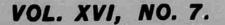
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THE OLD SCHOOL DAYS Arisin the old schooldays) to sing the old song "The Beautiful Hills" which they did beautifully, the com-

Alumni Sengect Brings Recollections of Carly Days in Lowell Schools. Alumni Association of Lowell High School held its seventh annual ban-quet Tuesday evening, the company numbering nearly one hundred sixty, among whom were many people who attended the Lowell school years ago. Numerous meetings occurred between schoolmates who had not met for many years, and they greeted their new-found old friends with great pleasure. Which they did beautifully, the com-pany joining in the chorus. Miss Florence Scott represented the Class of 1908, the "Youngest of the Flock," giving a brief though effective ad-dress and expressing the hope that her class might become as successful as those older graduates of whom they had heard. The next number was a violin solo by the bright young artist Miss Clara Coleman of Grand Rapids, who gracefully responded to an encore. Miss Pearl Keene was her accompan-ist. The last toast, "For Old Forgot-

of bunting were draped prettily and of many amusing occurrences of the early school days in Lowell,

with great pleasure. The invocation was made by Rev. Russell H. Bready and a dainty ban-quet was served by the Methodist Aid Society. The tables were decor-ated with nasturtiums and festoons of hunting many draped upettils the early school days in Lowell,



MRS. IDA HATCH MITCHELL of Grand Rapids. On Home-Comers' Picnic Program.

President T. A. Murphy opened the program with an item of business—the nomination of officers for the ensuing year—and they were elected as follows: President, Clarence Collar; vice president, Mrs. M. C. Greene; recording secretary, Miss Mary Ecker; corresponding secretary, Miss Clare Lillie; treasurer, Dale Morgan. A pleasing plano duet was played by Misses Mary Whitney and Lenna Yeiter, followed by the president's address, in which he offered a kindly welcome to the new members, the Class of 1908 and the Juniors, and spoke of the annual reunions as bright spots in the lives of the Alumnin i. He then introduced the toastmaster, S. P. Hicks, who paid a tribute to the many Lowell p ople who have reached high positions in life. One of these, he said, was Judge Geo. P. Stone, of Ionia, who was to have responded to the toast "Flat River," and in his stead he called upon Frank Hine of Grand Rapids, another successful man.
Mr. Hine in his usual interesting President T. A. Murphy opened the winning hearty applause and freanother successful man. Mr. Hine in his usual interesting way told many amusing incidents of the old school days and emphasized the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's interesting the fact that the impressions receiv-ed in school last all through one's

MANLY JONES

of Grand Rapids.

Who Spoke at Home-Comers' Picnic.



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Come to Lowell this week and enjoy with us the Home-Coming and Harvest Festival Picnic. Our citizens will use every endeavor to make your stay pleasant and the entertainment enjoyable.

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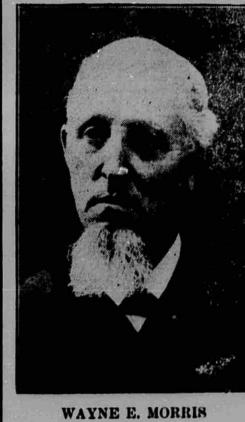
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of Plainwell. Speaker at Home-Comers Picnic.



street fakir, the megaphone of the strong man, the band of the street carnival people, the grind of the mer ry-go-round, Ferris wheel and sea wave machines with their steam or-

The weather man is kind to Low-ell and her visitors. With copious showers he cooled the parched earth, laid the terrible dust of many weeks and on Wednesday sent refreshing breezes which made the picnic occa-ssion at Island Park a delightful event for the hundreds of old Lowell-ites there gathered

event for the hundreds of old Lowell-ites there gathered. After the picnic dinner, Frank T. King, president of the Board of Trade, under whose auspices the Home-Coming has been planned and carried out, after an appropriate ad-dress of welcome, introduced the toastmaster, Rev. J. T. Husted, who responded in his usual happy manner and announced that he would follow the printed program published in our last issue and printed again in this. All on the program are present ex-All on the program are present ex-cept Wheeler J. Hull, and Charles R. Hine of Grand Rapids responded in his stead. One novel and appropri-ate feature not on the printed pro-gram was "The Indian's Lament," a recitation given by Wabekenqua, or Sarah Medavis, an Indian maid-

en. The Wedne day attendance has been fine and fully in accord with the Home-Coming spirit. It is expected that Thursday will be the big day in point of crowd; and the Harvest Festival is expected to outdo all former occasions of the sort. Surely the attractions are many.

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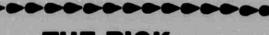
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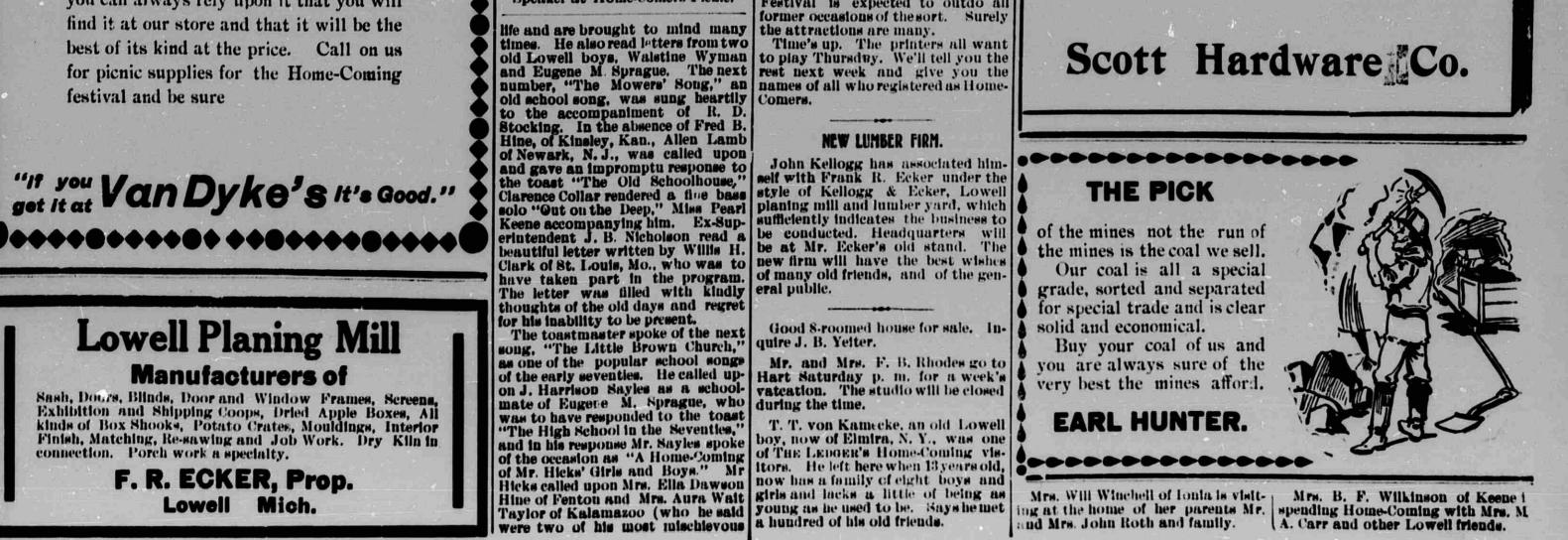
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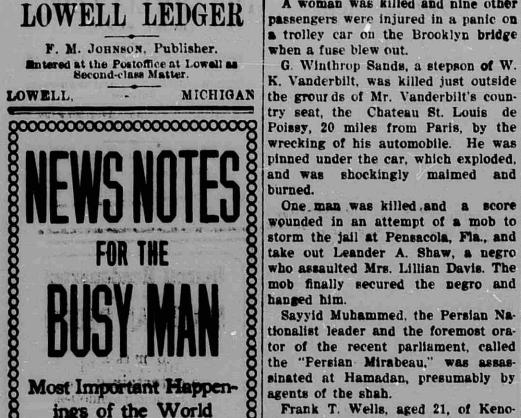
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ings of the World Told in Brief. PERSONAL

Henri Farman of France made two successful trial flights with his aeroplane at the Brighton Beach racetrack. New York.

Gov. John S. Little of Arkansas is in a sanitarium at St. Joseph, Mo., suf. let into the roof of his mouth. fering from acute melancholia.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor denied indignantly that he had promised to deliver the labor vote to any candidate.

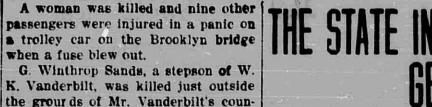
Rex Beach, novelist, returned from Alaska with an attack of iritis that may render him blind.

Frederick Dorr, a broker with offices in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Wash., a member of the New York stock exchange and the Chicago board of trade, suspended business because general amnesty to all political fugiof lack of patronage.

Shegetaro Korikubo, member of a noble Japanese family, was married to Miss Marie Louise Harrison, daughter sons were killed. of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harrison of La Crosse, Wis.

Archie Herron, who shot and killed Rev. S. V. B. Prickett, a Methodist homa and Texas. minister. July 15 at New Brunswick, sentenced to be electrocuted.

The prince of Wales visited the were arrested as counterfeiters.



Poissy, 20 miles from Paris, by the MOTHER'S WILD RIDE ON PILOT wrecking of his automobile. He was OF ENGINE WHICH KILLED pinned under the car, which exploded, HER BOY. and was shockingly maimed and

FELL TWO THOUSAND FT. One man was killed and a score wounded in an attempt of a mob to

storm the jail at Pensacola, Fla., and Matters of Note and Comment Gathered in Various Parts of the State That Are of Interest.

A carriage containing Mrs. David Love and her 12-year-old son Dwight, of Prescott, Ariz., formerly of Bay City, was struck by the northbound Saginaw passenger train about 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at Leadbeater's crossing, one mile north of Northville. The lad was instantly killed and Mrs. Love was carried on the pilot of the engine for about a quarter of a mile. She was terribly injured, but still conscious and able to make her own way back to the scene of the accident, calling piteously for Eaton Lumber company, committed by Mrs. Lowe after the accident, a her boy. According to the story told suicide at Eaton, O., by wading into threshing machine was directly in crossing, and the smoke which they Miss Clare L. McNown, a member of saw they believed to be coming from the Eau Claire high school faculty, that source, but which was that of the engine. She claimed that both were watching for a possible train. and that the lad was standing up in the rig. The first she knew of the robbed in London of jewelry and two danger was when the youngster with medals won at Bisley by the American a scream threw up his hands and shrieked, "Oh, mamma." Then the An adopted daughter of Benjamin crash came.

Hart, American millionaire who died | Mrs. Love in a statement Thursday Lake City, Butte, Mont, and Spokane, in France, began a fight to secure a night claims that "There wasn't a man in the crowd who would assist me off the pilot of the engine."

His Last Ascension.

In the presence of over 1,000 people, Soldiers and strikers fought in Vigneaux, France, and several per- who gathered at Hague Park, Vandercook lake, a resort three miles south of Jackson. Thursday afternoon, to Missouri and Kansas began suits attend the Maccabee picnic and to witagainst the alleged lumber trust, and ness the balloon ascension. William similar suits were prepared in Okladropped over 2,000 feet when the Dr. L. W. Blanchard, a prominent strings of his parachute broke, and more ordered. N. J., was convicted of murder and physician and church worker of Har- landed amid the crowd of merry-makrison, Ark., and his father and mother ers, who but a few minutes before had watched him soar over their heads. Medical aid was summoned. as there was still signs of life, but the aeronaut died in a few minutes. An examination of the parachute which was still fastened to the belt of Oliver showed that three of the Two prominent Brooklynites, Col. the thing had been made had parted Edward E. Britton, formerly presi- close to the ring which bound them dent of the Eagle Savings and Loan together, releasing one entire side. company of that borough, and Fred- The parachute had been made by Oliv-

MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

The Michigan State Telephone Co. paid taxes of \$87,594.89. Peter Le Boux, trustee of the Kala-

mazoo asylum for twenty-two years, is missing.

V. S. Clark aged 74, and deaf, was struck by a train at Galesburg and may die.

While pestering a horse with a switch, Eli Dailey, aged 4, of Bay City, was kicked in the head and may die. Because he refused to get out of her cherry tree Mrs. Marion Brown shot a circus hand with a revolver. He The United States Attorney General

was taken along with the circus. Lost for three days and nights,

Mrs. John Smith, aged 70, wife of a McAllister farmer, was found unconscious in the woods from exhaustion. Scaling the rear wall of the Industrial school, Anna Hull and Mary Fredericks made their escape, but were brought back.

Drouth conditions in Galesburg and throughout Kalamazoo county are fast becoming calamitous. Pastures are all dried up and corn and potatoes are in danger of being ruined.

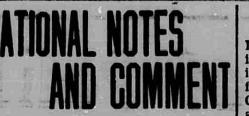
The balance in the state treasury at the close of July was \$2,768,143.85. This includes deposits in the Chelsea Savings bank and various amounts on deposit by bank receivers.

night operator in Vicksburg.

Hurled from his buggy by a collision with an automobile, Dr. J. Henry Riopelle, of Bay City, landed on his feet the fund at the designated amount, and dexteriously caught his wife in Her mother an invalid, the clothes of Anna Wutebenga, aged 14, of Holland, caught fire while she was cookeight children, and she died of the hurns.

Warned that he would be tarred and the vicinity, Theodore Scott, living in-Lapeer road near Flint, turned over the threatening letter to Sheriff Zimmerman.

Dorsi Smith, 16, daughter of Ezra feiture of its charter." Smith, of Alma, stumbled into a deep hole while wading in Van Ettan lake



OKLAHOMA'S BANKING LAW HAS A DEFECT THAT MAKES IT

INOPERATIVE.

NO POWER TO GUARANTEE

Delivers Opinion That Gives the Law a Hard Knock.

Attorney General Bonaparte, in an opinion given out Saturday delivers a severe blow to a cherished law created by the reformers of the new state of Oklahoma, by declaring that it is caught by two Tipton farmers and illegal for national banks to take part bama, vice-chairman and Chas. A. in any scheme to guarantee the deposits in banks. The opinion is a formal one rendered on the request of Secretary Cortelyou, of the treasury.

Bonaparte says: "The statute of Oklahoma creates a state banking board, and requires the board to 'levy against the capital stock an assessment of 1 per cent of the bank's daily average deposits,' with certain deduc-

tions 'upon each and every bank organized and existing under the laws At the point of revolvers Sturgis of of this state.' The assessment is to the middle of a creek and firing a bul- front of them as they neared the ficers forced seven tramps from a box constitute what is designated as a car and hold them on suspicion of 'depositors' guarantee fund,' and adbeing implicated in the robbery of the ditional assessments are to be levied against the capital stock of the banks, proportionately to the amount of their deposits, so as to always maintain

"It is generally recognized that a his arms as she came flying after him. national bank has no power to guarantee the obligation of a third party unless in connection with a sale or transfer of its own property, and as ing for the bedridden woman and an incident to the banking business. "It has been argued that the bank in this case would not guarantee the

obligations of other banks, but would feathered if he did not move from homa, through its banking board, in funds to make effectual such a guaranty on its part. I think this is a distinction without a difference.

"I hold that it is illegal for the of-The Washtenaw county local option ficers of any national bank to enter committee is hard at work lining up into such an agreement as is contemthe county for the proposed "dry" plated by the Oklahoma statute, and Oliver, 25 years old, an aeronaut, election and about 10,000 pieces of lit- that persistent and willful action to erature have been sent out with 36,000 this effect on the part of any such bank would be just cause for the for-

Cuba's Quiet Election.

The Independence Nominees, The first national convention of the Independence party finished its labors. in Chicago Wednesday after nominating Thos. L. Hisgen, of Massachusetts, for president, and John Temple-Graves, of Georgia, for vice-president,. and adopting a platform of principles. The nomination of Hisgen was reached on the third ballot, with a vote of 831. out of 948 ballots cast. Graves was named for second place on the ticket. by acclamation.

John I. Sheppard, of Kansas, who attempted to put W. J. Bryan's name in. nomination, had to be given the protection of the entire force of Independence party officials to save him from infuriated delegates. Sheppard was escorted from the hall by a detail of sergeants-at-arms, while the crowd of delegates surged behind, denouncing; him as a traitor.

. The national committee elected Wm. R. Hearst as chairman; C. F. Neal, of Indiana, and M. W. Howard, of Ala-Walsh, of Iowa, secretary.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Lawton T. Hemans, of Mason, is: definitely in the race for the Democratic nomination for governor. Friends: are circulating petitions in order toobtain for him a place on the primary ticket.

James Manning, a steeple jack, has: been brought to Lansing from Battle-Creek, where he was arrested suspected of being implicated in the recent Lansing burglaries. Manning has. a bullet wound in his hip and it is: thought he may have been the man-Detective Rowell shot last week whilehe was making his escape from a residence.

"Colonial Jack," a decidedly uniquecharacter, who says he is traveling 9,000 miles on a wager of \$1,000, struck Standish Friday, 150 miles ahead of schedule. He pushes a wheelbarrow with a 60-lb. weight in it. He left Portland, Me., June 1 and says he will reach the coast in 400 days. Jack's: wife travels ahead to bill him and incidental to winning the alleged bet, hereaps a small harvest by selling souvenirs.

A suit case containing \$10,000 in. stocks and bonds, supposed to havebeen stolen from John T. Burford in Chicago, has been recovered.



Detroit .- Cattle-Extra dryfed steersa and heifers, one on sale: steers and helfers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$5@5.15; steers. Cuba's first election under American supervision was held Saturday and was marked by general tranquility. The only disturbance occurred at San Cover 255, commons 125602: Saginaw Valley Lumber Dealers' as-sociation adopted resolutions vigor-ously protesting against the proposed increase in railroad freight rates. The dealers are preparing for a fight if the increase is made. Edward Shirky, whose wife is in the Detroit House of Correction for opera-ting a resort in St. Clair, here heary of the organized efforts to the proposed structure occurred at San Jose de Las Lajas, where there was a slight collision between rival proces-sions of whites and blacks, in which no one was hurt. In Havana city extraordinary apathy was shown by the voters. Despite the activity of the organized efforts to bring the voters to the polls in car-

shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaupre, where he saw hundreds of crippled pilgrims nated Louis Bennett for governor and seeking relief.

GENERAL NEWS.

Twenty-four miners were entombed by a cave-in in a coal mine at Crow's Nest Pass, B. C. Twenty-one of them were rescued, having been kept alive by leaking compressed air pipes.

Grand Army men in Ohio started a movement to raise money by popular subscription to build a big United States battleship.

Fire at Philadelphia destroyed the Hamburg-America line pier and a great quantity of merchandise, the loss being about \$400,000.

Mrs. Ralph Harris of Kansas City. Mo., and her five-year-old son were drowned at Walloon lake, Michigan.

David Lamasuey, a dealer in fine horses, who traveled extensively but had no permanent home, committed suicide by the bari-kiri method at Burlington, la. He was temporarily deranged by the heat.

W. B. Whitwell, who kept a country store in Ripley county, Missouri, was shot and killed while resisting arrest as a deserter.

Bolivar, said to be the biggest elephant ever in captivity, died in his prison house at the zoological gardens in Philadelphia.

The Hotel Roberval on Lake St. John, Canada, was destroyed by fire, all the guests escaping.

A demurrer by the New York, New against it by the United States gov. | Canada. ernment, was filed in the United States district court at Boston.

The mining town of Stafford, W. Va., was wrecked by the explosion of 100 kegs of potaler.

Carl Burton, 22 years old, a recent graduate of the University of Chicago, and heir to property worth \$200,000 in Aurora, was fatally injured in an automobile crash in Chicago.

Chicago.

Leonard Hendricks of Cranston, R. I., killed himself and his two little daughters by means of gas.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul freight house at Chillicothe, Mo., was wrecked by robbers, who blew open the safe and escaped with \$700.

leading government prosecuting officers and Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota, it was announced by Attorney General Bonaparte at Lenox, Mass., that every effort would be made to secure opinion of the United States circuit Standard Oil Company of Indiana.

William Oliver, a young aeronaut of Mason, Mich., was killed while making a parachute drop at Hague park, near on Mich

Democrats of West Virginia nomiindorsed negro disfranchisement. The village of Mehrn in the Austrian

Tyrol was destroyed by a landslide. about 16 persons being killed.

erick H. Schroeder, formerly second | er himself. vice-president of the same institution, were arrested after being indicted on a charge of grand larceny.

Sayyid Muhammed, the Persian Na-

sha, Wis., was arrested in Cambridge,

Mass. as a fugitive from justice. He

is wanted at Kenosha on the charge

of larceny of \$6.000 from the First Na-

tional bank of that place, on October

Frank Litzenberger, owner of the

was drowned in Rice lake, Wisconsin.

Gen. James A. Drain, president of

The sultan of Turkey proclaimed a

tives from Turkey in America.

the American Rifle association, was

12, 1907.

rifle team.

share of his estate.

and killed his 17-year-old bride of less than a week at Lebanon. Mo., and killed himself.

"Tony" Martin, said to come from a ditions. prominent family of Quincy. Ill., was idence of J. E. Murphy of Peoria.

had an engagement in Mexico opposite | rien county. Comstock, Tex., and two American esidents of Mexico were killed.

John Schulte, paying teller of the First National bank of Racine, Wis., found to be \$15,000 short.

in the Paris theaters, Prefect of Police of the company, Lepine has given orders that the sale

The Manitoban government an revised constitution. Haven & Hartford Railroad company nounced that 30,000 men are needed as defendant in the action brought to harvest the wheat crop in western

the anti-gambling laws.

grave condition. His eyesight is seriously affected.

robbed an elevated ticket agent in dent. Friends of Mr. Bryan made an effort to bring his name before the convention and the man who at-

tempted it produced a riot and narrowly escaped physical violence at the hands of the indignant delegates.

erinary surgeon who shot and killed last April, since which time Parker his wife in her home at Bath Beach, has been a fugitive. When the sheriff After an all-day conference of the died suddenly in the Raymond street reached Winnipeg the prisoner at jail, Brooklyn.

President Castro has issued a decree prohibiting the dispatch of vessels with cargo for Grenada or other islands in the Antilies, thereby closa revision of the recent decision and ing the Venezuelan gulf ports entirely to export and import trade with the court of appeals in the case of the West Indies. Great indignation is felt in the British colonies, and it is expected that the aid of the British gov. porarily deranged, Mrs. Anderson scribed for at \$10 a share, and already ernment will be sought to secure protection against the methods of President Castro

All Parties on the Ticket.

Attorney-General Bird has given out Infuriated because she had filed suit several important decisions. He has for the annulment of her marriage, ruled that all parties must have rep-Grover Willoughby, 21 years old, shot resentation on the fall primary bal lots for governor and lieutenant-governor, and it is the duty of election commissioners in every county to prepare ballots regardless of local con-

Charles E. White, who would be a arrested charged with robbing the res- candidate against Sam Kelley for the senate, is not eligible unless he re-Mexican troops and revolutionists signs as prosecuting attorney of Ber-

The offices of county drain commissioner and county surveyor are incompatible and cannot be held by the same man.

disappeared and his accounts were cannot collect a bill for \$232.30 against the employment school for the blind Following up his crusade against at Saginaw, because James Malcom, the appearance of unclothed women treasurer of the school, is a member

In answer to a request from James of obscene pictures on the boulevards tax will not be rendered inoperative by the uniform taxation clause in the

Both Killed.

While the funeral of Mrs. Nellie Thirty-six prominent bookmakers of Sprague, the automobile victim, was New York were indicted for violating being held in Muskegon the report reached the Sprague home that the Joseph Chamberlain returned to body of Arthur Sprague had been England from the continent in a very found in the woods near Lake Harbor with ballet holes through the head. Sprague disappeared about a week ago, leaving a note in which he The independence party in its first declared he would take his life. He national convention at Chicago nom- said he was tired of "tea and dancinated Thomas L. Hisgen of Massa- ing." Mrs. Sprague was struck by an chusetts for president and John Tem- automobile Friday and died without Three masked men held up and ple Graves of Georgia for vice-prest- knowing the fate of her missing son.

Brought Eack.

Sheriff Davidson, of Port Huron, returned Sunday noon from Winnipeg with Fred Parker, who was arrested by the Canadian authorities on a charge of assaulting Elizabeth Pilcer. Dr. Andrew Bergen Cropsey, the vet- a cripple, in her home on White street first refused to return with him without extradition papers, but later consented to make the trip without causday morning.

> With the death of Mrs. Charles Anderson, aged 72. Muskegon has had an average of one drowning every week since the first of June. Tem- to the amount of \$5,200 has been subwalked steadily from the shore of the the construction of the plant is in

and was drowned. Her companion, Jennie Smith, contrived to scramble to shallow water.

Saginaw Valley Lumber Dealers' as-

tiac. He recently returned from serving a term in Jackson.

Chased by a bear, a young deer; apparently about a year old, sought refuge in Calumet Wednesday. It was nearly exhausted and was captured on Lake Linden avenue and turned over to the district game warden.

When Fred. Parker was arraigned in Port Huron on the charge of attacking Miss Elizabeth Pelger, a cripple, the latter had disappeared. Relatives have been working hard in the interests of Parker, a former railroad employe.

The state game warden's department has received reports from Monroe and Lenawee counties that some unknown cause is killing the fish i.a The Saginaw Coal Co, is notified it large numbers in the Raisin river. A deputy warden has been sent to investigate.

> Charged with using the mails to defraud by selling alleged fraudulent oil stocks, John B. Jones, of Quincy, was Frances Ramsdell, a prominent

FrancesRamsden,aprominentQuincy resident.Angered because he had been chas-
tiscd for misbehavior, Anthony Spella,
aged 8. of Grand Rapids, fied from his
home in a rage, crying, "You'll never
ward his body was found in a swim-
ming hole in the river.party's activities until November, The
innovation was devised by Eugene W.
Chafn. Probibition candidate for the
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car at 92% c for spot; September
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mines in the state during the six
months ending June 30, employed
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patient in the Kalamazoo insane roe. asylum. He asked the court to transfer her from a private to a state pa-000 on the tax rolls and has unencum- 900. bered personal property worth more than \$10,000, he gave him a severe

cheese is making steady progress in upper Michigan. Creameries have

braids of common twine with which ously protesting against the proposed slight collision between rival proces-

ting a resort in St. Clair, has been de. bring the voters to the polls in car- \$20@30. clared insane and will be sent to Pon- riages and automobiles, the total number of votes cast there was less than 50 per cent of the registration total.

Reports from the interior indicate that despite fine weather not over 60 per cent of the electors cast their ballots.

Cadets Reinstated.

Considering that the dismissal from the United States military academy at West Point of the eight cadets found guilty of hazing would be too severe punishment for the offenses they committed, President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Luke E. Wright decided that the eight young men be reinstated in their classes and other punishment be visited on them by the superintendent of the academy.

Pay As You Hear.

A unique campaign in which voters, sympathizers and all others who wish to listen to orators will have to pay 25 cents apiece for the privilege, has arrested by order of postoffice inspec- been arranged by the Prohibition nators. He was married in June to Mrs. tional committee as the basis of the party's activities until November. The

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Several persons were blown out of their houses, but not seriously hurt. Flour-Michigan patent, best, \$4.90;: ordinary patent, \$4.75; straight, \$4.40;. clear, \$4.15 per bbl. in wood. tient, but when the judge learned that The cause of the explosion is un-Meredith owns a farm valued at \$13, known. The damage aggregates \$200,

Startling Revelations. Startling revelations which, it is in-

timated, may involve immigration officials at Pacific coast ports and along the Mexican border, are expected as ing delay. He will be arraigned Mon- sprung up in various localities within the outcome of an investigation now being carried on by the federal government of the illegal entry of Chinese and Japanese coolies into this country.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Hazel Drew was slain by a blow water works pond until she was sub- progress. Manufacturing operations on the head and later her body was merged. Neighbors saw her walk out will be started within six weeks, it thrown into Teal pond, a

Veal calves-Market 50c lower; best, \$6.50@7: others. \$3@6; milch cows and! springers steady.

Sheep and Lambs-Market 50 to 750. Sheep and Lambs-Market 50 to 75c-lower; quality very common; best. lambs, \$6@6.30; fair to good lambs, \$5.50@5.75; light to common lambs, \$4@5; fair to god butcher sheep, \$3.50 @4; culls and common, \$1.50@2.50. Hogs-Market steady, last week's prices. Range of prices: Light to good; butchers, \$6.50@6.70; pigs, \$5@5.60; light yorkers, \$6.25@6.50; roughs, \$4.50 @5.50; stags, 1-3 off.

East Buffalo.—Cattle—Export steers, \$6.25@6.75: best shipping steers, \$5.50 @6: best 1.000 to 1.100-lb steers, \$4.60, @5.25: best fat cows, \$3.75@5; fair to-good, \$3.25@3.50; common, \$2.25@2.50; trimmers, \$2: best fat heifers, \$4.75@ 5.50: butcher heifers, \$3.50@3.75: light butcher heifers, \$3.25@3.50; best feed-ers, \$3.75@4: stockers, \$3@3.50; export bulls, \$4.25@4.75; bologna bulls, \$3.25@ 3.50; stock bulls, \$2.75@3: fresh cows: steady: god cows, \$45@55; mediums, \$33@45: common, \$20@28: Hogs—Lower: heavy, \$6.75@6.90; yorkers, \$6.75@6.85; pigs, \$6@6.10; roughs, \$5.50@5.60; stags, \$4@4.50. Sheep and lambs—Slow: best lambs, \$6@6.25: culls, \$5@5.25; wethers, \$4.25. @4.50: ewes, \$4@4.25; yearlings, \$4.50 @5. Calves — Steady: best \$7.50@7.75; East Buffalo .- Cattle-Export steers

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Calves - Steady; best, \$7.50@7.75; heavy. \$3.50@5.00.

Grain, Etc.

per ton

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT. Week Ending August 8.

NEW LAFAYETTE-Moving pic-tures and vaudeville, 5 and 10 cents. ELECTRIC PARK, Belle Isle Bridge, furnishes entertainment for all. Free-vaudeville by high-class talent, a special feature.

Steamers Leaving Detroit, DETROIT & BUFFALO STEAMSHIP CO.-Foot of Wayne St. For Buffaio and Niagara Falls daily 5 p. m. Week

and Niagara cans daily 5 p. m. week end trip. \$2.50. WHITE STAR LINE-Foot of Gris-wold St. For Port Huron and way ports, week days at \$:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Sundays at \$:00 a. m. and 2:30 p. M. For Toledo, daily at \$:15 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. Sunday at 8:45 a. m. and 5

DETROIT AND CLEVELAND NAVI-GATION CO.—Foot of Wayne St. For Cleveland and eastern points daily at 10:30 n m. For Mackingw and ward

lecture instead. The manufacture of butter and

recent years, and all appear to be in successful operation. The most recent industry of this kind is one now being launched at Bargara. Farmers are principally interested in it. Stock

	dent Castro,	and recovered the body.	is expected	thrown mto Teat pond, a coroners	10:30 p. m. For Mackinaw and way-
James S. Sherman, Republican vice-	The interstate commerce commis.		is expected.	jury in Troy, N. Y., has decided.	ports: Monday and Saturday 5 p. m. Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a. m.
presidential candidate, announced that	sion decided that shippers might com-	The thermometer stood at 96 in Me-	John Hayes, the 17-year-old son of	brephen Dozitovo, a priest of the	
he would be succeeded as chairman of	bine small quantities of freight of various ownership either by arrange	tions were superiod and several prostra-	one of the officials of the Standard Oil	Stephen Bozitovo, a priest of the Servian orthodox church, is held at	Long Health Fast.
the congressional campaign commit-	various ownership either by arrange	horace appended to the h	Co., hving in rbookiyn, N. T., Was	Ellis Island as an Anarchist.	Mrs E V Haining of Dillon Mont
tee by Representative William I. Mo.	ment among themselves or through	noises succumped to the neat.	sent home by Sherin Davidson from	James O'Connell, a workman shock-	Mrs. E. V. Haining, of Dillon, Mont., who has been a guest at a Battle Creek health home for the past month,
Kinley of Illinois	the medium of the forwarding and	Fire destroyed the shaft house and	Port Huron under instructions re-	ed to death in a manhole in New York.	Crock health home for the part wanth
Riney of Innuois.	and this the combined atting agency,	adjoining buildings of the Tamarack	ceived from the boy's mother. Hayes	is said to have been Admiral Dewey's	oreek nearth nome for the past month,
reter benuan or creverand, O., Buut	and surp the combined for at the rela-	Junior branch of the Osceola Consoli-	ran away from nome to become a nono	Chief gunner on the Olympic in the	reached her orst day of fasting wed-
and killed his wife and himself.	tively lower rates applicable to large	cated mine; damage \$50,000.	and was arrested several days ago in	battle of Manile Ray	nesday, when she nrst came to the
In the presence of the Sheik Ul Is-	snipments.	A "wild" man, believed to have es-	company with three knights of the	While hanging clothes in her back	city she was suffering from stomach
lam, the head of the hierarchy in Tur-	The several suits pending against	caped from some state asylum, has for	road.	yard, Angelina Evangelesta, an Ital-	trouble which had resulted in giving
key, the sultan of Turkey took the	the Waters Pierce Oil company in 1 to	two days been leading officers of Mns.	The following resignations have	lian girl living in Coney Island evenue	her some organic disturbances and
oath of allegiance to the constitution	tle Rock, Ark., charging violation of	kegon county a merry chase. He was	been received by the military depart-	New York, fell into a hole 12 feet	she was also quite obese. During the
on the Koran	the anti-trust laws of the state wore	captured at 1 o'clock this morning	men: Maj. Daniel J. McDonald. Che-	deep. Quicksand on the bottom	she was also quite obese. During the 30 days of fasting she has lost 22 rounds. She has taken all of the same
"Ted" Smith a negro how accured of	terminated when the attornovy for the	in the woods near Whitehall. He can	boygan, brigade commissary; First	pulled her under several feet of water.	30 days of fasting she has lost 22 pounds. She has taken all of the gym- nastic exercises given at the place
and minth, a negro boy accused of	defendant company agreed to a	give no coherent explanation of his	Lieut. C. Russell Smith, engineers,	Policeman Oscar Rothman sprang to	nactio exercises given at the place
assaulting a white girl, was burned to	ucremant company agreed to a com-	presence in the woods or identify him-	Calumet; Lieut. Wilbur Westerman.	her assistance. Both were pulled out.	nastic exercises given at the place during her stay and has indulged in
death by a mob at Greenville, Tex.	promise benany of \$10,000.	self.	Co. L., Adrian.	but the girl died.	out-of-door sports generally.
					successford sports generally.



predictions gone wrong, he would still have that old "bluffy" walk on him, and would be gabbing triumphantly about some precinct that had gone his

didate, or a Prohibition, Labor-Socialist, or any old candidate whom he may

picked out, who issues an injunction, The old man will give the boys a fine one was going to believe him. He was All this is "four-flushing" to make per se a "stiff," as such cattle are the voters believe there are four or and the "four-flushers" gather to offer feed in there." termed in politics, and a laughing. five "Richmonds in the field" when, in up thanks. An appeal being taken To which the politician, with a perstock among seasoned politicians, but fact, "A" and 'B" are the only real from his ruling, the state court, or the fectly nonchalant air, replied: "I'd he went about imagining that he was figures in the contest, and the extra supreme court of the United States, have liked to, first rate; but I haven't a real factor in politics; when he could candidates are "fakes." And the hands down an opinion that the "ungot any shirt on," at the same time beauty about it is that these "inde- biased" judge is an "ass," or words to opening his spring overcoat and disscarcely control his own vote. "You know how that is, Mac," he pendent" or other campaigns are often that effect, and the injunction is dis closing underneath his stylish mufwould go on. "The people out there waged valiantly and a tremendous solved. fler the unmistakable presence of a Thereupon the "four-flushers" hold neat but not gaudy undershirt next to feel that way, and that's the way they amount of dust and excitement kicked feel all over the city. It's strange to up about them. additional meetings in which they de- his manly chest. me that some one hasn't pointed it out Reform is a prolific source of politi. nounce the supreme courts, and, as The city clerk reached into his vest to the mayor. If something isn't done cal "four-flushing." Take some busi- soon as a new set of authorities come pocket and dislodged a two-dollar bill. we'll lose out election day. Such a ness which offends certain of the more into power, resume the old "bluff" of This he handed to his friend. "You're comparatively small thing, too. It puritanically inclined citizens. This asking that the business which they a dandy representative citizen all don't make any difference to me per- business may be regularly licensed do not like be suppressed. right, Dick," he remarked, "and a firstsonally, for I don't care. But I don't and declared legal, and there may be One of the most unique of political class business man. Go and get you a "four-flushers" is the man who is shirt with that and then buy somewant to see our boys lose. Somebody constitutional grounds which, until a ought to see his honor about it. I'm change in the constitution, would ab. "bucking the game" solely on his thing to eat." just telling you because you can see solutely prevent interference in the nerve. I recollect one such individ-ERNEST M'GAFFEY for yourself how it is. We need every business on the part of the authori. ual, and he was certainly a classic (Copyright, 1908, by Joseph B. Bowles.)

stronger of the two. "A" finances the lawyers who have given the dissentnomination of an "independent" can- ing opinion to the views of the reform rity. The orator, however pleaded an "four-flushers."

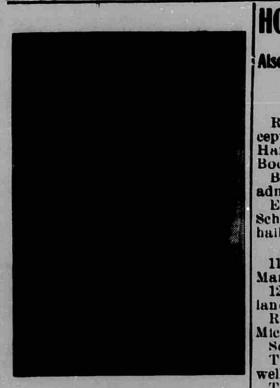
way, and explaining how they would Then some scintillating genius clerk had to catch a train. But as think will weaken "B's" chances. If have all went the same way if "Bill among the brethren suggests that an these two came out of the hotel the "B" thinks the move will weaken him, injunction be obtained from some percity clerk, who knew his companion Botsford" or "Joe Sammons" or "Pete he may up with an "independent" canfectly "unbiased" judge. A descent as a sort of "fly-by-night" ward politi-Highball" had "stuck." The only ofdidate of "A's" party stripe, and pay is made upon the courts, a perfectly cian, said, "Why didn't you stay and fensive thing about this lobster's attihis expenses to cut into "A's" vote. tude was that he assumed that some "unbiased" and complaisant jurist is take dinner with the committee, Dick?

city clerk and the orator of the evening accepted the invitation with alacimperative engagement, and the city

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REV. J. T. HUSTED. Grand Rapids, Toastmaster of Home-Comers picnic at Island park, August 5.

From Our Point of View.

A REMINDER of the Blaine-Cleveland campaign and Preacher Burchard Elmer with his "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion," is furnished by an Eastern Bishop who is calling on all church people to vote against Taft because he is a Unitarian. Burchard was credited with responsibility for the slender majority by which Cleveland carried New York and won the presidency; and Bishop Morrison should profit by the example. No man has any business raising sectarian issues in a political campaign in this country where every man is guaranteed the free exercise of his religious faith and whose constitution provides that "No religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States.'

Success for August has "A Minister's Confession," in which a prominent New England church member is charged with threatening the pastor charged with threatening the pastor 100 yard dash, first \$2., second \$1. with a cut of salary because William 50 yard dash, boys 14 years old and Jennings Bryan had made a friendly call at the parsonage. One's respect for his kind tempts him to denounce

Also, That of Harvest Festival Picnic, All at Lowell, August 4, 5, 6. TUESDAY, AUGUST FOUR. Reception of Home-Comers. Reception committee, O. C. McDannell, Harmon Nash, J. S. Hooker, E J. Booth, C. Guy Perry. Base ball, Woodmen vs. Maccabees. Canada. admission free. Evening, banquet Lowell High

School Alumni association, Train's bail.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST FIVE.

11 a. m. Band concert, Stanton Marine band. 12 m. Picnic, Home-Comers, 1s. land park. Rev. J. T. Husted, Grand Rapids. Mich., toastmaster.

Solo, Harley Maynard. Toast, Wayne E. Morris, Plain-

well. Toast, Mrs. Ida Hatch Mitchell, Grand Rapids.

Double quartet-Misses Anna May nard, Edith Stone, Pearl Keene, Vesta Smith, Messrs. Harley Maynard, Elmer White, Clarence Collar, F. Gelse.

Toast, Manly Jones, Grand Rapids. Toast, Wheeler J. Hull, Columbia Falls, Mont. Male quartet-Harley Maynard, Elmer White, Clarence Coflar, F.

Gelse.

Toast, Dr. Charles Quick, Grand Rapids.

Toast, Marilla S. Chapman, Los Angeles, Cal.

Toast, Harrison Sayles, Palisades, Col. Song, "God Be With You Till We

Meet Again," by entire assembly, lead by Prof. S. P. Hicks. Ball game at 3, p. m. Admission free. Ceresotas of Grand Rapids vs

Lowell. Balloon ascension, 5 p. m. by Madam Maxell.

Evening band concert on Main and Bridge streets.

THURSDAY, AUGUST SIX.

8.30 to 10, a. m. Band concerts. 10. Ball game, Alto vs. Lowell. 12. Harvest festival picnic at 1s-

land park. Selection, Stanton Marine band. J

1.30. Address, Hon. Nicholas Whelan, speaker House of Represen tatives

Selection, male quartet. 3. Sports, on Main and Bridge treets as follows:

under, first \$1, second 50c.

second \$1.

HOME-COMING PROGRAM Muskegon are visiting the former's sister Mrs. Chris Kropf. Fred Perkins is entertaining a a nephew from Minneapolis, Minn. Mrs. Butler is on the sick list. Born-Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Brown, a son. Mrs Mike McAndrews returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in

BUFFALO BILL'S WILD

West Will Exhibit at Grand Rapids Monday Aug. 10th.

After four golden and glorious years in Europe, time spent in entertaining amusement lovers in eighteen nations, Buffato Bill is home again. His home-coming tour began at Madison Square Garden, New York, in April and since that time the Wild [West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World has given two exhibitions daily in various citles on its line of triumphal march through the nation which has furnished the inspiration for this remarkable historic exhibition. Crowds which in size and enthusiasm unprecedented in the annals of out-of-door entertalument have witnessed the brilliant and inspiring programme which is presented by Buffalo Bill and his dauntless band of rec'dess horsemen. The Pattle of Summit Springs, historically accurate and thrilling beyoud description, is the principal feature of the performance and during the time of its enactment more than one hundred lubians are in evidence. Some of these red-men were numbered among the hostiles who on July 18, 1869, participated in the original battle of Summit Springs, Neb., when Buffalo (iii) killed Tall Bull the Indian's chieftain and turned the tide of victory for the Government forces. The Great Frain Hold-Up, another topical western scene; A Holiday at 'T E' Sanch, and an attack on an emigrant train are among the other spectacular features of the Wild West exhibition. There are rough riders from all an tions, bucking broachos without number, dashlag western girls and real cow-boys and at every performance Col. Wm. F. Cody, the original and only Buffalo Bill, rides at the head of his brilliant cohorus, directing the performance and participat

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE IS STILL ON.

We have sold a lot Lawns but still have a good stock to select from.

A beautiful line of silk fancies, regular price 50c going at 39c during the sale. Our 25c lawns and fancies, sacrificed for 19c. A big line of good patterns and colors for 121/2c, 10c, 8c, 6c, and 5c.

SHIRT WAISTS ARE GOING FAST AT THE REDUCED PRICES.

Come in and see them; we will be glad show you. A few shirt waists suits left that have got to be sold regardless of cost. Special prices on rugs during August. We can save you money if you will give us a chance.

Butterick Pattern Agents. Ask for the Delineator.

ing in many of the scenes. LOWELL PEOPLE

Potato race free for all, first \$2, C. S. English of Camas, Wash., says

lived in this world very long without discovering that the crop of fools and bigots is astonishingly large. This is the class of people alluded to anac, Chas. Bancroft captain of Alto. in his Sunday morning sermon by Rev. Russell H. Bready, as not having read anything worth while in ten years and who jump on the preacher whenever he announces a thought or fact new to the jumper.

HEARST'S independent party is discredited even by the Republican press, which might have been expected to be friendly on account of the leader's pronounced enmity to Bryan. When the man of yellow newspapers was shown by an expensive recount to have made a false claim to the mayoralty of New York city, his political stock went down-His unknown presidential candidate, Higsen, Higgins or Huggins, will not figure in the electoral college; and every intelligent voter knows that the real contest lies between Bryan and Taft.

WE HAVE had some Home-Coming contributions that we have been unable to use this year, that will be available at another time. One Home-Coming edition a season is about all we can manage. Next year we will give ample notice in advance, so that all would-be contrib utors will have an opportunity to get into the main issue.

Some of the big transportation companies announce an advance in freight rates, but assure the dear public that it will be for their benefit. Sure, they do it for our good, as the lion said to the lamb, when they laid down together-with the lamb on the inside.

OUT OF 22,502 publications listed in the 1908 issue of Rowell's American Newspaper Directory, only about 1800 are included in Printers' Ink's Roll of Honor. The LEDGER is one of the 1800. Isn't this worth something to the people of Lowell?

HOME-COMERS, THE LEDGER CXtends to you a most cordial, welcome. Come in and register, make yourself at home. If you don't see what you want, ask for it. And come again. express your appreciation of our at-

WITE seven presidential tickets in the field, every voter should be able

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Althen and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simpson are en-joying a family Home-Coming. They are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Clare Althen of LaJunta, Col., Mr. Next Sunday will be observed as and Mrs. J. Schrouder and little son Home-Coming Sunday. Rev. Chas Charles of Denver, Col, and Phil Al-then who has a month's vacation from his travels in North and South VERGENNES STATION. Carolina and other southern states, Mrs. Emma Cummings and child. choose from. Misses Helen and Irma Beckey have returned from a visit with their ele-ters in Kalamasoo and Martin. They were accompanied home by their eleter Ida of Kalamasoo. ren of Grand Rapids are visiting the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rennells. Mrs. Hoffman is very ill. Mrs. Fred Perkins and daughter ing place. Mrs. Frank E. New of Naravisa, New Mez., is in town for two weeks on business and visiting Mrs. John McCall and other friends. are visiting relatives at Mecosta. There was a ball game at Moseley Sunday afternoon between Alto and Miss Alice Tinkler was in Grand Rapids Tuesday. Moseley. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rennells of

the story as a lie; but one has not Freeport, Lee Jakeway captain of Grattan, A. H. Stekle captain of Freeport. Premium, box of cigars. Tug of war between Alto and Saranac. Howard Lane captain of Sar Premium, box of cigars. Ball game, 4 p. m. Exhibition each day by Prof.

Tug of war between Grattan and

Charles' trick dog "Honey." HOME-COMERS' REGISTER

There will be registers at Post of fice. LEDGER and Journal offices. We want your name and address in order to notify you in future.

ADVERTISING COMMITTEE



At Methodist Church, Lowell, Sunday Evening, Aug. 9.

The first anniversary of the installation of the pipe organ will be observed next Sunday evening in a concert of sacred music

The following programe will be rendered by the Church Choir, assisted by Mrs. Esther K. Anderson, Pipe Organist, Grand Rapids, Miss Clara Coleman, Violinist, Grand Rapids, The Mendelssohn's Ladies' Quartet, Grand Rapids. Twenty Minute Pipe Organ Recital Mrs. Anderson.

Hymns Nos. 359, 141, accompanied bp Pipe Organ and Plano.

Invocation, and Our Lord's prayer. Violin Solo, Miss Clara Coleman. Anthem, "Come Thou Fount" by McPhall, Choir.

Solo, "Just As I Am" by Hawley Miss Vesta Smith.

Quartet, "I'm But a Stranger Here' by Marston, Mendelssohn's La

Duet, "Peace Be to This Dwelling" by Smith, Mr. Maynard, Miss

Maynard. Trio, "Lift Thine Eyes" from Eli-jan, Mendelssohn's Ladies.

Quartet, "Star of Glory" by Arm-strong, Mendelssohn's Ladies.

Violin Solo, Miss Clara Coleman, Anthem, "Hear our Prayer" by McCune, Chotr. All Work Done by

McCune, Ch. Organ Voluntary and Offering. Doxology and Benediction. Organ Postlude.

This Sacred Concert in .honor of

the first anniversary of the installation of the Pipe organ will be an event to which you can bring your Home-Coming guests, it will be a magnificent program of sacred music. For expenses we ask for a silver offering to be enclosed in the attach-ed envelope. This offering is also to tempt to maintain a higher grade of ceclesiastical music. This has been done by a great effort in installing a satisfy that "long felt want." pipe organ, and the maintenance of a choir, under the direction of a skilled director, P. A TenHaaf of Grand

Carl S. English & Sons Tamas, Wash., July 23, '08

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Lowelt Ledger, Lowell, Mich.

Enclosed find \$2.00 Set us ahead a little. Have been behind long enough.

"Lowell People Welcome."

All well and prospering. The North Bank Railroad changed our mail route from Camas. We have not changed our location.

The Ledger is better every year Lowell people are O. K. and a call from them will be always welcome. Call and see us when out this way. Respectfully, Carl S. English

SOUTH LOWELL.

Messrs, Jesse Sweet and Ralph Story and families spent Sunday at Morrison Lake

Mr. and Mrs. J. Atcheson and daughter Wilma visited at Einstale Sunday.

Dr. Clifford Johnson of Chicago visited Miss Lulu Hill a few days last week

Mrs. E. P. Sweet and son William Lind visited in South Boston Sunday.

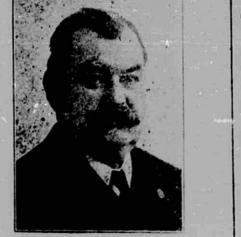
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bastlett attended church in South Boston Sunday Miss Vera Blakeslee is assisting Dick Brink in Mastore in Grand Rap-Ids

Silas Braisted and grandsons Leonard and Lee of Lowell visited at the home of D. F. Layer a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Soules of Lowell visited Mr. and Mrs. C. O. 11111 one day last week.

SHE LIKES GOOD THINGS.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New jah, Mendelssohn a Laules. Solo, accompanied by plano, pipe organ and violin, Miss Bertha Carson. Carson. Solo and violin, Miss Bertha Carson. Solo Glory" by Arm-



UULLAI **MICHIGAN**. LOWELL,

Some Special Bargains.

Until the 10th. of August we will sell the best pole wood at \$2.00 per cord. Portland Cement at \$1.40 per barrel, Patton's Sun-Proof paints at \$1.40 per gallon. Every can guaranteed.

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We also carry a large stock of Hard Wood Sheeting \$14.00 per thousand. Hard Wood Bill Stuff \$16.00 per thousand, Sash, Doors and Glass at Cheapest Cash Prices.

is second to none. The very latest fabrics and patterns to Would like to have old friends call and make this your meet-B. C. SMITH, Lowell.

Company.

NOTICE **Of Drain Letting**

Friday August 7, 1908

Notice is hereby given that I, W. H. Mur-phy, Drain Commissioner of the County of Kent, State of Michigan, one mile north of Dutton on Section No. 2 in the township of Gaines at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day will pro-ceed to receive bids for the construction of the Fisk Drain, located and established in the Townships of Gaines and Paris, described as follows:

FISK DRAIN.

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Wm. H. Murphy T. O Drain Commissioner. June 26th, 1908, T.O. Williams Surveyor.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first and the remaining sections in their order upstream in accordance with the diagram now on file in the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the once of the County Drain Commission-er of the said County of Kent to which refer-ence may be had by all parties interested and interes.eu a olds will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest re-sponsible blader giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to my-self the right to reject any and all bias. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor shall and with be announced at the time and place of let-ting. Mrs. John McCord is convalescing. Dr. M. W. Danforth, friends here last week. Mrs. John McCord is convalescing. Mrs. A. C. Auble en niece Mrs. Elmer Ada Routida and here alasta Notice is further hereby given that at the time and place of said letting, or at such oth-er time and place thereafter to which 1, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits apidly and spent last week with her parents Mr and Mcs. Allen at and the lands comprised within the Fisk Diain special Assessment District, and the apportionments thereof will be announced by me and whit be subject to review for one day, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock M. B. : oclety at the hall at McCords in the afternoou. The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the spe-cial assessment district of said drain, viz: Thursday evening was torgely attended. Proceeds \$18



SKELET CORNERS.

John Simpson, who has just purchased the Frank Sayles farm, had the misfortune to lose his barn with Mrs. Albert Stauffer of all of his grain and hay and a pair visited Mr. and I of horses, by fire Saturday. Cause last Wednesday.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Orville Reynolds Wednesday Aug. 12 for supper.

AUA

The McMillan family reunion will be held at Whitefish lake beginning Aug. 10.

A. B. Fox will attend the "Home-Coming" at Lowell Aug. 6 to give a characteristic Indian song.

William Archibald visited relatives at Cedar Springs last week.

W. (allier has been sick for the past week.

Born-to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haskins, Friday. July 31, a son.

R. Compton visited friends here over Sunday.

MORSE LAKE

Howard Witks spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Winks in Grand Rapids Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hartley Sunday were Mrs. Nellie Ford and children of Logan, Mr. and Mrs. John Freyermuth, Walter Blakeslee, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Winks. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houghton and three children spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. George

Lewis. Miss Winnie Hartley visited at the

home of Miss Dillian Skelding Monday.

Mrs. Walter Blakeslee entertained with a party at her home Sunday in honor of her birthday anniver ary, there being many of the relatives present.

Miss Winnie Hartley was the guest o Mrs. Will Klahn Saturday.

M'CORDS.

Frank Clark Sunday.

Lowell Center.

week.

cently.

Mr. Weaver of Bowne Center visitd at the home of Mr. and Mrs

Mr. and Mrs. Cornell are entertain-

ing company from Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Claude Streeter is convalescing

The fce cream social given by the

Saturday evening after spending a

week with her sister Mrs. John Ep-

HOWHE

Art Lowe of Middleville is paint-

Mrs, Nellie Todd and children are

visiting Robert Johnson and family.

Benj, Soules of Lowell is threshing

Mrs. Hiram Lowe of Detroit made

a hurrled visit with her son Scott

ing for his brother Scott Lowe.

or some of the Bowne farmers.

Saturday and Sunday.

ley in Grand Rapids.

Raiph McDiarmid, wife and two onstration of the love and esteem children returned Friday from Port-land, Ore., where they nave lived for the past two years. Ralph will take possession of the old home and the family will make their future home there. Many friends will welcome them back to their old place among

Mrs. Alfred Miller returned last week from Ann Arbor with her little son Harry who is improving rapidly

Mrs. Albert Stauffer of Caledonia visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stauffer

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reynolds had a home gathering of their children and grandchildren Sunday. The Ladics' Ath

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Heydon of Van Buren county were guests at the home of Arthur Clark Sunday. Charley Clark is visiting in Grand

Rapids for a few days.

Rev. J. G. Wilson is expected home from his vacation Thursday (today) and will fill his regular appointments here at 10:30 and 7:30 evening as usual.

Mrs. Wilson and daughters Bessle and Bertha who returned last Thursday, have been entertaining Mrs. Wilson's brother C. H. Carpenter, wife and daughter Alice of Gladstone Delta county.

Mrs. Burch and daughters of North College, Grand Rapids and their ado have been spending a day with Mrs. E. B. Maben. Rev. H. Coles is attending camp meeting at Sunfield this week.

Coger left July 30 to join Rev. Wil-son at "The Soo."

Master Duane Brown of Grand

his cousin Leon Slater.

down last week, reaching water at | West Lowell. 51 feet.

Miss Maude Thompson and Mar- and wife and son Smith visited at tin Vanderjagt of South Cascade the home of Myron Kyser Sunday and Harry Brown of Sherman street Grand Rapids, were guests of Misses Hazei Brown and Edith Wilson of Grand Rapids Sunday at the home of Mrs. F. M. Thompson.

Mrs. W. I. Niles entertained her cousins Mrs. Wm. Denison of Oregon and Mrs. Sanford Fish of Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs. J. J. Waterson joined the Ada Sunday school picnic annual at Reed's Lake July 30.

Miss Effa Quiggle has been spending a few days with her aunt Mrs. Maggie Clark at Ada.

RAST LOWELL.

Dell Myers is in the Eaton house. Miss Jessie Ware is still ill. Bert Hayes, Phil.Jones and Wayne reer are on a western trip.

Allen Buck of Grand Raolds visited at the homes of H. VanDerwall and Wm. Wisner Friday and Saturday. Myron Kyser is repainting his barn, Mesdames Buck and Snyder visited at the home of John Cary Friday Mrs. B. Carr received word Satur-day of the serious illness of her father Wm. Buck of Millbrook.

Luman Cogswell is somewhat recovered.

Mrs H. VanDerwall has been ill the past week.

Mrs. Ellen Buck entertained her son Abram of Grand Rapids Sunday. Homer Hubbel of Grand Rapids visited his parents Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Geo. Christle of Grand Rapids are here on their vacation. Gerald Denice and Mrs. Reed returned to their homes in Grand Rapids last week.

Mesdames Ware and Kyser visited Mrs. Albert Aldrich in South Lowell Friday and found her very fil.

The appointments were taken up

Mrs. Will Morgan has been spend-

ing a week with friends in Kalama-Grand Rapids spent last week with zoo and Leonidas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Story spent Sun-Chas. Niger had a drive well put day with the former's parents in

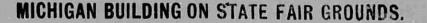
S. A. Aldrich of Muskegon, C. Kyser and wife and son Smith visited at

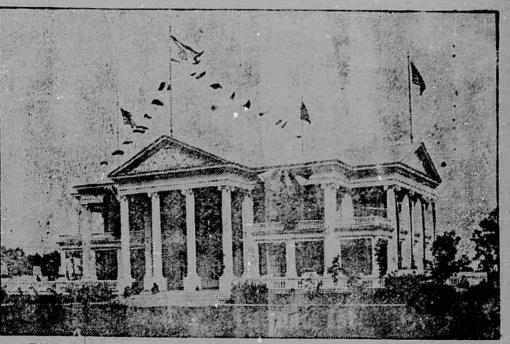
ABENIS CENTER.

Fred Fallas of Los Angeles, Cal. and Miss Isabel Fallas of Lowell were dinner guests of Mrs. Wilbur Moon last Tuesday.

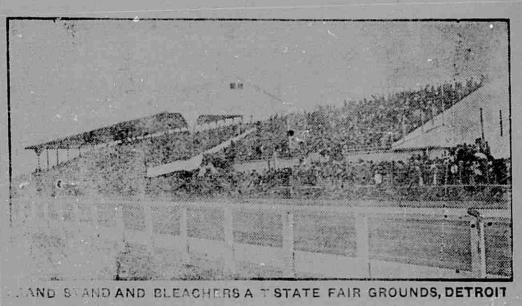
Jeanstte and Clare Runyan of Lake Odessa and Misses Mabel and Maud Cox and brother of Ionia are spending a week with Mrs. Robert Brock. Louis Vanderveen of Grand Rapids e visiting Garre Raimer this week.

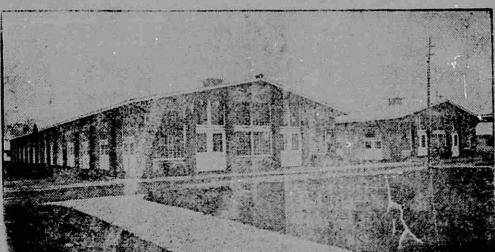
Miss Helen Staal has returned after visit with friends and rel mouth B atives in Grand Haven and Grand Rapids





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CASCADE.

Township of Cascade at Large

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Towaship of Gaines at Large.

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or a ½ of aw1 4. An in Section No1, Township of Gaines. E ½ of ac fri. 1-4, aw 1-4 of ac 1-4, sw fri. 1-4 of ac, a ½ of se 1-4. All in section No2 township of Gaines.

Township of Paris at Large.

Se 1-4, s ½ of sw 1-4, n ½ of sw 1-4, e ½ of ne 1-4, w ½ of ne 1-4, e ½ of nw 1-4, sw 1-4 of nw 1-4. All in Section 36 Township of Paris.

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1-4, e ½ of ne 1-4. All in Section No. 35, Township of Paris, Kent County, state of Alichigan. Now therefore, al unknown and non-resi-

dent persons or owners and persons interest-ed in the above described lands and said townships are hereby notified, that at the time from Friday until Monday.

UNDER FUR PUBLICATION.

State of Michigan. The Probate-Court for the county of Neut. At a session of said court, head at the produce offices in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county on the 3rd day of August A. D., 1905. Present: Hon. Harry D.J. went, Judge of Probate.

in the Matter of the Estate of John Van-denbrocce Diceased Agnes J Vandenbroeck his ing field in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, it is Ordered That the 28th day of August A. U. 1905, at the o'clock in the forenoon at and provate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and

hearing said politicu; It is Further ordered That public notice interof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowert heager a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. Roy M Watkins

A true copy, liarry D. Jeweli Judge of Probate Register of Provate

state of Michigan, In. Probate Court for the Councy of Kent. At a session of said court, heid at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the 36h day of July, A. D., 1968 Present: non. Hary D. Jewell, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Bert E.

pence Decensed, Ernest spence, Orantor, andthe

Will Wood has reshingled his house. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pattison spent Friday and Saturday at the home Mrs. Danforth, widow of the late Dr. M. W. Danforth, visited old

> Mrs. A. C. Auble entertained her Rapids and her sister Mrs. Sarah son at Saranac. French of Dutton and a relative from Columbus, Ohio, last week.

Master Bryan Dragoo and elster Pauline of Fremont are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. Lillie and son Ray.

PRATT LAKE-SOUTH BOSTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rollins enter-Mr Pettinger of Jamestown spent a few days of last week with his son tained Mr. and Mrs. C. Shaffer and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunt of Saranac Sunday.

W. L. Stiles of Chicago visited at Mr. and Mrs. John Reid of South the home of Wm. Patterson the first Dakota are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Babcock.

Mrs. Jay Ellis is visiting Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bevier returned Mrs. John Ellis at Grand Ledge this home Saturday after a prolonged visit in Now York. Miss Mattle Patterson returned

Anna Collar is visiting her father E. D. Collar.

Carl and Gottlieb Roth of West Lowell visited Fred Fahrni Sunday and attended the Congregational church.

Orin McNaughton and family visit-Mrs. W. Taylor and daughters Anna and Florence of Saranac spent ed Frank McNaughton and wife re-Sunday with their daughter and sister Mrs. Will Acherson.

> An ia and Rosa Fahrni spent one day of last week at Ionia.

Miss Bessle Bevier who has been staying with her sister Mrs. Alma Greulx of Green Bay, Wis., returned and one brother Homer. to her home last week, Mrs. Gruelx

and baby coming later.

Harry Andrews of Lowell and Harold Fuller of Greenville spent Sunday with the former's sister Mrs. The fourth quarterly conference will be held at West Lowell next W. H. Draper and family.

> to fight worms' nests in the trees. It is a sight to drive along the country roads and see the beautiful trees, maple especially, with as many as ten worms' nests in them. A kerosene torch will do the business.

A large company of people spent a pleasant day at the Grange picnic on the south side of Morrison Lake Sat-Rapids. urday. The young and "old" men

of the Grange had an interesting ball game ending in 23 to 11 in favor of the "old" men. Among those from a distance were Sheriff and Mrs. E. F. Cilley of Ionia, Geo. N. Gould, wife and daughter, Miss Grace Weber and Mrs. Met Sargent of Saranac, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletcher of Lowell, Rev. and Mrs. Will Minty and child

ren of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hakes and son

Geo. of Lowell spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. Hakes' father A. P. Burr. Third annual gathering of the Se-

lect School Scholars of years ago-meet at the Grange hall Aug. 11.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Minty and children of Lansing are spending their vacation at their cottage at Morrison Lakeand with Mrs. Minty's parents Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Freeman.

Mrs. Geo. Raimer spent a few days last week in Grand Rapids.

Uith and Jennie Golds spent last nlece Mrs. Elmer Adams of Grand | week with their uncle Milton Wilkin-Mrs. Ed. Cave is somewhat recov-

ered from a severeillness. Her sister Anna Hummel of Lake Odessa is caring for her. Banch Baird, George Denton,

Hiram and Anna Staal spent Sun-Mr. F. M. Johnson, day in Grand Rapids. Dear Friend: I have been receiv.

Misses Jeanette Runyan and Mabel and Maud Cox were guests of Miss Lella Wood Sunday.

kindly remembered me." It doee Mrs. Docia Fallas of Mt. Pleasant one good to know that the dear is spending a week with Mrs. Wilbur friends in the "old Home-Town" Moon. have not forgotten us wandering

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilkinson of ones. I for one wish to thank you

Prof. Fred Cornell of Belding is expected to sing at the Keene church services next Sunday at 2:30.

Mrs. Della Kohn, who was this year. Accept best wishes from daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kenn dy and spent her girlhood in Keene, died with heart failure at her home at Otisco Friday night, aged 28 years. Funeral services were held at the home conducted by Rev. Kinyou of Orleans, and the body was brought to the Marble cemetery in Keene for burlal. Besides her mother and father she leaves her husband, Anthony Kohn Jr., one sister Carrie

Lowell Center.

Dauiel Sterling started Tuesday morning for Albuquerque, New Mex., to visit his son for an extended time. He was joined in Chicago by Law-

We hear of the townsmen having rence Sterling who will accompany him Mrs. NanStell is entertaining three

brothers during Home-Coming, fiom New York, Chicago and Grand Rap-

drive.

son.

Coming.

Mr. and Mrs. David McConnell and daughter Nora have been in Grand

Mrs. Frank Myers and little laughter Lyma of Lake Odessa are visiting the former's daughter Mary Babcock and parents Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Morse.

ids.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stowe recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Onan in West Lowell.

Rev. Richtmyer of Bowne Center visited Mr. an ! Mrs. Thos. Stowe one day last week.

Miss Hazel Kinyon visited her friend Miss Nora McConnell Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stowe attend-

ed church at Lowell Suuday. FOR SALE OR RENT-1 acre

mostly fruit, house in good repair, good situation. Inquire Ferris J. Taylor. tf

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VO OF THE BEAUTIFUL HORSE BARNS AT THE STATE FAIR DETROIT.

Kah-ge-gab-i-go (Lewis Medavis) COMING. and family of Salem, descendants of Skibegosh and Shegwabeno who formely lived in Lowell, are attend-An Old Lowellite Who Could Not Attend ing Home-Coming

> Ad im B. Fox of Ada is among the Indians attending Home-toming. It is said that he will give a characteristic Indian song Thursday.

the LEDGER for which I feel thankful FREE DANDRUFF CURE.

Money Back From M. N. Henry If Parisian Sage Does Not Cure in Two Weeks.

Saragac and Robt. Sparks and son Floyd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Golds Sunday. Can you ask for anything fairer time. I lived in Lowell township we, the Giroux Mig. Co., of Buffalo, twenty-five years and know that N.Y., American makers of Parisian Sage, aren't atraid to make this offer, when Lowell undertakes to do a' thing it's a sure go. I wish I might because we know that Parisian Sage be with you, sorry to say I cannot will make good every time.

And we'll go still further. We'll guarantee Parisian Sage to stop falling hair or itching of the scalp, or money back.

Rev. R. H. Bready, Mr. and Mrs., It removes all odors from excre-Amos- Smith Misses Pearl Keene tions of the scalp which are most and F. M. Johnson attended noticeable in summer time, and keeps a lecture by Dr. F. E. Day of the scalp cool, clean and white.

Albion at Alto Methodist church | It will make ladies' hair beautiful Tuesday evening. The young ladies fluffy and luxuriant. It is the most furnished musical entertainment and invigorating hair dressing known to received many compliments for their | mankind.

work. Dr. Day's lecture, "The "After using one bottle of Parisian Greatest Gash in Nature's Face," a Sage, I now have a better growth of description of the grand canyon of tair, and I found your hair restorer the Colorado, was well worth the pleasant to use. After the first application the dandruff disappeared.

Born-in Lowell, Monday August 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Higgins, a son. and my hair stopped falling out. I now recommend Parisian Sage to all my lady friends.."-Lottie Real, 111

Mt. Hope Ave., Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. C. B. Taylor of Traverse City Parisian Sage costs 50 cents a large and Misses Olive and Florence Archbottle at M. N. Henry's or direct by Ibald of Grand Rapids are guests of Mrs. L. C. Hildreth during Home- express, all charges prepaid, from Giroux Mig. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

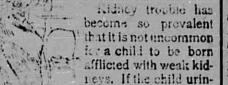


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averages and lassens ambition: beauty, vigor and cheeriulness soon disappe a when the kid-16.00 neys are cut of order or diseased. isidincy trouble has become so provalent that it is not uncommon



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should be towards the treatment of bese important organs. This unpleasant to is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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Women as Well as Men

Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

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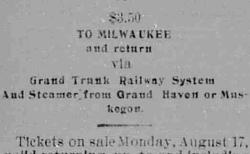
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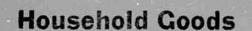
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valid returning up to and including Thursday, August 27, 1908. For fur ther particulars consult A, O. Heydlauff, Agent, Lowell, Mich.





Miss Mary Covill of Grand Rapids s visiting here.

Will Davey of Detroit is spending Home-Coming with friends here. David Flanagan was in Ionia and Saranac one day last week.

Miss Cora Godfrey of Greenville vis-Ited Miss Mamie Fletcher last week.

Miss Mabel Carey of Cadillac is spending Home-Coming with Miss Rhea Peck.

Born-in South Boston, July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conklin, a daughter.

Miss Emma Cameron of Grand Extremely low fares to Muskoka Rapids is spending Home-Coming

Raymond Barber of Benton Harand Mrs. C. W. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lamb of Newark, New Jersey are visiting at the home of Wm. Schaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. M. Treglown of Buffalo, N. Y., are here greeting old friends during Home-Coming.

Denny's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright have returned from a visit in Grand Rapids and Holland.

Born-in Vergennes, Saturday August 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown, an eight pound son.

Misses Leona and Lyda Blakeslee

are spending two weeks in Grand Rapids and Ottawa Beach. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hinyan and amily of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Towsley. Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright of Detroit spent Sunday with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Wright. Misses Buelah and Athol Meyers of Nomah, Wis., are spending Home-

here. igan.

Born-in Grand Rapids, July -, 1968, There was a row." to Dr. and Mrs. Geo. F. McCormack, a daughter. Mrs. McCormack was Miss Jessie Nease,

Mrs. George Godfrey, son Leland and daughter Miss Ora of Oakfield visited G. N. Fletcher and family over Sunday.



Author of "Wings of the Morning." "The Pillar of Light," Etc.

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CHAPTER 13 (continued)

"When poverty overtook my dear one, she so far obliterated a cruel memory as to appeal, not once, but many times, to the human coleopterus of Exmoor, but she was invariably frozen off either by Lady Louisa Morland or by Messrs, Sharpe & Smith."

"Did they admit this?"

"By no means. I am telling you the facts. I am still on top of the Pyrenees."

"Then how did you ascertain the facts?"

my mother's death the letters they man got it out and tried to open it. I wrote to her. They were fresh in my caught him in the act. I honestly bememory when you and I first met in lieve both he and the others were un-Miss Mamie Fletcher is clerking at the Clerkenwell police court. That is der the impression that I kept my dia-Dr. Towsley's office during Miss Roxy why the name of Philip Morland was monds in it." glib on my tongue."

"So I have only heard historical request from Isaacstein. As all the events-events prior to the last ten smaller diamonds have now been disyears?"

"Exactly. My uncle is now sixty years of age. Lady Louisa Morland's them might be cut into sections. They son is twenty-four. Her ladyship's are unmarketable at present." whole aim in life has been to secure him as the baronet's heir. The title, of course, he cannot obtain. But, most unfortunately, he has no penchant for beetles. Indeed, Lady Louisa's researches have long since diminished in ardor. Her son's interests are divided between the Sports club and the coryphees of the latest musical comedy. Moths are more in his line apparently. Coming with friends and relatives My uncle, who is preparing a monograph on the fleas which patronize Ex-Jesse Compsett returned Tuesday moor wild ponies, came to town last evening from a three weeks sojourn week to visit the British museum. Unamong the resorts of Northern Mich- happily he heard something about his stepson which disturbed his researches,

> "Why do you say 'unhappily?" "Because I am dragged into the wretched business on account of It. After a lapse of more than twenty-five years he remembered his sister, went anxious, to his solicitors, made a fearful hub-

sorrowful smile, "It has not been in the light for many years."

He revealed to his friend's wondering eyes the tattered suit, the slipshod boots, the ragged shirt and cap, the rusty doorkey, associated with that wonderful month of March of a decade earlier. He reverently unfolded some of his mother's garments, and his eyes were misty as he surveyed them.

But from the pocket of the portmanteau he produced a packet of soiled letters. One by one he read them aloud, though he winced at the remembrance of the agony his mother must have endured as she experienced each rebuff from Lady Morland and her husband's

solicitors. Yet he persevered to the end.

"I wanted a model for a brief communication to Messrs. Sharpe & Smith," he said bitterly. "I think the general purport of their correspondence will serve my needs admirably." As he closed the Gladstone bag his

stern mood vanished. "Do you know," he said, "that this odd looking portmanteau, always locked and always reposing in a safe, has "I have in my possession ever since puzzled my valets considerably? One

> "By the way, that reminds me of a posed of and there remain only the large stones, he thinks that some of

"Very well. Let us appoint a day next week and overhaul the entire collection. I intend to keep the big ones to form the center ornaments of a tiara, a necklace and gewgaws of that sort."

"I am glad to hear it." "My dear fellow, I suppose there will

be a Mrs. Anson some day, but I have not found her yet. "Whoe'er she be,

That not impossible she, That shall command my heart and me." And a ripple of laughter chased away the last shadows from his face.

> CHAPTER XIV. R. ABINGDON took his departure at an early hour. His excellent wife was indisposed, and her age rendered him

Philip wrote a curt letter to Sharpe

The man evidently appreciated the migratory habits of the poor too well to dream of prosecuting further inquiries among the neighbors. He strolled about, reading the names over the small shops, the corner public house,

the dressmakers' semiprivate residences.

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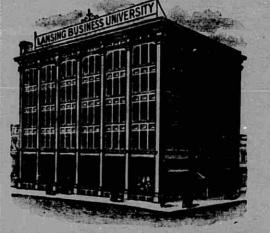
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Time Table in Effect April 25, 1908 East bound: 6.37 a m, 7.38 a. m.* chapter No. 94, O. E. S., Friday even-ing, Aug. 7. Refreshments will be served. Home-Comers who are 5.12 p. m., 8.35 p. m., 8.55 p. m.*

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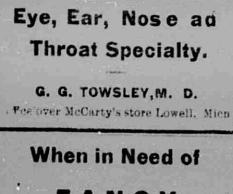
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Misses Emma and Edith Warner of Alto are visiting their aunt Miss Emily Sayles and other Lowell friends this week.

Senator Bradley of Greenville and Harry Bisbee of Jackson spent Mon- have guessed at my identity for some lay evening at the home of George | time. Now they want to make sure of Blakesiee.g Mrs. David Flanagan and daugh-

ter Miss Bertha Austin visited at Lapeer, Rochester, Washington and Detroit last week.

Miss Laura Stacey of North Branch has been spending three weeks with her uncle and agent Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Uglow.

Mr. and Mrs. Orton Hill are enter taining Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hill of Toleto, O , Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nixon of Bancroft and Mrs. S. R. Hall of Grand Ledge during Home Coming.

Mrs. Phila Clark, Miss Mattle Boulard and Miss Mary Robinson attended the Kent County W. C. T. U. picnic at Reed's Lake last Thurs-

Dr. N. C. Whitfield of Los Angeles has sent a letter of regret to the out a purpose. Do you want my ad-Home-toming committee. He was vice?" a resident of Lowell about thirty Phili years ago.

About twenty Winnebago Indians, in warpaint and feathers, from Wisconsin have a miniature Indian village on the Walker grounds north of the Pullen block.

The Library will be closed after Aug. 15 until the first of September. Anyone having books or magazines from library please return on or before that date.

admitted to the bar visited his brother Rev. Russell H. Bready a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletcher visited at the homes of Jerome Fletcher and Frank Noyes in South Boston Saturday and attended the Grange picnic at Morrison Lake.

Don't fail to see the collection of the Home-Coming time

carnival troupe of 75 people, with band, high wire and trapeze per-formers, struck town Monday morn-ing and are adding their full share to the antractions of the Home-Coming and Harvest Festival.

Dr. and Mrs. McDannell are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oliver and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. pear before me in the dock. What is Winegar and son Roger and Mr. and he--a roue, a gambler, probably a Mrs. Jas. Powers, all of Grand Rap-drunkard?"

Harmon Nash has contributed to the Home-Coming interest by dis-playing in the Post Office a collection of 104 photographs comprising all the business men and women of Lowell in 1876, which is specially interesting to old residents.

bub when he heard of letters received & Smith. He had given thought to from her and answered without his their statements, he said, and wished knowledge and ascertained that she to hold no further communication with was dead and had a son living. At any either Sir Philip Morland or his reprecost, they must find that son. They

som, intending to visit the Universities' club.

"And what did you say?"

"I told them I would think over the situation and communicate with them further."

"Were they satisfied?" "By no means. They are exceeding- by muslin dresses and flower covered ly anxious to placate the old man. hats. Men who passed in hansoms They probably control a good deal of

his money." "Um!"

their position. After playing into the hands of Lady Louisa for nearly a quarter of a century they suddenly find not rejoice in the influences of the the whole situation changed by the baronet's belated discovery that he once had a sister."

"You have not told me all this with-

Philip's face was clouded, his eyes downcast.

"You understand," he said after a long pause, "that some one, either the man or the woman-the woman, I think-is morally responsible for my mother's death. She was poor-wretchedly, horribly poor-the poverty of thin clothing and insufficient food. She was ill, confined to a miserable hovel for weary months and was so utterly un-Fred A. Bready who has just provided with the barest necessities graduated from Ann Arbor and been that the parish doctor was on the point of compelling her to go to the workhouse infirmary when death came. Am I to be the instrument of God's

vengeance on this woman?" Mr. Abingdon, who had risen to light a cigar, placed a kindly hand on the young man's shoulder.

"Philip," he said, with some emoold time photographs at the post office. Postmaster C. Guy Pery has again shown his enterprise by gath-ering the most interesting exhibit for tion, "I have never yet heard you utter a hasty judgment. You have prudence far beyond your years. It seems to me, speaking with all the reverence of a man in face of the decrees of Provi-The Bert Hoss Show Co., a street dence, that God has already provided a terrible punishment for Lady Louisa Morland. What is the name of her son?"

"I do not know. I forgot to ask."

"I have a wide experience of the jeunesse doree of London. Hardly a week passed during many years of my life that one of his type did not ap-

"All these, I gathered from the solicitors."

"And if your mother were living, what would she say to Lady Morland?"

"She would pity her from the depths of her heart. Yes, Abingdon, you are

sentatives. Call and see him. Then he ordered his private han-

It was a fine evening, one of those rare nights when blase London abandons herself for an hour to the delights of spring. The tops of omnibuses passin town. ing through Park lane were enlivened C. J. BRADISH wore evening dress without an over coat. Old earth was growing again, and if weather wise folk predicted that **EXCURSIONS** "Of course! You see the delicacy of such an unusually high temperature meant thunderstorms and showers it

> moment. Two powdered and noiseless footmen threw open the door as Philip appeared in the hall. He stood for a little while in the entrance buttoning his SUNDAY, AUG. 16 gloves. A strong electric light-he loved light--fell on him and revealed his firm face and splendidly proportioned frame.

would indeed be a poor heart that did

He cast a critical eye on a sleek horse in the shafts and smiled pleas-

"All your fault, sir," was the cheer-

"I can't pass my time in being driven about town to reduce the weight of my coachman and horses. Wale, if you don't do something desperate there will be an 'h' after the 'w' in your

lively "Kim up!" Wale got his stout steed into a remarkably fast trot.

A tall man who had been loitering and smoking beneath the trees across the road for a long time sauntered toward a tradesman's cart which was standing near the area gate of the next house while the man in charge gossiped with a kitchenmaid.

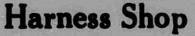
"Beg pardon!" he said to the couple. "Is that Mr. Philip Anson's place?" with an indicator, jerk of his thumb. "Yes," said the man.

"An' was that Mr. Anson himself who drove away in a private cab?" "Yes," said the girl.

"Thanks! It does one good to see a young chap like him so jolly and comfortable and provided with everything he can want in the world, eh?"

"I wish I 'ad a bit of 'is little lot," sighed the greengrocer's assistant, with Sunday Aug. 9 a side glance at the maid.

The stranger laughed harshly. "It's hard to say when ye're well off." he growled. "Up one day and



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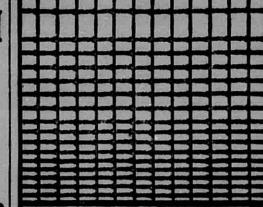
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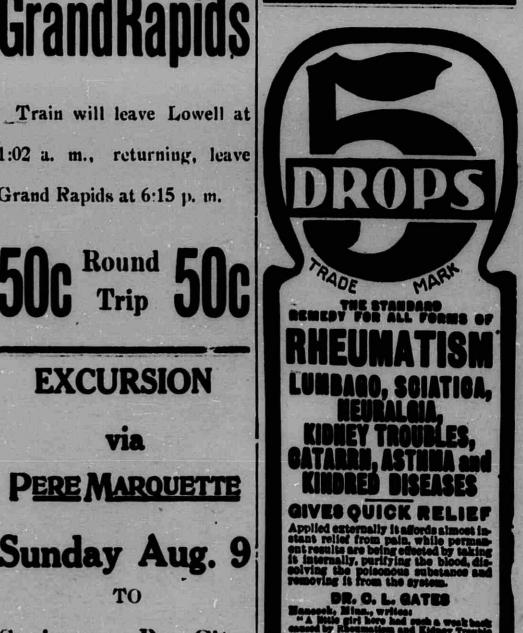
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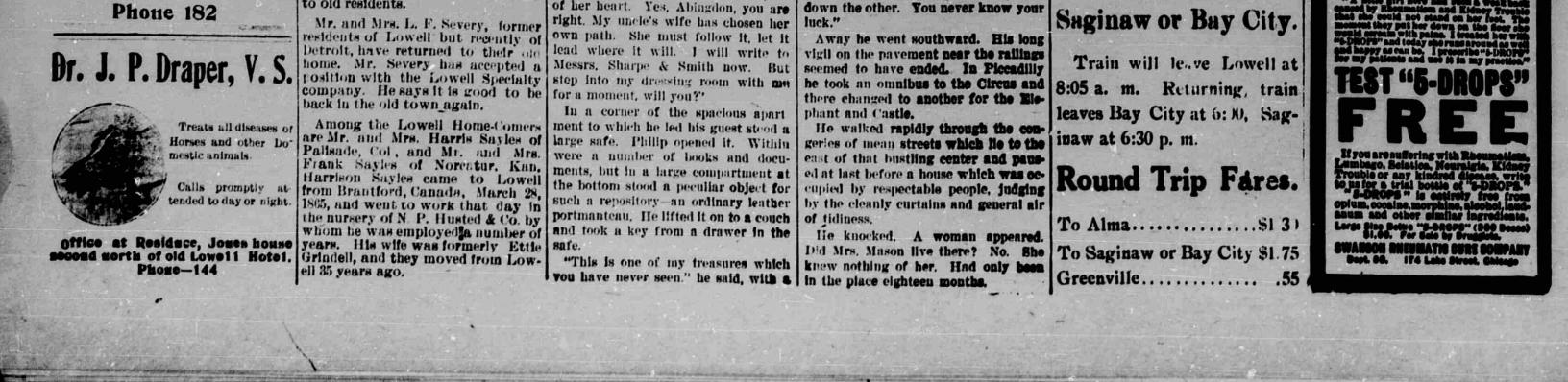




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antly at the driver. "Good gracious, Wale," he said, "your cattle are becoming as fat as yourself!" ful reply. "You don't use 'em 'arf enough."

name."

He sprang into the vehicle. With a

THE HARVEST SALE, the Annual Clearance Sale of the Summer Months will begin Saturday, August 1st. Every article in the store will be included in this Sale and will be greatly reduced in price. Regardless of the prices you may see quoted here or upon the price tickets in the store, the goods are warranted to give you complete satisfaction in all details. We never skimp quality to obtain low prices but at this season of the year it is our custom to quote low prices regardless of qualities. The opportunities afforded for exceptional savings are such that they should not be overlooked.

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August 1st

August 15th

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Remember These Prices are for Saturday, August 1st, Only.



Lord Wilfred Vincent and Archibald Terhune are introduced at the opening of the story, in England, the latter relating the tale. The pair on an outing miss their train and seeking recreation meet "the Honorable Agatha Wyckhoff."

CHAPTER I.-Continued.

This proved to be the case. As I addressed myself to her the girl rose with dignity and replied: "I am the Honorable Agatha Wyckhoff and I own these grounds. So, you see, you are trespassing."

But her tone was laughing and her expression not at all severe, so I promptly told her who we were, and we shock hands, the Honorable Agatha smiling at me somewhat the way she had smiled at Vincent, though perhaps tention to us. Instead, he jumped a trifle more appreciatively.

forgive us, won't you?"

The girl laughed, and it was a laugh that I like to hear, not the silly, re-"She'll very nearly do," I thought, "leven if she isn't more than 20."

"Forgive you?" she repeated. "Of course 1 will. I think it's great fun. place, if there are any? I'm starving." Vincent looked up and again smiled that irritating smile of his. "Don't get hot," he drawled; "it's all haired friend raised her voice in a right. The Honorable Agatha has invited us to the castle and she's telephoned for the dogcart and a wagon for mahogany stairs and welcomed us our luggage. Haven't you, Angel?" he ended, turning his handsome bronzed face to the girl, with one of his best smiles, one of the kind he reserves especially for the fair sex. I frowned. Vincent really makes

advances too quickly. 'Why didn't you say so at first?"

said, rather peevishly, as I sat down on the steps to await the dogcart which one could see already, a black speck in the distance on the winding road from the castle. The speck finally disappeared behind a clump of trees, and when it emerged and drew up at the station we saw what a stunning little turnout it was. The horse was as fine as any you'd meet on the Lady's Mile, the harness was clinking and shining with ornaments, and the cart They were all pretty, all wore evening and the groom's livery were faultless.

box seat. "Christopher," she said to stopped and Mrs. Armistead came forthe groom, "I'm going to drive. You'd ward and presented us to the three better ride back with the 'trunks.'"

Then, before I had time to interfere, Vincent leaped nimbly up to the seat beside her and I was obliged to take the rumble with Rudolph, who leaped up beside me as if to his accustomed seat. I was too anxious to get to the castle and get something to eat, however, to mind, and the Honorable

Agatha proving to be as good a whip as she was golfer, we were soon winding up the last gentle slope that led to the big building. As we drove down the long avenue another dogcart approached us rapidly, and as it came almost abreast, to my surprise I recognized the young man who was sit ting with the groom as young Murray Brancepeth. He saw us at the same moment and both dogcarts stopped. 'Hullo, Murray!" said Vincent and I together.

But he never paid the slightest atlightly from his high seat and came "We didn't mean to," said Vincent, around to the Honorable Agatha's side "and I hope you don't mind. You'll of our cart. Reaching up he caught her hand.

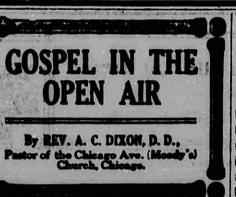
Agatha or not," he said, his dark face Mrs. Armistead, while I sat at the oth-

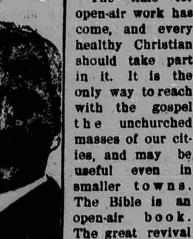


every imaginable luxury was provided. After a little interchange of pleasantries in the spacious hall our blackstentorian shout, in answer to which a brisk, elderly lady came down the cordially. She was introduced as "our aunt and chaperon, Mrs. Armistead." amid peals of laughter from the girls, although we couldn't see any joke. We then went to our rooms, which contained everything we could possibly have desired, and when we came down to dinner the footman told us that Mrs. Armistead and the young ladies were awaiting us in the drawing room. We crossed the hall, and when the heavy curtains that separated it from the huge drawing room were lifted to admit us, we saw at least 20 girls ranging in age from 18 to 23, standing or sitting around the room in attitudes of expectancy. I found out later that there were really only six of them, but, at the time, there looked to be 20. dress, and all were talking at once: The Honorable Agatha mounted the but as Vincent and I entered they

girls we had not yet seen. The first of the new three, Agatha Fourth, as Vincent and I called her later, was tall and very fair, with wonderful blue eyes and a beautiful figure. That our bewilderment and astonishment increased when she also was presented to us as the Honorable Agatha Wyckhoff may be easily understood. The next one had light-brown hair with gold lights in it and her eyes were a golden hazel. As she, too, was introduced as the Honorable Wyckhoff I bowed mechanically, as did Vincent, not daring to trust myself to utter a word or repeat the name. Then, turning from Agatha Fifth, we met the Honorable Agatha Sixth and last, and I thought she was the prettiest of all. Delicate and small she was, but every inch an aristocrat from her small charming head to her dainty little feet. Her eyes were dark brown, her complexion clear olive, and her hair straight and soft and jet black. I took to her at once, though I thought she looked rather sarcastic.

The introductions over, we went in to dinner, and such a meal as that "I don't care whether you're the real was' At one end of the table sat pressed giggle of a London debutante. flushed with the intensity of his feel- er. Agatha First sat on Mrs. Armistead's right, next to her sat Vincent, and next to him, Agatha Fourth-the tall, fair-haired beauty. I have described them at length so that it is not difficult to keep them apart. Next to her, on my left, sat the plump little girl with the blue eyes, Agatha Third. Then on my right-oh, fortunate me! sat my little lady aristocrat, Agatha Sixth, and next to her Agatha Second, her unruly brown curls somewhat subdued, and looking very fetching in a costume of nink and white. I should have thought that these girls were American had I not had reason to believe that they were English; there was that breezy simplicity and becomingness about their gowns which seems to be distinctly American. But I have omitted from my category Agatha Fifth, the Agatha of the hazel eyes. I will not now take time to do justice to her many charms, but shall do so later for reasons which will soon appear. Mrs. Armistead's secretary, who came in late and slipped into the seat at Mrs. Armistead's left, completed the number of persons at the table. She was a quiet young woman dressed in a severely simple gown of gray, and her hair, which was done very plainly, was distinctly red in color. Mrs. Armistead introduced her to us as her secretary. Miss Marsh. (TO BE CONTINUED.)





WAITING FOR A FORTUNE. Mr. Blinkey Not Worrying Over It, Not

the Least Bit, But Ready for It.

Like many another man, Mr. Blinkey is always hoping that something will turn up. He's an intelligent man and he knows perfectly well that there isn't one chance in seven hundred and eighteen thousand billion that he'll ever get a dollar that he doesn't work for and earn; and still he's always hoping and thinking that

something might happen. come, and every And so when he gets to the office healthy Christian in the morning he looks in the letter should take part box there, not really with the expectain it. It is the tion of finding a fortune, but nevertheonly way to reach less thinking that there might be with the gospel something; not disappointed if there the unchurched isn't but wishing that he might find masses of our citthere a check for a million dollars, ies, and may be. from somebody or somewhere, or nouseful even in tice of some fortune that had been smaller towns. left to him that he was now to come The Bible is an and claim.

open-air book. It's just the same when he goes The great revival home at night. He's been away all under Ezra began day, time enough for 40 things to

"Anybody leave us \$2,000,000 to-

'No," says Mrs. Blinkey, smilingly

"Half a million, maybe," says Mr.

"No, nor half a million," says

"Perhaps it was a hundred thou-

"No, nor a hundred thousand."

"Not a dollar?" says Mr. Blinkey.

"No, not even a dollar," says Mrs.

"Well, then," says Mr. Blinkey, "I

Twain Emancipated.

in the open air, as from his pulpit of happen, for 40 fortunes to come in, wood he read the Scriptures and and he knows there hasn't any come, expounded their meaning. Christ and still it is not an absolutely impreached his great sermon in the open possible thing, and so he's always air and proclaimed the gospel to kind o' boping that he'll hear some the woman by Jacob's well in the open good news when he goes home.

air. Most of his miracles and teach-He never does, he finds everything ing took place in the open air. His going along there placidly; there disciples were chosen in the open air. hasn't been any fortune sent in or The Apostle Paul was converted in brought in by Uncle Sam, and he the open air, and no wonder he beknows they'd speak of it if there had came all through life an open-air been; but sometimes he says to Mrs. preacher, proclaiming from Mars Hill Blinkey, jokingly: Jesus and the resurrection, and press-

ing into the market places where the day?" people thronged. Jesus was crucified in the open air, and from the top of Olivet he ascended in the open air. Its History.

The first mention of church houses is found in the writings of Tertullian at the end of the second century. Jus-Mrs. Btin Martyn was converted by the testimony of an old man preaching in the sand dollars. We could do with that. open air. Augustine preached to King Ethelbert of England in the open air. Wycliffe's poor priests carried on their ministry almost exclusively in the open Blinkey. air. Peter of Bruys would not preach

under a roof. Arnold of Brescia stood among the people in the open air and does this right cheerfully. But he's preached until he was thrown into a always hoping. dungeon, from which he went to a martyr's glory. Peter Waldo and the

'Poor Men of Lyons" were open-air preachers. The Franciscan, the Do-

Oxford university is not the only minican and the Cistercian monks seat of learning that has conferred an

"One million?"

"No."

Blinkey.



DESTROYS THE BRAIN.

What Dr. John D. Quackenbos Has t Bay of Absinthe and Whisky.

There is something in the wormwood from which absinthe is made

that has strange properties. It causes brain degeneration; causes the victim to commit fantastic crimes. There is a case on record of a man who was an absinthe fiend and bis mania' was to shoot any woman he saw wearing a blue dress. He attacked 37 women before be caught.

Drinking is a great provocative of brain degeneration. It makes crime more possible. It is not that the passions are inflamed or the sense of restraint is dulled-it is rather that the person under the influence is absolutely insane for the time being. Sobered up, the murderer is perfectly sane, but is he so when he loses his sense of identity, his memory, his self-consciousness? I do not think so. For the time being he has awful hallucinations. He is possessed with the desire to kill.

It is hard to believe it, but the fact is nevertheless true, so-called whisky cannot be told by the average person from the genuine distillation. We have tried it and know it to be so. Counterfeit whisky is so cleverly made now that a man does not know real whisky from the vilest poison.

There was the case the other day of hose seven foreigners who were cele guess I'll smoke my pipe," and he brating the departure of one of their friends for Europe. They went into a saloon, drank heavily of what they thought was whisky-it was, in reality, deadly poison. Five of them are dead, one is totally blind.

Dr. Lederle, formerly health commissioner, and I made experiments with





The time for

I haven't seen a new man for six weeks."

I was wondering what she meant by using the word "new" and waiting for Vincent to reply, when, instead of answering her, he suddenly pointed uver my shoulder with a look of horror. "The train," he cried, "the train!" Sure enough, when I turned I saw our train had started and, although moving slowly, was well on its way to the little town in the distance.

We were three-quarters of a mile from the tracks by this time, and of course pursuit was useless.

"Left behind," cried Vincent, dramatically, and burst out laughing.

That's just like him-he always laughs at everything. For my own part I couldn't see anything funny about it. Here we were set down in a little town that probably did not contain an inn, while our luggage traveled merrily on to Cuppstone, all because of a foolish whim of his. The girl laughed, too, so there was no use in telling him what I thought of him then.

"Well, what are we going to do?" I asked sharply.

"Do?" echoed Vincent. "Why, with her permission, we'll play a game of gold with the Honorable Agatha, and then go on to the station, whatever its name is, and take another train for Cuppstone."

"Its name is Wye," said the Honorable Agatha, "the town of Wye, and that's a very good plan. That's just what well do.'

And it was just what we did do. And word should have seen that girl play golf: By the time we had been around the 18-hole course I felt a little fatigued ---one has to keep in training to do that sort of thing at a minute's notice --but Vincent and the Honorable Azatha seemed as fresh as when we started and proposed a race to the station. I told them to run on ahead and I'd meet them later, so away they dashed, with Rudolph leaping and barking in front of them, never doubtlag that the whole thing was planned for his especial benefit.

When I reached the station at last, instead of seeing about our train or telegraphing to Cuppstone about our fate arrival, there was Vincent sitting on the luggage-truck with that girl. and, I am ashamed to say, he was holding her hand. When they spied me the girl tried to pull her hand away, but of the two, a tall, brown-eyed, brown-Wincent held on.

if it could have been anyone else. Agatha, where did you get them? I'm "Come on up here. We've been telling so tired of Brancepeth." fortunes, and Miss Agatha's hand is very interesting."

"No doubt," I answered, dryly; "but what have you done about telegraphing to Cuppstone, and what train have you plump, with fair skin and blue eyes, found we can take?'

"There isn't any train," said Vincent, as cheerfully as if he were tell. to me, but Vincent stood there, utterly ing me a bit of good news. "Only two unperturbed, bowing with that easy



AGATHA SECOND.

ing "You've got to marry me some time of my own and I'll make some more. When you're tired of this folly I'm Great Man Broke Up the Most Procoming back for you. Good-by." And he wrung her hand till the Honorable Agatha winced. Then he was gone in a rattle of gravel and dust.

said and he didn't seem to care whether we did or not. But we could hardly believe our ears. Young Murray Brancepeth, that gilded idler, declaring himself the victim of a mighty passion, and, more astounding still, bows in all directions, but no one felt induce to come within. The open-air swearing that he would make some in a position to offer any observations. money! He, who had never done any The great man, at the conclusion of in Edinburgh, has resulted in the con- off gradually. work in his life besides that necessary the ceremony, turned to his host, and version of thousands. The pastor of to bleed his rich old uncle of his living said, in tones that had often thrilled a the Somerstown church, in London, deexpenses.

about the 'real Agatha' and 'folly?' What did it all mean?

As we drove up to the castle entrance two girls of about 19 and 20. I should say, came tearing around the corner, tennis racquets in hand, and shricked aloud, evidently with surprised delight at seeing us.

"Oh, Agatha," cried the foremost faced sylph, with a profusion of wavy "That you, Archibald?" he called, as and very disorderly brown hair. "Oh,

> "Yes," cried the other one, "where did they drop from? I thought you were playing golf." She was a jolly little thing, this second one, small, but really very attractive.

This was somewhat embarrassing trains a day run through Wye from grace of his, as the Honorable Agatha port to the Museum of Natural His-

I'm not after money. I've some IN ONE TACTFUL UTTERANCE.

found Social Frost.

I was lately told a delightful story of a great statesman staying with a We couldn't help hearing what he humble and anxious host, who had invited a party of simple and unimportant people to meet the great man. The statesman came in late for dinner, and was introduced to the party: he made a series of old-fashioned er reaches more people than he can Great guns! Whylistening senate: "What very con- clares that two-thirds of his 1,000 "What was it he said," I thought, venient jugs you have in your bed- members were converted in the rooms! They pour well!" The social streets. One of the presbyteries of frost broke up; the company were de- Great Britain requires that all its lighted to find that the great man ministers shall preach several times was interested in mundane matters of during the year in the open air. Bishop a kind on which every one might be Aldheim, of the seventh century, findpermitted to have an opinion, and the ing that he could not draw the peoconversation, starting from the ple to his church, took his harp, and, humblest conveniences of daily life, standing on the corner, played sweetly melted insensibly into more liberal enough to draw the crowd and then subjects .- Arthur C. Benson, in Put- preached to them the sweeter message nam's and the Reader.

Artificial Gems.

Last year a German association caused surprise to some scientists and disbelief in others by the announce. ment that a process had been discovered by which most of the precious stones could be produced by artificial means

Recently several official experts have made an examination of about 40 of these artificial gems. In their re-

preached to the people constantly in honorary degree on Mark Twain. A the open air. In 1382 there was pre- similar tribute was paid to the famous sented to the parliament of England humorist and philosopher not so many by the clergy a complaint against years ago by a humble institution at a street preaching. John Huss, driven sleepy Missouri village that had known from his pulpit, began the Bohemian him when he was playing Tom Sawyer reformation in the open air. Luther there in real life.

preached in the open air at Zwickau It happened that the degree-conferto 25,000 people. At Gosiar a student ring ceremonies took place one lazy from Wittemberg gathered the people day in June when newspapers generalunder a lime tree and expounded to ly were suffering from a total collapse them the Scriptures, founding thus a of everything in the way of news. society known as the "Limetree Breth-One Park Row news editor raked

The Methodist Revival.

ren.

The preaching of Whitefield at Then, recalling that Mark Twain was Kingswood colliery is familiar to every getting his honorary degree that very student of the great Methodist revival. day in his native hamlet it occurred to Wesley believed that everything should him that a message direct from the be done decently and in order, and famous author might relieve the situhe first thought that preaching in the ation in the news. After much scratchopen air might bring the movement ing of the editorial idea factory he into disrepute; but when he saw the power of the gospel upon these colmitted to Mark Twain by wire: liery people he yielded and began himself to preach in the open air. When laws? Please wire answer at our ex-Whitefield left Kingswood for Lonpense. don his brethren urged him not to carry this innovation with him into characteristic response came hot over the city. He knelt down and asked the wire from Missouri: God to keep him from doing anything rash or unwise; but when he reached norance and vice. MARK TWAIN." London he could not restrain the fire that burned in his soul, and he was soon standing among the thousands at Moorsfield, preaching to them in a voice of thunder.

Better Than Policemen.

The burgomaster of The Hague is reported to have said: "One street preacher is worth ten policemen." St. Mary's church, in Whitechapel, London, has a pulpit built in the corner of the outside, from which the preachof grace. If his spirit should seize the pastors of our city churches and send them out in pleasant weather to their front doorsteps or to an adjoining vacant lot they might increase

their audiences ten-fold. It is evident that the Holy Spirit who came at Pentecost as a rushing.

mighty wind would lead us into the open air with the message of salvation for lost sinners. Yield to his drawing and let your voice be heard this summer in song and testimony in the open air.

clubmen who think they know good whisky. We placed before them the best pure whisky obtainable at Delmonico's and Sherry's together with some of the so-called whisky. They could not tell the difference.

INTEMPERANCE AND DISEASE.

Severe Indictment of Alcohol by an English Medical Man.

Additional testimony from the medthe land with a figurative fine-tooth ical profession as to the responsibility comb and got a dry haul for his pains. of alcohol in causing disease was furnished in an important address delivered recently by Dr. J. J. Fitzgerald, resident medical superintendent of Eglington asylum in Great Britain, at a meeting held under the auspices of the branch society of the C. E. Temperance organization. evolved this query, which was trans-

If alcohol were unknown, he said, half the sin and a large part of the poverty and unhappiness of the world would disappear. Alcohol taken into the stomach was, unlike most other substances, absorbed unchanged into the blood; consequently one could understand its powerful effects on brain and nerve-these delicate tissues being bathed in poison, to the effects of which they are most susceptible. Referring to the connection of alcohol with mental diseases, Dr. Fitzgerald said 20 per cent. of cases of insanity were the direct result of alcohol. Alcohol was the most common cause of mental disease. Every form of mental disease resulted from it. More suicides and homicides result from alcoholism than from all

other causes. He was safe in saying that no man induiged for ten years continuously in more alcohol than was good for him, even though he was never drunk all that time, without being psychologically changed for the worse.

ALCOHOLISM FATAL.

Children of Drunkards Are Constitutionally Weak.

Alcoholism, which is the root of so much misery, has been proved to be the cause of great infant mortality. for 50 per cent. of drunkards' children are doomed to death before they are three years old, while of those that survive a great percentage increase the ranks of the insane, the criminal and the otherwise degenerate. Still, as was pointed out by one of the speakers at the congress, alcoholism itself is not a primary cause, but is itself an effect of bad social conditions, squalid homes, poor food and continuous overstrain from too long hours of labor. Tuberculosis, which comes next on the list as the cause icans, most of whom, however, have of infant mortality, can be traced to bought sparingly this year. Pearls in the same causes as alcoholism and is Paris are now selling at a third of itself in most instances caused directly the usual price, and jewelers have by the alcoholism of the parents or

candeled their orders for furth

Breaking Off Gradually. Stern Parent-See here, Eleanor, I thought I told you to give young Snippem his walking papers? Pretty Daughter-And I did, papa. Stern Parent-But he still comes to the house.

> Pretty Daughter-Oh, he's only been here seven times this week, papa. Stern Parent-Only seven times!

"How does it feel to be a doctor of

After a wait of several hours this

"It feels like emancipation from ig-

Pretty Daughter-Now don't be mission, known as Carubber's Close, harsh, papa. He is trying to break

Old-Time Flying Machine.

Thomas Walker, portrait painter, published at Hull, England, in 1810, A Treatise Upon the Art of Flying by Mechanical Means." Walker constructed a flying machine based upon his studies of the flight of birds. It was a boat-shaped contrivance, with a long, projecting beak, also a long tail behing, and a pair of wings worked by levers controlled by the hands of the sitter. If this machine was ever act ually tried no records of results are now tractable.

Few Are Buying Pearls.

The pearl trade of Bombay has de-

preciated in value in the last season. It is there that the pearls are finally collected by the jewel merchants. Most of them are sent to Paris, and many are purchased there by wealthy Amer-

London, and ours was the last. Any- way, your friend, the guard, thought we ought to get off here and put off all our luggage." I looked around in consternation and there were our boxes, all piled neatly at the far end of the platform. "For goodness' sake, Wilfred"I call him Wilfred when I am angry1 said, turning on Vincent, who was again busy telling fortunes"do take iscene interest. What are we going to "No! I sn't there a station master here who can tell us about the ines of this	 can only call the artificial rubies a direct success, but the imitation of this species is no new invention. We therefore declare that there is nothing new or sensational in the new invention." A Defense. "Most of the zirs people put on about the benefits of foreign travel are all a bluff." "Yes. But you've got to travel yourself in order to be able to 	missions should organize for an open- air evangelistic campaign covering Chicago this summer, might we not preach the gospel to every person in this great city? Government Helps Farmers. The government of India has appro- priated over \$1,000,000 for use in the United Provinces in the way of foans to farmers to enable them to sink wells and improve embankments for ir-	Parting of the Ways. A few more ticks of the clock and they were due to part forever. "You have b-broken my h-heart," sobbed the summer girl. "And you," rejoined the young man who was scheduled to resume his po- sition behind the ribbon counter on the moreow "have broken my week	women to feed their own children has also been laid partly at the door of al- coholism. It has been statistically proved that the daughter of an alco- holist father generally misses this faculty altogether. Since the sixteenth century, when artificial feeding was first introduced into Europe, natural alimentation has been gradually dis
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WAS TOO MUCH FOR PAPA.

Childish Questions Were Becoming Entirely Too Personal.

There is a member of the faculty of George Washington university, who, to use the words of a colleague, "is as rotund physically as he is profound metaphysically," says the Philadelphia Ledger.

One day the professor chanced to has a number, all of whom were, to seled head above its fellows. his astonishment, engaged in an earnest-discussion of the meaning of the word "absolute."

"Dad," queried one of the youngsters, "can a man be absolutely good?" "No.

"Dad," put in another youngster, "can a man be absolutely bad?" "No."

"Papa," ventured the third child, girl, "can a man be absolutely fat?" Whereupon the father fled incontinently.

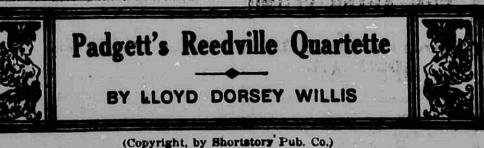


The Hunter-Ain't it a shame, Fido? It says here dat mountain lions are rapidly becoming extinct. I bet we'll never get a chanst to shoot a single

IT SEEMED INCURABLE

Body Raw with Eczema-Discharged from Hospitals as Hopeless-Cutlcura Remedies Cured Him.

"From the age of three months until fifteen years old, my son Owen's life was made intolerable by eczema in its worst form. In spite of treatments the disease gradually spread until nearly every part of his body was quite raw. He used to tear himself dreadfully in his sleep and the agony he went through is quite beyond words. The regimental doctor pronounced the case hopeless. We had him in hospitals his life, but had become too old for shuffling of feet which precedes apfour times and he was pronounced one of the worst cases ever admitted. From each he was discharged as incurable. We kept trying remedy Remedies. The result was truly marvelous and to-day he is perfectly cured. Mrs. Lily Hedge, Camblewell Green, England, Jan. 12, 1907."



Ghostly mists had begun to swing | closing what looked like a section of lazily across the marsh, touching, here marsh, framed in by the three walls come upon his children, of which he and there a reed which reared its tas-

> As though it were vespers signal for the marsh frogs, a rambling chapt reeds and grass. slowly gathered volume. It swelled

into a chorus and soon swallowed all other noises of the night in a grand wave of sound which reverberated back and forth between the black forests, circling like giant soundingboards upon either side of the marsh.

single voice, deep and rolling, left the jost the lights. others and sounded several sonorous notes, as though leading the chant.

The old resident had been listening darkness. for that. He laid his hand suddenly upon the visitor's shoulder and whispered eagerly: "You heard it?" His companion nodded.

quartette," said the old resident, as viol echoing through the hall." he rested his arms upon the top rail corner of his mouth.

the basso, out there.

'Padgett's Reedville Quartette'? Why, man, the fame of that little band who haven't heard it sing.

"When old Abe Padgett came from brought with him about the most com- fore, blended pleasingly to the ear. plete menagerie that was ever seen about these parts. His monkey was educated better than some of the folks awed silence, sat with open mouths, who laughed at it, and the parrots drinking in the sounds which came uncould say about anything they wanted interruptedly from the direction of the to. There was a ciphering pig and two stage. white rats that could play on the pianner-a real little one, you know, about as big as a harmonica.

"Padgett had a mania for training animals, and the more difficult they were to handle the better he liked it. He had been with a circus most all the last notes died away there was the

of the stage. Water could be seen at the base of the reeds, shimmering in the lamplight. A faint evening breeze drifted in and stirred the tops of the

"A thrill of surprise swept through the assemblage. What was this? Where were the musicians? Could they be hiding in the grasses?

"Padgett did not give them chance to wonder long. Stepping to the front The sound waves rose and fell like the of the stage, a large bass viol beneath breathing of surf. Once, in a lull, a his arm, he signaled Ed Mills to put

"'Do not be frightened," he said, as the audience stirred uneastly at the

"A hush fell upon the gathering. "Through the open windows came indistinctly the ceaseless chorus from the marsh. Suddenly Padgett sent a "That's the last of the 'Reedville rumbling, long-drawn note from the

"As if in answer, a deep bass 'pudof the little causeway, and settled his er-unk' sprang into life from the bosom pipestem comfortably in the drooping of the miniature marsh upon the stage. Another voice, somewhat higher, took "I know his voice all right. I'd up the note and carried it on a rising

know it in a thousand. That's Bill, scale to another and yet another. The last was a metallic, though recogniz-"You surely must have heard of able, imitation of the tenor.

"Again Padgett drew his bow and softly drifted into the strains of 'I spread for miles around and there's Want to be an Angel.' With increasfew in this part of the eastern shore ing volume, the voices in the reeds followed the familiar tune. They were harmonious and, though not exactly down east to live in Reedville, he like anything ever heard on a stage be-

'Frogs!' they whispered. And then, in

"After the first few bars, it was noticed that the straggling chorus from the marsh outside dwindled into a few spasmodic croaks and finally ceased. "Not a sound could be heard except the insistent strains of the hymn. As

WHY HE WAS WORRIED.

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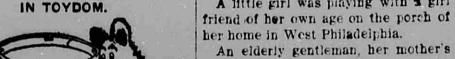
OLE MIS' MOON WITH THEM.

No Chance of the Visitors Being Homesick in the City.

Mme. Fairfax was wont to stand on the porch of her old Virginia home and rejoice on moonlight nights in the beauty, says the Youth's Companion. Street, Athens, Ga., says: "Kidney "There's my moon," she would say, as it rose from behind the eastern hills. "Look, Dahlia, see how beautiful it is," and her tiny colored maid, who was ever at hand with shawl or fan for her beloved mistress, would answer, enthusiastically: "Your moon certainly do look pow'ful handsome to-night."

When Mme. Fairfax journeyed to the city to visit her son, Dahlia, look-"Then the audience was spell-bound. ing out of the window with wondering eyes on the first evening of her life away from home, exclaimed, in a voice of mingled astonishment and relief: "Well, I declar' to goodness, if ole Mis' Moon ain't done come along to life."

Washington wif me an ole mis'! We can't be homesick nohow, wif ole Mis' Moon shining on us."



to Good Man.

"Why," asked the good man's wife, are you so thoughtful? You look as if something disagreeable had happened. "Perhaps," he replied, "I am foolish to feel as I do about it. My congregation has raised a purse for the

purpose of sending me to Europe." "And are you sorry it isn't large enough to enable you to take me with you? Don't let that cause you to feel depressed. It will be very lonely here without you, but I know you need the rest, and I shall be very sensible. I can spend the summer at some quiet, inexpensive place, cheered to my joy I began to improve with the by the thought that you will return first bottle. After taking six bottles I

refreshed in mind and body." "It is very good of you to look at it in that way, my dear. I appreciate your feeling. But the gentleman who made the presentation speech said he was sorry the amount that had been raised was not larger so that I might be able to remain away longer, and somehow it seemed to me that applause was more hearty at that point than anywhere else in the course of

his remarks."-Chicago Record-Herald.

SAVED AT THE CRISIS.

Meant Death from Kidney Delay Troubles.

Mrc. Herman Smith, 901 Broad disease started with

slight irregularity and weakness and developed into dangerous dropsy. I Lecame weak and languid, and could do no housework. My back ached terribly. I had bearing down pains and my limbs

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An elderly gentleman, her mother's

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Pe-ru-na Did Wonders.

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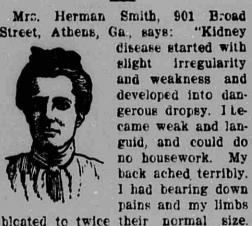
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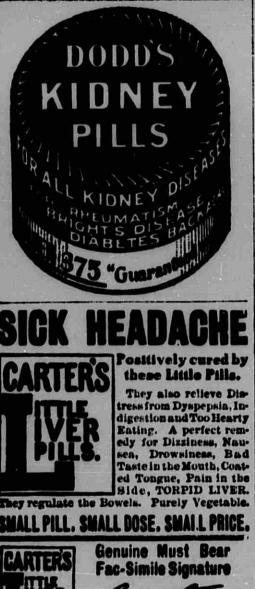
His Mark. Hewitt--Gruet can't write his own of Padgett's friends. name.

Jewett-I know it: whenever he sees a man showing another man how to make a cross on an Australian ballot he thinks he is forging his signature.

Waste not the remnant of thy life In those imaginings touching other folk, whereby thou contributest not to the common weal.-Marcus Aurelius.

If Your Foet Ache or Burn e package of Allen's Foot-Kase. It gives lief. Two million packages sold yearly.

Even a drunken man doesn't care to be held up by a footpad.





off the coil.

ago we purchased a set of Cuticura light at the end of the marsh. They

didn't take any shine to them at all. and swallow them. "It was while Padgett was listening

drop in, a lusty halloo would bring "Well, Padgett's fame was made, in a bunk. 'Are ye dead?' says I. 'No,' going to start a frog farm.

"Along in the middle of the summer usually drowned out by the melodious chorus from Padgett's.

"Ray Slocum, the miller's son, sprang day by saying that he had been up by Padgett's the evening before and had heard a band playing somewhere around there, and had seen the old man jumping around the yard waving his arms like mad, but saying not a word. Someone suggested that the place was haunted and that its proprietor was out of his head.

"Curiosity began to get keyed up pretty high when one morning Padgett marched up to the postoffice and asked for his mail. He hadn't been there since the ciphering pig died. There was quite a number of letters, but Padgett paid little attention to them. shoved them carelessly down in the tail of his coat and said to Perkins, the postmaster: 'I would like to rent your hall for next Saturday night, as I want to give a concert there which will kinder shake up Reedville a bit,

I reckon, the idee being new an' origial.' "Perking and he fixed it up between

the road, and had come to Reedville plause. Padgett neatly checked the to wait around until time to shuffle threatening noise by suddenly swinging into 'Maryland, My Maryland,' with

"Well, Padgett and his animal family his four-voiced choir following, so to after remedy, but had gotten almost settled down at the old Rutherford speak, at his heels. Again the awed past hoping for a cure. Six months place, over there where you see that silence. Without pause, tune after tune was rendered. The singers seemed to lived happily for a while, and then dis- be carried away with a sort of profesaster overtook them. The climate, or sional enthusiasm. Along toward the maybe the malaria, proved too much end of 'Baby Mine' (the singing had for the menagerie, and one by one a lasted an hour now) the baritone's little row of graves over on the brow voice broke a little. At the end of the of that hill marked the resting place bar, Padgett ran his fingers half-way down the strings and gave a sudden, "The old man was all broken up by fierce lunge to his bow. The viol

his loss. The neighbors offered him screeched wildly, discordantly. The other pets-cats and dogs; but he singers seemed to bite their notes off

"There were four quick plunges into the marsh chorus one evening that to the water, and little waves lapped he suddenly conceived an idea. He over the tank to the stage. The lights called it an inspiration, and began to were on, as if by magic, and a wild perk up right away. After this he cheer went up. The old hall shook was away from home more than ever. from end to end, and seemed ready to When occasionally a visitor would tumble down with the strain.

Padgett splashing from the marsh, From that time on he was looked up- says he, 'but I'm pretty near dead.' So muddy and wet from head to foot, but on as the cutest man about these parts. I buried him."--The Wasp. looking as happy as a 12-year-old For miles around, the countrymen school boy on Friday evening. He al- would drive over to hear the frog-quarways carried a net and a closed basket tette sing. They would only perform neighbors wanted to know if he was Mostly on Sunday evenings there she could get a pair of . cissors. One it was noticed that all of the best frog man would tell his visitors how he every curl from the back of his head. music was over on Padgett's shore. labored for weeks in the marsh, select-There was still some musical croaking ing just the right voices for his little age, she said: at other parts of the marsh, but it band; how he had been disappointed sounded weaker than before, and was time and again, and had tried out at curls off?" least a thousand frogs before he had been suited. His greatest trouble, he said, was in teaching the frogs the a sensation about the postoffice one theory of music, and when they should chime in to fill up the notes required of them.

> "The quartette was as healthy a looking bunch of frogs as I ever saw, but one of them. Tim, the tenor, died suddenly one day late in the summer I think he swallowed a young water snake and it poisoned him. The blow almost broke Padgett's heart, and affected the other members of the band some too, I guess.

"The other three still performed at times, but it was hard to get in all the fine notes without Tim. They were ambitious, Sam. the second tenor. more than any, and it proved his undoing. One night, in trying to scale a high note which before had been car- life. ried off easily by Tim, something in Sam's throat snapped. He was so cut up about the loss of his voice that he hopped away one night and joined his family in the marsh "Ben, the baritone, and Bill, the bas-

them, and Padgett billed the town that so, quarreled, and never again could same afternoon. The posters were be induced to sing together, so they at first, but when it was made right female trouble should take Lydia E short, home made and to the point. were turned loose. Ben sang alone -boiled until dark and rich-1 soon Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." As near as I can remember, they stat. for a while over at the far end of became very fond of it.



Billy Block-A Teddy bear! And here I've went and shot me last stone at a canary bird! Drat the luck!

Near Dead.

The ship doctor of an English liner notified the deathwatch steward, an Irishman, that a man had died in stateroom 45. The usual instructions to bury the body were given. Some hours later the doctor peeked into the room and found that the body was still there. He called the Irishman's attention to the matter, and the latter

replied: "I thought you said room 26. 1 wint to that room and noticed wan of thim

How it Was Done.

Three-year-old May had a penchant during his prowls, and some of his at night, when everything was quiet. for cutting everything in sight, when would be a special concert at Pad- day, being left alone with her curly gett's. With pardonable pride, the old headed baby brother, she promptly cut When the nurse discovered the dam

"Oh! May, how dare you cut baby's

"He cut them hisself." "How did he reach the back of his head?"

"He stood on the stool"

WONDERED WHY Found the Answer Was "Coffee."

Many pale, sickly persons wonder for years why they have to suffer so, and eventually discover that the drug -caffeine-in coffee is the main cause of the trouble.

"I was always very fond of coffee and drank it every day. I never had much flesh and often wondered why I was always so pale, thin and weak. "About five years ago my health completely broke down and I was confined to my bed. My stomach was in such condition that I could hardly take sufficient nourishment to sustain

"During this time I was drinking dreaded it almost as much as death. coffee, didn't think I could do without it.

"After awhile I came to the conclusion that coffee was hurting me. and decided to give it up and try Postum. I didn't like the taste of it

"In one week I began to feel better.

father, and an elderly lady, her la ther's mother, were sitting on the porch talking pleasantly with each other. The little girl had often wished her grandparents were of the same name, like other children's grandparents.

Presently the little guest remarked: What a nice grandmother and grandfather you have."

"Oh, yes," she said, with a sigh, "but they don't match."

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CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it



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This woman says she was saved from an operation by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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"I suffered untold misery from female troubles. My doctor said an operation was the only chance I had, and I

"One day I read how other women had been cured by Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I decided to try it. Before I had taken the first bottle I was better, and now I am entirely cared.

"Every woman suffering with any

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

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Pure, ripe fruit and pure sugar in equal parts, cooked just right and timed to the second, in Libby's Great White Kitchcn, is the secret of the extreme superiority of Libby's Preserves. There's none as good at any price. Grocers and delicatessen stores carry all of Libby's Food Pro-ducts. They are warranted the best to both you and the dealer Write for free booklet - How to Make Good Things to Eat. Insist on Libby's af your dealer's. Libby, McNettl & Libby. Chicago.



As well as for the preservation and purification of the skin no other skin soap so pure, so sweet, so speedily effective as Cuticura. For eczemas, rashes, inflammations, chafings, sunburn, wind irritations, bites and stings of insects, lameness and soreness incidental to outdoor sports, for the care

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GRAND RAPIDS

Heard About Town.

Dr. White, dentist, 'phone 151 Miss Mary Scott spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

LeRoy Stewart of Lake Odessa was in town Saturday.

Be sure and visit the Indian Village opposite Jones' livery.

Bert Quick Jr. of Grand Rapids is here to spend this week.

Gaylord Hoskins of Grand Rapids visited friends here Sunday.

Hugh Nigh of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Miss Rhea Peck.

Worthy Willard and family expect to move to Ionia next Monday.

Grind your feed and change your wheat for flour at Alton mills. 1w.

Mrs. Adelaide Morse of Grand Rapids has been visiting Mrs. Benj. Morse.

Milton Koon of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Shella Monks here.

Clayton Gunn has had a broad Greene. new porch built on the west side of his house.

Mrs. Stella Bell of Milwaukeels visiting at the home of her uncle Benj. Morse.

Mrs. L. E. Culp and two children visited in Grand Rapids several days last week.

B. E. Quick and family of Grand Rapids are visiting Mrs. Ruben Quick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jury of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jury of St. Paul Minn., are spending a week with the former's parents here.

Harry Harris of St. Louis is spending Home-Coming with his friend Geo. Layman.

Miss Lula Hill and Dr. H. C. Johnson of Chicago visited Miss Pearl Keene last Wednesday.

Frank Randall is making some marked improvements in his home including a new porch.

Misses Mattle and Bertha Middleton of Berlin spent Sunday with their aunt Mrs. S. O. Littlefield.

Glen C. Conklin of Hersey has joined his parents here and will work as assistant book-keeper for the Art eral of Chas. Cowles at Smyrna Furniture Co.

Mrs. S. O. Littlefield entertained her grandnieces Katherine and Mar- visited Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Eaton Indian Village. jorie Vogeleson of Chicago several days last week.

Miss Reva Owen of Normal, Ill., is spending two weeks with Mrs. Cora at Delton. Chase, Mrs. I. Mitchell and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Quick and son Edgar of Grand Rapids are here to

Rollen Mack of Lansing is in town. Matt Connelly of Belding is in town. Willis Eggleston of Detroit is visit-

ing Lowell friends. Ralph Kenyon of Freeport is visiting Miss Winnie Leary.

Dewey Hogan of Grand Rapids is visiting relatives here.

Gus Martin of Muskegon is spending Home-Coming here. Miss Hazel Wooden of Belding is

visiting Miss Ella Perrin. Miss Irma Flanagan of Grand Rap-

ids is visiting Miss Freda Ecker. Mrs. Orris Shackelton of Grand

Rapids is visiting friends here. Miss Minnie Meek is spending sev-

eral days at her home at Sparta. Miss Lulu Prevost of Big Rapids is

visiting her cousin Miss Cora Parrott. Ray Wilson of Greenville is spend ing Home-Coming with friends here.

Mrs. J. Stander of Grand Rapids spent Tuesday with Mrs. M. (

iting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Denny.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sprowl re- sing and Hamburg. turned Wednesday to their home in Port Huron.

Reuben Edelmann of Grand Rapids | the Home-Comers. is spending a few days with his parents here.

Frank Tredenick of Grand Rapids Coming with friends lere. is visiting his mother Mrs. Geo. W. Rouse.

Mrs. J. D. Harvey of Grand Rapids is visiting her sister Mrs. Hannah

ohuson. Mrs. A. Talbot and son Frank are spending Home Coming at the home

of J E. Tinkler. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodcock of relatives.

Mrs. C F. Jenison of Grand Rapids Mrs. W. A. Monks.

Miss Berniece Ecker returned Tues day after attending a house party at Watervliet.

Helen Andrews of Moseley is spending several days with Ruth Home-Comers. Johnson.

Mrs. S. M. Carr attended the fun-Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott of Fremont Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Aldrich have returned from a visit with relatives are visiting at the homes of James Mrs. Justice Wright and daughter rie Avery.

Ethel of Grand Rapids are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morse of Ches- five years ago, are spending Home-

F. W. Hinyan and family of Grand Rapids are here. See the real Indian war dance at

the Indian Village. Mrs. John Fox and Mrs. George Hauer were in town today.

Mrs. J. A. Burr of Grand Rapids is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burr. Miss Clara Coleman of Grand Rapids is spending the week in Lowell. Mrs. Norton and Eugene H. Cam- and second, when a chain of errors beil of Grass Lake are in town this gave the visitors four runs. This week.

F.T. Mason of Ionia has been spending a day with his mother and pitching and finally the boys checked sister here.

Frances Leonard has returned from two weeks' visit with friends in Grand Rapids.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Quick of Grand Rapids have been attending Home-Coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hall of Martin are visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Beckey.

Mrs. Carrie Brakeman of Muskegon is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mrs. E. E. Sayles of Baldwin is vis- Hoffman during Home-Coming. Mrs. Helen Avery has returned

from a visit with relatives at Lan-

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Husted and laughter Colleen of Hart are among

Mrs. Jas. McGee and son Will of Grand Rapids are spending Home-

Irwin Fox of Port Huron is visitng his many schoolmates and camping on "Jacobi's Island."

Lowell Lodge No. 115 I. O. O. F. will have initiatory work on Thursday evening, August 13. Full attend- and it is not likely the locals will visance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ball and two laughters Bessie and Bernice of Grand Rapids are visiting Lowell Mason are guests of Miss Cassie Av-

TV. Misses Stella and Eccilda Cheyne is the guest of her parents Mr. and of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of F. R. Ecker during Home-

Coming. George Dudridge of Six Lakes, a former resident of Fallasburg, who defeated the Specialty Co Thomas came there 58 years ago is one of the

Samuel Boroughf of Grand Ledge visited his daughters Mrs N. V. Warner and Mrs. K. S. Rickert in Keene the past week.

Little Bear, the old chief, at the

Mr. and Mrs Horace Smith and daughter Louise of Grand Rapids Scott, S. O. Littlefield and Miss Car-

Irs. C. E. Ciark and other friends.

Charles S. Cowles died Saturday

at his home near Smyrna and was

Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Russell H

Blue Sky, the four year old papoose,

sius, etc., at the Indian Village.

A ball game between the teams of

morning resulted in a score of 15 to

Alvin Hesse of Owosso is visiting

SETEODIST.

Sunday August .9, Home-Coming

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E Morris of Plainwell, residents of Lowell thirtyWIN AFTER SLUMP

Locals Do Badly at First But Come From Rear in Eighth.

The Ionia youngsters gave Morse's men quite a scare Friday, when they held the lead until the last section. The whole thing started in the first seemed to take the heart out of the locals and misplays were numerous. But Jim McMahon kept right on up and played ball. Conklin for the opponents was a puzzle for awhile, but finally the Timber-wolves solved his twisters and drove them to the

woods. Ocker and Maher each picked out a home run, but Shuter was the star bat artist of the day, getting a triple, double and single out of four times up Haskins umpired.

Batteries: Lowell, McMahon and Maher. Ionia: Conklin and Wilder.

Score by innings: 123456789 Ionia-1 3 2 0 3 0 0 0 0-9 Lowell-0 2 3 2 0 0 2 2 *-11

RETURNED WITH LIVES.

The team went to Freeport Saturday and the men wer- very glad to get home again. After repeated row decisions, Pardee forfelted the game to Freeport in the second inning, upon Blume's protest. The score then stood 2 and 1 in favor of Lowell The team was practically driven from the field, and hooted by the crowd from the grounds to the ho tel. Such conduct kills base-ball, It this out lying region for some time

HOME-COMERS WIN.

to come.

A little high-grade vaudeville was pulled off on the ball-grounds Tuesday when the Home-Comers team swamped the Specialty Co. by a score of 53 to 10. Mills, Oliver, and Fuller featured for the winners. In the forenoon the High school also

umpired. -G E. L. Sleepy Hollow-Bowne.

Misses Evelyn and Sadie McCullough left Tuesday for a trip to Niagara Falls.

Little Hazel Cudney of Grand Raplds is visiting her uncle and aunt Mr, and Mrs. Duncan Parks.

Parrell Buros who has been suffering from blood poisoning is improving.

Scott Lowe and family and Mrs. Eliza Lowe of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of John Porritt Sr. Alvin Bergy and Miss Ada Boul-

BARN AND OTHER BUILDINGS BURNED.

Fire destroyed a large barn be-longing to John Simpson of West

hay and oats, two valuable horses and farming machinery. The corncrib and granary were also burned. having just purchased and moved to the farm, and had not arranged the insurance permanently. The origin of the fire is a mystery. The flumes burst forth suddenly and progressed rapidly on account of the extreme dryness of the buildings, in spite of desperate efforts to save the property.

FOR SORE FEET.

"I have found Bucklen's Arnica Salve to be the proper thing to use for sore feet, as well as for healing burn , sores, cuts, and all manner of abrasions," writes Mr. W. Stone, of East Poland, Maine. It is the proper thing too for piles. 'Try it! Sold under guarantee at D. G. Look's drug store. 25c.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Kent. At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rap-ids, in said county on the 3rd day of August A. D. 1908. Present: Hon. Harry D. Jewell Judge of Probate.

of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Adelia Kerr. Deceased, Orlando J. Odell having filed in said court his petition praying that a certain instru-ment in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person. It is Ordered. That the 28 day of August A. D., 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said pro-bate office be and is hereby appointed for hear-ing said petition;

ing said petition: It is further Ordered, That public notice there-of be given by publication of a copy of this ord-er for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Lowell Ledger a news-

Paper printed and circulated in said county. Roy M. Watkins, Harry D. Jewell, Register of Probate Judge of Probate.



LOWELL WEEKLY MARKET REPORT. Corrected Aug. 5, 1908.

Oats Rye66 ing was only \$600 as Mr. Simpson, | Bran per ton 27 00 Baled hay 13 00 Eggs. Butter 10......18-20 Potatoes, new...... 1 00 Clover seed per bu.....14 50 Beef dressed......6 00-6 50 Lambs live......4 00-5 00 Pork dressed-8 00 Fowls dressed...... 9-10 Hides -51/2

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spend Home-Coming with Lowell terfield are visiting relatives here for Coming days here a few days. relatives.

Mrs. Carl Speaker and little daugh- Miss Irene Moye of Vergennes is L. A. Welton and daughter Virginia and father of Hastings at the home | Mrs. Maggie Ryder. of Geo. Speaker.

and the Agricultural college will be A. Monks this week. run during the week beginning Aug-1 nst 24.

Mrs. Milo Johnson and son Carl Monday for the week. and Mrs. Gilford Johnson and son Clinton were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Misses Freda Ecker, Glennis Young and Kathryn Lally return from Kalamazoo tomorrow where they have parents Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Gehrer. been attending summer school.

No better flour for the money, Pearl brand, for sale by Flynn & Nerreter, C. H. Alexander, G. W. Bangs. 1w

Misses Marguerite Walsh, Bertha Bergin and Winnie White return from Ypsilanti today where they have been attending summer school.

Mrs. George Willard and daughter June of Grand Rapids visited at the home of Worthy Willard last Thurs- Ray Cornell, C. Kirkbridge, Charles introduction in the teams are now even, and the teams are now even are now e day and Friday.

The Home-Coming committe has received letters of regret from F. T. Mason, I. A. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barber. The last two of Houston, Texas, were about to start with their daughter Vera for Los investment, not an expense. The "Natural Plant Food." The kind Angeles.

and son, of Hazelhurst, Mississippi, are here for the Home Coming. Mr. the crop and soll. We have brands Fullington has been away from Lowell for thirty years and his wife is a Southern woman. This is the latter's first visit to Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cogswell returned Friday from a five days' visit in Jackson and Hudson. They were accompanied by their daughters firmly believes he owes his life to use Chas. Nease of Grand Rapids. Sun-Mrs. Hugh MacKenzie of Manistee of Dr. King's New Discovery. His day school at noon, 7:30 p. m. sacred and Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Rap- lungs were so severely affected that concert. Ids.

rear platform of the Pere Marquette | We tried it, and its use has restored lows: Eimdale at 7.35, a. m., Lowell at 7.50, Moseley at 8.03, and Smyrna at 8.10. He is a candidate for gov-colds it has no equal. The first dose ernor and doesn't care who knows gives relief. Try it! Sold under guar-it and promises "a twenty minute antee at D. G. Look's drug store. speech in two minutes.'

ter of Fennville joined their husband spending a few days with her aunt of Detroit are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Klekland and daughter

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hine and daughter Marion and Charles Hine The annual excursion to Lansing Helen of Crystal are visiting Mrs. W. of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Ella Hine of Fenton are here during Home-Robert Marsh, wife and two daughters of Omaha, Neb., came Country

Miss Lila Lawrence is entertaining her friend Miss Helen Winter of burled from Smyrna Baptist church Freenville this week.

Bready officiating, under Masonic Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gramer of Wauauspices. Obituary will be published kegan, Ill., are visiting the latter's next week.

LOST-LADIES' WATCH CHAIN the youngest Indian dancer in the with guard set with pearl and gar- world, 1000 pieces rare old bead work, nets, on ballground Saturday. Re- tomahawks, war cluos, peace pipes, turn to W. A. Monks, phone 251 and medicine bags, belts, canoes, moccareceive reward.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reams and little son of Bangor visited Mr. and the Lowell Specialty company and Mrs. L. E. Culp last Thursday and and the Lowell Cutter company Sriday.

14 in favor of the cutter-makers. Unclaimed letters at post office for Smith, Packages Chas. F. Wooding the first game, July 25 Chas. E. Wooding, Ladies, Miss Dora Austin, Mrs. J. Blakeslee, Mrs. Bert | The right kind of economy infarm-Hoss, Miss Eddie Lite, Miss M. A. ing is increasing the Fertility of the Robbins (2), Miss Lula Southwick, soil. Improving the growing conditions and get better yields for the

Applying Armour Fertilizers is an same money. Use Armour Fertilizers ngeles. Mr. and Mrs. Anson Fullington pay for the Fertilizer, not counting back more. Sold by F. J. Morse, the improvement in the quality of Lowell. for all crops and solls. Sold by F J. Miss Rennie Alexander.

Why James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8 She Sunday, 10:30 a. m. public worship writes: "My husband, James Lee,

consumption seemed inevitable, when Good Roads Earl will speak from a idend recommened New Discovery. train on Thursday August 6 as fol- him to perfect health." Dr. Klag's

50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free

ard spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. John Nash Mrs. Allie Althen and Mr. and Mrs.

> at this place Friday. Joe Porritt and family Mrs. Lynch

> > CONGREGATIONAL

at the home of J. W. Porritt.

Every home-comer who remains over next Sunday is invited to be present at the services of Congregational church. If this was your

home church in former years come again. The subjects will interest you. For the morning: "Our Future Home." This will be a sermon that will treat of eternal reunions. There is a preparation going on all the time for this true home-coming. Let none of the friends or members miss this. Noon bible class: "Daniel and Goliah." Evening service: "Confidence in self versus confidence in God, or Every man is himself not another." There is an individuality inseparable from the highest and best results in every department of life. Wednesday night bible class subject: "The two natures in the Believer." This lesson will help you to understand yourself. Be sure and

BAPTIST.

come .

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "Bible Christianity." Sunday preaching services at 10:30 a, m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject will be "Good Roads," which will be a discourse befitting the Home Coming Sunday; a comparison of the spiritual beliefs and life of the past with those of the present. In the evening the subject will be "The Final Home-Coming." At the close of the evening sermon, there will be a short conference season, in which former members and friends visiting with us will be invited to make remarks. Sunday school at 12 m.

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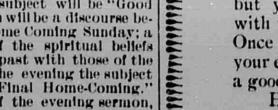
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In order to introduce the package goods put up by The National Biscuit Co., we are going to hold a special sale the week of Home Coming.

Following is a list of some of the goods "Try before you buy."

Festino Nableco Sugar Clusters Cheese Sandwich **Cocoanut** Dainties Chocolate Walers

Cracker Meal

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15 DIFFERENT LOWELL POST CARD VIEWS.

All hand colored, both imported and American work. Since introducing these high class cards in Lowell we were sweet peas. Ice cream and cake have had a phenomenal sale on them, and now we have the best assortment we ever had. Views of East and " Views of Island Park, Grand River and Flat River. 2 for 5c. Special prices on quality lots. A floral folder Rapids.-[South Boston Cor. with 6 local views 5c. Also an enormous stock of Birthday name cards. Tinseled cards, Comics and Miscellaneous cards at all prices.

Mrs. Frank McNaughton and Mrs. J. S. Thomas were calling on friends

and son John were Sunday guests Prices are reserved. way down at



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> but you have a chance to open an account with this bank six days out of every week. Once you have started saving a part of your earnings, you will be prepared whenever a good business opportunity presents itself. Having a bank account helps create busi-

ness ability.

Sadie Kinsey, Anthem, "Ye That Stand in the House of the Lord" by

The Fletcher family reunion was held with Mr. and Mrs. Jude Fletcher July 29th at their home in South Boston. The company numbered 28. This is the smallest annual gathring that has been held in the past thirty years, on account of so many of the family being in far away states of New York, Utah, Wyoming North Carolina, Arizona, Colorado, Indiana and Ohio. An elaborate dinner was served at noon which was followed by a program consisting of recitations, music and interesting letters read from some of the absent ones. The table decorations were served in the afternoon. The guests from away were Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. (

and sermon by a former pastor Rev. Chas. Nease of Grand Rapids. Sun-Special music, morning, solo, "The Ninety and Nine" by Campion, Miss town.

FLETCHER FAMILY REUNION.

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line ever shown in Lowell, and would

appreciate your

opinion. lliams NE EWELER.

Uneeda Milk Biscult Unceda Biscult Oysterettes. These goods are put up in dust proof, air tight, packages, and we guarantee them to be always fresh. Remember this sale lasts only during the week of Home Yours for business. coming.

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