Signature of Charly Helitaker. wanted to buy me a tie. I explained he said, "but I confess that I mistrust | La Uso For Over 30 Years, were matters of little trouble to me. occurred last month in Matawan. Generosity, when once set going,

anything in Kansas City, even plain "'My dear, there is a gentleman in the more gramored we become of her ness and simplicity, if you were pro the parlor. He wants to speak to charms.—Finy the Younger.

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We went into the thirteenth store. The lady went up to the clerk.

"Show me some ties." she said, im"Show me some ties." she said, im-

"'Come, come,' said the young man | Real Home of the Peanut. character and sound physical condition between "For wearing," she suggested, ami- patting her shoulder tenderly; 'men Botanists have placed the home of the ages of 17 and 25 as apprentice seamen; opportunities for advancement; pay \$16 to \$70 a month. Electricians, machinists, blacksmiths, coppersmiths, yeomen (clerks), carpenters, ship-fitters, firemen, musicians, cooks, etc., between The clerk overturned a display case of the doctor, eh? Well, I'll see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-called in the doctor, eh? Well, I'll see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-titles think it native to Brazil. Louis-see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-titles think it native to Brazil. Louis-see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-titles think it native to Brazil. Louis-see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-title think it native to Brazil. Louis-see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-title think it native to Brazil. Louis-see him gladly if it will make you feel the peanut in Africa, but some author-title think it native to Brazil. 21 and 35 years, enlisted in special ratings with and almost tripped over himself in his easier. Which one is it? Squills?' small, but fine nut—best adapted to "'It isn't the doctor,' was the an- the climate of that state. The "goobcants must be American citizens.

"What we need at this counter," I swer. 'It's the life insurance agent.'" er grabbers" of Georgia and South Carolina like the small white and red peanut of Tennessee, and each year

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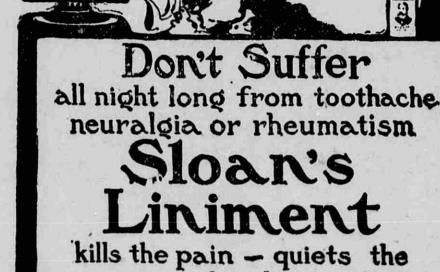
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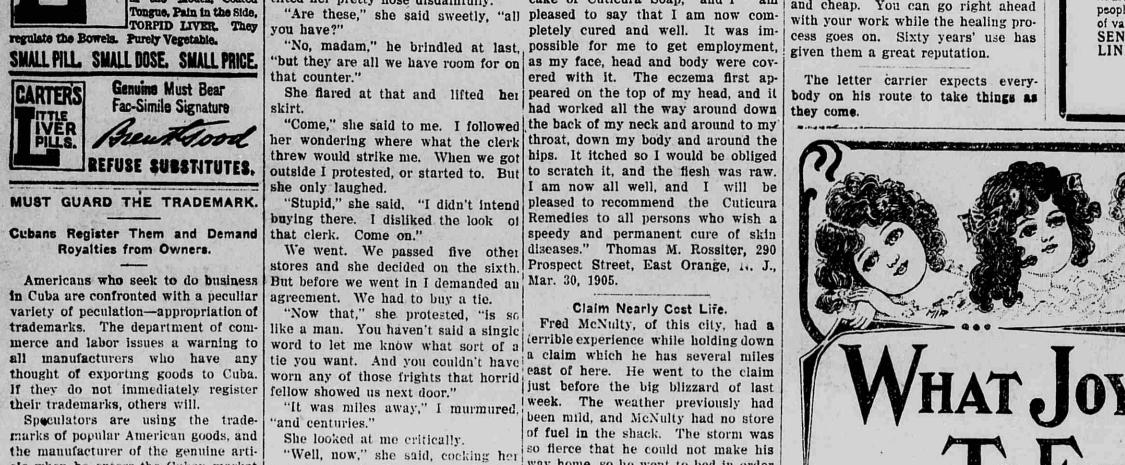
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F. B. Rhodes spent Christmas at

Miss Rena Klump spent Christmas Gone to Grand Rapids.

J. D. Hart is home from Big Rapids for the vacation.

Miss Anna Stoutenberg spent Christmas in Saginaw. Miss Edith Lane of Ionia is visiting

Miss Marguerite Silsby.

spent Christmas at Delton. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Beebe are mov-

ing into the Graham house. Miss Mary Whitney left today for

a visit with friends at Allegan.

New Year's gifts, calendars and almanacs at Henry's drug store.

B. C. Wieck is spending a few days at his home at St. Louis, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Merriman spent Christmas in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. C. E. Merriman will have a family reunion on New Year's day. Burr Sweetland was home from

Grand Rapids to spend Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weekes have been spending the week in Chicago

Our white pine compound will stop that cough. Henry, druggist. A. Miner underwent an operation for tumor Friday and is recovering.

Charles Hart is spending his vacation with relatives at Mt. Pleasant. University of Michigan for the holi- doctor's parents in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Will Clark and daughter Thelma are visiting in Grand Rapids this

Wilmer Soules of Sturgis spent Christmas with L. O. Barber and

Will Sandell of Belding spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Mary Milo Hart of Eagle River, Wis., is

spending the holidays with his fam-Parties taking those napkins from

our store will save trouble by returning them. E. R. Collar. Born-in Lowell, Sunday, Dec. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mullin, a

daughter. The King Milling company presented each of their employees with a

Christmas turkey. Miss Bonnie Brandebury of Grand Rapids spent Christmas week with

friends in Lowell. Miss Bertha L. Murdock and sister

Mrs. Eugene Cogswell of Lansing spent Christmas day with her daughter, Mrs. U. B. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perce and daughter of Grand Rapids spent Christmas at the home of Bert Charles.

Prof. Robt. White of Coldwater is spending his vacation with his par Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Faulkner ents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peckham of Grand Rayids spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peckham. Mr. and Mrs. Will Neff of Ionia spent Christmas at the home of the

latter's daughter, Mrs. Hobert Clark. Mrs. G. Ryder and little daughter
Thelma of Shepard are visiting the
former's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. E.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stone of St

Miss Mabel Henry and Charles ids spent Christmas with their moth-Henry of Greenville are visiting at er, Mrs. J. Walsh. the home of their brother, M. N.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Sayles and son Mrs. A. N. Garstone, of Vergennes, Neil of Baldwin spent Christmas

with Mrs. Sayles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Denny. Little Dorothy, daughter of A. W.

Bennett, is ill with scarlet fever in other relatives here Grand Rapids, where she has, with her mother, been visiting.

Edward and Mrs. Woodworth ex-Glenn Barnes is home from the pect to spend New Year's with the

ter Corinne of Grand Rapids 'are Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Griffeth. spending the holidays with the for- Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Pe mer's mother, Mrs. C. E. Merriman.

children, Ethelyn and Roy, of Grand er relatives Christmas day. Rapids have been spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Coons

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mitchell, Mrs. Cora Chase and son Ralph and Mr. Mrs. T. S. Lalley at Parnell. and Mrs. Will Clark of Alto spent Dr. J. R. T. Lathrop of Gra Christmas at the home of James Bristol at Ada.

Rev. Charles Nease of the Plainfield day morning at nine o'clock. Methodist church, Grand Rapids, spent a busy Christmas day-two parsonage weddings and two large home weddings.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Post and daughof Elmer Pletcher.

Mrs. Orris Shackleton, who has been spending several months with her brother, Chas. Howe, at Clinton, Kate are spending the d holiays with la., is visiting her aunts, Mrs. R. vanDyke and Miss Cora Howe.

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Lowell

Jay Watters is home from Chicago for the holidays. Clarence McGee was home from

Grand Rapids for Christmas. Mrs. Jennie Hewett attended a re union at Saranac Christmas day.

Miss Pauline McGee is home from her school in Detroit for the holidays. Miss S. M. Dibble and Mrs. Ella Huston have gone to Deward for the

F. J. Fox of Grand Rapids made THE LEDGER a pleasant call Monday Hugh Muir of Grand Rapids spent Christmas at the home of his brother

Will Fletcher is ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletch-

er in Lowell. Will Davidson of Grand Rapids pent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. N. J. Barbour, sister of Mrs Wm Miller, died at her home at Saranac Sunday.

Miss Mary Childs of Grand Rapids spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs.

Finder of a letter addressed to me please leave same at post office. Mrs. rank Randall.

Miss Katherine Lewis is home rom her school at Birmingham for a

H. W. Avery and daughter Carrie have been spending a few days with relatives at Mason

Born-in Lowell, Tuesday, Dec. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Taylor, a Christmas son.

Miss Jennie Cameron of Toronto, Ont., spent Christmas at the home of her brother, Nell Cameron.

Mrs. Wm. M. Hamilton of Petrolia, Ont, is spending the holidays with her father, S. E. Sweetland. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cambell of

Frass Lake have been visiting their many Lowell friends this week. .Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor went to Traverse City, Monday, to spend

the week with their son Charles.

Chas. Fisher and Paul McCarty of Chicago are spending the holidays with their parents and friends here. Axel Fletcher of Boise City, Idaho, ls visiting his brother, Guy Fletcher, and other relatives in this vicininity · Mr. and Mrs. Will Worden and little Zora Randall of Ionia spent Sunday with Mr.and Mrs. Frank Randall.

Miss Emma Cameron has resigned her position at the Ledger office and mas with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull.

Odessa visited the former's mother, Mrs. Abram Hoysradt, on Christmas

their daughter, Mrs. W. D. Crane, gram was rendered. and Henry Uhrbrock of Grand Rapids Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welton (nee Minnie Beery) of Detroit are the parents of a nine-pound daughter, who came last week.

Carl Bergin, Joe Kelly, Emery Laley, Bert Quick and Tom Davidson

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stone of St Johns and Leo Walsh of Grand Rap-

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Grand Rapids are visiting their sister,

for a week or two. Mr. and Mrs. James McNaughton and son Don of Carson City are visit-

ing Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Morse and holidays with relatives at Mecosta. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Martin of Woos-

ter and Mrs. J. W. Olin, of Grand beauty roses, from his cousin, Miss Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hodges and son Rapids visited Miss E. O. Johnson Beckey, of Kalamazoo. several days last week.

Kalamazoo are visiting their parents, family. Mrs. Ethel Willey and little daugh- Mr. and Mrs. Jno. D. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Perrin and

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Craw and two Dr. and Mrs. E. D. McQueen and oth-Mr and Mrs. E. J. Ferris of Mar-

quette and Miss Ida Lalley of Lansing are visiting their parents, Mr. and

Dr. J. R. T. Lathrop of Grand Rapids delivered a fine Christmas sermon at the Lowell Methodist church Tues-

Delmer Hoskins of Saranac will be for the children. married Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 2d., at two o'clock, at the home of the bride.

ter May of Grand Rapids and Mr. Grand Rapids.—While preparing and Mrs. D. E. Pletcher were enter- his noonday lunch at his home Fri-Grand Rapids.-While preparing tained at a Christmas supper at the day, Freddie Sterback, aged six, was probably fatally burned by a

gasoline stove explosion. Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Gardner of Barryton are making an extended decorated with bunting, wreaths, visit with their daughters, Mrs. T. M. Raymond and Mrs. J. E. Collins, and other relatives here.

family reunion on Christmas day, a flags. On the platform was a large the hotel garden, where the dusk large Christmas tree being one of the pleasing features. Mr. and Mrs. Asa Thomas of Grand Rapids were pres-

away of Lansing have been spending students. All the parts were well ble of taking care of himself.

Grand Rapids.-Judge Knappen o this city nolle prossed the indict-ments against Frank P. Gordon and Phillip Little, charged with the robbery of the postoffice at Coral, Mich.

A very interesting program was enjoyed by a large crowd at the German Methodist church Tuesday evening. A special Christmas greeting and donation of three dozen 1-pound candy pails to the school by M. N. Henry was much enjoyed and appre-

Mrs. M. McMahon and family held Christmas reunion, the following from outside being present for the day: Messrs. A. E., Jim and Charlie McMahon and Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Ronan and daughter Lucile of Grand Rapids, Stephen Bergin of Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGee and two children of Vergennes.

Visitors at the home of L. J. Post Christmas day were H. E. Graham, Miss Lamont Dr. W. E. Post of Chicago, Miss Orinda Barkley, Zeno Post and family of Grand Rapids and Otice Post of the Michigan Agricultural college.

Dr. White, dentist. Phone 151 Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletcher enter-

tained the following friends on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Strong of Grand Rapids, Mrs. A. A. Milliman of Saranac, Mrs. G. L. Stannard and two daughters and M. C. Kellar and family of South Boston.

Miss Vesta Smith has returned from Metcalf, Ariz., where she has been spending ten months with relatives and friends. Her home coming was delayed by the disastrous floods in that part of the country.

Dr. Snyder, dentist. Phone 156. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kopf served a Christmas dinner to about twenty relatives. Those from out of town were Misses Ella and Edith Kopf of Grand Rapids, Sigei Kopf of Hastings and Sylvester Langs of Indiana.

Of course you pay your money, But you get your money's worth, For what does money mean to you When Rocky Mountain Tea's on

Miss Lila Lawrence, who is home from Greenville spending her two weeks' vacation, is entertaining Misses Ava Cooley and Jean Passage of that place. Miss Sadie Lichtenauer, also of Greenville, will join them Saturday.

Dr. Hodges, dentist.

Visitors at the home of Newell Raymond Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. T. Read and daughter Emma and Mrs. C. Boughey of Vergennes, Mrs. Fred Raymond and son Walker of Keene and Miss Lena Walker of South Boston.

T. A. Farrand, state orchard in spector, spent Friday with L. J. Post looking over many of the orchards in this township for San Jose scale. Though they found some, Mr. Far-rand stated that this township is freer from scale than any section of the state he had yet visited. Many orchards are destroyed and others soon will be.

SOUTH LOWELL.

The following South Lowellites are home for the Christmas holidays: with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kennedy and fon Howard of Keene spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Joseph entermassined a company of fifteen, relatives of the Christmas holidays.

Miss Anna Layer from Alma, Glenn Behler from Albion, Miss Bessie Layer from Ypsilanti, Lloyd Behler from Lansing, Ward Willet from Bay City, Earl Behler from Grand Rapids, Miss Vera Blakeslee from Hastings, George Layer from Grand Rapids. tained a company of fifteen, relatives and friends, at a Christmas inner. Miss Metta Blakeslee from Saranac Frank Haight and bride of Lake and Jessie Van Haitsma from Grand

The Christmas exercises at the M. E. church last Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. S. Brower entertained | well attended and a pleasing pro-

Joseph E. Cronin and twochildren. Dorothy and Marjorie, of Grand Rapids, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Belding are spending the holidays with the latter's mother, Mrs. E. P. Sweet, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Layer and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Grand Rapids, S. Braisted and Leonard and Lee Braisted of Lowell, on Christmas day.

Audrey and Wesley Cilley of Lansing spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Wardell and son Earl of Grand Rapids are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Petit. Frank Thompson is spending the Geo. Schwarder was the recipient of a handsome bouquet of American

Miss Bertha Wood of Lansing is Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crawford of visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Hood and

Word has been received from D. B Fero that he has arrived at the home of his sister at Long Beach, son Lester of Grand Rapids visited Cal., and that he enjoyed the trip

SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Grace Green is spending her vacation in Olivet. Miss Marguerite Southard is in Milwaukee for the holidays.

Christmas exercises were held at each of the three wards Friday after-Miss Lola Loucks of Keene and noon, with trees and special features

H. F. Clark is visiting his sister at

Miss Florence Scott visited in Grand Rapids this week. Miss Edith Roth was ill last week

A Christmas entertainment was given by the pupits of the fifth, sixth. seventh and eighth grades Friday Christmas bells and evergreens, the whole presenting a very pretty sight, the work of Mr. and Mrs. Townsend. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Rouse held a The stage was curtained off with we left the table, to chase a cat in Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Hayward of Hubbardston, Miss Effie Hayward of Grand Rapids and Chas. Hath-Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. carried out and the teachers and the worthy janitor are to be congratulated.

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By J. Brooke Alder.

I had to read all August for some stupid "exam."; and, as somebody said that one could enjoy oneself notwithstanding if one went to a little French bathing place at the other delay. end of a diligence drive from Dieppe, I took the steamer for that favorable

Certainly the fellow who sent me there knew what he was talking about, for anything more fascinating than my existence in that happy valley beside the sea it would be difficult to imagine.

The end came with the arrival, some days later by the afternoon diligence, of a young lady, arrayed in all that is loveliest in Parisian travelling costumes I happened to be at the hotel door as py, and even lovelier than usual. the old four-horse vehicle came to a standstill and my charmer alighted, followed by a stout old lady carry-

ing a fat dog. From that moment I knew that my fate was sealed. When the old lady came down to the table d-hote dinner, I was disgusted to find that her seat was quite cut of my range. It was no use to pass the pears-the inevitable dessert in Normandy-with one's sweetest smile, if both were to be intercepted half way by a fat banker

from Rouen. But after dinner I saw my chance, and took it. It came in the form of the fat dog, which, having slept peacefully under its mistress' chair all through the meal, had the inspiration, on passing the open door as was fast deepening into night. There were immediate cries of woe from the stout lady, who felt sure that Fido would "run into the sea by mistake," despite the assurances of her chere Cecile that he was quite capa- | ed, and felt already assured of the

Thereupon I darted out, selzed the unwary Fido, and had the felicity of being thanked in the most charming broken English by the ready within sight. I had but time lovely unknown when I restored him | to seize Cecile's many packages, and to his mistress.

made ourselves better acquainted, | railway lines-in the promiscuous and I had an ideal time for nearly a

Matters had come to such a pass that I felt that existence without | go with her at all risks. Cecile would be a blank; so I went for a soltiary walk to review the situation, with the result that I decided to put my fate to the touch and ask

her to marry me. But what was my horror when, on returning to the hotel, I beheld the diligence at the door, loading up with passengers for the station, and Cecile among them, being helped up to one of the two seats behind the driver, while "ma tante," with the dog, stood in breathless anxiety on

the hotel steps.

It was but the work of a moment to rush up to the old lady and ask what it all meant-why this sudden departure without a word of farewell? It appeared that during my walk Cecile had been telegraphed for from Paris, and had to go without

"But you go with her, madame?" "No, monsieur, she will be in good hands on the journey, I assure you, for at the station she will meet-" I did not wait for another word but dashed out, and, clambering up to the top of the diligence, took the vacant seat beside Cecile just as they driver cracked his whip as a sign to the stablemen to pull the stones from under the wheels and let the shaky old coach roll down the hili to

the village, on its way to the station.

Cecile was looking radiantly hap-I thought as we settled ourselves for the five-mile drive. How she chattered-how excited she was about this journey to Paris! Should I ever have a chance to begin, or time to finish telling her how much I loved her, before the station came within sight? It made me quite nervous, and I dreaded to turn the next orner, so fast were the precious noments passing. I began to fidget, to turn hot and cold, in fact to go through all the degrees of torture possible to a man in the most awkward predicament, with his love on his lips, but kept dumb by the force

of the loved one's endless prattle. The history of Fido's latest perfidy surely could not last until we reached the station!

We were getting alarmingly near now-five minutes more, or eight at the longest! Ah—an inspriation! "I'll do it on the platform, while

we wait for the train!" What a relief to have settled the matter! I became quite light-heartsuccess of my suit, as we turned into

the station yard and pulled up beside platform. But the puffing of an engine greeted us. The train was alto deposit them beside her where she Well, the ice once broken, we soon | stood waiting in the midst of the Normandy fashion-and to rush off again to get tickets for her and myself-for I had madly determined to

> I had hardly picked up my change when I heard the train come in. I dashed back to join my loved one, and to-

Could I believe my eyes? A man jumped from one of the carriages. and Cecile was enfolded in his arms! She turned, evidently looking for me with her ticket, and, as I handed it to her, half dazed and quite speechless, she said to me with her most angelic smile,-

"Come, monsieur-I want to in troduce you to my husband!"