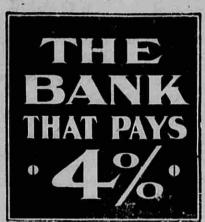
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A MERRY CHRISTMAS



A HAPPY **NEW YEAR**

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Lowell, Mich.

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We extend a cordial invitation to you to examine our Fall and Holiday goods now on display comprising Chinaware, both useful and ornamental; Dinner Ware, in 12 different designs including domestic, English, Austrian, Haviland. Clocks, from the Nickel Alarm to the Fine Mantel patterns and Gold Plated Dresser designs.

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Be sure and come and look. You will not have to pay to get in or buy to get out. We will be looking for you.

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CHRISTMAS BELLS ARE

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Merry Christmas for Boys and Girls

Pick out your present-mention to Papa and Mama that it will be found at Ford's Hardware and Santa Claus will do the rest. See what we have. :: :: :: ::

Dandy Iron Sleds
Barney & Perry, Best Skates
Repeating Air Guns
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Boys' Axes Coasters, Roller Skates,

Rocking Horses 22 Caliber Rifles Express Wagons Awl and Tool Sets Flexible Plyers Pocket Knives etc.

We're all children at Christmas time but for the older ones give something more substantial, useful, practical, sensible. - 11

Ashertos Sad Irons Silver Baking Dishes Berry Spoons Coffee Percolators Chafing Dishes Carpet Sweepers Shears

Razors Pocket Knives Guns Food Choppers selfbasting roasters Cobblers' Sets silver knives & forks

We have many other gifts that have the merit of beauty as well as utility and we invite you to come in and have a look. :: ::

> R. C. Ford. At The Old Hardware Corner.

Kent County Will Vote on Local Op- Good Times Planned for Little Folk Plan Some Needed Changes in City Association Organized by Newspaper tion Next Spring.

From the Grand Rapids Herald, Dec. 19. 10,183 names had been reported good times are assured at the L. & P. Fund

to R. N. Holsaple and there were still 12 petitions out. One of these contained more than 150 Christmas dinner to the children names, and the others were for at the church at 6 o'clock Thursthe most part, in precincts which day afternoon, followed by exerinsured pretty fair sized addi-cises and gifts. tions to the roll.

can rest easy now," said Mr. Holsaple. "That is, we can poor. rest easy on the score of submission and are ready now to begin the campaign which will carry

At the Congregational church Friday evening at 7.30. Sunday billity of enlarging the stage in the city hall, of arrangements for the movement through and tree. make Kent county as arid as

majority and the city will not be as wet as a lot of persons think."

And Mr. Holsaple adds there will be no removal of names from

any county in the state. We

the petitions.

"Yes, I mean just what I say. No names will be taken off petitions after they have once been submitted to the county clerk. Perhaps a lot of people don't understand the law, but all the law provides is that if the man circulating the petition puts in his affidavit that the signatures are all genuine and that the signers are personally known to him as residents of the precinct in which they are secured, the supervisors have absolutely nothing to do but count them up, and if their count reaches the required number there is no appeal from the affidavit. We are ready for any legal battle that may come. Our Detroit attorney will be here and we will have three local attorneys who have been carefully preparing for any emergency and any attempt to remove a name once secured, will be taken to the supreme court, who are sanguine of defeating the which has already passed on this

matter so quick you will think it was born there."

the board is bound to accept the affidavit of the man circulating the petition, and if they can find he has sworn falsely there is re-

The greatest care is being taken that the city was not so well en to make sure the names are canvassed. The canvassing was all correct. Any name that looks done for the most part without at all doubtful, that isn't plainly compensation and after work-written, is carefully examined ing hours. Under this system, under the glass and looked up of course, it was impossible to either in the directory or in person by someone from the office, in the country, where the men so there is no chance for an error | were home most of the day and in the precinct or name.

LOWELL, MICHIGAN, DECEMBER 23, 1909

Hall Specifications.

Lack of space and going to cast. The Anti-Saloon league and Sunday schools for the enlass secured not only the necestary 10,070 names but probably and their friends at the Christ- as follows:

are among the declaration and allowed from the various funds articles subscribed to:

"Believing that local option nearly 1,000 more than is neces-sary. At 6 o'clock last night provision is being made and Street Fund

At the Methodist church Thurs-Mr. Holsaple was jubilant. So day evening at 7.30, Christmas

church Saturday evening at 7 will come into the city with a big o'clock. Exercises and tree.

A Sad Accident. Mrs. Charles Wilson has gone to the bedside of her niece Miss Georgia Cruse, who has lost her sight. A bottle of soda water exploded and a piece of the glass cut one eye wide open. She was taken to a St. Louis, Missouri, hospital, where it was believed necessary to remove the mjured eye to save the other. Five days later the sight left the remaining eye, leaving her in darkness, She is a popular and well beloved girl and has the sympathy of many friends in her great affliction.—[Com.

Charles Quick at his home in vicinity.

The result of the canvass is

the dry movement. Under the it was born there."

The liberal element which is interested in preventing the issue going to a vote has prepared a set of printed cards with which it is said they will flood the country clerk as soon as the petitions for submission. In the country, in practically every precinct more than ally every precinct more than the required number was secured. law it was necessary that at state how. Then he gives the power of attorney to somebody to remove the name.

"But the scheme will not work," says Holsaple. "The law son township. Even in the second precinct of Grand Rapids township. Even in the second A. G. Peckham and S. P. Hicks. makes no provision for such a ond precinct of Grand Rapids in trick. The only way they can which the Soldiers' home is losecure the removal of a name is cated, more than enough names to come in person before the were secured, showing the veterboard of supervisors and prove ans, in spite of what had been how they were defrauded. But predicted of them, showed the

course to a perjury charge, but third, but this was largely due not to the removal of the name." to the fact, says Mr. Holsaple, could be easily found.

The village council met on Local option will be the issue press one day earlier than usual Monday evening with a full met at the Y. M. C. A. building in in the spring campaign and will forbids publication here of the board present and President Lansing Friday and organized be voted upon in Kent county interesting programs arranged Look in the chair. Reading of the Local Option Press Association of Michigan. The following

84 91 1671 34 City Hall \$ 1810 59

The matter of raising the basement floor under the band room in the city hall to avoid trouble from high water and the chang- port any political party or any Mr. Holsaple was jubilant. So day evening at 1.50, children were his co-workers and all associated in the movement. "We sociated in the movement. "We money and provisions for the money and provisions for the leating plant were referred to the city hall building committees one of the principal purposes to ing of the plans somewhat in rewith power to act.

> At the German Methodist a team to haul the fire apparatus of the progress of work on the dam, and other matters of interest in connection with village affairs the meeting adjourn-

E. J. Martin

School closes Thursday afternoon of this week for the holiday vacation, re-opening on Tuesday morning, Jan. 4, 1910.

Through the kindness of the editor of the Lowell Ledger the high school pupils have had an opportunity of examining about Reports of the condition of Dr. two dozen newspapers, printed in foreign countries.

Grand Rapids are not encour- an program, which was to have favor of its continuance and

Philetheans to enter with them into a public contest sometime in the near future, which will be in the nature of a contest in the dition under local option. Perry

county clerk as soon as the petitions are filed. The form states the signer finds he has signed a local option petition, but that he was misled in doing so, and a local option between representatives of the junior and senior classes on the subject, "Resolved townships and 25 of them gave more than enough names. Those in which less than one-third of basis with men, would be wise" aggress.

MORSE LAKE A great dairy feed, buckwheat bran and middlings. \$18 60 per ton.

King Milling Co.

Miss Winnie Hartley was given a post card shower last Monday in honor of her 18th birthday. She re-

ceived 26 cards. John Hartley, Jr., is assisting S. S. Yeiter with his work.

Carl Havens spent from Wednesday until Sunday with his cousin, Teary Trowbridge at Elmdale.

great variety at Stocking's.

Men at Lansing Last Friday

A number of newspaper men

has passed beyond the experimental stage and has proved to be a system preferable to the li-cense plan for dealing with the liquor traffic we desire to become identified with the Local Option Press association of Michigan.

"It is understood, first that this shall not commit us to supcandidate for office or refrain be served through this organization shall be the exchange of information relating to local option in our counties, with our newspaper work, what may be thought helpful, to the ends we

mutually have in view.' The officers are: President, M. L. Cook, Hastings Banner; vice president, M. W. Whittaker, Jackson Patriot; secretary-treasurer, Perry F. Powers, Cadillac News and Express. The execu-tive Committee is: D. W. Grandon of Hillsdale, L. C. Crampton, Lapeer Clarion; W. H. Berkey, Cassopolis Vigilant; D. E. Hub bell, Marlette Leader; F. U. O'Brien, Coral News; G. L. Adams, Fowlerville Review; F. M. Johnson, Lowell Ledger; Neil C McKay, Midland Sun; C. (

Vaughn, St. Johns Republican. Reports from the state are of satisfactory conditions in local option counties, business men that opposed the reform prior to The English, Latin and Germ- adoption being now heartily in aging. But little hope of his recovery is entertained. It will be a sad Christmas for the family; and they have the sympathy of a host of friends in Lowell and residue.

an program, which was to have been given by Miss Edward's frankly confessing "I was wrong."

One editor in "dry" territory reported that one poor fellow came to him neatly dressed and said: "This is the first suit of clothes I have bought in nine. A challenge has been offered by the Athenaeum society to the Philathannel Society to the have been offered by the Athenaeum society to the have been offered by the Society to the society to the have been offered by the Society to the have been offered by the Society to the society to the have been offered by the Society to the society to the society to the society to the have been offered by the Society to the society to the society to the been offered by the Society to the society to the been offered by the society to the society to the been offered by the society to the society to the been offered by the society to the so

False reports have been sent broadcast about Cadillac's con-

Our readers will hear more from Mr. Powers and Cadillac and all the other membrs of this aggressive organization soon.

Snyder -- Pfeiffer

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Merrill in Cascade Wednesday evening, when Mrs. Merrill's cousin, Miss Bessie Pfeiffer, was united in marriage to Herman P. Snyder of Cale-donia. Rev. Ernest Morse per-School was closed Monday on account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Eva Chatterdon.

donia. Rev. Ernest Morse performed the ceremony. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Miss Eva Chatterdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hilton and son Paul were visitors at Charles Winks recently.

Miss Winnie Hartley was given a post card shower last Monday in control of the groom. The bridal party stood beneath a bungalow of control of the groom. Christmas greens and wedding bells banked with ferns and palms. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. An el-

aborate supper was served in the dining room. A number of relatives and friends from other places were present. The bride 18k gold inlaid back combs in and groom will reside in Cale-

THERE'S

A late arrival of Holiday Gifts has replenished our stock and we are prepared for 2 big days' business. Here are only a few gifts from our large line.

COMB and BRUSH SET 25c up to \$8.00

BOX PAPER. Holly boxes...

BOOKS. Good reading for young

COLLAR and CUFF BOXES. A wide range of prices, HAND MIRRORS. All the late

PALMERS PERFUMERS. In

bulk or pretty packages

BIBLES and TESTAMENTS. A POST CARD ALBUMS. immense stock......5e t \$2.75

PIPES. SMOKING SETS. GENTLEMAN'S PURSES.

MANICURE SETS. Largest HANDKERCHIEF and GLOVE CIGARS. The kind he stuckes MUSIC ROLLS. The new FANCY INK WELLS, THER-MOMETERS and GOLD PENS. HOLLY TAGS. Stickers.

Big Specials for Thursday & Friday

Sunday School Teach			
Barr's Saturday	Candy-pound	boxes-All	Choco
ates only			29
sig assortment of reg	gular 25c, 35c, and	50c gifts, you	ir chofe
only			25
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nvelopes in Holly bo			

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Our line presents the greatest variety of high class merchandise to be found in Lowell. If not already a customer come and see our Pianos, Organs, and Sewlog Machines and best stock of records in this section. Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Dlamonds, Silverware, Cut Glass, Fountain Pens, Gold and Silver Noveltles etc., in great variety 16 Dwt. Silver Knives and Forks extra guarantee for only \$4.00 a set for a limited time. Sterling Knives and Forks Spoons, and all the best new patterns in Souvenir Spoons, look us over and and see the prices we make on high grade

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Hunter's Purity Domestic Nut.

Try Some When You Buy Coal For The Range Again.

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EARL HUNTER.

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Merry Christmas

We wish all our friends a very merry Christmas and a hardy New Year. Our trade has been enormous. It has more than met our expectations. But we still have a store full of grade suitable for gifts. We thank you for past favors, and are still yours to command.

Mrs. D. C. Macham & Co.

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Footwear the Most Practical of all. HOLIDAY GOODS



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goods are marked down low and no finer collection of Men's, Boys' Women's and Children's Footwear can be found in Lowell.

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> A. J. Howk & Son. 43 Years of Selling Good Shoes.

of Country Visitor to

with calcium carbide, which breaks in- Indians left in Michigan.

point I have often made. Our pres- State to Borrow \$100,000 More.

Typhoid Fever Carriers. Typhoid fever carriers is the term applied to persons who may be infected by the typhold germ and yet them- money, which will soon begin to come Money for Tax Title Dealers. selves free from the disease. Accordported by various physicians, about No Guns for Capitol Police.

a glass arm, a tin ankle, a weak knee, Vernon Exchange bank, gives out the the bequests from his large estate more than a mile of new siding is to and a lame tooth—the one who only bank's liabilities at \$20,000 and the as- to charity, the city of Saginaw and be placed. The new yards are as level played four games during the sea- sets as about \$12,000. The cashler, to education. The will of the late lum- as a floor, and little grading will be "Yes; what about him?" "He's going to work in a stone- his return from Detroit. He has had is for educational purposes. Of the the company will make to rush the interviews with the depositors' com- amount, the University of Michigan, job of track laying.

New York has followed the example not make public its future course. The tained great fidelity, is remembered charge made by Teresa Pratt, 13 years of Philadelphia and established a free cashler offers to turn over his home with a gift of \$200,000.

There was a time when the Indians could shoot all the daer in the north that they wanted to, but now they are arrested and prosecuted the same as the white hunters, much against the will of the Indians.

Officeholder All His Life.

William L. Seaton, former warden of the prison, postmaster of Jackson for 24 years, and member of the board of education for many terms, is dead.

He held office all his life.

Dany has practically finished the season's slicing of beets and although the crop was not as large as in previous years the tests have been high-er. Nearly 35,000 tons of beets were alliced, and the cutput will aggregate the will of the Indians.

Plenty of Money in State Banks. in the aggregate business of Michigan

State Accountant Ordered Straighten Them Out.

Been Made—Between \$2,000 and banking law, as amended, providing hour for 30 hours, and four cents for missioner. \$4,000 Are Collected Annually as Fees for Certificates.

savings reserves and commercial sav- four cents for 75 hours and 2½ cents ings investments.

ng commissioner for the period

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pointing out the street which led to the church of which Dr. Charles Low ell was the minister, but anxious to discover what precular nod this man fancy. The harber board is one of the state boards which the legislature of this man fancy. The harber board is one of the state boards which the legislature of the superstance of this man fancy. The harber board is one of the state boards which the legislature of the superstance of this man fancy. The harber board is one of the state boards which the legislature of the superstance of the superst temporary searchlight, is amongst the kept by former board members are state banks amounted to \$151,290, ordered that the Valley Company be office in negonce blk., Lowell, mich flowers about half an ounce of oil is arm." latest ideas of war inventors. This not such examples in bookkeeping as 590.74, their total savings invest- allowed the right to place wires in the ments exceeded this amount by \$3, conduit used by the Michigan State

Company, but the Valley people now my's fleet at a distance of several A letter to the secretary of issue. First Deed to Flats. miles, the light burning long enough state's department from John Mc- The St. Clair Flats commission held been placed in the hands of the city for the gunners to get the range. It is a French invention and not unlike the illuminating shell which has been adopted by the German governiate adopted by the German governiate for the gunners to get the range. It is a French invention and not unlike the illuminating shell which has been adopted by the German governiate for the gunners to get the range. It is a first two seconds and one third.

The St. Clair Flats commission near another meeting in Auditor General Fuller's office at which all the members were present. Land Commissioner to get the range. It is another meeting in Auditor General Fuller's office at which all the members were present. Land Commissioner and the following the follo ment. The latter is a projectile, filled ing story in connection with the few were selected as a committee to pick one first, two seconds and one third. to flame as it falls into the sea, where it floats.

Another novelty in war appliances has just been secured by the great firm of Krupp. It is an air torned.

Indians left in Michigan.

Forty years or more ago, these Indians left in Michigan.

Forty years or more ago, these Indians and prescript to issue certificates for them.

The first certificate, that of George L. Sampson of Detroit, for lot 2, was signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed by Land Commissioner Russell signed out the non-contestant claims and pre- Mr. Schipper is proprietor of the Pifirm of Krupp. It is an air torpedo, tween Burt and Mullet lakes as a perwhich is reported to be one of the deadliest instruments of warfare yet devised. It is to be introduced into devised into devised in the devised into devised into devised in the devised into devised into devised in the devised into devised in the devised into devised in the devised into devised into devised in the devised in the devised into devise the German army and navy. Other not exempt from taxation, and no of State Martindale, who will issue a lanese soldiers with cigarettes during recent inventions are the anti-airship taxes were paid. A few years ago deed, and after the signature of the the Russo-Japanese war, during which gun, a shrapnel grenade adapted for McGinn bought up the tax titles.

Here my boy is displaying a little natering \$25,000 at a time, Stenton, Detroit; H. W. Wilson, Holtive originality, and you want to striffe it in its inception. It seems to me the pinch in the state treasury made gists—J. T. Burgess, Deckerville; L. stenton, Detroit; H. W. Wilson, Holding and the pinch in the state treasury made gists—J. T. Burgess, Deckerville; L. stenton, Detroit; H. W. Wilson, Holding as completed a water works system of its own. The plant, which cost that the purpose of a public school itself felt. This will make a total of T. Hutton, Bay City; R. A. Hugill, Che; \$500,000, will furnish water from should be to discover and develop and \$175,000 borrowed at three per cent. boygan; W. Leatherman, Owosso; D. Flint river to all the factories in the encourage original modes of thought Of the \$100,000 loan, \$25,000 will go D. Morgan, Lowell; M. B. Sugden, Ann north end of the city. for salaries and \$75,000 to meet bills Arbor; Alex. Zoya, Hancock; C. E. Ithaca.—The Commercial State bank

in the city of Saginaw.

Commercial National bank. The state treasurer's department an. Pontiac.-Mrs. Joseph Germain had night watchmen at the state capitol is said, have believed that because of ter she had from another man. few exceptions the carriers have been will be equipped with revolvers as the the financial embarrassment of the Grand Rapids.—According to staengaged in some occupation, such as members of the board of auditors are state, their money could not be securitistics just compiled, 422 applications cook, baker or dairyman, which has of the opinion that the police would ed at this time, but the cash is there for divorces were made in the Kent weapons and either kill themselves or When a dealer makes a deposit for and 294 decrees were granted. weapons and either kill themselves or injure some innocent person.

It is the intention of the board to corder more lights placed in the purchase of tax lands, he is given a certificate. If, before the end of one certain depot has been opened. It is

several years before. Dr. Albert be- building after dark are extremely ner retain possession, and the tax title Brighton.—John Milet, Sr., aged 86 ing an infant. The father, whose lieves that many people carry typhoid vous since an attack was made upon dealer may secure his deposit by pre- years, is dead at his home here. He name was McCabe, being present, the Kalamazoo.—Chief of Police Allen he spelled it with a large C or a small According to a St. Paul distillery | Clare county within a short time is announced a crusade against petty "Middlin' large, if you plaze, father." a Pennsylvanian's invention, consists firm, the Michigan law which provides to be converted into one of the great-gambling in Kalamazoo. Because of

attorney general's department to look quired by Saginaw, Chicago and other that they must stop. with the information, which has come velop the country and colonize it. The Company has filed with County Clerk ments of 1d. a month, at which rate to him of late that of the 100 agents farms will be electrically lighted and Thorpe a certificate of increase of it will require 360 years to liquidate for non-resident dealers in the state the automobile will afford transporta- capital stock from \$30,000 to \$60, the new Grand Trunk freight yards to Receiver McLaughlin of the defunct | The late Arthur Hill was liberal in the eastern part of the city, where

Ned Sergeant, remains at his home, berman leaves exactly \$500,000 in pub- necessary. It is expected this fact not having been on the streets since lie benefactions, the bulk of which will aid materially in the effort that mittee and Attorney Lyons of St. of which Mr. Hill was regent for near- Flint.—Ira Nixon, former nicke Johns. The depositors' committee will ly nine years and for which he enter- theater proprietor, whose trial on a building and help in other ways with the bank The remainder of his bequests are cuit court, was found not guilty by a

jury in 40 minutes. Flint.—Steam was turned on for the Ten years ago the Standard Oil Company refined 90 per cent. of the oil produced; now it refines only 80 per cent.

Game Warden Pierce has been notified that Joseph Donatus, an Indian residing in Emmett county, has been sonvicted on the charge of killing a deer in the water. The hunter, who had no license, was fined \$23.80, including costs.

New State Corporations.

The following companies have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state: Wayne Printing Company, Detroit, \$15,000; Alanson Creampany, Detroit, \$15,000; Muskey of the new machinery is being installed. Work on still another new plant is going ahead rapidly.

Holland.—The Holland Sugar Company has practically delived the new plant is going ahead rapidly.

MICHIGAN of the 376 state banks and five trust companies, shows the greatest growth BREVITIES

R. E. Springett, Attorney. F. J. McMahon, Superintendent Lighting and Power Plant. Saginaw.—In a very much strength- F. N. White, Assessor. Since September 1 there has been an increase in the savings and com-

955,237.48.

The report of Michigan state banks on November 16, 1909, was the first light the ordinance requires a charge

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Christopher Bergin, Supervisor.

F. N. White, Clerk.

Clarence Collar. Treasurer. wise compression of spiritual facts. Investigation of Accounts Has Never report to be made under the new of not to exceed six cents per kilowatt Charles O'Harrow, Highway Comfor the separation of commercial and the excess. For power the rates are LOWELL BOARD OF TRADE. OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS. for excess. The city is to receive ten R. Van Dyke, President. Lansing.—State Accountant Hamil- The banks in nearly every instance per cent. of the company's gross re- J. C. McDannell, Vice-President.

Lansing.—State Accountant Hamilton will audit the books of the state board of auditors, as it was learned that an invert wanted.

"I want," said he, "to find the man who preaches short sermons."

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say they have been turned down by Leans, Collections, Real Estate and

Insurance LINSEY SHIVEL, & WHITNEY, R. E. SPRINGETT ATTORNEYS AT LAW Lowell, Mich.

Associated Office Houseman Bldg

and Book man,

With King Milling Co.

Attorney and Counselor at Law ger train. His companion warned him, Train's Ha'l Block, LOWELL, MICH.

Veterinary Surgeon. her head, one of the cow's horn rip- Phones-Office, 35; Residence, 135,

> LEGALS FRIENDS of The LEDGER are reprobate business to ask the publication of
> the legal notice in this paper. By so doing
> they will be at no more expense than else-

LOST AND FOUND ADVERTISE FOUND ARTICLES. THE MICHIGAN LAW BAYS IN EFFECT: A person who finds lost property under circumstances which give him

VILLAGE OFFICERS OF JUST A POINTER ON POLITICS Thousands have Kidney LOWELL, MICH, Practical Man Gives Advice to Friend About to Break Into the Stren-T. A. Murphy, Clerk.

cently. One of them has held impor-tant state offices. The other has as-Saginaw.—In a very much strengthsan increase in the savings and commercial deposits of \$6,801,894.89, and
as compared with the corresponding
report a year ago, it shows an increase in the savings deposits of \$27,

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scattered far and wide. Don't get any gray hairs over them. That won't do you any good. To win them over you will be wasting time and energy and will be wasting time and energy and will be wasting time and energy and breath, because the chances are you won't win them, anyway. If they are against you for personal reasons—that is, if they are personal enemies, or oppose you for political causes—the chances are they will vote against you. Let 'em alone. But go where your friends are. Go where your votes are. Keep them sure. They're yours. Keep 'em. They will make more votes soon realized. It stands the highest be.

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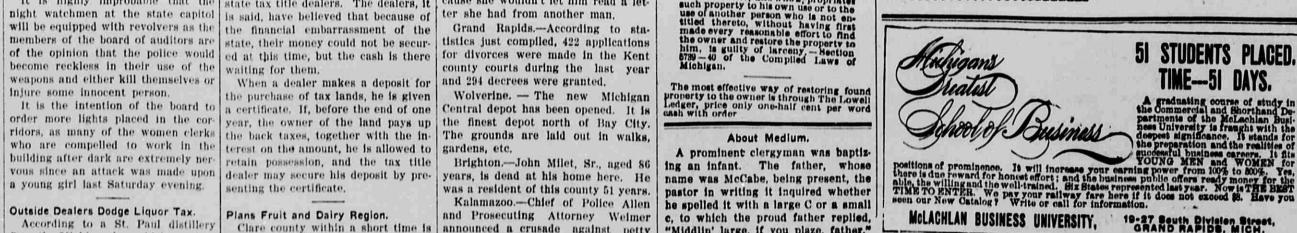
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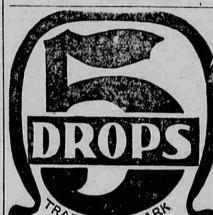
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energy on the part of a class of people who ordinarily lead the most leisurely existence imaginable is found in the fact that New Year's day of each year marks the opening of the official social season at Washington. It is a day of receiving and calling and dining (all LUMBAGO. SCIATICA in the most formal way), for everybody in national official circles from NEURALGIA. the president down to the least important public official, but the social merry-go-round, spins at a more lively CATARRH. ASTHMA an ait for the diplomats than for any of the other participants in Uncle Sam's great annual dress parade. Not GIVES QUICK RELIEF only do they have to go more different places in carrying out the day's

THE NEW SPANISH MINISTERS

of the official foreign colony-the

wives and daughters of the diplomats

feverish activity of the dawning year.

of high and low degree-share in the

Indeed, their participation begins

weeks in advance with frequent visits

to the dressmakers, for, one and all,

these fair foreigners must have stri-

king new gowns for the momentous

The explanation of this display of

program, but they have to do more dressing than any of the other celebrities, not even excepting the high officers of the United States army and

navy, who don their full dress uni-

Indeed, it is the chore of getting togged out in their gaudiest raiment

that compels the diplomats to arise

Year morning. Official etiquette prescribes that each foreign representa-

somewhat earlier than usual on New

tive shall appear in full diplomatic

uniform or court dress on this signi-

ficant occasion. Now be it known, it

is no slight undertaking to put on such garb. The average diplomat, accustomed as he is to fastidious dressing, finds it pretty nearly as formid-

forms for this occasion.

idedly the busiest day of minutes' rest, and then a lit-

he twelvemonth for the for- tle before 12 o'clock they set eign diplomats stationed in out for the residence of the

america. The odd part of it secretary of state. Here, at is that the manifold duties noon, an elaborate repast is

which make January 1st served. The average Ameri-

the most crowded interval can citizen would declare it a

n the calendar are almost luncheon, but in social-diplo-

wholly in the nature of so- matic usage it is a breakfast.

cial obligations rather than business tasks. Considerably more than 200

Moreover, the responsibilities of this busy day persons are expected at this

rest equally heavy upon the envoys of the vari- breakfast, so that it can be

ous foreign powers-that is, the ambassadors seen that it taxes the house-

and ministers—and upon the secretaries, coun- keeping arrangements even

selors and attaches who make up the official in a mansion such as the staffs of these dignitaries. Even the women \$150,000 dwelling of Philan-

DR. C. L. GATES

I KILL THE COUCH AND CURE THE LUNGS

cloak that reaches to the feet are included in receptions on this eventful afternoon. Most of in their years. the costume. Finally, the diplomat, of any the diplomats go first to the home of the vice- The two met often. They took long strolls was discovered in the ruins. large as the ordinary badge and adding in the dence of the speaker of the house of repre- she hesitated, not because he was so much old- the ceremonies of lustration, or ceremonial puaggregate, considerable weight to the trappings sentatives, and then follows indiscriminate er than herseuf, but because he had ceased to rification, which are a great feature of the ori out of the way, the diplomats, more gorgeously OR MONEY REFUNDED. The foreigners, all of whom have carriages or of the year. In accordance with the Yankee talk and when she spoke of marriage with John chines in Brazil:

be in their duly assigned places in the waiting line ere the presidential party at 11 o'clock Hard and fast rules must be observed as to the order in which the diplomats file past the president. There are two divisions. First the ambassadors, each accompanied by all the the ministers, each similarly attended. Places

blonde with ripe, red lips and hair like fine light of his life went out for Ruskin.-Mun. Not only did he desert the orodous onlons-After the White House reception the diplo- spun gold, had become a very lovely young sey's.

Baron Mayor described to the president by the Ten years passed by before they saw each

Known as a Destroyer of Cockroaches brates which can tackle the repulsive After a little, when the hedgehog feels pheasant off her nest and then pro-Adders.

tion of beetles and crickets it is as power, it once more opens out and useful as a mongoose among the rats, but it is not generally known that it by breaking its spine. It then prosuck the milk from cows, who certain.

The hedgehog, that butt of juvenile but it is not generally known that it by breaking its spine. It then prosuck the milk from cows, who certain.

The ees has a singular formation by cheef in the morning class the company of th rustice horsersay, is the possessor of has a partiality toward snakes and ceeds to crunch the whole of the rep. ly show strong aversion to the hedge which it is enabled to retain life chest in the morning give the same For ornamentation a conventional need always to have patience with our tastes which, like Sam Weller's knowl- adders. The methods it employs for tile's body by means of its powerful hog, but eminent naturalists scout the longer than any other fish. This is a tonic effect as a cold plunge in the flower design is worked in wallach. selves we should never condone the

they must hurry home and change to evening

attire in order to greet yet another hostess be-

A RUSKIN STORY

with the length of time each envoy has repre- year, he was asked by a friend to give some and worse, until at last it was quite certain

sented his government at Washington. That is, lessons in drawing to a child named Rose La that she could not live. Then Ruskin wrote

dor who by virtue of the most lengthy service ing friendship, which, of course, at the time "You may come if you can tell me that you

This post of prestige is now held by each other letters and exchanged drawings and When Ruskin read this his very soul was

ds in that he is thus temporarily membered as a blue-eyed, saucy, clever little When she died, as she did soon after, the

in Washington is the dean of the diplomatic could be nothing but a friendship. They wrote love God more than you love me."

secretary of se ... who has the best of his cab- other. Meanwhile the child whom he had re-

fore 8 o'clock.

At the head of the line walks the ambassa- tween Ruskin and this young girl a very charm- traced the words:

WHERE THE GREAT "DIPLOMATIC

or farmer regards the donning of a dress suit. taches as at the White House, to who goes

The diplomat's viewpoint will be the better ap. first, so that servants have to be carefully

preclated when it is explained that not a few drilled and the utmost care exercised lest some

naments that they are well nigh stiff enough to respondingly slighted.

HABITS OF THE HEDGEHOG into a ball. The adder is then left to attack the spines, in which encounter it naturally comes off second best. hedgehogs actually forced the hen hedgehogs actually forced the hedgehogs ac cockroach. For effectual extermina- that his antagonist has exhausted his ceeded to demolish the contents. There better of them occasionally. edge of London, are "extensive and the attack are interesting.

jaws, and after that it is said to start idea, their explanation being that it bladder at the back of its upper fins, peculiar." Scorning fastidiousness it Having come upon the adder it at the tail and devour its prey. Of is the heat of the cow which attracts which it alls with water and is there-

atives, army and navy officers and other offi. Some of the things that he had written shocked religious inscriptions.

cial hostesses who are keeping open house. her as being almost atheistic. She was her-

Everywhere they meet other diplomats and self, underneath all her gayety of manner, a

Touche-whose name indeed was French, but to her and begged that he might see her. She

whose family were Irish. There sprang up be- answered with a note in which she feebly

make a hearty meal on nearly any goads that reptile to the offensive, eggs the hedgehog is also very fond, the hedgehog, the cow's dislike be- by enabled to moisten its gills for a the mental, moral and physical kinks flags. act and is one of the few verte- and at the first dart immediately rolls thereby giving just cause to keepers ing no doubt caused by unpleasant considerable time when out of water. Out of one's system. It will take all Warmth is assured, and the uncomthe unsightly lines from your face and prevent new ones from forming.

There's a divorce.

"Tis a very sad affair.

wondered at the change.

An onion is at the bottom of it

He ate, and ate, and wifey stood it.

fact that she soon fell ill. She grew worse grinds its own corn."

Woman's Luck.

A St. Louis woman is reported to be just act and win or lose thousands before acts and win or lose thousands before the mouth until the tongue is children will be less disagrees.

To take disagree and win or two cloves on his die in the mouth until the tongue is children will be less disagrees.

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Tricorne Hat.

Trying as the tricorne hat is, it to deeply involved ever to return. The acting of the greatest artist was plan entertainments. It had a spacious ment of the gambling a felony and freed the historic old operation and nooks where the best ment of the gambling tables. Many a work of the gambling tables. Many a work of the gambling tables. Many a work of the gambling tables. Tricorne Hat.

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Some of the finest extent of the day served work of the dispersion of the gambling a felony and freed the his table the once the table of the mouth until the tongue is child ent on two cloves or hold ice in the table table of table and the mouth until the tongue is child ent on two cloves or hold ice in the table of table and the mouth until the tongue is child ent on the table of table and table the mouth until the tongue is child ent on the clear table. Trying as the tricorne hat tab



Given Is Intended to Be Turned

BARON MAYOR DES PLANCHES, DEAN OF

AND HIS SECRETARY

CITY OF 4000 B. C. FOUND

This pretty and useful cosy may be worked in any colored double Berlin work a row of three chain loops in work a fasten off.

This pretty and useful cosy may be fasten off.

Round the lower edge of the cosy with us what the King they had sought work a row of three chain loops in and found had been doing all these

three rows, then pass over a stitch at see them in the far east gazing at a either end of each of the next rows un- new star in the heavens. Perhaps they til only five remain. Work a row of will tell us why they followed the star, slip-stitch right round the edge of the at such great cost of time and treasfrom each other.

chain which, when joined round, will outside the leaves just made; repeat | cies, that ere long a powerful mon-Work a double treble into the first work-one double crochet; two trebles, dominion over the world. Vergil, who chain stitch, do not complete the three double trebles, two trebles, one lived a little before this, owns (fourth stitch, but leave the top loop on the double crochet. Eclogue) that a child from heaven was

ital of the Emperors Darius and Art- work double trebles into each of the trebles, three trebles, one double their Scriptures and their hopes, since According to details furnished to the Jewish World, a mound marking the site of the city has been excavated by M. de Morgan and was found to mark the site of the ancient Elamite acropolis of the city. The

C. 4000, and below these the signs Material Can Be Restored to Almost Kimono Dressing Gown That May Be Its Original Luster by Following

ar more than a thousand years primost of the kings of that country set lonian kings contemporary with the or almost so: feature of the ancient city, as of all on a clean table—on both sides in of these costly broadcloth uniforms are so lesser diplomat receive more honor than is woman of 19 years. They resumed their old ac-

calling upon the wives of senators, represent- be what she regarded as "a true believer." ental temples and frequently mentioned in the

invited to the ceremonial dinners that, in great over those passages of the Old Tescament in the form of a pestle. Water filling the cup Apply kerosene with either a brush numbers, close the day in Washington, hence which seemed to bar all compromise. depresses that end of the log, whereupon the or soft cloth, then rinse the silver in they parted, never to see each other again. take the place of the 'mojollo' in the interior, silverware. How deeply she was affected is shown by the where flour mills are rare and each family

stitching and black cloth uppers. Few | flowers and foliage. Also, do not turn

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wilderness, perils of robbers;" like

raised stitch, and repeat from *. Con- GOLDEN TEXT .- "And thou shalt call FOR HOT WATER JUG

tinue working in this manner, using a lighter shade for each row until the lightest is reached, then work back to the derkest again and so on for short.

GOLDEN TEXT.—"And thou shalt call his name Jesus; for he shall save his people from their sins."—Matt. 1:21.

TIME.—December B. C. 5.

PLACE.—Bethlehem of Judea, a small he darkest again and so on for about | town five or six miles south of Jerusalem.

12 rows or more, if required, then de | Suggestions and Practical Thought. rease by passing the hook through | A Journey Across the Centuries the top of the first two raised stitches | with the Wise Men of the East .- All and complete the double crochet as through the Bible we read of angels usual, thus drawing two stitches into visiting this earth on messages of there are only five stitches in a row, of them that shall inherit salvatioin." work two or three rows of double It requires no great strain on the imcrochets, decreasing each row, and agination to conceive of the three wise

wool, and for a jug holding two pints, every other stitch of the foundation | centuries since that wonderful visit, about five ounces would be required and a little green single Berlin for the with the green wool work:

I. We Visit Bethlehem.—Describe the situation, and note what had taken leaves. A bone hook No. 10. Four chain, turn, and into the chain place here, especially as a city of Our model is in five shades of crim- work three double crochets, turn, with David. How Mary and Joseph came found in Babylonia by the French expedition which has son, one ounce of each shade, but a one chain, a double crochet in the to be there when Jesus was born. larger or smaller cosy may readily be front thread of each stitch of previous The manger in the inn. The angels worked from these directions. row (four double crochets), turn with announcing his birth to the shepherds.

> leaf, and attach it to the end of the ure and comfort, over dreary wastes, cosy; work four more leaves like the amid hunger, and thirst, and coid, first, and fix them at even distances and toil, "in perils of rivers, perils of For the Rose.-Use the four lightest "the queen of Sheba who came from shades, commencing with the darker, the uttermost parts of the earth to and working each row with the next hear the wisdom of Solomon; and

Join six chain in a ring, five chain, here;" like the merchant who sold all a double crochet into the ring just that he had to obtain the pearl of made, five chain, double crochet in great price. same ring three times more; into What Motives Led Them to Unnearest loop work one double crochet, dertake the Journey?-We are intwo trebles, one double treble, two formed by Tacitus, by Suetonius, and trebles, one double crochet, repeat in by Josephus, whose works these wise Second Row .- Next shade, five there prevailed throughout the en-I chain, a double crochet in the nearest | tire east at that time, an intense conall round; into each of these loops arch would arise in Judea and gain

hook; repeat into each of the next | Third Row.-Six chain under same looked for, who should restore the three stitches (five loops on hook), double crochet as before outside leaf golden age, and take away sin. been at work for several years on the site of the Roman Susa, the Shushan of the Bible and later the capshan of the Bible

of older settlements of prehistoric METHOD OF RENOVATING SILK COMFORT IN EARLY HOURS his kingdom in the hearts of men.

Made Up in Many Kinds of Here is an excellent way to re- There are any number of materials, souls, our goods, we are to worship up their monuments in it. When the powerful Semitic dynasty of Baby-

age of Abraham was overthrown, the Elamites regained their independence and retained it until B. C. 649, when the city was sacked by Assurbanipal, king of Assyria, who destroyed the palaces and temples.

Explorations show that the chief feature of the ancient city, as of all contacts of a clean table—on both sides in on a clean table—on both sides in contacts.

Shake well together in a bottle two cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of mucinist, it is modeled with kimono that may be used for such a gown as this; it is modeled with kimono cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft states and temples.

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Shake well together in a bottle two cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of mucinist, it is modeled with kimono cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft soft soap. The soap should be dissolved in water.

Sponge silk—which has been laid on a clean table—on both sides in cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls that may be used for such a gown as this; it is modeled with kimono cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls that may be used for such a gown as this; it is modeled with kimono cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of such a gown as this; it is modeled with kimono cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonfuls of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the cups of rain water, four teaspoonful of soft soap and the

quaintance, but in a very different way. Though
Ruskin was nearly 50, he gave to Rose La
Touche an adoration and according to those of the ancient east, was the temple of up and down in a tub of cool water, but do not rub or wring out. The entire afternoon of New Year's day the Touche an adoration and a passion such as he tion of the foundations revealed the records of armor, so to speak. In many instances high diplomats devote to making ceremonial calls.

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The entire alternoon of New Year's day the diplomats devote to making ceremonial calls. boots are an item of the court dress and usual
| Description of the court dress and usual| Description of the court dress and usual| Considerable information as to the nature | Considerable information | Considerab ty a heavy helmet or fur turban and a long single of the president, hold sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, hold sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president, and a long sularly drawn to him, despite the difference of the sacred edifice and its precincts is president. standing, covers the entire front of his coat with the glittering insignia of royal orders and with the glittering insignia of royal orders and homes in the order of their official standing; at last Ruskin begged her to make him happy two nude men, one holding a water jar. These, jeweled decorations—each several times as after which they pay their respects at the resiand to be his wife. Oddly enough, however, no doubt, are the king and priest performing after which they pay their respects at the resiand to be his wife. Oddly enough, however, no doubt, are the king and priest performing after which they pay their respects at the resi-

Among the kitchen supplies keep on hand a pint bottle filled with a saturated solution of oxalic acid. Ten Vice-Consul De Young, writing from Santos | ter to nearly fill the bottle usually the president's reception at the White House. eral at the seat of government on the first day used phrases from the Bible in her ordinary calls attention to the small corn grinding may makes a saturated solution. It will idea, only the men of the American households Ruskin she said that she could not endure to be "In the interior of Brazil a primitive method form at all times, and particularly at diplomats are in almost every instance accom- Yet her heart was torn at the thought of grinding is practiced. The instrument known after preparing fruit and vegetables

white soap, and brush it over the threads. Let this dry in, and the yards lace. threads will be much more easily re-

new sweater knit from silk.

It is the slip-over kind, but there sphere. God is never in a hurry, and He can afford to wait. But we should

Before and After.

"The old French theater which was patronized by the Four Hundred of stand under my window and sing."

"See," answered Mr. Meektoo. "You were a great deal more patient with my singing then than you are now."

"The old French theater which was patronized by the Four Hundred of New Orleans in the days when my singing then than you are now."

"The old French theater which was patronized by the Four Hundred of New Orleans in the days when my same roof a great apartment where a great deal more patient with my singing then than you are now."

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"The old French theater which was patronized by the Four Hundred of New Orleans in the days when my same roof a great apartment where on the national patronized by the same roof a great apartment where a great deal more patient with powdered pumice. "The most of the public. "The most of the public. "The matting of the greatest artist was to be begin to the beat of the patronized by the four the matter of the gambling tables. Many a young fellow squandered his patronized his to be hoped that this type alone that the two hopes of the day served exquisites ment of the gambling tables. Many a young fellow squandered his patronized his to the leater which was a young fellow squandered his patronized by the final subjects of the day served exquisites ment of the gambling tables. Many a young fellow squandered his patronized by the final subjects of the day served exquisites ment of the gambling tables. The most of the day served exquisites ment of the gambling tables. The most of the called pretty. It is easier to do plustice to the four the final that the statements of the day served exquisites ment of the gambling tables. The most of the final that the two the the transmitted of the malls which, while not the final that the two the transmit of the faction of the final

The most effective coquetry is inno-

and after his ascension in founding and developing the early church amic great opposition of Herods who would was 53, she gave him her final answer. She would not marry him unless he could believe corn. Some modern corn grinders have recent- luster. There is no white powder to sleeves that are cut with ample full success down through the centuries. as she did. His honesty forbade him to deas she did. His nonesty forbade him to de-ceive her by a pretended conversion, and so for a very small and inexpensive grinder to gives a lasting luster to all kinds of so that here, too, there is a seam up center back. The best Christmas gift is to en-so that here, too, there is plenty of ter the service of this King; to strive ished with a band of silk or sateen, ac- under his benign sway; to labor and Linen threads are always drawn cording to the material used for the give and pray for the coming of his more easily if the dressing is first gown. Lace about three inches wide kingdom in every heart, in every land taken out. Make a heavy lather of finishes the sleeves. to help the poor near at hand, to com-

surface where you wish to draw the inches wide, two yards silk, three port of missions at home and in for eign lands; to be full of enthusiasn Table Flower Effects. ice, pure politics, good governmen

Do not feel that you must buy out true religion, and a hundred aspects of a hothouse and fruit stand in order to the Christian ideal." black patent leather vamps without derful effects can be had with a few the year round.

Most moral changes are gradual.

Giving his life to save men.

people over whom he is king.

Ever-living King and Redemer

thus manifested as seeking not his

own honor or wealth, but giving him-

self to serve and bless and help the

III. Let Us Watch the Glorified

King Organizing and Developing His

Kingdom. (As recorded in the Acts.

The review of last Sunday will fur

nish material for this picture, from

the day of Pentecost and its gift of

power, through the church at Jerusa-

lem, the missions of the apostles and

of Paul, to the gospel proclaimed and

churches formed throughout the

IV. With Our Wise Men Let Us

Move Swiftly Down the Centuries, and

Kingdoms of This World Into the

Kingdom of Heaven - What the

Christ-King did while living on earth

Glance at What the King Born at Beth

known world.

power of immortal life.

GOVERNOR HARMON of Ohio declares himself terrified by the It relieves after dinner speeches. high cost of living in the East. He, like others, wonders how the belching of gas, foul breath, heartcity poor will live this winter. It seems as if a readjustment of burn, etc., in five minutes. values must come. In spite of all the talk about the staple gold reasonable even to the staple even to the staple gold reasonable even to the staple gold re values must come. In spite of all the talk about the staple gold basis, we've got a 50-cent dollar right now, so far as purchasing permanently cure indigestion, acute permanently cure indigestion, acute power is concerned. Wages have not advanced accordingly. The b, or money back. shirt waist strikers in New York and Philadelphia, where the Belmonts and Morgans have espoused the cause of the working girls, T. N. Henry at 50 cents a large boxare evidently justified in their action. The poor creatures are be- est sample free from Booth's Mi-o- Rye tween the devil and the deep sea; and there are others. On the western plains where cattle range at large, the owners

brand the animals with hot irons for identification. Elsewhere, a species of two-legged cattle commonly known as dead-beats range at large and prevupon mankind. They may not know it but they are branded deep with the letters "D. B.," and nothing but refor | Cures catarrh or money back. Just mation and reparation will wipe them out. The western cattle may be worth \$10 a head on the plains; but business men and honest people everywhere wouldn't give 10 cents per for dead beats. Grand Rapids was sent to THE LEDGER last week with request to me, and it's wan of two things-eith. Beef live per cwt publish, and the rate not set, evidently leaving a publisher who is er she laves the house, or I do!—Lip-Calves live... on the make" to fix it himself. This reply went to the the adver- pincott's. tising agent by return mail: "It may as well be understood right | now that The Ledger columns are not for sale to the brewery in-

YES, dear reader, we know that THE LEDGER hasn't been up to old Folks Should be Careful in their its standard during the past few weeks; but just remember that the holiday advertising harvest comes but once a year. Big as the paper is, packed and crowded as it has been, we haven't succeeded in running all the ads. that were offered. Some we wouldn't take at any price. But taking the year together my dear, there isn't more gish liver. Nature is unable to state of Michigan. The Circuit C

terests." If others do differently: that's their business—and that

running all the ads. that were offered. Some we wouldn't take at any price. 'But taking the year together my dear, there isn't more ads. than news.'

"A MERRY Christmas' to all our readers. Here's hoping that the day will have in it something of joy, peace, comfort and satisfaction for all. Usually, those who put the best and most of the Christmas spirit into the day for others, get the most pleasure out of it for themselves. If we can not be happy for ourselves, let us get a little comfort out of the happiness of others.

And now the managers of the state's prisons are under charges for rank abuses. At the Ionia reformatory, it is charged, that one man was kept thirteen months overtime because he was a good cook; and there is a list of lesser abuses at the various institutions. Dear reader, don't you think it possible that Michigan ought to clean house?

The State Grange has declared in favor of local option and local days of the state of the source of

The State Grange has declared in favor of local option and women suffrage. Right as to the first and perhaps as to the last.

The main question is: Do the women want it? If yes, let them have with our personal guarantee that the satisfaction in every particular that we offer them with our personal guarantee that the satisfaction in every possible the satisfaction it, say we. Evidently, the farmers' meetings are not all devoted they shall cost the user nothing to substantiate our of the shall cost the user nothing the shall cost

A CABLEGRAM from British East Africa says that Ex-President | Rexall Orderlies are eaten like Roosevelt has killed 6,683 animals and birds. If that doesn't candy. They have a soothing, make George T. Angell turn over in his grave, nothing will. THERE'S no doubt about the position of Kent county women in mucous lining and the relaxed the local option tight. The saloon ruins three things most dear to muscular coat of the bowel. The

\$18.00 per ton. King Milling Co.

Eggs and butter are chasing up toward the half-dollar mark in muscular fibres of the bowel walls, expert Horse Shoer the big cities. Guess the poorpeople think they've got a "fifty-cent ollar" after all, don't you?

with Leroy Hunter and wife at Sarses, ordinary hair, do not feel dis. to her home in Muskegon after a venience; do not cause any gri to her home in Muskegon after a two weeks visit with her parents ing, nausea, diarrhoe, excessive in that you can have just as luxuriant and captivating a head of hair as any other women; and quickly too.

Just go to M. N. Henry this very frank Daniels, for a visit and related to her land to have a second and the second second and the second s day and geta bottle of Parisian Sage. | turned Tuesday.

Use it as directed, and in two weeks On account of sickness and bad conts. Remember you can obtain your scalp will be free of dandruff, weather the Sunday School Christ Rexall Remedies in Lowell only your hair will be soft, justrous and beautiful. If your hair is falling out, Parisian Sage will stop it.

If your hair is thin, Parisian Sage

Weather the sunday school christ mass exercises which were to be held at Keene church have been given up.

Mrs. Ben Andrews of Dist. No. 2 visited Wednesday with her parents Ill make it grow in heavily.

If you have dandruff it will quickly Mrs. A. L. Pant.

Mrs. A. L. Pant. stops itching scalp almost instantly, per with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkin-and is the ideal dressing for daily son Sunday and were entertained with phonograph music in the even

rgesprepaid from the American Fred Condon spent last week at kers, Groux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Howard City, Cedar Springs, Lake-

Everything for the

Undoubtedly the best and most complete stock of Christmas groceries, fruits and dainties you ever saw in Lowell. Not room here to mention them all, we've everything you can think of and then some. See our

Malaga and Tokay Grapes, Cranberries, Oranges, Raisins, Nuts and Candies of all kinds, Celery, Lettuce, Radishes, Pickles, Olives, Sweet Potatoes, Pop Corn, Holly, etc.

H You Van Dyke's It's Good

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Todd of Grand
Rapids are spending a few days at
the home of Allie Carr.

Miss Minnie Faulp has been he
ing Annie Anderson the past we the home of Allie Carr.

Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson received a letter from Dorothy Carr giving an account of their trip. They were at Portland. Oregon. Snow, snow, more now than we have seen at this time of year, for a number of years and still more comlng,

Horitand, Oregon.

Snow, snow, more now than we pital to home of his aunt, Mrs. John Fox.

Ansel Fairchilds and family now occupy a part of L. P. McLean's

burn, etc., in five minutes.

few weeks has been visiting friends

It relieves after dinner distress, belching of gas, foul breath, heart-

Middlings per ton..... Corn Meal per ton..... Buck wheat flour per bbl Cook-Your wife, sor, came into the Timothy

Selection of Regulative Medicine. With advanced age comes in-**Chancery Notice**

John Mills

TREES If you wish to save money buy

The enthusiasm of the season has struck this store good and hard this year. But we were ready for it---expected it---knew it was bound to

Christmas, and no one can truthfully say that our display doesn't do the occasion justice Watches, Clocks, Hand Painted China, Jewelry, Rings, Pins, Fobs, Lockets, Cut Glass, etc. 2 No fancy prices at this store. Engraving free.

Williams

Jeweler and Optometrist reactatatatatanal tatancea con con A Christmas Present

... For Your Wife

... WE CAN HELP YOU ...

Our line of novelties is complete: Combs, Barrettes, Bags, Scarfs, Belts, Collars, Fancy Towels, Handkerchiefs, Pillow Tops, Linen Pieces, Fancy Aprons.

A few more Suggestions to help you out

New Dress, Muff and Scarf, Carpet Sweeper, All Wool Sweater, Subscription to the Delineator, New Rug-we have all sizes and all qualities-New Cloak, Kid Gloves. there are many other articles that we could mention, but space forbids.

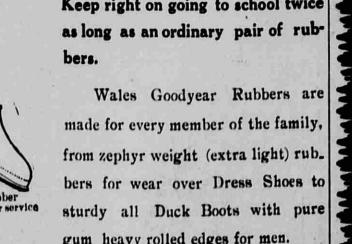
We will be pleased to show you ... Our Line at any time ...

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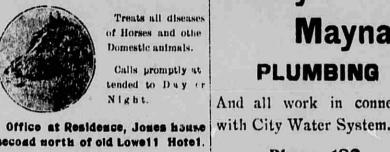
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Best for cows, buckwheat bran and Mrs. Fred Vrooman. and middlings, \$18.00 per ton. King | Christmas exercises at this village Mrs. Lee Bryant, Mrs. E. Vander-lip and Miss Fannie Krebs were in

If your dealer offers something "lust as good," it is probably better FOR HIM...it pays better. Tuesday and Wednesday of last week W. H. Watts bought and But you are thinking of the cure not the profit, so shipped about 22,000 pounds of dressed there's nothing "just as good" for you. Say so. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, In Plain English; or, Medicine Simplified, 1008 pages, over 700 illustrations, newly revised up-to-date Edition, paper-bound, sent for 21 one-cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only. Cloth-bound, 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Fannie Krebs having returned to her day.

ECZEMA IS NOW CURABLE. ZEMO, a scientific preparation forex- Fred Klahn and family left Mondestroys the germs that cause skin dis- spend the winter. eases. Eczema quickly yields and is

at Grange last Saturday night.

P. C. Freeman spent Tuesday in

Mrs. J. T. Parsons is entertaining her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Holcomb

Mrs. J. A. English and Mrs. P. C.

and most reasonable in price. Highest Market Prices Paid for Butter and Eggs

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EVERYTHING NEW

HAVING purchased the stock, fixtures and good will of the grocery business lately carried on

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"Corner Grocery;" and having put in a new stock

of fresh groceries, canned goods, etc., I am ready

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to cater to the needs of the consuming public.

Before Planning Your Christmas and

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Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens, Oysters

guests the best of the season order from our splendle Fresh, Salt, Smoked and Cooked Meats

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> is now ready for your inspection. It is too expensive to enumerate all of the fine presents, but if you want a Toilet Set, Collar and Cuff Box, Shaving Set, Manicure Set, Bible, Dolls, Books of all kinds, Games, Perfumery, Stationery, Post Card Albums, and Post Cards by the thousands, come in and make your selections before the stock is broken. Let us lay them away for you. Yours for Business.

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ings and the waste of uneaten foods?

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Also for the other Hollday Meals, if you want to give your

CASCADE VILLAGE est for milk. \$18 per ton. King Mill-

LOGAN LOCALS. Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Cook of and middlings. \$18 per ton. King attending school at Grand Rapids is home on account of illness.

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Mrs. Will Teeple until after the holihome of Rev. Andrew tuffman at ing a few days with her daughter
home of Rev. Andrew tuffman at ing a few days with her daughter Mrs. Sarah Millard of Spring Lake Mrs. Huffman's sister Miss Vilina | Election of officers for the Sunday attended the funeral of her sister-in- Roush and Mr. John Mishler both school next Sunday. Lorenzo D. Smith and daughter- Rev. Hoffman performed the cere- into Jacob Layer's house in Bowne.

Leon Slater is now janitor of this ried at the home of the bride's moth- weather. willage church.

The Ladies Aid society met at the kome of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulbert in this village last Thursday. The following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Noah Thomas and mother Mrs. Minnie Denison; Vice Pres., Mrs. Carrie Nelson; Secretary, Mrs. D. L. Berry; Treasurer, Mrs. R. J. Slater.

M. Bostwick of Freeport officiated. Mrs. Horn her four weeks visit in Canada Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Noah Thomas and mother Mrs. Wm. Graham is very ill. Robert Ford visited his mother mear Freeport Monday. Milton Wilcox visited his brother have been caring for a sick daughter.

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Messrs. Will Wood and Mortie
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Wallace at Ionia over Sunday.

Uncle Ezra Says.

'Complainin', ex a stiddy diet, will
give you indigestion in your thinkin'
apperatus, an' rob you uv the friends
who would like to stick by you of
they only could.'' Mr. and Mrs. Will Teeple and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Cook to an oyster dinner Monday before their departure.

As.

Wilber Pardee of Freeport visited at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Pardee Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Seese was a guest at the home of her daughter Mrs. W.

V. A. Thompson lost a fine cow Olthouse at Freeport Thursday.

ast week, caught its head in wire Earl Starboard was at Lowell Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tillyer of McCords and Mrs. C. Hen- and helped his mother Mrs. N. Ford ars accompanied their teacher Miss Hattle Louma to her home at Free-

port for a sleigh ride Looking One's Best. It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures sore eyes, cold sores, cracked lips,

chapped hands. Try it, Infallible for piles. 25c at D. G. Look's.

McCORDS CULLINGS Real economy comes only to the woman who pays \$18 per ton. King Milling Co. Duane Brown of Cadillac is spending over Sunday with his son L. Z.
Brown and wife.

P. J. Kennedy has purchased the Economy Property of the Complexion, preventing wrinkles and removing pimples, blackheads, moth patches, freckles and tan. It is easily applied and does not have to remain on the

Sears on his house Glen Snyder and Percy Sears were in Belding Saturday and Sunday

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The Alto Lodge No. 425 I. O. O. F. Write for sample, E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis.

For sale everywhere. Write for sample, E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis. In Lowell by D. G.Look.

A great dairy feed, buckwheat FALLASBURG bran and middlings. \$18.00 per ton. Stewart Draper purchased a fine team of horses from parties at Saranac, Wednesday.

King Milling Co.

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Buckwheat bran and middlings, best for milk. \$18 per ton King Milling Co. I from Heron, Illinois.

Sam Parkhurst of Chicago is vis. iting his sister, Mrs. C. W. Williams.

Miss Essie Mayor is the first state of the first Miss Essie McVean is assisting Miss
Sada Wilson with her sewing, Miss
Fannie Krebs having assisting Miss
Gav

Dr. Shanks and wife of Thompsonville visited at Jay Trobridge's Monvisiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Henry Huber and daughter, to her home in Detroit. Rev. C. F. Brown of Bowne was in Grand Rapids one evening last week to hear Evangelist Torrey.

Vianna of Brown City are visiting at A. Hurber's and S. Nash's. She will also visit old neighbors and Frank Sherrard.

Nora Helrigle returned to her home at Max Denny's. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parker o ternal use, stops itching instantly and destroys the germs that cause skin dispermanently cured by this remarkable medicine.

F. Knapp was in Lowell Saturday.

O. Rivett was in Grand Banda. O. Rivett was in Grand Rapids Rapids the past few weeks has rethe crowd that greated them at the Miss E. Barrett goes to Gran play given by the Grange, Dec. 10 for Rapids Thursday night to spend the

A POSITIVE CUNT FOR DANDRUFF.

ELMDALE

BOWNE

the scalp clean and healthy.

benefit of the lecture course. holidays with her parents. Buckwheat bran and middlings,

They took in over sixty dollars besides the season tickets. He wishes from their farm to Grand Rapids and from the Grand Rapids and from best for milk. \$18 00 per ton. King to thank all who assisted in making he will work for the Putman Candy John Long and Misses Olive and Amelia Long, Zella Drew and Muriel Hunt were given 1st and 2nd degree

Household Furniture For Sale

Bedroom suites, dining room fur
Bedroom suites, dining room fur-Household Furniture for Sale Fred Pottrun and land Rap few years ago moved to Grand Rap Nemma and Emery Freeman and chairs, kitchen range, gasoline range, come them home. Rosa Farhni spent last Saturday in sheet from heator, refrigerator, car. J. E. Tower was in Grand Rapids

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Freeman have been quite ill the past this week. Listen to the wedding bells ring Mrs. Margaret Dodds of Saranac Miss Nelite Kimble is visiting her Mrs. Thomas Curley and son Fran spent the day last week Wednesday with Mesdames Vookes and Duffer cousins at Saranac and all spent cis spent a few days with Mr. Saturday in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Clark have moved to consult and Mrs. VanDyke of Grand Rapids.

SEELEY COR moved to Lowell and occupy the Clyde Stark returned home from A great dairy food, buckwheat Wilson house on River street, west | Chicago Tuesday. bran and middlings, \$18.00 per ton. Mesdames Edna Johnson, Anna King Milling Co. The next number of the Lecture | Smith and Amy Thomas was in Val-Mrs. Orville Reynolds visited her ley City Friday.

A farmers' institute will be held at South Boston Grange hall some time during first week in January, exact date to be announced later.

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been used by three generations. They last week on business. ache, bowel troubles and colds. They purify the blood. Try them—25c per box. Ask for free sample. Sold by

Earl and Jay Godfrey spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Belle of Grand Ledge recently.

Have the sample of th Earl and Jay Godfrey spent Sat-Mrs. Bell Stark spent Friday with as night watchman, at Banner Miss Josephine Salsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark spent
Sunday with Manager Clark spent
Sunday with Manager Clark spent Miss Josephine Salsbury.

Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark. all failed till he used Dr. King's New Merry Christmas and a happy New Year to the Editor, staff and all corters as one of the greatest gifts that dungs, hemorrhages, croup and God has made to women," writes whooping cough get quick relief and The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Palmer Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Center, prompt cure from this glorious med The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Paimer was at the residence here Wednesday at 10 30, her pastor, Rev. D. L. Berry officiating. Singing by Mesdames Wm. Vandervere and Ralph Auble, with Miss Lydia Cook at the organ. She was laid at rest in Cascade cemselver and Ralph Auble, with Miss Lydia Cook at the organ. She was laid at rest in Cascade cemselver and dizzy spells; soon builds and dizzy spells; soon builds at 10 30, her pastor, Rev. D. L. Berry officiating. This glorious medicine, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by D. G. Look.

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Buckwheat bran and middling site of the control o

fainting and dizzy spells; soon builds \$18,00 per ton. King Milling Co.

of Bowne were united in marriage. Bert Willet and family are moving Cordilla Tylor of Bowne were mar ling to school now on account of bad

Your Fortune?



P. J. Kennedy has purchased the Fonger property and will move his family there this week.

Orve Kellogg and wife and two children spent Sunday at the home of his father at Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Davis visited the latter's sister Mrs. Wm. Patterson and family last Thursday.

Mrs. Sarah Streeter and son Claud were in Ada Thursday. Mrs. Streeter stayed for a few days to visit with daughter Mrs. Herb Burt.

Mrs. Wm. Thomas spent over Sunday with her son Arch and wife.

And does not have to remain on the face any longer than soap.

If your complexion is good now, begin using Balm of Almond before powders and creams show their ill effects. If you are not quite satisfied with your skin, use Balm of Almond at once before it gets worse. It contains no harmful ingredients. Mothers use it for their babies. It is sold in this city by M. N. Henry for 50 cents per jar, or send the money to the Charles Chemical Co., Grand Rapids, Mich., and they will send you a jar postpaid.

Vergennes Taxes

Saturday Dec. 11 and following Saturdays for the collection of the Vergennes township taxes.

J. Krum, Treasurer.

Saturday Dec. 11 and following ference of 12 feet at the butt and 7 feet at the top, and contained over ten tons of timber when cut up.

She is about to be married; she be famous in order to have it stat she is not going to get married. New York Past.

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per of Western Michigan whose price alone at any other time is a flat \$2.50 for one full year. We will send you the Orange Judd Farmer-a weekly farm journal which, since 1842, has been the premier farm weekly of the middle west-for one full year. We will send you Uncle Remus' Home Magazine-a great monthly magazine which is today the nation's popular favorite—for one full year. Remember these dates. Bring your money to the office of The Lowell Ledger.

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suspended, social visits were exchanged, presents were given and received, and feasting throughout the empire was the order of the day. The early Christians at first set themselves against the usages of the day as observed by the Romans until the fixing of Christmas day on the 25th of December, and New Year's day came to be observed as the octave of the Nativity and also as the Festival of the Circumcision. The observance and spirit of the day have not changed very greatly in the onrush of the centuries. We might go back across the long

So many sentiments crowd themselves into New the good will of the gods. Year's day and all are mostly children in the way in which the day appears to them and in the simple feelings and emotions by which it is observed. The greeting: "A Happy New Year!" pushes up through the hard strata of the year, and the simple emotions, which make the whole world kin, bring friend nearer to friend and melt life together into a richer affection, and good will becomes the keynote of life on this day. Grudges are dropped, resentments dissolved, and the average man with the average endowment of affection for

The stars, which now look down on eartly that seen ten thousand centuries fly, his fellows finds it almost impossible to vitalize any of his hatreds through the emotion-laden moments of New Year's day. The personal life has many things to say to itself; it is at once a closing of accounts and the opening of a new career. Old things pass away and all things seem to become new. The things that might have been and have not become are forgotten in the new hopes depressing words;

and aspirations and ambitions which spring up in

Of course, nobody will ever be what the hopes

the heart on the first day of the year.

stretch of years between the day we live in and the day when the Romans intermost sanguine architect of the richer fortune yet modern spirit takes account of its own enlarged and

changed their social visits and their good wishes to be will fall short of the ideal that controls his enlarging kingdom. and both gave and received their strenae, and be- imagination. But the very fact that the day stirs tween the then and the now the identity of feel- these noble impulses and floods the prospective ing, emotion and sentiment concerning this day days with the glow of hope is in itself an assurance that the year shall be rich in the gifts and generation ago could have forecast the world we The increasing rush of time sweeps on! Whelm'd in its surges, disappear Man's hopes and fears-forever gone! The hour demands another strain. Demands high thoughts that cannot quail, And strength to conquer and retain. 'Tis midnight-from the dark blue sky lines so beautifully express:

And given to countless changes birth.

All nature is but art, unknown to thee; Shine on! shine on! With you I tread The march of ages, orbs of light! All partial evil, universal good, To me, to me, there comes no night! The sentiment that phrases itself in the quite have been hid from the foundation of the world, the The world is very evil. The times are wearing late, realization that man himself is his own providence and faith of the day project for the individual life. is hardly in tune with the modern spirit when dreamed of, and that the "greater things" the greatin a vastly larger degree than hitherto he has The most ardent believer in the better day, the life is thought of as a corporate business and this est of all Teachers foretold ages ago that he should

ness and a wisdom that give prom- he has the farm. men ency you, leading to countless domestic difficulties for them. The preacher is unable to see whether all the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women and preacher is unable to see whether all the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women and read that the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women and preached in the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women and preached in the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the deacons are awake or not by the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of our time is the fact that life mirrors listelf in such a women of the will be well to put a brace on each life our time life. Saw out a piece two inches wide and offeres that make for the best. Saw out a piece two inches wide and offeres that make for the best. Saw out a piece two inches wide and offeres that make for the best. Factors of a life of the will be well to put a brace on each life out the life mirrors listelf in such a women of the will be will to the market. A broad and generous as such as a distinguished state in the deacons are awake or not by the will an adventment of the life out the life mirrors listed in the deacons are awake or not by the will an adventment of the life out the will be

gradiane noises belt loose upon the outdoor sleeping fad and became prinding to the became of the outdoor sleeping fad and became prinding to our beautiful city. For the good resolution is marching forward. Only a few days more and we will be found of great assistance he grands at the human race it is not good resolution is marching forward. Only a few days more and we will be found of great assistance he grands at the human race it is not grands at the world grands at the human race it is not grands at the world grands at the human race it is not grands at the human ra

olence on the two faces froze into outraged dignity.

"Such impertinence?" snapped one.

"How insulting?" huffed the other.

"How insultin

"I insist, dear; I'm not a bit tired."
Neither am I, and I'd just as soon stand."
"No, no, you take it. I—"
And then the tired man did what so many have wanted to see done any many times. He took it simself.

The Federal Constitution.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

The I is in hone of the United States alone, who want to old in this regard in the winters are no aimself.

As he sank wearily but calmly back

The took it mendous and most bitter opposition and 27 against ratification. Virginia to the adoption of the present Federal voted 89 for, 79 against, Massachusetts hard.

The took it mendous and most bitter opposition and 27 against ratification. Virginia ture is most certain to pack down hard.

The took it is a fact touch each other, nearing and good land as that which is selling for ture is most certain to pack down hard.

The Other Way About.

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FOR CLOSING A HONEY-GATE

be Taught to Respect His can is full; but I went further, and If you are a farmer and you want your son to be a farmer after you, each him from his earliest boyhood to respect his father's calling. Instill into his mind the fact that the

are successes. Make him feel that gate when the can is within one quart speaking of Canada: you rest upon his faithfulness and of being full, writes Carey W. Rees, "We have been going ahead so rap-Do not blame him when he is not at made my bearings a little more deli- have been somewhat swelled with the fault, even if things do not turn out as cate I think I could fill the can even idea that we are carrying on our shoul-

full every time. I run the honey direct from the ex- world. We have not been conscious form of a funnel that extends directly | country and a young nation that is over a pit, at the bottom of which is 7,000,000 people, but the country is a balance-board with a weight on one still hardly scratched." end and a honey-can on the other. Jas. J. Hill speaking before the board and sinks down, thus releasing ago said:

yound up around the axle shown at to-day it may surprise you-one out 6. When the axle-trigger is released, of every five children born in Canada the weight runs down into the pit be- lives in the United States. Now you New Formula Cures Coughs, Colds, low, ringing the bell. The weight are playing the return match, and the Bronchitis and Hoarscness that closes the honey-gate is drawn North-West is getting people from the up and hooked by means of the trig- United States very rapidly. We Much is being done in these days ger. When it is released it falls four brought 100 land-seekers, mainly from to stop the ravages of consumption, or five feet with a hard jerk, and Iowa and Southern Minnesota, last but probably nothing has been so closes the gate every time . HANDY JACK FOR FARM WAGON all the way from five, ten to twenty bronchitis, tonsilitis, etc., with simple

night out of St. Paul, going to the effective as teaching the public how North-West. Now, these people have to break up a cold and cure coughs, thousand dollars each, and they will home-mixed medicine. A laxative these he is doing in this very efforts. Continual disparagement day with a miraculous confidence breaks the boy's spirit and there is THAT I Upon you! Shamey! Remember grandma is not so young as she once was and the penitential efficiency of a bunion is greatly enhanced by the life over the happiness and health is own commission over the happiness and health is own commission. dreamed of. He is finding out that Providence is a partnership and that no man may be a sleeping partner in the business of living without the penalty of losing the wide and the ten acre field, and how you and will be found very handy, writes John Upton in Orange Judd Farmer. Take a piece of two-inch plank, six inches wide and 2½ feet long. Set this into another piece eight inches wide and two feet long, which is to wide and two feet long, which is to condition to the propose to make the upland fields pay. John Upton in Orange Judd Farmer. Take a piece of two-inch plank, six inches wide and 2½ feet long. Set this into another piece eight inches wide and two feet long, which is to condition the propose to make the upland fields pay. John Upton in Orange Judd Farmer. Take a piece of two-inch plank, six inches wide and 2½ feet long. Set this into another piece eight inches wide and two feet long, which is to condition the propose to make the upland fields pay. John Upton in Orange Judd Farmer. Take a piece of two-inch plank, six inches wide and 2½ feet long. Set this into another piece eight inches wide and two feet long, which is to should be found very handy, writes and will be found very handy, writes and will be found very handy, writes John Upton in Orange Judd Farmer.

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lows was caught on a reservation with Ancients Wore Sheath Gowns. a bottle on him, and it cost him \$50. It need not be supposed that even against the laws of the country. gown was popular among the ladies of

problems are already solved. They can get up into the air without the aid of dynamite and they can come down again with practically no effort. Of course there are other difficulties to be overcome such as the tendency on the part of the machine to select its own time and place for coming down. But these problems are minor Turns at Last

Workm Turns at Last

There are several and they can come down again with practically no effort. Of the same in such adder and a good lantern. Not many bead and a farm, are a good lantern. Not many bead and a minery ward of the said. "My bees now work overtime," he said. "No hibernating for them. In the spring I send them down south and they toll like blazes among the work of the settlement of the work of the settlement of the work of the said in part:

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tion, the growth of railways has been COUNTRY WHOSE SOIL SPELLS duite as wonderful, and the whole trunk and branch lines. Three great

bushels, Saskatchewan 20,000,00, and WHAT PRESIDENT TAFT AND Alberta about 7,000,000, while the ca-OTHERS THINK OF CANADA. pacity of elevators at Fort William and Port Arthur, on the Great Lakes,



country from Winnipeg to the Rocky

Mountains will soon be a net-work of

anscontinental lines are pushing

onstruction in every direction, and

at each siding the grain elevator is

Second Ditto-Almost, I walked

and the fruitage of the life that now is, as well as of that which is to come, is a vastly larger commission than the world hitherto has the fullness of a manly boy.

Take him into your confidence early. Let him know what you are going to sion than the world hitherto has to come, is a vastly larger commission than the world hitherto has the fullness of a manly boy.

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own way without opposition?" she had to fight for it."

You cannot hurt anybody without it beautiful, hurling it out with force. professor with a smile. "I thought it They fell to talking of mutual acreceiving a greater hurt yourself .- The group looked at him a moment was Greek."

derneath the quiet, for the professor's thing at it?"

"It will do more for you than I can," said the professor. He had drawn a sheet of paper towards him. "How

"You might as well have plenty of life while you're about it. I hear they hustle things out there. You won't think you're in the woods-or in college." He had taken up his pen. " have a friend on one of the dailies. I'll "Thank you, sir." Richard stood up The professor held out his hand. "That's all right. Bring around some of the letters you've done on the college. They'll help you more than anything I can say. I'll put them in when

CHAPTER IX. She was dressed in a long cloak,

I to a deep measure. The professor held grayish-brown, with gray hat and veil. his head high and stepped to a mighty Her tall figure loomed duskily in the Richard Derring, returning from a winter in the woods to his mother's farm home, is overtaken by his uncle, accompanied by his eccentric wife, coming to pay a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's questions about Emily Hutton, supposed to be Richard's sweetheart, bring out the fact that she is to marry a merchant. back of the elevator. She was speak-

Emily or even to remember that he!

CHAPTER VIII. had expected to remember her and be miserable. She rested in the backto go about. They were terribly in. A crowd of boys were waiting about ground of memory, a faint blur. flamed, both the balls and lids. I the door. The boy of the back seat brushed out of existence by a grinning tried home remedies without relief. linked his arm in Richard's. "What'd yell of derision. Then I decided to go to our family old Four-Eyes want?" he demanded. He learned to set his teeth and grin physician, but he didn't help them. "Got a leather medal anywhere?" back; and in the end he found his un-Then I tried two more of our most | "What'd he say, anyhow?" | welcome distinction an advantage. It prominent physicians, but my eyes | The fact that Richard was their might not be comfortable to be recoggrew continually worse. At this time senior by several years did not seem nized and pointed out in every new a friend of mine advised me to try to impress them. They gathered class he attended as the learned wood- Asked Permission to Look About the Cuticura Ointment, and after using it about him, chaffing and questioning, chopper; but at least he was recog-

"Liked it, did he? My eye!"

sured place.

working his way through college num- boy. "For he liked it, don't you know, berless opportunities sprang up. The "Third, please," said Derring. His where we are?" Following a whirlwind campaign don't you know?" they chanted, "For faculty gave him tutoring and secre- newspaper life was teaching him to against consumption in Charleston, the

American tuberculosis exhibition of the liked it, don't you know—o-oh!" tary work to do. The student body think and act quickly. He must give her time to get at work. He stepped out at the third floor and the door was slammed behind him. He could spend half an hour looking over the things on this floor. It would all work in some time-if he were promoted, as he hoped to be. His position at present included a variety of work. He was liable to be called on o write a column on any subject-

hands full of brushes and color-tubes. "Pray do not rise," he said. "If you vill kindly go on working I shall feel less that I am intruding." He explained his errand and asked customed himself to the idea that the which she gave the permission

"In fact," she said, smiling, "I sup-

no time to explore. Nevertheless he He looked at her in surprise. portant thing, and the world outside takes all its grace, color, and value from that.—Lowell.

A shout of defiance went up from the group. They were drunk with too much Greek and with release from oppression.

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM

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Pression.

Quiet, down there:

A shout of defiance went up from found himself, at the end of the course, taking honors in English. He gasped a little. Then he hunted up the professor of English and laid between the pression.

He looked at her in surprise. By you go there?"

"I have spent the last three summers there," she replied.

"And I have not been home for the found himself, at the end of the gasped a little. Then he hunted up the professor of English and laid between the professor quaintances and places of interest.

a trim, slight man. "Had enough in college?"

Richard nodded.

Became to Derring a very home-like place. They two were shut in, alone, in the midst of the quiet. The great, practical city reproductive but the college. The professor drummed with his did not hear it. He did not realize fingers on the table for a moment, that she showed the tact of a woman "Had you thought of trying for a col- of the world in guiding the conversa-It flushed a little. "I want some dismay, looking at his watch. "I am She gave him her hand at parting

JUST WANTED A SENSATION That Prompted Young Man's

The girl was very rich and little more tender than usual.

young man was poor, but honest. She knew it. One night he had been a "You are very rich," he ventured. "Yes," she replied frankly. "I am worth \$1,250,000." "And I am poor." "Yes." "Will you marry me?"

"Oh, just to see how a man feels

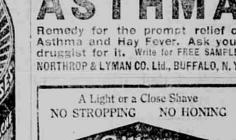
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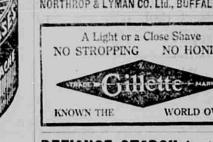
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ern district of New York, participated. promptly. District Attorney Wise The "sleeper trunk" frauds, where pecially discussed the sleeper ques

Worm Turns at Last

"Sit down, dear, "No, you sit down."

car together and the tired-looking man | "Go ahead, dear, and take it." in his seat the smiles of mutual benev- Constitution, both among the members 187 for, 168 against.

spread abroad!

Human experience seems to indicate that progress in any line is necessarily gradual. Take the flying many line is necessarily gradual.

great men of all ages were sons of farmers. Teach him never to be

ashamed of the senseless and threadbare jokes of would-be humorists over old Hayseed and his lumbering old market wagon and his quaintness of speech when he visits the city and stares round at the sights, and does not make half so much a fool of himself as the average city man when he comes to the country, says New Zealand Dairyman. Do not fill his life entirely with work. Recreation is as necessary to nappiness and to a healthful development of the spirithal and ment of the spirithal and mental faculties as is pure air, and there is untold wisdom in the old saw, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull

Father's Calling.

Encourage him when he tries to d

know and are perfectly at home with to-day. Bulwer Lytton in his short book, "The Coming Race," endeavored to tell the story and achievement of mankind in the day that was shortly to be, but his seeming impossible world has been more than realized in our own day. The half has not been told. The great note of the day is the large grasp human life possesses over its own career and destiny, the growing confidence that this old yet ever renewing world is solving its own problems, and, under the guiding of that Providence which Pope's well-known

All chance, direction, which thou canst not see: All discord, harmony, not understood; is working for the day of a perfectly ordered and perfectly adjusted civilization. The greater power man is accumulating and employing over his own bodily life, his mastery of the secrets of life which

> be endowed with competence to do you expected. Never disparage his very thing that life is-a world of pay the hired man for taking care of

This is the note, surely, as civi- Do not disgust him with farming in

public man can deceive his constituents uents to-day, for his constituents load of corn at husking time. The world And the strong world are the world. And the strong man to-day is the man who frankly recognizes this.

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residents of the United States are worth \$250,000,000,000.

Unnecessary deaths every year cost in capitalized earnings, \$1,000.

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Bell When Sixty-Pound Can Is Full of Sweetness.

The filling of honey-cans always takes time and there is, besides, the EACH YOUR BOYS FARMING danger of wasting the honey on account of cans running over. I ofter thought of Mr. Hutchinson's electric From Earliest Childhood Youth Should bell for giving the alarm when the

to be found. Manitoba being the first settled province, has now an elevator capacity of upwards of 25,000,000

is upwards of 20,000,000 more. other Fat Year for the Canadian Within the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta there are flour and oatmeal mills with a combined capacity of 25,000 barrels per Our Canadian neighbors to the north day, and situated along some famous are again rejoicing over an abundant water powers in New Ontario, there harvest, and reports from reliable are larger mills than will be found sources go to show that the total yield anywhere in the Prairie Provinces. of 1909 will be far above that of any Last year the wheat crop totaled over 100,000,000 bushels. This year It is estimated that \$100,000,000 the crop will yield 30,000,000 more. A will this year go into the pockets of recent summary shows that on the 1st the Western farmers from wheat of January, 1909, the surveyed lands alone, another \$60,000,000 from oats of the three western provinces, totaled and barley, while returns from other crops and from stock will add \$40,- 000,000 have been given as subsidies to 000,000 more. Is it any wonder then railways, 11,000,000 disposed of in oththat the farmers of the Canadian er ways and 38,000,00 given by the

Canadian Government as free home-Thousands of American farmers steads, being 236,000 homesteads of have settled in the above mentioned 160 acres each. Of this enormous terprovinces during the past year; men ritory, there is probably under crop who know the West and its possibili- at the present time less than 11,000,ties, and who also know perhaps bet- 000 acres; what the results will be ter than any other people, the best when wide awake settlers have taken well, even if he fails. Failures which devised an apparatus that not only methods for profitable farming. teach us how to avoid future disasters rings the bell but shuts the honey- President Taft said recently in cultivating the fertile prairie lands, one can scarcely imagine. truth in whatever you entrust to him. in Gleanings in Bee Culture. If I idly in our own country that our heads GOOD PART OF IT. ders all the progress there is in the

tractor into a strainer made in the that there is on the north a young into the sixty-pound can. I have the looking forward, as it well may, to a extractor on the floor with the gate great national future. They have When the can fills it overbalances the | Canadian Club of Winnipeg a few days the trigger that holds the weight. The | "I go back for 53 years, when I Illustration shows the whole plan very came West from Canada. At that time First Actorine—Been on the road clearly. The whole apparatus costs | Canada had no North-West. A young all season, dearie? less than one dollar to make. boy or man who desired to carve his The weight that rings the bell is own way had to cross the line, and from San Francisco.

A Rare Good Thing.

Valuable Recipe When Afflicted with This is a renowned doctor's very "One ounce compound syrup Sarsaparilla; one ounce Toris compound; half pint high grade whiskey. Mix them and take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed time. The bottle must be well shaken each time." Any druggist has these ingredients or he will get them from his whole-

The Mayor — Just think, admiral, I've married 20 people in two hours.

The Admiral—Well, that's only ten knot= an hour.

SORE EYES CURED.

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The Mayor — Just think, admiral, It when the is to marry a merchant, Edwards. Derring's disappointment stimulates his ambition and under the advice of Seth Kinney, a hermit of the woods, he resolves to fit himself for college. Kinney here this resolve, and in his grandfather's old laboratory begins the study of Greek. Seth Kinney, hears Richard's Greek Seth Kinney hears Richard's Greek Seth Kinney, hears Rich

through entrance examinations, wins approval from the professor and insures his popularity among his fellows.

The situation gave him enough to think about. He forgot to remember

about one week my eyes were con. They disregarded his stern look as he nized. No professor forgot his name

they were almost well. They have crowd. never given me any trouble since and "Oh, hold on." I am now sixty-five years old. I shall "Tell us what he said." Mouth of Wilson, Va., Apr. 4, 1908." | resentfully.

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston. the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis recently opened another exhibition movement in Greenville, S. C. After January 1 the work will be continued in Columbia, S. C., in connection with the session of the state legislature.

Efforts will be made to secure an appropriation to fight tuberculosis. Anin Coloradot and is now touring Oklahoma. A state-wide fight will be waged in this state. Later, this ex-Gwendolyn seemed a bit unhappy. "I was merely thinking how terrible

CLIP THIS OUT.

best prescription for rheumatism.

NOTHING REMARKABLE.

Cuticura Proved Successful.

"About two years ago my eyes got

in such a condition that I was unable

sale house.

loved each other-or, Harry-Oh! wouldn't it have been too terrible!"-

her own way. Oughtn't she be satis-"She'd be better satisfied with it if Howell-Do you think that Dr. Row-

will try to do will be to perform an ter of the morn," walled in the Greek image grew so faint that Cupid must there. A sudden exciamation caused ley column in the national convention. In 1900 Mr. Calhoun could have re-Some people suffer continually with tired, aching and swollen feet. Little do tired, aching and swollen feet. Little do they know how soothing is Hamlins Wizthey know how soothing is Hamlins Wizthey know how soothing is Hamlins Wizthey and have the burlesque its of leaving undere half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undere half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undere half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undere half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undered half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undered half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undered half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving undered half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half that he meant the burlesque its of leaving under half the b Oil. Rub it in at night and have of joy. They sent the burlesque jig- of leaving undone half that he meant "Yes. Do you know it:

"Yes. Do you know it:

"My home is there, It seems strange commission, serving until 1900, in which year he moved to Chicago. In 1905 After all, the kand of world one carries about within one's self is the im
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The first all that he meant that he m

A deep voice underran the chant fore him his secret desire, and snatched it from them and made "Want to be a journalist?" said the away." doubtingly. Then they gave way and Richard made a hasty gesture- She had heard of Seth Kinney and followed his lead. The burlesque had "Never!" Winstow's Soothing Syrap.

Seecme a march of triumph. BreathThe professor laughed out. He was became to Derring a very home-like on account of the farmer?"

"Three cheers for Four-Eyes!" lege position-English assistant, or tion. It seemed to him spontaneous Heads were thrust out again above, something?" He watched Richard's and natural. BROWN'S The group broke up and drifted apart thing that will take me into life. I've keeping you—and the article must be with a final yell. Windows descended never known anything but the woods in by two." d superior meets for selleving Coughs, d Irritation of throat; of great benefit the professor, crossing the first and Astigna. Free continued a little well, with the cordiality of an old friend.

The Greek professor, crossing the journalism will take you into life all (TO BE CONTINUED.) campus five minutes later, heard only journalism will take you into life, all (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Interesting Relic

CURE Joung pretender, came to England to cherished a romantic regard for it as such.

A such attempt the recovery of the throne of "Prince Charlie," and was one of his Hans Breitmann Says: THE SEST MENGINE FOR GUESS SIES

attempt the recovery of the throne of his ancestors, he gave a ball in Paris to which his friends and partisans were invited. Among the many beautiful women present, Lady Mary Touchet, a young English lady, greatly attracted the prince's notice, and be fore the evening was over he cut out the "star" which decorated his breast gave the "star" and a picture of the Daily News.

Hans Breitmann Says:

"A man's life is a castle; und he chenerally has it too light by der atticulation."—Cleveland News.

The race isn't always to the swift sister, who married Philip Thicknesse. The race isn't always to the swift not care for the Jacobite relic, and the "star" which decorated his breast gave the "star" and a picture of the Daily News.

Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States court of appeals, writing in the North American Review under the caption, "Prosperity with Justice," advocates the rise of a new po-

litical party committed to the policy of an equal "I thought you wouldn't distribution among all men of the fruits of their "Then why did you ask me?" Judge Grosscup holds that the society of the when he loses \$1,250,000."-Illustrational state of the lose state of the los future must be founded on "a proprietary co- trated Sunday Magazine. partnership in corporate success," and adds that he is now ready to renounce his loyalty to the Stamps of German Domestics. Republican party in favor of a new party which | Each week there is pasted in the shall have for its purpose the establishment of little blank book that every servan a policy of justice and equity to all mankind. girl in Germany must possess a pos

The period of awakening in America, says | age stamp to the value of about fiv udge Grosscup, came with the administration of cents. Mr. Roosevelt. Doctrines which cannot now be This stamp is a donation, compu orgotten and which must be worked into the very fabric of our national sory under the German law, which the life were then enunciated. Corporate greed must be curbed, the tariff must mistress must afford the servan be revised and a scheme devised which will work justice to the common | Should the girl fall ill, the stamps are

Judge Grosscup believes that the present administration is not only fall- servant may retain the stamps indefiing to carry out the policies inaugurated by Col. Roosevelt, but is assuming | nitely until, when she has attained a a reactionary attitude which is making the burden of the worker more oppressive and intolerable than before. Hence the need of a fresh party. As a premium for them.—The Sunday to the actual work for reform accomplished by the former president, Judge | Magazine. "The central figure of this period (the period of awakening) was Presi- Loss of appetite at this season acdent Roosevelt. There are those blind enough to the faults of this remark- companied by lassitude is a symptom able man to see in him a greater man than Lincoln; and those blind enough of weakened vitality. Improve the ap to his virtues not to see in him the extraordinary insight that gave to him, petite and digestion and nature will do as to Lincoln, his leadership among men. But no one saw more clearly than the rest says a well-known medical Mr. Roosevelt that his administration had accomplished little in the actual | man. This is highly recommended and work of reframing the laws to carry out its spirit—no one saw more clearly than he that his work was chiefly that of a procedur of right-courses. han he that his work was chiefly that of a preacher of rightcourness. "To bis successor-wholly selected by himself-was left the constructive and one conce syrup sarsaparilla con work that was expected to be done. Roosevelt had summoned the people, pound to a half pint of good whisker and impaneled them as a great jury before whom to frame and to whom to and take a tablespoonful three to six ubmit, one after another, the constructive proposals that would carry out | times a day. Excellent too as a tonic te purpose of the awakening. The proposals themselves he left to be system cleanser. anned and submitted by his successor. sals was tariff revision. That proposal was distinctly framed in the constitution that nominated Taft. It was submitted by him pointedly to the jury The first of these proposals in the supposed series of progressive pro- While the area conceded to the 13 of the people. The verdict returned was for a revision, not a make-believe, present area is but 326,000 square but a real revision; and nothing remained after that but to put the verdict | miles, the other 502,000 square miles

into judgment at the special session of congress.

siderably improved, and in two weeks tried to shoulder his way through the or fumbled up and down the class-list ing to the elevator boy, who stood "Whether the verdict has been put into judgment or whether it was set states." trying to place him. And the fact with his hand on the rope and slid-to aside Senator Aldrich wielding the real authority of the part, in power, the that he was older than the majority the door as Derring entered. president satisfied with a concession here and there around the edges-will of the class, added to the uncanny "This is my reception afternoon, be determined speedily, not by what the president says, but by what ex- I have ever used. It makes a nice color always praise Cuticura. G. B. Halsey.

In the end Richard complied, half

Greek distinction, gave him an asshow the many directly to the studio."

Tom. If visitors ask for me, you can perference shows the tariff beneficiaries can do under cover of the so-called mixed goods. So Mrs. Corbett writes.

Greek distinction, gave him an asshow them directly to the studio." show them directly to the studio." 'revision.' When it was known that he was "Yes, Miss Gordon," returned the "If experience shows that this, the first promise of the new administra- not in stock, send 10 cents to Dyola. tion, has been broken-then what? Is it not time, in that event, to inquire Burlington, Vt. Mention color desired CUT THIS OUT, mail it with your address

GREAT LAWYER SAVES WOMAN of the greatest of the country's corporation law- Worth its Weight in Gold. yers, was appointed several weeks ago by Jus- PETTIT'S EYE SALVE strengthens old tice Malone of the supreme court of New York eyes, tonic for eye strain, weak, to defend Augusta Crisinti, charged with the mur. Druggists or Howard Bres., Buffalo, N. Y. der of her husband, the bar was amazed and What a young man earns in the daywondered what he would do with the case.

NEW MINISTER TO CHINA to China. The Chicago lawyer at first declined BLIND, BLEEDING, ITCHING, PROTRUDING PILES

"We lawyers owe something to the dignity of the business," Untermyer

houn to the federal bench, to the place given Judge Carpenter, if he would take it, say those

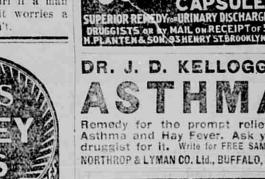
fearlessly defended the "insurgents" at Washingrought the Chicago lawyer back into the political field and it is said those who did not agree

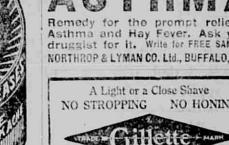
PLEADS FOR RACE SUICIDE With Theodore Roosevelt in far-away Africa. no one yet has taken up the cudgel to defend the former president's anti-race-suicide theory, which University of Pennsylvania. Prof. Nearing is instructor of economics, and he sees as one of the direst perils which confront this country the

Interesting Relic

Just before Charles Edward, the just before Charles Edward, the prince of the freeder's "star" is now in the possistent of the case about to be presented it to her. Lady Mary poung pretender, came to England to late and presented a romantic regard for "Prince Charles," and was one of his ancestors, he gave a ball in Paris to which his friends and partisans were invited. Among the many beautiful women present, Lady Mary Touchet, a young English lady, great, who married Philip Thickness, artiful to work which his princes and beauty. The "star" after street, who married Philip Thickness. The case isn't always to the swift time streeted the prince's notice, and be sure, who marked Philip Thickness, attracted the prince's notice, and be "star" and a picture of the case about to be prosented to the first of the case about to be prosented to the case about to be prosented to the case about to be prosented to which his friends and partisans were invited. Among the many beauty. The "star" after by the analysis of the case about to be prosented to which his friends and partisans were invited. Among the many beauty the activational work, which is the ideal to art which the series of the prince's notice, and beauty. The "star" and a picture of the course of the throne of the challed, but a real assistance of the child, but a real ass prince to his nieces. Doubtless the Clubwomen Help Backward Students. Who is backward and slow of compre- by goods are brought into this country tion at the conference.















SALE **BEGINS** DEC. 22

PAYNE'S

SALE **ENDS** JAN. 1st

LATEST STYLES

We have placed 97 new Winter Models in 3 lots for

Perfect Workmanship

Each coat is of a different this 10-day Coat Sale. There are no two coats alike. style than the others. Every coat is guaranteed to be made of pure wool materials and sewed with silk. The linings are of guaranteed satins.

Fancy Mixtures, etc. All the new 6.75 models. Values up to \$10.00

LOT 2--Black and fancy colored Coats of Broadcloth, Kerseys, heavy coatings, etc., made to Moyen Age, Co-Ed, Dagobert and pleated skirt models.

LOT 3---Values up to \$25.00, made of the best Broadcloths, Serges, Kerseys, Meltons and fancy coatings all the newest shades, Co-Eds, Military, Moyen Age, etc.
This lotincludes everything from \$20 to \$25

More Styels to select from

LADIES' HOME JOUR-**NAL PATTERNS.**

Better Materials

1-2 Price-FURS-Price 1-2

Attend Payne's coat sale.

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Thimbles at Williams'.

Attend Pavne's coat sale.

Best iron sled made—Ford's

Attend Payne's coat sale.

Lodge pins at Williams'.

Cut glass at Williams .

display. Williams.

Mrs. Frank Leynard.

Harbor for himself and Allen G.

Unclaimed letters in the post

office for J. W. Bishop-2, M. A.

Brown & Co., Charles Watson,

Lena, care of Mrs. Griss R. 52,

Special of \$159 on one fine

John Young has bought a

piano for holidays at Stocking's.

looking Lake Washington and

Herald-Ledger bargain days

expire January 1. Don't forget

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kings-

ley of Pontiac will spend Christ-

turned to Detroit.

hardware.

was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will W. Yeiter of

days with relatives.

Miss Emily Sayles went to

Evart Tuesday to spend the holi-

Several of the best fall models ranging in price from \$7.00 to \$10.00, have been placed in the \$5.00 line for quick selling. We give you the best possible skirt for the price, and the price is small.

PAYNE'S, The Quality Store

A **MERRY CHRISTMAS** TO YOU

BELTS

An arriage license was issued Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Smith will special 50c Belte in gift boxes.

A marriage license was issued Monday to Stephen J. Gunn of Lowell township and Eya Childs.

Fobs at Williams'.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Smith will spend Christmas with friends in Power.

Children s Crib Blankets

with teddy bear, dog, chicken and

Fancy Neckwear in holiday boxes, 25c

Belt Pins, all the newest designs, 25c.

Ladies' initial Handkerchiefs, 6 tied with holiday cibbon, 50c

Black Petticoats

cotton and taffeta, wide tucked

Silk Auto Scarfs

The largest assortment in town. Christmas day. Do ing in the morning. shades. 50c to \$3.50.

Cashmere Dress Patterns

A nice cashmere dress for the little girl. Pretty shades of blue, red, brown, cream etc. 25c and 50c.

Waist Patterns

Fancy Waistings in holiday boxes. 3% yard patterns tied with pretty bran and middlings. Stribbons and put in fancy boxes make ton. King Milling Co. excellent gifts

Back Combs

Fancy Back Combs in all the newest noveltles. Jet combs, combs and Mrs with sets, sawed combs, rhinestone evening. combs, 25c to \$1.00.

Umbrellas

Made of American Taffeta with handles of gold plate and pearl,

Holiday Table Linen

2½ yd Table Cloth, with 1 dozen Napkins to match, put up in holiday boxes, the set, \$3.50.

Black Silk Waist Patterns

Soft finish, black Taffeta Silk for waists and dresses. The silk is guaranteed by the manufacturers to give absolute satisfaction. Full 36 inches

Hose Supporters

Fancy Hose Supporters in holiday boxes, 25c to 50c. Princess Chic Supporters in black and colors, 50c

Infants' Knit Jackets.

Fancy Knit Jackets for bables, cream white, pink and blue, edged with contrasting colors, silk ribbon bows, 25c and 50c.

Phoenix Mufflers in fancy weaves ch in special box, special. 25c

ATTEND THE

SALE AT

Attend Payne's coat sale. For the right book at the right price go right to Henry's drug

Rings at Williams'. S. M. Spencer has returned be known as Ralph Junior.

from a visit with old friends at Special sale on box papers,

fancy china dolls and fountain Alto were in town yesterday.

Gold and pearl mounted founain pens at Stocking's. Will Morrison is working in

Frand Rapids. Christmas candy at Clark's. Leo Kallinger is visiting his

grandfather in Allegan. Get your Christmas holly o Van Dyke.

Howard Watters spent Satur lay and Sunday in Ionia.

Boys' and girls' skates for Christmas—Ford's hardware. Wm. Frisby and mother will turned to work for D. G. Look. spend Christmas in Grand Rap-

Cement brick for sale, phone 68, 1-4. E. Fullington, 27p Edwin Fallas has returned and Estella Cheyne of Grand Rap- Godfrey, Boston. from a few weeks' stay in Duluth | ids.

and northern Michigan. H. J. Taylor's clothing store will be open until 12 o'clock on

Christmas day. Do your buy mas with the latter's parents, E. S. White willlead the Lowell oand in J. T. Berry's place.

Get a box of nice confectionery or her Christmas at Look's andy counter.

per vacation with her parents in the holidays.

A great dairy feed, buckwheat

bran and middlings. \$18,00 per R. J. Flanagan of Grand Rapds was in town Friday.

Attend Payne's coat sale. The D. O. F. club met with Mr. | well's prosperity. and Mrs. F. N. White Saturday

Festoons at Williams'.

Miss Helen Green of Adrian came last week to spend her vacation with her parents here.

Only 2 more days before Christmas get busy pick up some of those bargains at Henry's drug store.

Lawrence Rutherford was in Grand Rapids Saturday. White and New Home Sewing within sight of Mount Raimer.

nachines at special prices for holdays at Stocking's. Miss Maude Van Arsdale of

and don't wait until the last day Ann Arbor is spending the holi. in the afternoon. days with her parents here.

Latest double disk Victor rec-

Coons' clothing store will close

The Herald-Ledger bargain days

The sophomores will go in a

sleigh load to Saranac tonight.

are not confined to the rural routes.

at noon on Christmas day.

troit for several weeks.

ords at Stocking's.

Villagers get in too.

Henry's drug store.

Miss Norah McCarty of Grand Buy her a silver chafing dish Miss Mary Peterle is home for

Rapids has been visiting her cousin, Miss Marguerite Kelly. Genuine pipe brand razors only \$1.50 for holidays at Stocking's. a few days.

Mrs. C. D. Miller and son, Maur-A late shipment of holiday gift books just received at Look's. ice, are visiting friends in Pentwater. Eugene Coats is home from De-

Christmas post cards at Clark's. Benj. Terwilliger has gone to Easton township, Ionia county, to spend two months with the family of Hiram N. Brown and to do some inside carpenter work.

Box candy at Clark's. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gunn of North Dakota are visiting their parents here. The family Christmas decorations at will move from Vanderlip's resi-

Some more of those teachers bibles for Thursday and Friday's sale at Look's only 98c. Christmas cigars at Clark's. Regular communication Cy-Carl Roberts, one of the members clamen chapter No. 94, O. E. S. of the class, will drive his mules. Fridaay evening Dec. 24.

If you wish to spend 10c or \$10 for a present you can get the most for your money and be better suited by buying at Henry's drug store.

Best assortment ever in Low-sell and very reasonable prices is the verdict of ones that have thoroughly inspected Henry's holiday stock.

Washburn and wife, part sw ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife to Adelbert Hardy and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wife, part se ½ sec 32, Bowne twp, \$1,400. God-frey Reusser and wif

Christmas decoration at Clarks, Miss Klenk was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

Values up to \$15.00

Christmas candy at Clark's. Watches 79c to \$40 at Stockspending Christmas with their Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher of Born, a 9-lb. son to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Story, Dec. 21. All daughter and husband, Mr. and Evanston, Ill., will spend Christ- Clark's. Mrs. Arthur Blow, in Grand Rap- mas with their Lowell friends. doing well. The youngster will ids.

> Self basting roasters \$1.75 and \$2.00—Ford's hardware. was the guest of Miss Glennis and Evanston, Ill. Young Sunday.

Silverware—Roger's 1847 and Community—Ford's hardware. Harold Fuller will spend Christ- Post cards at Clark's. nas with his parents in Greenville. Lockets and chains at Williams'. Fielding & Kniffin, produce

Mrs. Cunt Hodges was shopping buyers, have disposed of their stock and closed out their busi-jin Grand Rapids Monday. ness. The Fieldings have re See the big specials for Thurslay and Friday at Look's. Joe Kelly of Grand Rapids and the new year.

Frank Kelly of Chicago will be John Delanev of Big Rapids home tomorrow to spend their Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly. Your choice of 100 pretty gift Dale Morgan has resigned his books regular price 22c. Thursposition at St. Johns and has reday and Friday only 17c at

Among the jurors drawn for Visitors at the home of F. R. the January term of Ionia circuit Ecker for Christmas are, W. Ray | court are: Henry Werner, Otisco; Bolter of Alpena and Miss Dolly J. G. Carr, Keene and George

Boys' tools, boys' -Ford's. F. O. Poteruff and family are

moving back to the farm after a three years' residence in Grand Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stone, Mrs. Rapids, where they have been Kingsley will remain for a week. schooling the children. A razor would be nice for him

\$2.00 and \$3.00 Axminister rugs at Weekes'.

Miss Florence Scott returned Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCarthy last Saturday from Ypsilanti and and two children and Mr. and she is now helping at U. B. Mrs. E. V. Kelly and daughter Miss Mary Menzies will spend Williams jewelry store during of Grand Rapids will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. P.

Subscription renewals received Truxton King, Goose Girl, A Woman for Mayor-the three from Wm. E. Marsh of Benton best selling books this year only

Lasby of Nara Visa, New Mexico. \$1.15 at Look's. Mr. Marsh sends greetings of the H. J. Taylor's clothing store will be open until 12 o'clock on

season and best wishes for Lo-Christmas day. Do your buying in the morning. See our hand painted china Buckwheat bran and middlings,

best for milk. \$18.00 per ton. King Milling Co. L. G. Blakeslee of St. Louis.

Mo., will spend Christmas with his parents Ms. and Mrs. George Blakeslee.

Best for cows, buckwheat bran and middlings. \$18.00 per ton. King Milling Co. home in Seattle, on a hill, over-

Mrs. Lucy A. Hart of Midland sends The Ledger a renewal and a "Merry Christmas and a happy New Year greeting.

Lincoln pennies in change at Perrin McQueen and Austin Coons will come from their studies at Big Rapids and will spend

the holidays with the home folks.

Attend Payne's coat sale. Nathan Blair, who has been in the village for a long time, is making an extended visit with the folks on the old homestead in South Lowell.

Attend Payne's coat sale. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Billinger and little son of Elmdale visited Mrs. B's sister, Mrs. Ransom Vaughan, Saturday.

Attend Payne's coat sale. Mrs. Will Chambers of Emdale

Mrs. M. B. Conklin spent Friday night with friends in Grand

Box candy at Clark's. Real estate transfers: Orrin H. Johnson and wife to William 1

Vergennes twp \$3,800.

Attend Payne's coat sale. Mrs. Lawrence was in Grand Rapids Saturday.

James Scott and family are \$18.00 per ton. King Milling Co. Geo Layman.

Christmas cards at Clark's. Miss Edith Mange will go Friday to spend the holidays with Earl Behler of Grand Rapids relatives and friends in Chicago

> Stationery at Clark's. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Al Morse December 17, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Carson, Dec. 14 a son. Post card albums at Clark's. G. C. Richards and John Wood

ing of Cascade were Ledger callers yesterday "squaring up" for Christmas holly at Van Dyke's. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chambers

went to Toledo Tuesday to spend four weeks with their children, "Harry, Belle and Allie." Diamonds at Stocking's.

Miss Marguerite Southard is derking for J. Howard Payne. Calendar post cards at Clark's. Miss Florence King was

Grand Rapids Tuesday. Box candy at Clark's. Mrs. F. B. McKay was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Christmas post cards at Miss Inez Rutherford is home ders in early and oblige

from Ypsilanti to spend the holidays.

Bracelets at Williams'. Mrs. J. H. Hamilton spent vesterday in Grand Rapids.

horse at Ford's. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caldwell of Chicago have been visiting friends

here a few days. Lincoln pennies in change at The Junior class of the high

school enjoyed a sleigh ride to Saranac Tuesday evening. Christmas postcards at Clark's

home."

Diamonds at Williams'.

Candy, nuts and fruit at

friends here over Sunday. Montie Savles has moved to

Donald Crawford, son of J. D

further conflict of duties.

of The Ledger? We have pretty presentation cards. Fifty-two reminders of your thoughtfulness every year. What could be bet-

C. F. Hosmer.

for Kent county. Other appoint-

ton while hunting rabbits last Saturday was shot by a comin his leg and two in his left hand. Howers, brought to us in our He came to Lowell and Dr. Mer- time of sorrow rill located one by means of the xray and removed it. The others had gone so deep that they were

Mr. and Mrs. Susan Haviland teenth year under the manageand son Wayne of Chicago are ment of its founder and owner. Buckwheat bran and middlings spending a week at the home of If you do not like the Dutchman's

Postmaster Perry says you can save quite a marnin by buying your postage stamps in large

ford last Friday.

membership on the Grand Rapids health board to prevent a

George Tucker of South Bos-

This is THE LEDGER'S seven-

Miss Bertha Carson is spending California, Sunny South, etc. r few days in Grand Rapids.

Bargains in carving sets at

159 South Diamond street.

quantities. Ask him about it.

Mack Dolphin of the Lowell furniture factory will resign his

Why not a Christmas present

flea business, try the old standby for a year. Your money back if you are not satisfied.

Ho, you soft weather folks in We're having good Christmas, Santa Claus, sleigh bells weather Mrs. Flora Keene and daughter on the level, fine "slippin" and Pearl of Grand Rapids visited the old woman picks her geese every day. Don't you wish you were here? Hey, there Oklahoma, Grand Rapids and has located at 159 South Diamond street.

Dust most or Portugate and the light of the light

J. H. Hamilton of the Lowell Granite works has recently furnished a marker for the grave of Herbert C. Owen of Guymon, at 9sc, made with handsome print covers and filled with white cotton? Oklahoma. Mr. Hamilton in- These are much nicer than the usual Crawford, and Mrs. Geo. B. Bal- forms us that his Barry county \$1 and \$1.25 kinds, but the price is com and son of Kalamazoo at- trade has been good and that he only 98c. tended the funeral of W. D. Craw- has placed over four thousand dollars worth of monumental work in the Nashville cemetery and recently received an order for a twelve hundred dollar monument to be erected in the Alma

IONIA—The troubles of Parker and Mary Kuhnman of Saranac are still in the courts, Mary having filed a bill for divorce on the and maroon, with fancy striped grounds of desertion. Early in borders. December Parker was brought into court on a charge of nonsup-The corner grocery announces port, but on the day the case that no goods will be delivered came to trial, Dec. 4, Mrs. Kuhn-Saturday after 12 o'clock noon. man paid the costs and the pros-Patrons will please get their or- ecuting attorney agreed to withlraw the case, as the parties apparently had agreed to settle S. P. Hicks has received his new | their dispute and again try the locuments as jury commissioner path of wedded bliss. They returned home, but the next day ments are Allen C. Adsit and Parkerstarted outfor Kent coun-William H. Loomis of Grand ty to find work, and as far as For Baby-"Shoe fly rocking Rapids and William D. Hall of Mary can find out he is still en- ers \$2 50. gaged in the search.

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Miss Lynn Crawford.

Mrs. E. C. Crawford. J. D. Crawford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Pullen,

Small Rugs

Fleeced Blankets 98c

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Those big black Hand Bage at \$100 are "the nest at the price," They are wonderful values. Coin purs einside 25c to \$5.00.

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of the best wool yarns, in gray, brown, navy, maroon or black, 25c and 50c.

Women's knit Mittens, black only, several different styles, 15c to 50c.

Children's knit Gloves and Mittens, all colors and all class, from the baby to the largest Echildren.

Your choice of about 10 styles of ncy mixtures, \$3

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9x12 Velvet Rugs

Several new Pattern Velvet Ruge,

Ready-made Comforters

Have you seen the new Comforters

9x12 ft, \$16 50. 9x12 Axminster, \$18.50.

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Wool shawls, newports, fascina-tors, etc., white, black and fancy colors, plain and fancy weaves, scalloped and fringed borders. A good f iscinator at 25c. Others at 50c to \$2

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All the different kinds of finish, eyec-

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Kind hearts, loving remembrances, tender recollections of "Home, sweet

as a personal one from friend to friend, and our earnest and heartfelt thanks for the liberal patronage extended to us during the past year. We certainly feel that we have every reason to wish all our friends

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We close at noon Saturday Calley & Anderson Clothiers.

Merry Christmas Another year is fast drawing to a close with its sunlight and shadows,

its withered leaves and fragrant flowers.

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