GRAIND M PUBLIC LIBRAR THE LOWELL LEDGER. See the Million Dollar Mystery Million Dollar Mystery Play at The Idle Hour Story in The Ledger LOWELL, MICHIGAN, DEC. 24, 1914 No. 28 VOL. XXII ADA CITIZEN GONE CHRISTMAS WHERE THE **BIG BUILDING** We honestly and heartily wish you a RIVERS MEET Henry W. Hettle of that Town-ship Buried Yesterday. PROGRAMMES A Morry, PLAN DEFEATED Merry Christmas and a Merry Christmas Henry W. Hettle died Decem-Happy New Year CHRISTMAS EXERCISES AT TAX PAYERS BALK ON \$70,- A ROMANCE OF LOWELL IN 21, after two years of suffering. at his home in Ada, where had LOWELL CHURCHES 000 SCHOOL BUILDING INDIAN DAYS. lived since April 14, 1882. Fun-Architect Now Making Plans for a \$50,000 Building to be By Nina Humphrey Varnum, 23 at the Bailey cliurch in Ver-Author of Romances of Early games for 1 T. Weldon of the Program, Methodist Episcopal is the wish of the Now, at the closing of the year we thank you Church, Wednesday Even-Author of Romances of Early gennes, Rev. I. T. Weldon officia-Michigan, This Being No. XII fing: burial in Oakwood ceme. for the business, whether little or big, which dur-Voted on Soon. ing, 7:30. ing the year you have turned our way, and we tery, Lowell. The proposition submitted by Selection, Orchestra. City State Bank (Continued from issue of Dec. 10). Henry Waters Hettle, son of want you to know that we thoroughly appreciate he Board of Education to bond Selection composed by Royden 111. John and Jane Hettle, was born Warner for the occasion, Or-District No. 1, Lowell, in the sum it. of \$70,000 for the building of a On reaching the little trading September 23, 1845. Although chestra. high school and grades building station at the rapids of the of Scottish parentage he was born Song, School. We hope the turkey will be tender and that The Bank That Pays Four Por Cont. on the site of the old Central Grand river, DeMarsaac found his in the village of Norham, county there will be sufficient in quantity so that father Scripture lesson. school building, was voted on by sister Sophie installed in a log of Northumberland. England. will not draw the neck; but above all we wish for Prayer by Pastor. the taxpayers of the district last Friday evening and defeated by a vote of 194 against to 124 for. Store-house where the husband Huron county. When a young Song, School. your health, peace of mind, and that measure of The Children's Welcome, Miss prosperity which in every way will prove best for Johnson's class. majority of 70. This large vote disposes of the tries that he had obtained from 29, 1879, he was united in mark VOU. Recitation, Glenis Buck. majority of 70. Recitation, Lee Holland. ong-standing belief that nothing the Indians and the goods which riage to Eliza McPherson of Ver- Recitation, Donald Cameron. could induce the people of Lowell he sold to them in exchange. to turn out to school meeting. There was but one other woman The deceased leaves a widow, Song, Christmas Bells. Primary to turn out to school meeting. There was but one other woman The deceased leaves a widow, Department. Judging from comments we for miles around, the wife of the one daughter Jennie E. and two Recitation, Daisy Spencer. D G. LOOK, The Rexall Store have heard, the objections of the American missionary, Leonard sons William W. of Minneapolis Recitation, Eva Laux. Lowell and Alto taxpayers, in the main, were not Slater, who lived across the and Arichiebald II. Solo, Elda Gonderman. opposed to the erection of a school river and spoke a different Mr. Hettle was brought up in Exercise. Miss Taylor's, building but to such an expensive language. It was a source of the Presby terian faith and later Recitation. Roy Holland What time Recitation, Roy Holland plan: and many are of the great wonder to de Marsaac to united with the Methodistchurch Duet, Ruth Gibson and Lyma opinion that a \$40,000 or a see with what enthusiasm and of Vergennes, where he was a reg. Babcock, \$50,000 proposition would be cheerfulness the young bride, but ular attendant when his health is it? Recitation, Wavelet Holland approved, as lew depy that a new a few years older than himself, permitted, Com. Song, Class No. 5. entered into her duties of making building is needed. man with a ring Hanging up the Stocking, Pri A Few There are those who think the a home in the wilderness. mary class. matter might better be held up She had been brought up to bearers, to see him started back until the village has settled the have every luxury and comfort, against the current of the O-wash-Of the series and the says Recitation, Ruth Mattern. OF weddod bliss, Duet, Alice Crawford and Flor-Christmas When Christmas Lells chime Everyone asks the water works question, a year or as well as congenial friends and te-nong, to the place where the ence Yeiter. There is no better time. question many times so hence, and who urge that this cultured society in the old gar. waters of the Coh-boh-gwaschis a bad time to float bonds; but rison town of Detroit. Herfather she mingle with it, where waited daily. We are all de-Exercises of the Baptist Sunday ·Suggestions .. it is not believed that many will was a man of comparative wealth for him his first dream of love. pendent upon the time School Thursday Evening. insist upon delay in building a in that early time and had given IV school building it a plan they deem his children every advantage ob. When he arrived there, the old and we regulate our Song by the school. Joy to the For the father..... World. a pin life's activities by our wise and within the ability of the tainable. She had been educated chief greeted him with great Scripture reading, Matt. 2:1-11 For the mother ...... a brooch watches. district to substain, is submitted, in a convent and was taught fine friendliness and professed to be Praver. The lack of a watch That the large number of 124 needlework, dancing, deportment delighted that he was to live in Song, school, What did it mean? For the son a watch tax payers favored the \$70,000 and all the necessary accomplish- the village and among the tribe. Recitation, Santa Claus, Rosell is a big handicap to For the daughter plan amply justified the Board in ments of that day. ....a ring both men and women. He was invited to make his home Benham. thinking that such would be fa- Then, when a lovely young girl in the lodge of the chief and was Recitation, Bethlehem, Elsie Vel-For the whole family, an Edison Diamond Disc or Victrola Therefore why try to vored, as the opposition was slow of eighteen, she became the bride given, with much ceremony, the zy. get along without one? to express itself until the vote of Louis Campau, who was a equivalent of the keys of the city Song by Little Ones. was taken or shortly before. widower and considerably older and the greeting of the chamber Recitation, Christmas Night, Orwith records to suit. Let us show you a good watch-one you can depend The Board of Education has than herself. After a lew months Useful and Beautiful Gifts For All upon. We can suit both your taste and pocketbook. of commerce. rin White. decided to submit a proposition they had come out here among Soon a rough addition or lean- Solo, Vesta Campbell. It is also time for you to come and inspect our sevto build a \$50,000 building, and the savages and here she was to to of logs was built against the Exercise, In Search of the King, eral lines of "GIFTY GOODS". Don't delay; others R. D. Stocking the architect is already working spend herlife. She seemed almost chief's lodge, in which he was to Boys and Girls. are already selecting. Why can't you? on the plans, which will be laid a heroine in the eyes of her broth- display his goods, bargain with Song, class, The Bright Star, before the public at an early date. or the Indians for skins, and sleep Recitation, Lettie Tasker. DeMarsaac spent a few im- at night. When this was com- Recitation, Edith Ribble. 

patient days with his brother-in- pleted all of the Indians who had Song, Queen Esther Circle

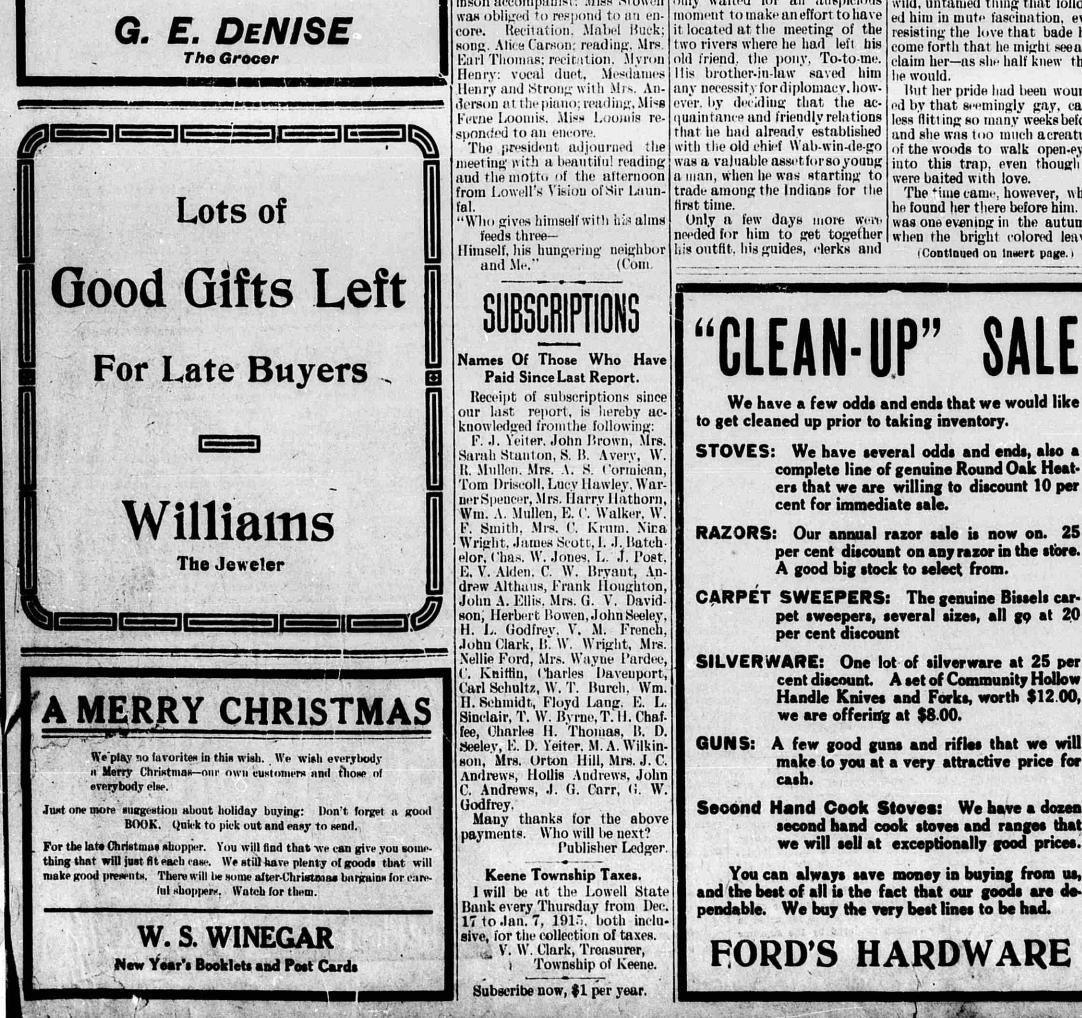
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law, looking over the stock in **Duly Celebrated By The Lowell** rets of the trade with the In-Literary Club. dians. learning to apprise furs

KRIS KRINGLE DAY

The ladies of the Lowell Liter- and peltries and something of the ary club had a Kris Kringle day character and amount of goods at the home of Mrs. F. B. Rhodes that should be exchanged for He did not know her name. He of tree. on Wednesday afternoon, and no every variety of skins. Every meeting of the year has been more time a young squaw came into delightful than this one. The at- the place his heart jumped wildly tendance was large and the spirit as the thought of Je-nute chased of the meeting that of Christmas all ideas of commerce and the memory of all he was trying to every day.

At three o'clock the president. learn from his bemuddled brain. It had been decided that he was **Miss** Post, called the meeting to order: the minutes were read, to be put in charge of a subcommittee reports heard and a station at some distance from the roll call, response with current one at the rapids, where he could event, completed the short busi carry on an independent trade ness session. The president then with the Indians who were likely gave over the session to the en- to take their furs to the valley of tertainment committee, Miss the Sag-e-nong, or even into up-Florence King as chairman, who per Canada, if they were not announced the following proheaded off.

Just where this trading-post Contralto solo, Miss Irene was to be had not been decided Stowell, with Mrs. J. M. Hutch- on by anyone but himself, but he inson accompanist: Miss Stowell only waited for an auspicious wild, untamed thing that followwas obliged to respond to an en- moment to make an effort to have ed him in mute fascination, ever Recitation, Mabel Buck; it located at the meeting of the song. Alice Carson: reading, Mrs. two rivers where he had left his Earl Thomas; recitation. Myron old friend, the pony, To-to-me. Henry: vocal duet, Mesdames His brother-in-law saved him Henry and Strong with Mrs. An- any necessity for diplomacy, howderson at the piano; reading, Miss ever, by deciding that the ac-Ferne Loomis, Miss Loomis re- quaintance and friendly relations less flitting so many weeks before Recitation, Morris Alexander.

that he had already established The president adjourned the with the old chief Wab-win-de-go meeting with a beautiful reading was a valuable asset for so young into this trap, even though it and the motto of the alternoon a man, when he was starting to were baited with love. and the motto of the alternoon from Lowell's Vision of Sir Laun-fal. (Wile singe himself with his alms) a few days more were baited with love. The time came, however, when he found her there before him. It Distribution of gifts from tree.

Unly a few days more were was one evening in the autumn,

his outfit, his guides, clerks and

accompanied him returned to the Recitation, The Bells Message the warehouse. learning the se- post at the rapids and he was es-Warner Oberly tablished as the trader to the Reading, A Song of Epiphany Flat River Indians. Esther Perry. Several days passed and still he | Distribution of gifts by Santa and

had not seen nothing of Je-nute. his helpers. Fire place instead could not bring himself to ask Closing song, Jesus Shall Reign hard He was in a perfect fer-Christmas Exercises To Be Held ment of alternate hope and despair: hope that it might be she

found her.

he would.

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ers that we are willing to discount 10 per

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at the Cong'l Church at 7:30 Thursday Evening. whenever he saw a woman com-

ing towards his storehouse and | Song, School. despair when another day had Invocation. come and gone and he had not Scripture reading, Cheerful Doers. Song No. 4, School. Finally, as soon as the evening | Welcome, Albertus Visser. meal was over and twilight had Recitation, Howard Peckham. come, he took to haunting the Solo, Sing It With Gladness, Lead place where he had first seen her, Pletcher.

the place where the rivers meet. Holly and Evergreen, Miss Perry's He never heard the light footclass steps that kept pace with him be-Christmas Secrets, Donald Mul hind the screen of bushes and len. wild grasses that lined the trail. Recitation, John Rutherford. He never heard the throbbing Song No. 16, School.

heart and labored breath of the The Bird's Christmas, Lulu Malcolm. Recitation, Vera French.

resisting the love that bade her Recitation, Russell Carr. come forth that he might see and | Solo, Mr. George M. Winegar. claim her-as she half knew that December, Gertrude Herman. Recitation, Nora Mae Owen. But her pride had been wound-Solo, Welcome Little Snow Flakes

ed by that seemingly gay, careby Edith Pletcher. and she was too much acreature | Recitation, Katherine Kingsle of the woods to walk open-eyed The Stocking's Christmas, Murl Hiler.

needed for him to get together when the bright colored leaves HUNTING ACCIDENT MAY (Continued on insert page.) **COST BOY'S LIFE** 

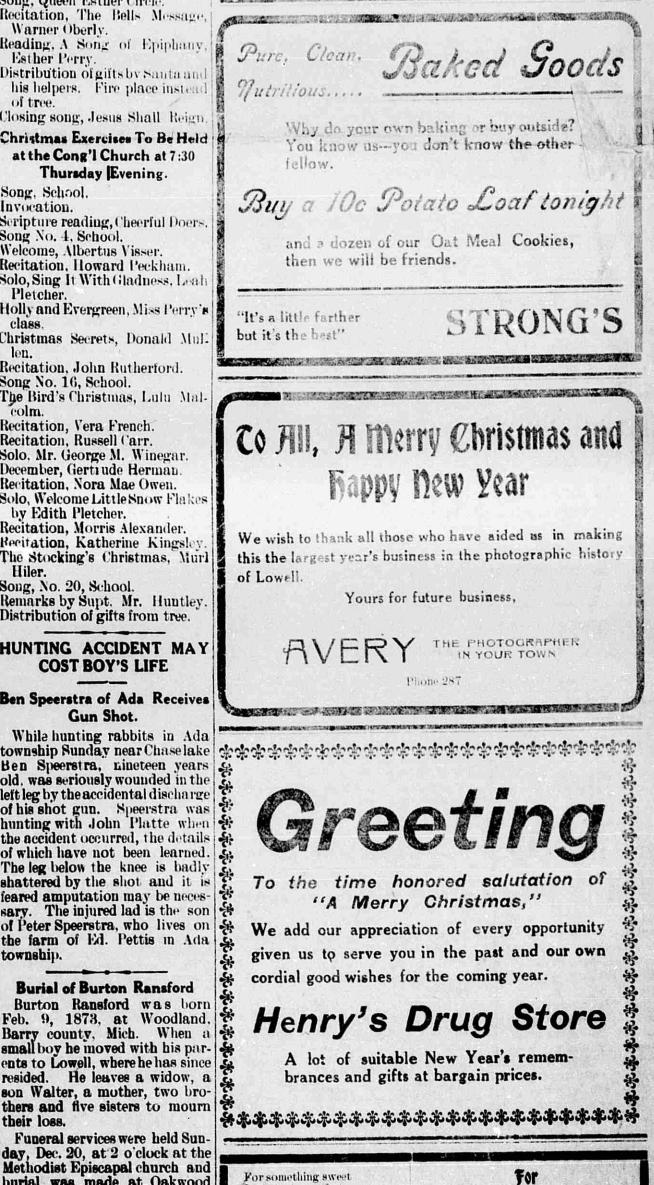
Ben Speerstra of Ada Receives

Gun Shot. While hunting rabbits in Ada Ben Speerstra, Lineteen years old, was seriously wounded in the left leg by the accidental discharge of his shot gun. Speerstra was hunting with John Platte when the accident occurred, the details

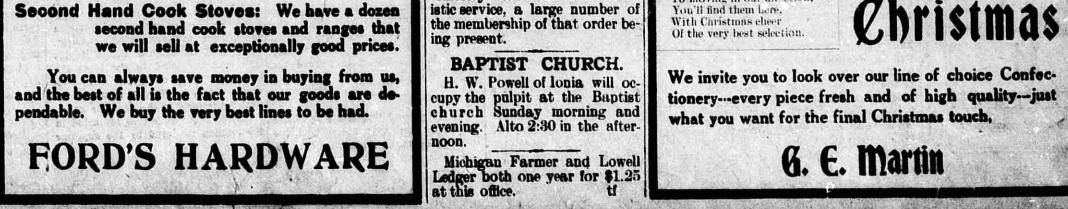
of which have not been learned. The leg below the knee is badly shattered by the shot and it is feared amputation may be necessary. The injured lad is the son of Peter Speerstra, who lives on the farm of Ed. Pettis in Ada township.

**Burial of Burton Ransford** Burton Ransford was born Feb. 9, 1873, at Woodland. Barry county, Mich. When a small boy he moved with his par-ents to Lowell, where he has since Barry county, Mich. When a resided. He leaves a widow, a son Walter, a mother, two brothers and five sisters to mourn their loss.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Dec. 20, at 2 o'clock at the Methodist Episcapal church and burial was made at Oakwood cemetery with the Moose ritual-



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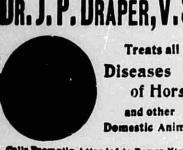
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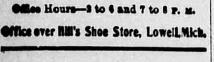
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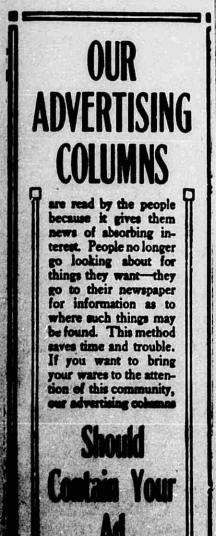
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C. H. ANDERSON, M.D. Physician and Surgeon





MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS LETTER FROM THE COURT DECIDES RAILROAD CASES Wm. Colerick, 88. of Almont, formmember of Gen. Custer's staff. The West Woodbridge U. B. church, ERE MARQUETTE WINS IN AP-Hillsdale, was destroyed by fire PEAL INVOLVING BIG following an explosion of gas. VERDICT. Mrs. J. A. Wust, aged 100 years and 10 months, died Saturday night of old ERRIEN JURY IS REVERSED Thomas Beahan aged 77. a resident of the copper country since 1854 and Gen. ather of the notel financial writer Five Decisions Saturday Most and editor. Simon Beahan, of New Of Which Are Concerning York, died Friday at Calumet. Railroads.

The state railroad commission has

authorized the Southern Michigan

Telephone company with the merger

Lansing-Cases affecting railroads formed the bulk of 35 decisions by the of that company and the Michigan supreme court Saturday. The Pere Marquette was a winner and St. Joseph counties.

The most effective way of restoring found and the doors barred to Mrs. Murphy ple river, he has against a further recovery. Murphy, was drowned. pany alleged that he was guilty of forced to amputate the arm near the experienced lawmakers and judges

trial.
 Prison Shop May Not Print Report. Lansing—Warden Simpson has no legal authority to have the annual re-port of Jackson prison prison prison printed in the subset of \$25 and also is made the representative from Albion col-legs in the state intercollegiate ora-cortal way and the representative from Albion col-legs in the state intercollegiate ora-cortal way and the representative from Albion col-legs in the state intercollegiate ora-cortal way and the representative from Albion col-legs in the state intercollegiate ora-cortal way and the representative from Albion col-legs in the state intercollegiate ora-contice of the Kalamazoo court eratin mainter sontained in the storeal context which way heard a runnov to incload context which way heard a runnov to a state prime of the Kalamazoo constitutional law which requires is a constitutional law which requires son's report had been printed in the prison shop it would have to be re-prison shop it would have to be re-tory. He strongly advised the enlarged in movie an annu factoring first and constitutional fuel to the strongly advised the enlarged in the strongly advised the enlarged in the strongly advised the enlarged in the strongly advised the e

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OF SOUNDNESS OF LAWS BE-FORE PASSING.

couraged by Better Spirit Being Developed Toward National Guard.

> -----[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

State Telephone company in Branch | Lansing-In a letter to each mem-The Per Marquete was a winner in a case for damages brought by Caherine M. Murphy, of Chicago, wido wet provided and state statemeted to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient and the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislature Gov. Ferris says that every state in the union has sufficient to get a pain of the legislation and that bills of magnitic captures there are in the Guard, we can be end with a place of the regulation has furnished the higher to every detained to a charge of secend degree murtic tes, said Governor Ferris. "Left the regulation in the band bar, will be given a new acharged with implication in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a street there for the regulation in the dath of Raiph Sova, killed in a ber of the legislature Gov. Ferris says Treats all<br/>Discases<br/>of Horses<br/>and otherwhen Murphy started to board it, at<br/>the cry of the conductor, he bumped<br/>into a baggage truck left on the plat-<br/>form by the company, was thrown th-<br/>der the wheels of the moving train<br/>and instantly killed. This was the<br/>contention of the widow, and a Berrien<br/>county jury gave her a verdict forwas charged with implication in the<br/>death of Ralph Sova, killed in a street<br/>fight, a year ago.in the coal shed in the rear of her<br/>have been devised for accomplishing<br/>this desirable end and Archibald<br/>Bloomfield of Big Rapids, member of<br/>to of the statutes, has outlined a<br/>ged 38, caught his right hand in the<br/>saw. The member was completelyin the coal shed in the rear of her<br/>how statutory laws.' Various means<br/>have been devised for accomplishing<br/>this desirable end and Archibald<br/>the Michigan commission for complia-<br/>in of the statutes, has outlined a<br/>ged 38, caught his right hand in the<br/>saw. The member was completelyin the coal shed in the rear of her<br/>have been devised for accomplishing<br/>this desirable end and Archibald<br/>the Michigan commission for complia-<br/>it on of the statutes, has outlined a<br/>plan that is inexpensive and feasible.in the coal shed in the rear of her<br/>home.trial as the result of an opinion by<br/>the supreme court, Friday. Fitzsim-<br/>mons' conprised if<br/>the supreme court, Friday.Discases<br/>of Horses<br/>and otherof Horses<br/>and otherin the wheels of the moving train<br/>and instantly killed. This was the<br/>county jury gave her a verdict forwith implication in the<br/>the supreme court, Friday. Fitzsim-<br/>how and a \$\$5 bill, which Mrs. Becker's home,<br/>of a shoe in Mrs. Becker's home,<br/>of a shoe in Mrs. Becker's home,in the rear of her<br/>the supreme court, Friday. Fitzsim-<br/>mons' courted and an<br/>the bank a

that Braun was negligent himself, the Kent county court entered a verdict for the defendant. The supreme court says there was enough in the case to let it go to the jury and orders a new trial. that city Thursday evenin. By winning the context Miss Fee receives the legislature has created a the legislatur

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also doing a valuable work for the support of the National Gaurd. "If the citizens of Michigan will give attention to the Michigan National STATE CAPITOL attention to the Michigan National Guard and come out definitely in support of the organization, Michigan can come up to the standard required by the War Department as to the number GOVERNOR WOULD MAKE SURE of men in each organization. Other SLAYER OF AGED MISS BOMHOLT states are making a campaign similar to the one we are making. The proposition is the same in each of them, of meeting the call of the General age. She had lived at Saginaw over SENDS LETTER TO MEMBERS Government for a sufficient force of the National Guard to meet an emer-

gency. The Federal inspection will come during the last two weeks of February and the month of March, and we must have sixty-five men in each company of infantry at that time. It is a question of national defense and a question of loyalty to the country. We do not want Michigan to be behind other states in this matter. The officers of each company are years old, 38 Twentieth street, con- fice will be administered on the cap-

required, and if citizens generally will she killed Miss Frances Bomholt, the will take place in/the senate cham-

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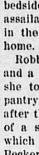
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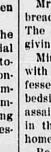
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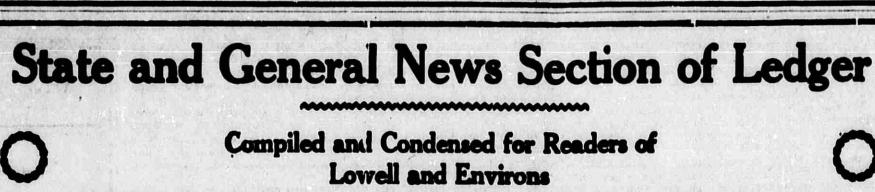
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\$10,000, despite the fact that the com- severed at the wrist. Surgeons were I have already submitted this plan to ard set by the War Department." of a shoe in Mrs. Becker's home, holding a big block of stock in the which Miss Bomholt had given Mrs. bank. The case attracted much at-Becker two weeks ago for the latter's tention in banking circles at the time





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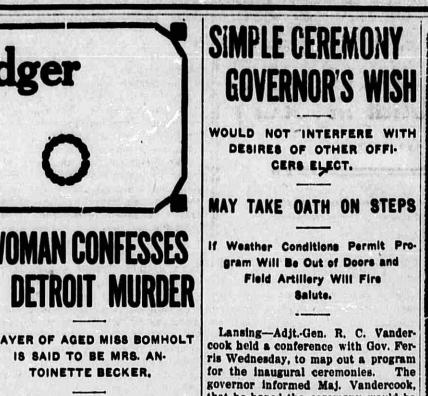
 

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 DR. E. D. McQUEEN
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made as simple as possible, but declared that he did not want to inter-

fere with the plans of any of the other

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The Million Dollar Mystery

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

ustrated from Scenes in the Photo Drama of the

CHAPTER IX-Continued.

"Hello! Where's Ford? He gave "Not up to date. But we might if see your evil face. What devilment me a ticket to the theater tonight, and we cared to. They have left a buoy do you require of me this time?" and booze and mismated couples. Can't they find good enbugh things out of doors? Oh, I know. They cater boat that chased Jones." "To call on another physician of your standing," significantly. "It is a great thing to have friends like you to a lot of fools who believe that what "Only Jones can tell you. Queer old two. Always ready to serve us, for they see is an expression of high life codger, eh?" rot, plain rot. It's merely the scum it without police assistance." of talk to me. You have me in the on the boiling pot. And any old house- "And he's right. We are not aiming hollow of your hand. Why should I wife would skim it off and chuck it to arrest anyone," sinisterly. "There bother to deny it? I have broken the into the slops. Life? Piffle!"

"No. I've just been wondering how far these theatrical managers can go without slitting the golden goose." Norton sought his desk and began runmaging the drawers. He was not hunting for anything; he was merely when the pastime no longer served, he nulled his chair over to the window when the pastime no longer served, he nulled his chair over to the window as Copernicus never dreamed of. Ships "The room above is vacant. A little coward. I recognize that you hold the have the walk blocked up. Get a gait the formation of the format clockwork signs; but he took no note

he had not a shadow of a proof. The self?" thing that puzzled him equally with "It happens to be in your name, please—that reads that any person was Stanley Hargreave's daughter, long." this was that all attempts against his son." The only thing that kept him active A grunt was the only reply. Miss Florence was well ;that was all Perigoff woman." Jones was permitted to say.

and walked over to the telephone "No!" booth. It was midnight. He might or "The orders are for you to play the might not be able to get Jones. But game just as you are playing it. When almost instantly a voice said, "What we strike, it must be the last blow. is it?" "Jones?"

"Yes. Who is it?" "Norton."

minutes ago." "Not I!" "It was your voice, as plain as day."

"You are certain it was not you?" sleep." "Wait a moment and I'll call the Norton stole away with great caueditor. He will prove to you that I've tion. His first intention was to probeen here for an hour, and that this ceed straight to the city, but deis the first call I've made. Some one spite his resolution he found himself has been imposing on you. What did within a quarter of an hour gazing

Given Up to Die Has the Laugh on the Doctors.

good job of it; not for nothing had he a word of protest. followed fighting armies to the front. "Thinking?" said Braine. "Did they find anything?"

I want to punch his head. What's over the spot they're exploring. But "A mere stroke of the pen." drama coming to, anyhow? Cigarettes just now it floats a quarter of a "Where are we going?"

in New York and London. And it's "A bit stubborn. He wants to handle "There's no need of using that kind

very deeply concerning the Perigoff woman. Had she played a trick? Had that fainting spell been buncombe for his benefit as well as Florence's". Put the past was broached off five twenties. "The Countess Perigoff was indis-that fainting spell been buncombe for this benefit as well as Florence's". Put the past was broached off five twenties. "The Countess Perigoff was indis-the past was broached she would be the crew; "lower th' dory." that fainting spell been buncombe for his benefit as well as Florence's? But "Why don't you draw the cash your." There is a law in the state of New "My God!" The young man struck I seen her leap th' rail. Look alive!

this was that all attempts against his son." life had miraculously ceased; no safes "I forgot," said Norton. "But what thundered down in front of him, and a chance for me! Nearly five thouno autos tried to carve him in two. sand, all mine for a ticket to Algiers!"

was the daily call of Jones by wire. "I want you to tell me about the "I know only one thing—that Braine air is there every night." "No!" Restlessly Norton spurned his chair is there every night."

All this hide-and-seek business may

look foolish to you. It's like that Japanese game called 'jo.' It looks simple, but chess is a tyro's game be-"Why, you called me up not ten side it. Can you find your way back all right?" "I can."

"Well, you'd better be going. That's "What did I want?" keen all at once. all the light I have, in this torch here. The reply did not come immediately. Got a lot to do tomorrow and need

"I am here only to guard her. I can-not undertake to read her thoughts." "You're not quite in favor of a rec-onciliation?" "Oh me the gift of clairvoyance, other person's connidence is, pernaps, among the greatest human achieve-in the real sense of the word. In your mind's eye you could see this man "Oh, yes, if it went no further. await it; and it is a good general who carrying the contribution plate down Something has happened to her wires; th' run is over. I can't afford t' yank what he was telling about. After tell make good feed for hogs if used

actly as mey are. when all these<br/>troubles are settled finally, the lesser<br/>trouble may be taked over sensibly.<br/>But his is not the time. There is no<br/>Norton returned to his chair, gloom-heard the heart-rending sobs, a vain<br/>the chauffeur was a strong young fel-<br/>tors who signed that document! Twen-<br/>tors who signed that document! Twen-<br/>is signed that document! Twen-<br/>tors who signed that do

OWES HIS LIFE TO MEASLES | peculiar remedy, but a man named | Trotter replied: "Well, Doc, you say one lung was gone and half of the the seventeenth century. Jeffries, tan didn't reply at once. Then he Few pastures produce more than, Few pastures produce more than the persisted in remaining a hearing the case against the Puritan, said, "Sir, there is a passage in Holy 40 to 50 per cent of the grass which day can tell how much it costs to pro-Man Afflicted With Tuberculosis and his physician, has outlived the doctor. I'll jes stay to hum with the ole wo- well man, and outlived the doctor and was trying to make fun of the old Writ that says, 'Answer a fool accord- they might produce. In other words, duce a bushel of wheat, oats or corn, Trotter was of a joily disposition, and kept on his feet and out of doors a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the a large part of his time, but it finally it from the crown of his head to the b die to seek, but Trotter's philos-to die to seek to the tothe to the to the to the to the tothe to the t If the doctors have given you up became only a question of days, and soles of his feet. The disease re- ophy proved to have a better founda- you, sir," said the old Puritan, "from folly.' Sir, I decline to follow you to to die of tuberculosis, don't do it, but was so recognized by the sick man mained with him as long proportion-go and get a dose of the measles, and and all his friends. About this time ately as he was physically (he was done all that his education and ex. of your feet." "I honor you," went on when you have recovered from the an epidemic of measles broke out in six feet and four inches tall), but perience enabled him to do. on the judge, "from Land's End to which you mile by the neighborhood, and as Trotter had the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the neighborhood, and as Trotter had the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the neighborhood, and as Trotter had the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be weaned is a good time to look over the disease the doctor's prognosis he got the be be doctor ad-never had the disease the doctor ad-well and when he was well of the tubercu-outlive the doctor as he will be to vised him to leave the locality, as to be so disappointed as the man outlive you. This may seem like a contract it would surely kill him. losis, and though the doctor told him his encounter with Judge Jeffries in bly "to the gates of Hell." The Puri- who counts on his friends.

GIVES VIEW OF THE OCEAN | submarine is completely below the | bination of telescope and camera ob | most progressive and powerful of the | ton, at the very outbreak of the war. | difficulty in disposing of his rations. Don't expect the dairy cow to manu-Periscope, "Eye of the Submarine," is scura. At the top is a powerful lens, countries tendering the ing with no little amusement the first must have raw materials to work with, They afford succulence and keep the Periscope, "Eye of the Submarine," is in Many Respects a Remarkable in wasting chamber of the vessel, and the great fault of the early submarine, " is the great fault of the early submarine," is the great fault of the early submarine, " is the great fault of the early submarine," is the great fault of the early submarine, " is the great fault of the early submarine," is the great fault of the early submarine, " is the great fault of the early submarine," is the great fault of the early submarine is the great fault of the submarine," is the great fault of the submarine, " is the submarine is the boat is submarine," is the submarine is the boat is submarine, " is the submarine is the boat is submarine," is the submarine is the boat is submarine, " is the submarine is the boat is submarine," is the submarine is the boat is submarine, " is the submarine is the boat is submarine," is the submarine is the boat is submarine, is the submarine is the boat is submarine, is the submarine is the boat is submarine, is the submarine is the boat is submarine is the submarine is the boat is submarine is the submarine is the boat is the submarine is the boat is submarine is the submarine is the boat is the submarine is the sub

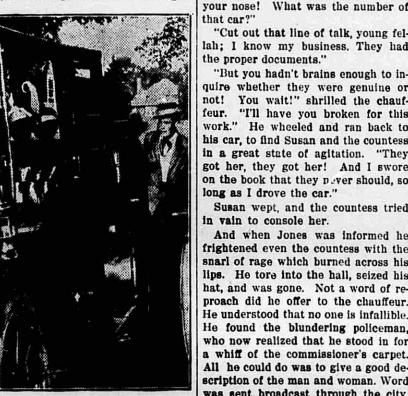
THE LOWELL LEDGER

"I am always thinking whenever

great thing to have friends like you

the chair before I'll crawl to you. Now, on you."

may be adjudged insane if the signa- and they've kidnaped her right under 'long."



'ime, like water, smooths away the his wife Kate. The two young women terics. something about his character; news- all parts of the world. It is as natural sane?"

truths, till the patient Jones felt like wringing her meck. From his vantage point the butter smiled ironically. He could read the smiled ironically. He could read the

et over it presently. Youth forgets. mobile contained Thomas Wendt and drive the moaning Susan into hys- back o' her head! She's struck on ragged places. The countess called regularly. She was, of course, dreadfully sorry over what had happened. She had heard what had happened

so on, and so forth, half lies and half could not find her; for the simple rea. of the passengers, who had known For three days Florence evinced not

ier than ever. With his feet upon the window sill he stared and stared and of the as the upon his shoulder. It belonged to one the the as the boat had made the open sea. It was state vastly puzzled the men. The

not been an act of despair, however. beautiful woman did not jump from a a man hide at sea.

she noted a block of wood bobbing up and down. She tried to avoid it, but could not, and struck it head on. Dechill water she instinctively clung to t' do." the buoy. The wash from the mighty The village doctor shook his grizzled propellers tossed her about, hither head gravely.

York-just or unjust, whichever you his forehead in despair. "You ass, she I seen her leap th' rail. Look alive!

The crew dropped their tasks and your nose! What was the number of sprang for the davits, and the star-"Cut out that line of talk, young fel-lah; I know my business. They had the proceed in shipshape the proceed down of the taking for the davits, and the star-board dory was lowered in shipshape style.

It takes a good bit of seamanship the proper documents." "But you hadn't brains enough to in-quire whether they were genuine or not! You wait!" shrilled the chauf-feur. "I'll have you broken for this work." He wheeled and ran back to his car, to find Susan and the countess in a great state of agitation. "They got her, they got her! And I swore on the book that they p over should, so long as I drove the car." long as I drove the car." Susan wept, and the countess tried bit of work, too, to land her aboard bit of work, too, to land her aboard in vain to console her. And when Jones was informed he frightened even the countess with the snarl of rage which burned across his lips. He tore into the hall, seized his hat, and was gone. Not a word of re-"Well she's alive anybow"

"Well, she's alive, anyhow." proach did he offer to the chauffeur. When Florence finally opened her He found the blundering policeman, who now realized that he stood in for who now realized that he stood in for who now realized that he stood in for a whiff of the commissioner's carpet. All he could do was to give a good de-an the moment there was no horizon. All he could do was to give a good de-

He understood that no one is infallible.

o' them floats all right. Where's th'

something about his character; news-paper men weren't always the best. This one was a mere fortune hunter; a two faced one, at that. She was never more surprised in her life when he threw his arms around her. And hunted through aisle after aisle, but "She is certainly insane," said one then went about their duties.

heart of this Perigoff woman as he so Florence hurried out into the street, was permitted to wander about the enough to keep her alive; and the could read the page of a book. The into the arms of the Wendt family, ship as she pleased. strong black coffee did nothing more the upon his shoulder. It belonged to one the sight of her. But he dared hot swerve a single inch from the plans major domo. The young lady had so that made the open sea. It was state vastly puzzled the men. The laid down. It was a cup of bitter gall, Hunow for the policeman, who came running up, followed by the usual idle, curious the plane putting of it to his lips. She ema-

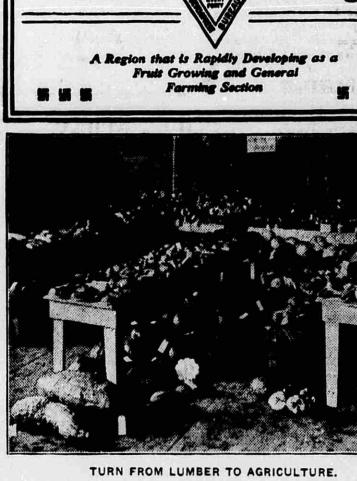
spite the blow and the shock of the back th' sawbones. He'll tell us what

nto the slops. Life? Piffle?" "What's the grouch?" "Looking for the dramatic job?" "No. I've just been wondering how far these theatrical managers can go

He was congratulating himself upon glass, "Where away, sir?" They had read about such things in clams by hand. For ideal working



could not. I declined to stir."
"What did you think?"
"Exactly what you're thinking—that
they have come to life again."
"Jones, is Miss Florence awake?"
"No."
"Joney, is Miss Florence awake?"
"No."
"Joney of the they is any hope of
maring her understand what really
happened?"
"Jam here only to guard her. Lean
"Jam here only to guard 



Western

Boyne City is the center of the lumbering industry for the northern nart passing the banks, and almost within was sleeping peacefully in a feather of the southern peninsula of Michigan, but the progressive men of the city hail she saw a fishing schooner riding bed, ancient, it is true, but none the less soft and inviting. In all this time and so they are preparing for this day by the development of their agriculily believed that if she remained on board the George Washington she was lost. She naturally forgot the marvel the motherly Mrs. Barnes. "What of wireless telegraphy. No longer may beautiful hair! O, John, I wish you his attention he supervises gardens in all parts of the city, and urges the would give up the sea. I hate it. It school children particularly to learn the art of growing good products. Each so, with that quick thought which is terrible. I am always watching fall a fruit and vegetable exhibit is conducted and prizes awarded. In the was a part of her inheritance, she you in my mind's eye, in calm weath- winter months this teacher of agriculture appears on the programs for the seized the life buoy, climbed the rail and leaped far out. As the great, dark, tossing sea swooped up to meet her about the terror back of them." whiter months this teacher of agriculture appears on the programs for the believed that by the time the lumber industry is at an end the agricultural industry will be well established.

> OF CLAM SHELLS which becomes embedded in the tis-sue which secretes the shell. -----

propellers tossed her about, hither and yon, from one swirl to another, like a chip of wood. Then everything grew blank. Fortunately for her the master of the fabling schooper was at the time an eve on her so that she doesn't wan.

of these marvels of light. "Not at home!" he muttered. He had called, written, telephoned, No use. The door remained shith Jones answered the telephone, and the letters came back. He began to think very deeply concerning the Perigoff woman de a houdred." He was congratulating himself upon Tell Jones. When the next meet-ing come around I'll advise you. I've stunbled upon a dissatisfied member. So, buck up, as they say. We've got the men all. Now He was congratulating himself upon the order lines of the affair when a affet. The the man Braine. The fourtees perigoff was indis-the man section of the shell being open and the order lines of the affair when a solut. Ordinary conversation shelt the man was mutta in the order. The the have a hundred." He was congratulating himself upon the order lines of the affair when a the order lines of the shell being open and the order lines of the order of the shell being open and the prove it she kent coving. The I ain't really seend to understand; but whenever therefrom such food particles as they but after considering the matter de-

can use. can use. As soon as the clam seeker discovers a victim, he lowers the hooked divided attention to the chans. stick which he carries, inserting the dition bring nine cents a pound, and hook between the halves of the shell. This causes the clam to shut the halves together, whereupon he can be lifted out and tossed into a scow which the clam gatherer tows for that nities for developing remunerative which the clam gatherer tows for the purpose. Of course, the laborers are wading constantly, so that the season for such work is naturally limited to the summer months when the water is is not to be laughed at. The zoologist

warm. For use in deep water or under tells us that the infant clams spend part of their life history as parasites conditions where it would be difficult on our fish, so that it is perhaps not to observe the bottom, Mr. Reynolds a bad thing to get rid of some of the has a drag made up of over a hundred clams so as to give the fish a more wire hooks. This drag will cover an secure environment. area of three or four feet in width behind the man or launch towing it.

The launch is designed and built es-Nearly \$140,000 has been expended pecially for the work in hand, the propeller being inclosed in a guarding framework which permits the flat-bottomed launch to slip over stones without damage. Were it not for this commissioners, is \$139,882.52. With without damage. Were it not for this money 75 miles of road were precaution the propeller blades would this money 75 miles received the first waters.

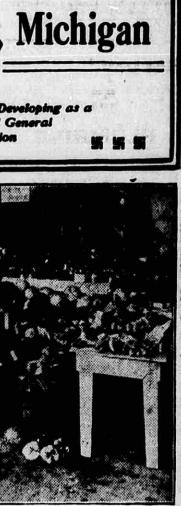
When launch and scow are filled pleted, and 47 miles accepted for state has been imposing on you. What did they ask you to do?" "Yt u asked me to come down to the office at once, and I requested you to come to the house, and you said you could not. I declined to stir." "What did you think?"

much stock as all of it does now.

Select Sows by Records. When the spring pigs are ready to that have not made good.

Cow Must Have Feed.

Surer.



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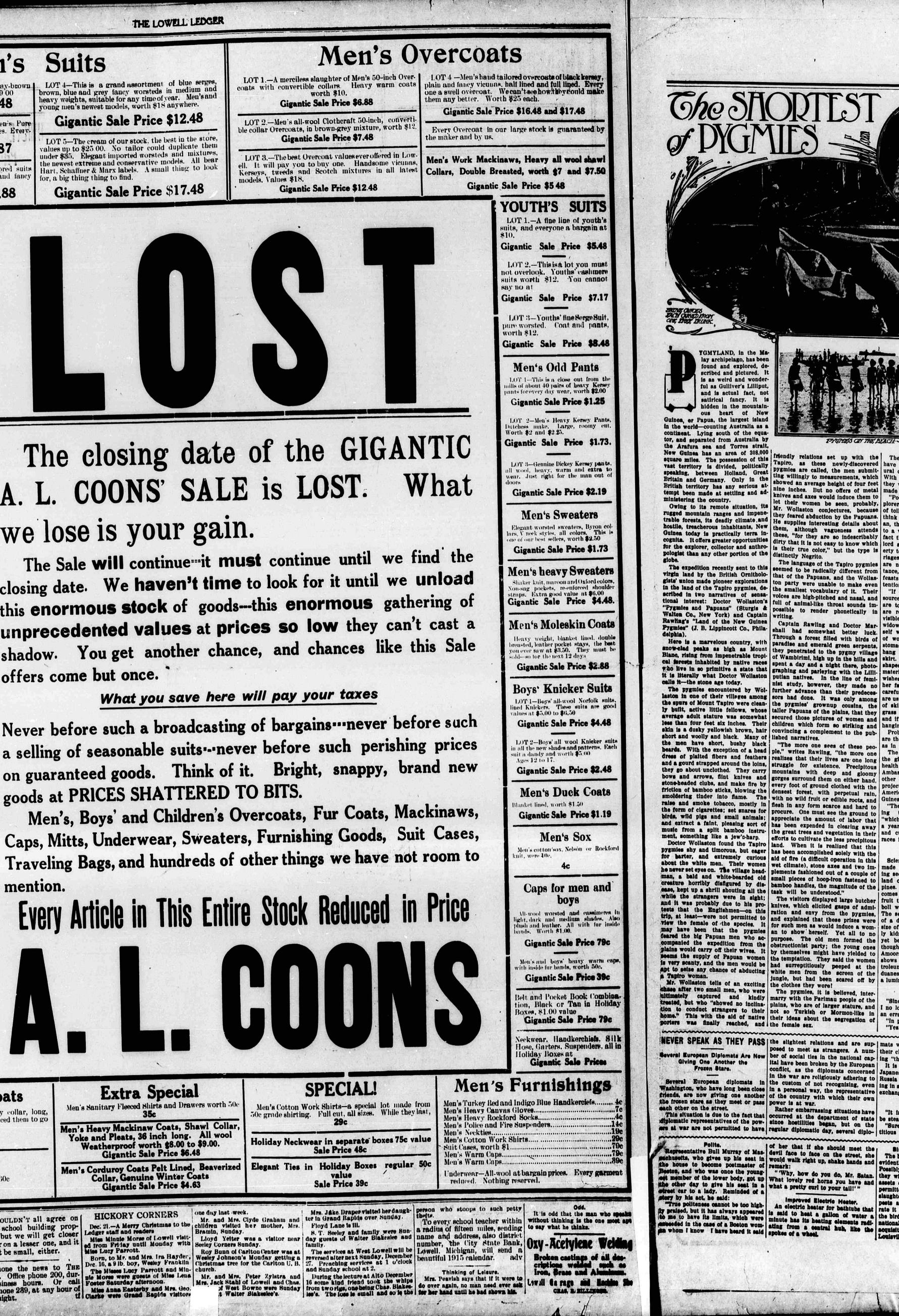
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May Be Acquired at a Moderate Cost This Type Is Excellent-Architects Recognize Demand.

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the ideas savage races gave to civili-, has been built for \$1,500. zation, but, unlike war, is one of the veloped. It evolved itself naturally in different tropical countries that had no This is Not an infrequent communication with one another. The black man of Africa's jungles, the brown man of India or the Cannibal islands, both hults. A lunch basket should never be islands, both built bungalows very Many a man who complains of the or other. much alike. White men appropriated stupidity and lack of interest shown Baked apples, jellies of various the idea, and have made various im- by his stenographers gives his dicta- kinds, and fruits are always most A very dainty sandwich which deprovements in plans and materials, so tion about like this: that in regions of widely varying climate, from the moss-covered tundras of the far North to the sage-brush climate, from the moss-covered tundras of the far North to the sage-brush

erect. Whenever it is possible the lot should be large enough to provide an ample lawn for flowers and shrubbery; and, in the arrangement of the flowers and shrubs, they should be so **FLESS** placed that they will be in harmony with the house and seem to be a part

This cottage is 20 feet wide and 33 feet 6 inches long. One of the marked features of the design is the porch con structed of cobblestones. The foundation is of the same material. In many cases the stone for this purpose can cause they had convictions. We of the be collected on the building site or present frequently fail because we near it. The effect of stone used in have nothing but opinions .- Heine. this way is one of strength and sub There are just two kinds of people, for stantiality. Directly opening from the porch is a living room 10 feet by 11 The one sits still and listens, while feet 6 inches in size. In a corner is a fireplace that will add cheer to the , THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROBLEM. home in the chill days of spring and fall. Opening from the living room is As school opens there are thousands the dining room. This room is 10 feet of mothers who will be troubled over square. The kitchen back of the dining room is the same size. This Mr. William A. Radford will answer house is designed for a couple whose stions and give advice FREE OF needs will not require much room. In OST on all subjects pertaining to the the absence of a pantry, a cupboard

to William A. Radfory, No. 1827 Prairie tvenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose room, and a window gives a view out thought and planning to accomplish the period. Back of the hedroom, this so that they not say with

good things to be fostered and de TAKING A LETTER TO JONES isfying food than the child who leaves soften, then a finely shredded green

climate, from the moss-covered tundras of the far North to the sage-brush plains of the desert, or the llly-decked regions of the tropics, the bungalow is bout this order. As you said in the tenth, we think you are mistaken about this order. As you said in the tenth were in thun-



the other heaps abuse.

the child's lunch.

so that a few ideas i

will be welcomed

suggestions



onto the porch. Back of the bedroom, and opening also into the kitchen, is bickens: "I live on broken wittles." The bungalow, like war, is one of a bathroom. This cozy little dwelling The country child who trudges over long country roads in the pure, sweet air, will need a heartier and more sat- and add enough thick cream to

nuts. A lunch basket should never be packed without a few of some kind

with two teaspoonfuls of corn starch. and one Half of this will be sufficient for small rule of cookies.

I have told you of the Spanian who always put on his spectacles when he ate cherries, so they might look more tempting. In like manner you should look at your own bless-

ngs.-Southey.

## -----CHESTNUT TIME.

nut is not appreciated as it should be.

Chestnut

Chestnut Sauce .- After roasting a turkey, remove the fat from the pan

check hemorrhage, though the blood served in place of potatoes and are of cracker crumbs to a cupful of hot stone par excellence is a dark-green seasoned as one does potatoes. Cook cream, add a teaspoonful of butter, a

plained, may have originated in its until tender. Melt two tablespoonfuls resemblance in color to the nose of of butter, add a teaspoonful of sugar boiling salted water until tender. and a sliced onion, one chipped apple. Place in a buttered baking dish and one tablespoonful of curry and a tea- pour over the following: Three eggs, spoonful of sweet chutney; moisten well beaten, a cupful and a half of The more recreation we have the with one cup of stock or gravy and sour cream, and a teaspoonful of salt. less vice there will be in the country, cook until the apple is soft, then rub pour into a well buttered baking dish and I regard the football match on a through a sieve, add a squeeze of and bake a half hour. Saturday afternoon as one of the best | lemon juice and simmer until the nuts possible devices to keep men in the have absorbed the flavor. Serve with

## U. S. A. Style.

From an American paper, under the tourist who travels, when he comes to same way as a musician or a parson. about one article at a time." "Talk to his subject and the older men nearanalyze his feelings, reaches the con- If we want the best we always have about your goods, not about your firm er the pulpit began to shout, "Amen," clusion that the greatest enjoyment to pay for it .- Rev. A. J. Waldron, in or what a fine place your store is." "Hallelujah," etc. On the way home "Change your ads often. People think she looked up at her father and exdee Advertiser.

The men of the past overcame be- 1. The treasures of the deep are not so ock'd up in a woman's love. I scent What a delicious breath marriage sends forth-The violet bed's not sweeter!

FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS.



a steam-heated house and is sheltered pepper, mix well and spread on white fancy cutters until they are ready to

cheese, and sprinkle with the almond mixture finely chopped. Serve on un

Windsor Sandwiches. - Cream third of a cupful of chopped ham and two-thirds of a cupful of cooked chicken. Season well with salt paprika and spread on buttered white

Let us get rid of our false estimate set up all the higher ideals-a quiet home: cultivate vines of our own planting: a few books full of inspira delicious dishes to be tion of genius; a few friends worthy made wholly of the nut of being loved and able to love us i

## MEAT SUBSTITUTES.

dishes, so that one need nothing to eat if meat is cut from the diet.

Walnut Croquettes. -Mix together the following ingredients, form into croquettes and fry as usual. Take a cup of ground or finely choosed

cooked asparagus. If fresh cook it asparagus cut in half inch pieces and macaroni into inch pieces and cook in

## Nellie Maxwell.

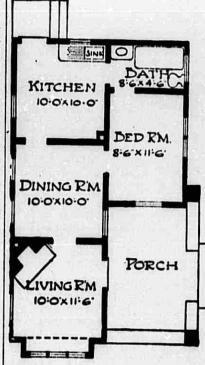
Why the Rooting Little Anna's father was a baseball

you are not alive if you don't."-Dun- claimed: "Say, pop, who were the men up front rooting for the preacher?"

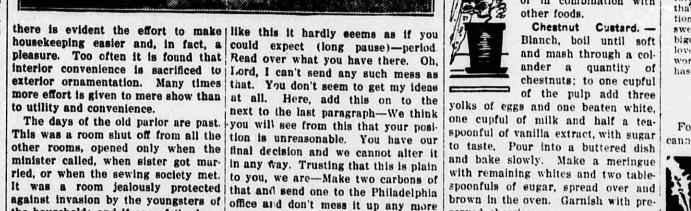
usekeeping easier and, in fact, a could expect (long pause)-period exterior ornamentation. Many times that. You don't seem to get my ideas more effort is given to mere show than at all. Here, add this on to the yolks of eggs and one beaten white,

ventured across the ' | line at the tragedy.

lived in just like any other part of the



he has in going away from home is T. P.'s Weekly, London. ing to it. We do not know how much we love home till we have been away John Scherer, aged fifteen, was



Pased on Superstition.

based on the maxim that similia sim-ilibus curantur, but unscientifically accepting any trace of similarity as adequate. Thus yellow stones, like the beryl or topaz, were thought to the turkey. may hazard a guess that the well- and butter. vent drunkenness, hitherto unex- one pound of chestnuts; stew in stock Macaroni and Eggs. - Break the the confirmed drunkard.

## Football and a Clergyman.

purity of the open air. I believe that plain boiled rice. he increase of sport is the biggest actor in the increase of temperance. and go so far as to say if you take the Church of England away from London you remove the greatest sporting in- heading, "Good Advertising Brings enthusiast and had taken her to sev-

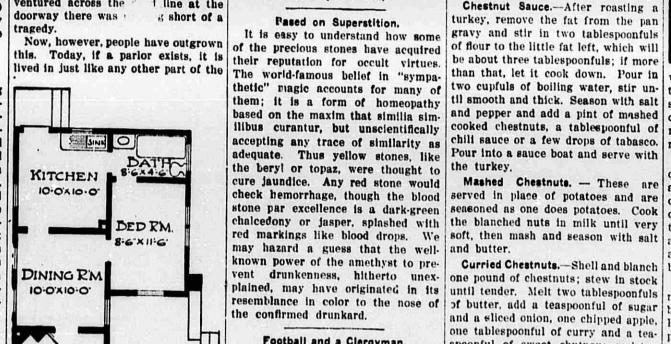
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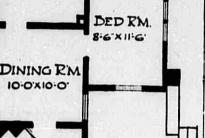
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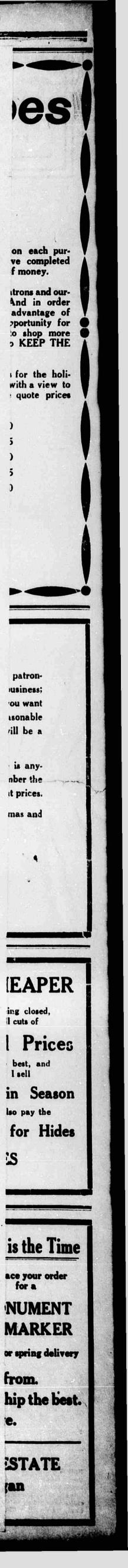
This wholesome, delicate-flavored There are any number of

with remaining whites and two table-

served cherries. It is easy to understand how some gravy and stir in two tablespoonfuls The world-famous belief in "sympa- than that, let it cook down. Pour in walnut meats, a cup of mashed potathetic" magic accounts for many of two cupfuls of boiling water, stir un- to, a teaspoonful of salt, one egg, them; it is a form of homeopathy til smooth and thick. Season with salt slightly beaten, a cup of soft bread based on the maxim that similia sim- and pepper and add a pint of mashed crumbs, and the yolks of three eggs;

cure jaundice. Any red stone would Mashed Chestnuts. - These are and drain. Add two-thirds of a cupful

chalcedony or jasper, splashed with the blanched nuts in milk until very teaspoonful of salt, a little onion juice red markings like blood drops. We soft, then mash and season with salt known power of the amethyst to pre- Curried Chestnuts.-Shell and blanch bake in a buttered dish a half hour.



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Merry Christmas! A Merry Christmas! A Merry Christmas to yo A Merry Christmas to on

A Merry Christmas to ou enemies! A Merry Christmas to EVER

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our share, too. No matter what the past ha been, or the future may brit forth, we shall harbor no u kind thought of any human b ing this Christmas day.

-----The New Poor Man's Club" Critics of the moving pictu theatres, according to editori opinion of Collier's Weekly f December 26, should revise the findings.

As the saloon, with its wart th, companionship and rela ation, has been called "T poor man's club, the "movie s now termed "The new po man's club," without the da gers and degrading influen of the saloon.

In Brooklyn, it is declare fifty-three saloons failed la year, while the moving pictu theatres increased in twice t corresponding ratio; and t saloons are beginning to reco nize "the new club" as a foe booze.

Further, Collier's editor clares that "All the books and schola articles that have been writt on the subject have not done much to check the exodus fro country to city as have the I

tures that throb and live up white screens. These statements are portant, if true; and their sour is ample reason for careful co sideration. Fairminded criti are bound to weigh them can fully and to revise according their estimate of the social vi ue of the moving picture sho In the meantime, if player

picture makers and censo everywhere, would strive produce inoffensive entertai ment and moral and educatic al features, they can secure t approval of good people ever The new poor man where for

ANENT the increased freig rates granted to the railroa by the Interstate Commer Commission, it is cheering note the favorable comments the improved prospects of dustry and business. John V Blodgett of Grand Rapids declaring it "the best news a long time," ascribes previo bad conditions to adverse rai road legislation as "the princ pal cause." Many reade. .. wi be glad to learn from th staunch Republican that, afte all, the new Democratic tari is not the chief of sinners. -----

ACCORDING to an apparent fair review of the case in Co lier's Weekly, Atlanta is abou to execute an innocent mai wrongfully accused of murde and denied a fair trial or a ne one because the mob has ten rorized the city from newspa pers to prosecutor and court by its frenzied howl, 'Death t the Jew, or death for you Can not the strong arm of th President remove this ma Frank to a sane district an insure him a fair trial? -----

CONCERNING the appeal made to Governor Ferris fo an investigation of charge against the "Holy Rollers," the reputation, just or unjust given that colony, justifies settlement of the question o guilt or innocence. Much may be allowed to the spirit of re igious toleration, but there's a imit when the matter of out laway and common decency are concerned.

-----FOR a very busy holiday season, our business men and other patrons have our hearty appreciation. We did our bes to take care of the work, but the results were not as good as we would have liked. We trust that our old friends will tak the will for the deed and mak due allowances.

THE liquor question - per Hobson bill-is before Cong. ress at last; and a fire ha been started that will never g out until the traffic in liquid damination is destroyed forever Fortunately, most of the Mich-igan congressmen, our Mr. Mapes among them, are fair in the matter.

TALE about your advertising mediums! Lost week The Ledger advertised, "Sleighing wanted for Christmas;" and just look at it. It never fails; that is, hardly ever.

the discovery that it

## HEARD ABOUT TOWN WHERE THE

Newsy Notes About People You Know. Bry Condon was in

Sunday. Miss Grace Walker was in Saranac Tuesday Miss Ida Friedli was in Grand

Rapids Tuesday. M. B. Conklin was in Gra Rapids Tuesday. Fred Miller and wife

Saranac Tuesday. Miss Irene Stone was in one day last week.

Roy Dollaway went to Grand Rapids Wednesday. S. E. Braendle of Clarks

was in town Monday. Miss Lillian Skelding Grand Rapids Tuesday.

town on business Tuesday. Rapids Monday on business. Charles Morris of White's wonderful tenderness.

day and Monday visiting rela- seeking for him as he had longed Lena Yeiter is pianist this week,

last week.

Letha Rogers.

the holidays.

here this week.

Mrs. Walter Morris.

Devering Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Morris and daugh- whispered: ter Esther of Smyrna were Lowell visitors Saturday.

J. C. Hatch was at Moselev to adjust the loss on the school know that I had to go and that ful flowers. house recently burned.

able prices at Henry's drug store. once again turned from him and commercial agent from Grand ing hand apids, was here on business | With an abrupt movement that

ped hands, face and lips, 4 oz and that he had not left her carebottle 15c only at Henry's drug lessly. Some way, she knew more store."

Grand Rapids to spend the holi- of her dominion over him. She days with her daughters Messisent a gay, mocking laugh over Jurris.

Mrs. Edith Smith visited Mr. enough to say: derson of Vergennes.

Mrs. V. P. Pierce and little son and Miss Bernice Morse of Mor-

daughter of Grand Rapids came by small loss of from \$150 to \$200, gennes taxes. Tuesday to spend the holidays Superintendent McMahon figures

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gay, adventurous warriors the waters of the Grand. She had thought there was no danger of meeting him, as he had not been to the place for several evenings, and she had camedown to the river's edge, standing almost in the spot where he had

first seen her. She was looking down the river towards the rapids and did not know he was near He gave a soft cry that was almost a sob-half triumphant that

LOWELL he had found her-half sorrowful that so many days had been wasted-as he sprang towards Perry Schad of Flint was in her. She was not more fleet of News and Notes of Interest foot than he and soon she was Frank Sargent was in Grand struggling in his arms-his strong young arms that closed around her with such fervor and such is to take place on New Year's day. Marie Perry captains th

Bridge was in town Tuesday. But she was struggling. Why? girls and Bruce McQueen the boys. R, A. Wyman was in Ada Sun- Had she not been longing and A. J. Nash made a five days thoughts he released her, holding ish the dramatization of "Silas trip to Rugby, North Dakota, her only by the hand, lest she Marner" January 4, 1915. dart away from him. The chemistry class is now tak

Leo. Richmond of Vergennes "I love you," he said with the ing up organic chemistry, briefly spent Sunday with his cousin simple directness of a boy. "1 As Christmas is approaching have sought you always since the this week is given over to reviews

was like unto pain. At last she We wish to thank the many respected by all who knew her. "But you went away."

I was impatient to be gone that New Year's post cards, diaries, 1 might the more quickly return alendars and gifts at reason- -0, believe me," he said, as she A. Z. Mullins. Grand Trunk tried to break from his restrain-

Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Brining of down the path. At a safe dis-Vreiburg discover and the path. At a safe disthe home of Samuel Chambers seeing that he did not run after her. She had recovered her poise Brother Manning. Sunday school of hit for the poise and self possession with the school of her school of her brother Manning. and self possession with the Henry's hand lotion for chap- knowledge that he did love her adv lessly. Some way, she ad told her the Queen." Mrs. Helen Batey has gone to and she felt a complete assurance the village, but she paused long

G. Golden Greene, son of Dr. and spent Sunday and Monday singing with joy, a little song, and Mrs. M. C. Greene of Lowell, with her cousin Mrs. Daniel An- you were so glad to be leaving in company with another exper- in Washington. A man who rents an

> We guarantee our cold and "Why," the boy replied, "that is a cough remedies to give satisfac- dance given by one of the maternities Henry's Drug Store.

Ira T. Weldon, Minister.

Mrs. Burton Rausford

Mrs. Harriett Ransford

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and Family.

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## Vergennes Taxes

I will be at the City State bank the watchman and the fire ex. December 19 and each Saturday Mrs. Kenneth Chase and tinguished with the comparative- until January 10 to collect Ver-D. D. Krum.

> Treasurer. THE LEDGER \$1.00 per year.

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LAXATIVE-TONIC Obituary-Mrs. D. Anderson. Laura E. Mann was born in the

to Duncan Anderson October 15, 1873. dren to Mecosta county in 1996. Always of a sunny, optimistic disposition, she kept her family content ed and happy. She was loved and friends and neighbors who so She leaves to mourn their loss, a kindly assisted us in our late R. Lewis of Moseley and John C. of bereavement, also the singers and Barryton, also a little grandson, The funeral services were held on Thanksgiving day at 2 o'clock from

C. F. Brown. -----For Sale-The Lowell Cutter Co. has a quantity of finishe METHODIST CHURCH | Portland cutters, taken on a Morning Class meeting at 10, count, which they will sell at \$20 each. Do not miss this oppor

yearly average of 300,000 cases of ty-Senior League at 6, Misses phoid, with 25,000 deaths. The death Langworthy and Wood leaders. | rate from typhoid in the large Amer Evening service at 7. "Esther | can cities is five times as great as in the large European cities-25 pe 100,000 here and 5 per 100,000 in Eu rope. Here is the duty of the layman obvious-to force his local govern-

Wrong Sex. There was a dance in the lobby of me of the big apartment houses ienced operator, is conducting a partment came in saw the crowd, wireless telegraphy school in San and asked one of the negro elevator boys: "What's going on out there' of Georgetown university!"-Saturday

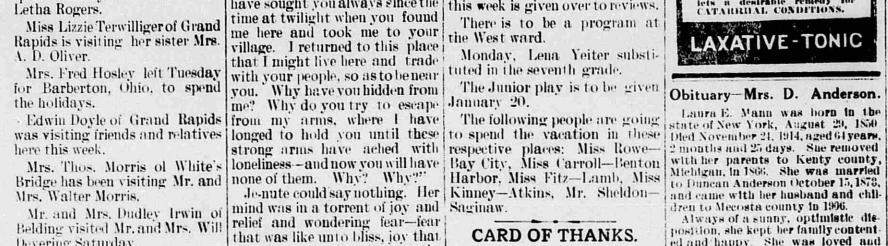
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"O, my love, and is that it?" cried the boy. "But you must to those who furnished the beauti- mother, sister and brother.

dames Clara Hathaway and Lois her shoulder as she turned toward and Mrs. R. Ryder a tew days "But you went away gaily,

> our village-and me." (To be Continued).

ley and Mrs. Frank Schwacha of The power building of the Low-Springwells are visiting their par- ell Light and Power plant caught ents Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Morse. fire again Sunday night, but the tion or money refunded. Have a good cup of fresh roast-d soften with your Christman Christman Owing to the proximity

ed coffee with your Christmas dinner. Get it at the Lowell Cof-ees, help was at hand on call of

with relatives and friends here. that the new house paid for it. Mr. Chase will join them tonight. self that night.

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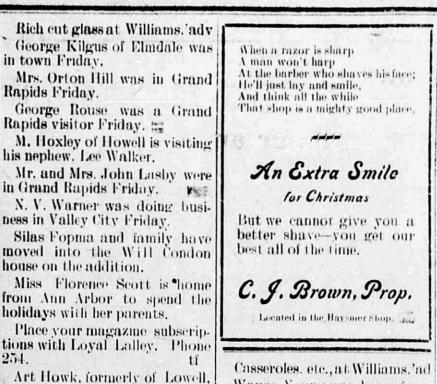
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Rapids visitor Friday. 🚍

now of Peru. Ind., is reported in Grand Rapids over Sunday. Wayne Young was home from Mentally Unhappy Physically, Dull John Peterle of Grand Rapids unhappy and critical. Never is the

> A New Year's greeting-photo emoty the bowels fre by Rhodes. Phone 298. adv made The Ledger a call Monday. for Piles.

in Grand Rapids one day last Saturday.

he latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. | from Lansing for the holiday vaeation. The Ledger office will be closed Hakes gives prompt bus and Miss LuAnna Bauman entertain

on Christmas and New Year's baggage service. Phone 35 ti her brother from days to give its faithful employ- Mrs. Mae Crane of Grand Rap. George Stabl and N ids visited her mother, S. S. Brow. quetty married recently Governor Ferris and ex-Gov- er. last week.

ernor Osborn have been invited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Thomas to attend the laying of the new and little daughter of McCords Aasonic temple in Grand Rapids. were in town Monday. rest from his work on the rail- Cords were in town Friday and mess.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson To every school tea To every school teacher within returned Monday from a visit a radius of fifteer

hair if they will only use Parisian Remitting for his Ledger from You owe it to yourself and to of

The Lowell Moose lodge has all his friends.

the poor and needy. Some lifty relatives and friends at Port families will be visited by Santa Huron and Croswell.

Postmaster Perry on his retire- "Our Folks" at Saranac.

labor, was in town Monday in- Lowell. specting the various factories and beautiful J

Perrin McQueen, Lloyd Wor-Lattelle Ecker and John apeman are home from Ann rbor to spend the holidays with Year to the Led

Miss Edith Daller has returned Loyal Bereau Sund rom a three months' visit in was entertained at the home of Lyd Chicago to spend the holidays dren again and greatly erjoyed the Sarah French, have gone t with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. beautiful Coristinus tree, and old formia to spend the winter.

just come and see how much you oyster supper to which thirty did The family of James Mead are ha can save on a good reliable piano ample justice v buying at home

elected a representative in the Prescott; secretary, Edna Prescott; number, the City State Banl state legislature of Wyoming, treasurer, Nellie Hutbert, He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Campbell of this village. Palmer spent last Friday evening at

There will be something lack- Merton Orlop's, West Cascade g with your Christmas dinner, you don't have a cup of our colored Japan tea. Lowell offee House, Phone 269.

Unclaimed letters in the Lowell postoffice: Geo. and Bertha Fitz Patrick, Will Harvey, Western Wrs. Geo. Franky, Oil Ref'g Co., Mrs. Geo. Franky, Miss Nettie Lennon, Miss Sarah Malcolm. Be wise in time and use Ilyomei

for catarrh and head colds. Neglected cartarrh too frequently destroys the hearing, smell and taste. Get a Hyomei outfit from M. N. Henry. It's thequick, simble and effective remedy. adv F. P. Hakes visited the Burgess Stock furm of Wenona, Ill., last week where he exchanged the three year old stallion which he purchased last year for a larger one. The new horse is a black three year old and weighs 2210

Geo. M. Parker reports the sale Too Late by Joseph R. Lacy and wife to Henry Elbridge and wife lots 4 You'll never miss a train if and 5, block 12, Richards & you carry one of our watches. and 5, block 12, Menature v Wickham's plat Lowell, also part of ne% section 3, town 6 range 9 (the Geo White property.) Con-sideration \$2,5000. For so little? We carry a for so little? We carry a FOR SALE

The Michigan Trust Co., of complete line at very moderate Grand Rapids, has our thanks prices, as well as a full line of for a beautiful booklet, "Our jewelry of all kinds. Sister Republic," descriptive of Mexico, with map, colored views, Diamond Rings La Vallieres photographs and educational Bracelets matter. It is one of the best an- Cuff Buttons nuals, of their many good ones, ever put out by this company. When you purchase of us Get your fresh roasted jumbo you are secure in the knowpeanuts, salted peanuts and ledge that the quality is right

Christmas present at the Lowelly R.D. Stock ing. Coffee House.

MOSELEY Dec. 21.-Rev. Banks of Lowell via ited at Gottfried Biert's last Wednes-Helen Andrewsspenc Saturday nday with her ount, Mrs. ling of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ford visit lives and friends at Moseley Thu day and Friday. Frank Batchelor and family visited

con Weeks and wife Sunday. Mrs. Jennie Kropf and Frank Cum pluge visited Mr. and Mrs. Jay Com lings of Grattan Center Sunday. Burr Davis and wife entertained e Gleaner lodge Saturday evening with an oyster supper.

To every school teacher within radius of fifteen miles, sending ame and address, also district umber, the City State Bank. owell, Michigan, will send a utiful 1915 ealendar. adv

## A Test for Liver Complaint

The liver, stuggish and inactive first shows lise if in a mental state liver are doing their work.

## ELMDALE

John Bashore and family left

Thursday for Grown tity to st the holidays with relatives.

Jake Miller bought n

Will Drew is taking a two weeks' Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Mc- several days the past week on bus-Jay Trowbridge was in Laneer

## GRATTAN CENTER

Cook. The class members were child Mrs. A. C. Auble and sister Santa Claus who was on hand to | - Wm, Wood, Clayton Carlyle, J Before buying a piano elsewhere not least came the most elegant ell Thursday. distribute the presents. Last but | Bulbert and Bert Todd were in L

A. E. Campbell has been re- officers were elected; President, Dora name and address, also district

1 man

Con Star

Necklaces

Belt Pins, etc.

WEST BOWNE Dec. 21 .- There will be Christma exercises with a tree at West Bow oriday nigh

for an indefinite time with her sor A number from here were shopping

Miss Myrtle Fellows of Grand R ds is helping Mrs. Earl er house dutles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E Colby and Mrs. Huizinga of McCords. Agnes Hunter is much better and

Miss Lydie Croninger is home to her holiday vaction from Lansing where she is attending the M. A. C. To every school teacher within a radius of fifteen miles sending name and address, also distric number, the City State Bank,

Clover and

**Culled Beans** 

our elevator CHAS. E. JAKEWAY



of the right kind have more real Christmas Joy to the square inch than any other present yau could give. Why not make this a Red Letter Christmas by fitting out each member of the family? They are useful and appropriate and are always welcome.

ON'T WASTE your pennies at Christmas time. Save a little on each pur chase, even if it is but a few cents, and by the time you have completed your Christmas Shopping you will have saved a considerable sum of money.

THROUGH a happy community of interests on the part of our patrons and ourselves, shopping at this store has been reduced ta a science. And in order to sustain this reputation, for the Christmas trade we have taken advantage of every economy in the wholesale markets---have not let a single opportunity for slicing off a penny go by---and this enables our customers in turn to shop more economically when they trade with us, for it is our policy always to KEEP THE PRICES DOWN.

FROM PARENT TO CHILD, we have an enticing array of goods for the holi-I day trade-everything selected with the greatest of care, and with a view to satisfying the dearest wishes of the hearts of all ages. Below we quote prices on a few of our Christmas goods:

Ladies' Warm Shoes	
Ladies' Warm Slippers	
Misses' Warm Slippers	
Boys' House Slippers	
Men's Felt Shoes	

Willette & Hart

We wish to thank our many customers for their liberal patronage which has enabled us to have the best year of our business; if using our utmost endeavor to please you and have what you want in stock, to sell you only high grade merchandise at reasonable prices merits a continuance of your patronage, 1915 will be a better year for us than 1914 has been.

thing you need for yourself or for a Christmas gift, remember the right store that always has the right merchandise at the right prices,

We take this opportunity to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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home. R. D. Stocking. At the business meeting of the C. E. society held at the church last Wednesday evening the following the following the data of fifteen miles sendir tradius of fifteen miles sendir

Born, to Earl Colby and whe, D cember 11, a girl Mrs. Wm Stauffer has came to vis-

Grand Rapids last week.

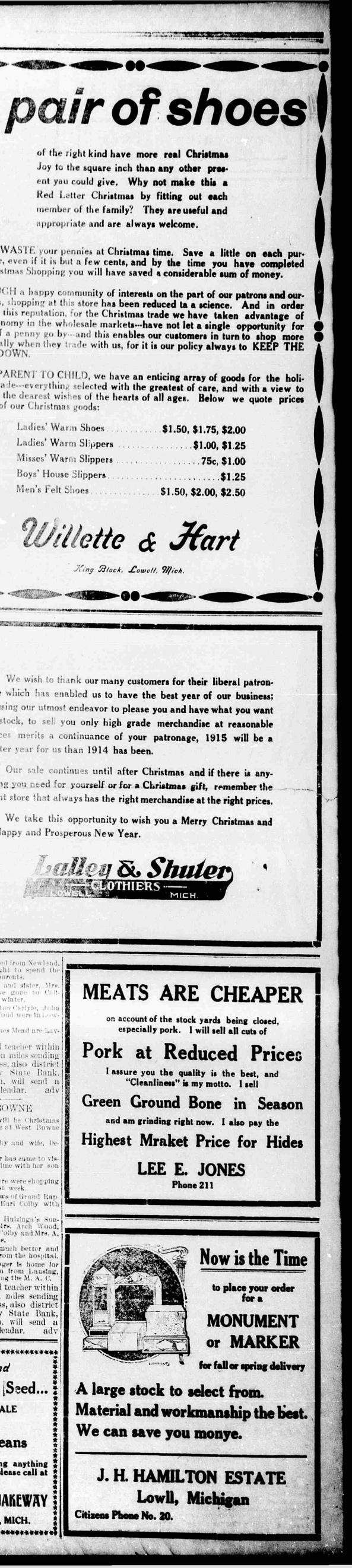
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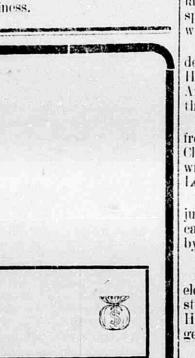
will soon be home from the hospital

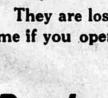
Lowell, Michigan, will send a beautiful 1915 calendar. adv

Those wishing anything in this line please call at

LOWELL, MICH.

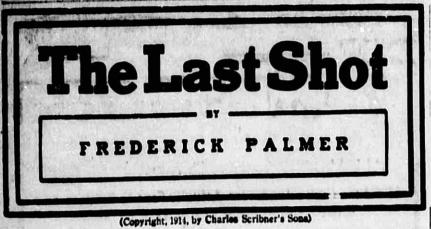






## Mrs. Orton Hill has gone to Grand Rapids to spend the win-spent over Sunday in Lowell. E. L. Kinyon was a business fiver are doing their work, your fiver active and healthy ter with her daughter, Mrs. C. G. visitor in Grand Rapids Friday, ing Dr. Ming's New Life Pill Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baldwin and daughter Mayme of Chicago were in town Tuesday enroute for Mrs. E. D. Yeiter of McCords gist Bucklen's Arnica Sci Get your orders in early for Sterling silver spoons at U.B. your blanched peaauts for Christ- Williams." mas parties. F. W. Braisted, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith were Weber were Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis of week. Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Miss Florence Yeiter is home

## THE LOWELL LEDGER



chief of staff.

competency.

Lanstron declares Westerling and th

tron, made vice-chief. The G crosses the border line and attac.

ry, aeroplanes and dirigib

Marta has her first glimpse of W

"I hope so, sir," replied Bellini. the first man of the staff to go for in- terling. "You are my choice!"

that is naturally strong, that - 1ur-cas began. "The one place where they are confi-dent that we won't attack!" Wester-ling interrupted. He resented the staff's professional respect for Turcas. After a silence and a survey of the faces around, he added with senter-traces around he added wit

sharpened.

ling of the Grays, see Captain Lambdard by a fail in his me." aeroplane. Ten years later. Westerling. nominal vice but real chief of staff re-en-forces South La Tir and meditates on war. of his life for the loyal Bouchard to the loyal Bouchard to the music! The music! He calls it music!" ran through Marta's mind her that he should be so considerate.

bony recesses, Bellini was swept with the tower in war wave of sympathy. "Thank you, Bouchard. You've been his love renational tism and "My duty—my duty, in the hope that s plans to the Gray we shall kill two Browns for every

concentrated for the purpose of sup-borting the mon with an authout a man worth while."

al under externals as they ex- night shift. She could hear the click anged commonplaces of greeting. of the telegraph instruments already "Well, there's a change in our offi-dal family. We have lost Bouchard-transferred to another post!" said peared.

called. "Thanks to you!" he added TOOK HOYT AT HIS WORD NATIONAL SONG OF CHINA "is that so? I can't say that my with pointed emphasis. Back in the

human beings. He was seeing his sus- within reach. She caught hold of it "And Wosterling will think it fatal

sky, he in anticipation and suspense. part again dominant. To him this was baiting the buil. A risk-a risk-but, At their home on the frontier between Bowns and Grays Marta Galland sends news to the enemy and mother, entertaining Colonel Wester-r of the Grays, see Captain Lanstron the Browns injured by a fail in his plane. The sense of the fact. I tell power the range deepened. The rose went violet and the shadows over the range deepened. The rose went violet and the shadows over the range deepened. The guns and the troops wait. With darkness the music begins!" he said slowly, with a start of stern the Browns injured by a fail in his plane. The years later. Westerling.

The and mediates of the for the loyal Bouchard to a superior. See, ar and martial patriotism, o prevent war while he is tanstron calls on Marta, the tells Lanstron that she the gardener, to be a spy sees it is true and shows is which Felter has con-

"My duty—my duty, in the hope that ms to Gray tacks, y, in-ngage, in its but of the room with the tread of the comment of the room tread the room the tread of the comment of the room tread the room the tread of the comment of the room tread the tread the troom the tread the tread the room tread the t taility. The Browns fail back to the data hand house. Marta sees a night attack The Grays attack in force. Feller leaves his secret telephone and goes back to his guns. Hand to hand fighting. The Browns full back again. Marta asks Lanston over fighting. Vandalism in the Galland house herewell left with Bellini still lingered when, a few moments later, Wester-ling summoned him. Not alone the diffidence of a new member of the staff going into the presence accounted phone and plans to give Westerling information. She calls up Lanstron on the secret telephone phone and plans to give Westerling information. She calls up Lanstron on the secret telephone phone and plans to give Westerling information.

in secret machines like Turcas, was "I hope so, sir," replied Bellini. "I've no doubt you have," said Wes- symphonic gratification to the eye terms in their capital!" Westerling's and ear; the face of a man of trained voice grew husky as he proceeded, mind, the product of civilization, with harsh as orders to soldiers who hesi- its last flutter, and Lanstron was alone advised fruit growing, which advice is the elation of a party leader on the tated in face of fire. "After that-after in the silent room with the dead and to be followed by the owners. Work is

not know what else to say. His pride shelter of the arbor. was recovering its natural confidence She wondered if she were going to "No, not fatal," Lanstron agreed. in the infallibility of his judgment of fall. But the post of the trellis was "But it's very important." picions as ridiculous enough to con-vict him of a brain as disordered as "The killing--it must have been ter-yes; and if our counter-attack should Bouchard's. Marta was thinking that she had claim to cover her tardiness of re- would be secure. Hm-m-m-those Marta was thinking that she had been skating on very thin ice and that she must go on skating till she broke through. There was an exhilaration of risk and the solut it that she could not re- sist: the exhilaration of risk and the form with the flowing red of his stead of using engineering approaches. control of her faculties, prompted by strength. She let them remain life- he will throw his battalions, masses and probably the largest of its kind and many of them have been sura purpose hypnotically compelling. lessly, as if she had not the will to upon masses, against our works until Both were ellent, she watching the take them away, the instinct of her his strength is spent. It would be



Pieces!"



mother and I shall be sorry," she re- house he had received congratula- Invited Guests of Theatrical Man, In Country Has Awakened to the Need This month in Fremont Mr. Reed will Up in Missaukee county where the | that pleases every man that owns one.

WORST CENSOR IN HISTORY Norman A in the post in test and in test post in test in test and in test post in test in test post in test and in test post in test in test post in test in test post in test and in test post in test in test post in test and in test post in test and

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In My Own Defense and for Your us as if he wished us out of sight. a matter of course. Before her, ex-

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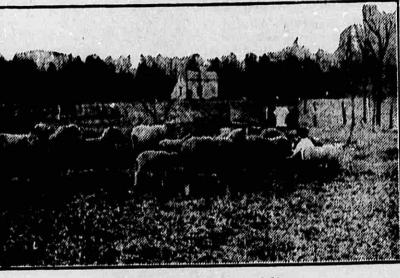


tious effect: "And I was right about Bouchard's note, though officially dis- porting the men with an outburst. "Yes!" she managed to say, and

## here." Westerling assented. He did not know what else to say. His pride was recovering its natural confidence. She wondered if she were going to LARGEST ORCHARDS IN MICHIGAN

By H. J. DANIELS. | consecutive years and each year towns.

SHEEP TO PAY FOR BOY'S EDUCATION



"Little Pete" and His Flock of Sheep.

given him by L. P. Haight, the "sand ready. come from wool and lambs, and that | education.

will be set to apples and peaches and was when tabulated in figures. that they might find out how to make A 65-POUND STURGEON. the owners, wealthy Chicago men, best proof of the great fishing stories onions. Agricultural college. After looking over the place carefully the expert | "And Engadir is the key-point," Wes-terling was saying. "Yes," agreed Turcas. "So we concentrate to break through there," Westerling continued, "while we engage the whole line flore of plan. "But, general, if there is any place "But, general, if there is any place that is naturally strong, that—" Tur-"But, general, if there is any place that is naturally strong, that—" Tur-"But, general, if there is any place

Last spring records pertaining to Last spring records pertaining to receipts and expenditures on 100 farms were taken in Newaygo county by C. P. Reed of the department of farm management at the Michigan Agricultural college. The past summer these records were tabulated and worked out and the farmers whose records were taken have been sent a copy of the same showing their income.

scraper may be used very effectively mobiles in the United States. profit.

In the accompanying picture is | by the time he was ready to go to the price obtained he says the crop

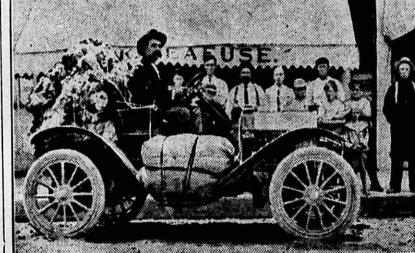
lot farmer" and woolen manufacturer Little Pete, who lives near by, is enue of \$400 from the field, and even

Little Pete ten sheep and told him some money selling mutton. any other one branch of farming. that if the boy would care for the There are several Little Petes that Mr. Mepyans raised about four hun-

in western Michigan. The orchard | prised to see what their labor income ----

and the second second second their farm pay the highest revenue. Seeing is believing, and that is the ery growing or raising cabbage and





while be dut for a low and heard the tails while be used the arbor in eager and seeing him, not at the lead of that reputation, "said West and seeing him, not at the lead of that arguing now," lie wells of ... "I shall find out! I shall find out! I shall find out! was drumming in his temples when to cancel takes tailing now," lie wells of ... "Tead is stereotyped expressions to read its stereotyped expressions torter store to the reas of the formation to the

pounds are very common, while a big fellow like the one in the picture, five feet nine inches long, weighing sixtyfive to sixty-eight pounds, is not un-

ANNUAL POTATO CONGRESS. the The first annual potato congress is One of the largest orchards in Mich- enumerator will meet the farmers Cleveland held recently at Menominee

> Not only the potato itself made i favorable impression but the method of wrapping selected varieties in the same manner that oranges and other fruits are shipped made an impression Milwaukee and was given much publicity. The idea of wrapping potatoes originated with the Upper Per insula Development bureau, under whose auspices the congress at Menominee and the exhibit at Milwaukee were held. In connection with the wrapping, all potatoes are sorted and tarefully graded, which aided materially in introducing Cloverland potatoes in the Wisconsin city.

Menominee county captured first and second prizes in Class I.

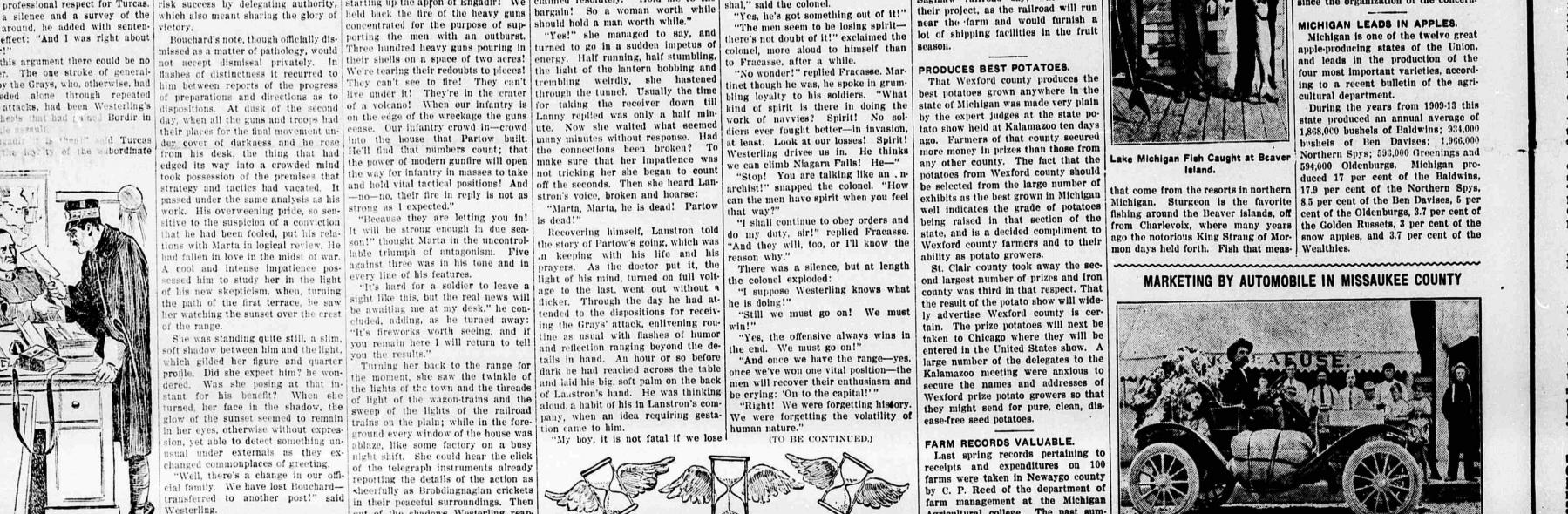
BIG CROP OF CABBAGE. George Mepyans, who owns a farm tear Glenwood, Cass county, harvested 1 15 tons of cabbages from three-fourths of an acre of ground this fall. A Little Pete and his flock of sheep college he would have the money has brought him better than two cents per pound. This should mean a revof Muskegon. He owns a large area sticking well to his job, and now in if the returns were but one cent per of cut-over lands and believes that the the second season has several lambs pound he would have been making lands are good for grazing. He gave to show for his pains, and has made more money than he could make in

sheep he would give him all the in- Mr. Haight is thus helping to get an dred and fifty pounds of peppermint oil this year which is now stored i Decatur. The present low price of oil makes the growing of mint less popular than it was a year or two ago, an the coming year will see the muck land farmers turning their attention to some other industry, possibly ce

> TO HELP DEVELOPMENT WORK. With the view of aiding in the development of northeastern Michigan, and especially that section tributary to the Detroit & Mackinac railway, hat company has established the office of industrial commissioner, and Frank H. Gregory of Bay City has been appointed to the position.

The duties of the office are to aid in locating new industries in towns along he line of the road and to assist in bringing in new settlers to those districts where there are good farm ands, and in this work Mr. Gregory will be a material aid to the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau. Mr. Gregory has been manager of the Gregory Farm Seed company since the organization of the concern.

-----LEADS IN APPLES



marked. "He was always glaring at tions with a nod, as if success were Stage Parlance, Were There of Melody Calculated to In-"In My Own Defense and for Your Aid." who makes a superior's conviction his own, the better to carry it out. Hazily, Bouchard had heard the talk, Bazily, Bouc

smooth crown maintained. Except for very stony soil the road machine or There are 1,253,875 registered auto-in a satisfactory way if you expect

A Nabob "What is a nabob?" asked the teach-"A neigh-bob," answered little Lemuel, "is a horse with a docked tail."

The Unexpected Happens, "It was an unusual situation confronted our fox-hunting club, and nobody knew what to do." "What happened?"

"Why, they unexpectedly started up for."-Kansas City Journal. -

The Ideal "The Van Trotters seem to be highamused about something." "There's a great joke in their fai

"What is it?" "Since the war has prevented their annual tour of Europe, they are ac-tually going to Niagara Falls!"

ladder away."

official dignity, was finally appointed pendent. marshal in a parade on Memorial day. It was great fun, at first. By and "Oh, that's easy enough!" laughed

give his horse a quick clip. Then, standing up in his saddle, he yelled, with a voice filled with pride and au-Once again, and yet once again

body's Magazine. the second se

prize fighter when he was a young man, and, as a result of this accom-put his hand gently into that of the the Billee. "It's made of stone, and the because of this verdict. the over-

cautioned Attell, not getting the real significance of the theater's name; "don't do that. If you do you'll lose a lot of money. There ain't enough Greeks in that town to fill a moving -

Beautiful, clear white clothes delights the laundress who uses Red Cross Ball Blue. All grocers. Adv. Anything to Oblige. Officer filling in form-What's

your religion?

Names that parents inflict upon their children are enough to cause them to break into fail in after years.

## Don't Persecute



s that human and subhuman will hereafter. His one contention is t what befalls the one will happen

## Santa Clana and Tittle Biller By John Kendrick Bai Author of "A House-Bost on the Styr."

"The Idiot," etc.

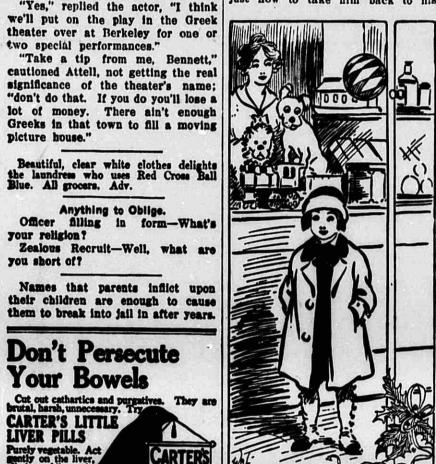
(Cosyright, The Frank A. Munser Co.) E was only a little bit of of a chap, and so, when for the first time in his
in the cone behind keeps me from get-ting rheumatism in my back. They are a great protection against the weather"
in the cone behind keeps me from get-ting rheumatism in my back. They are a great protection against the a Good Christman Discont You Want

Not the First. Apropos of a millionaire of fifty-five who had divorced his wife after 30 years of happy wedlock in order to marry a chorus girl of eighteen, Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, the brilliant suf-frage worker, said with no little bit-terness: "He is not the first man to use his wife as a ladder and then kick the ladder away." reckoned not upon the magnetic power of attraction of all those lovely wondering where I've gone to." read it myself, but he told me what it said. He has it printed there so that At the First Signs objects in detail. Of falling hair get Cuticura. It When a phonograph at the other Santa Claus, stopping short in his

works wonders. Touch spots of dan-druff and itching with Cuticura Oint-ment, and follow next morning with a hot shampoo of Cuticura Soap. This at once arrests falling hair and pro- as his little legs would carry him to hadn't come home at dinner time. I motes hair growth. For free sample investigate. After that, forgetful of don't believe you know where you each with 32-p. Skin Book, address post card: Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston. Bold everywhere.—Adv. Marching Orders. An old Irishman long destrous of the stream of christmas shoppers, he was borne along in the resistless current until he found himself at last out up-An old Irishman, long desirous of on the street-alone, fr 's, and inde- the iron fence in front of it, near the park."

Veterans, bandmen and school chil-dren were lined along the streets of little Billee began to grow tired. He could say he lived in a gray stone the town patiently waiting the signal thought of his mamma, and tried to house with a fence around it, near to start. find the shop where he had promised the park; but you don't know what Suddenly Mike, on a prancing charg- to remain quiet until her return. Up street it's on, nor the number, either er, dashed up the street. After in- and down the street he wandered until I'll bet fourteen wooden giraffes specting the dignified procession he his little legs grew weary; but there against a monkey on a stick!"

after that, did the little fellow tra- "Fine!" laughed Santa Claus. Then "Ready now! Every one of yez, verse that crowded highway, his he reflected for a moment, eyeing the kape shtep with the horse!"-Every- tears getting harder and harder to child anxiously. keep back, and then-joy of joys- "I don't believe you even know whom should he see walking slowly your papa's name," he said. Try Murino Bye Remedy for Red. Weak, Watery Byes and Granulated Byelids; No Smarting-just Bye comfort. Write for Book of the Bye by mail Free. Murino Eye Bemedy Co., Chicago decorated with two queer-looking and he owns a bank." boards, with big red letters on them, "Splendid! Made of tin, I suppose,



## the first time the square boards that "Yes, my son." said Mr. Harrison SHOULD MATCH SKIRT mensely popular especially in sand color, which goes admirably with

"That's so, my litle man," said

 our way home with Little Billee."
 He led the little fellow into a public telephone statice, where he eagerly adventures with his new-found friend, to find the reality quite as splendid as the dream things.
 Is scanned the names in the book. At last last it was found—"Thomas Harrison, seven-six-five-four Plaza." And then, in the seclusion of the telephone booth, Santa Claus sent the sladdest of all Christmas messages
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## HUMAN INTEREST STORIES FROM THE WAR ZONE

the little girl to his wife and was then

"What are you wearing those for Santa Claus, and I guess that, as boards for, Mr. Santa Claus?" he he still has a hard night ahead of If the lad had looked closely enough, and tell him to bring the car around he would have seen a very unhappy right away, so that we may take him ook come into the old man's face: back-to his little boy. We'll have to back and chest protectors, my lad," told you about these boards he wears. he replied. "Sometimes we have bit- He has 'em to keep the wind off, and ter winds blowing at Christmas, and they're fine, papa!" Little Billee I have to be ready for them. It would pointed to the two sign-boards which That garment which goes with the ing then one can adopt lengthwise front keeps the wind off my chest, and writing on 'em, too. Do you know which is the fashion for one-piece some women wear it.

tually going to Niagara Falls!" What New Friends Do to Us. David Grayson, author of "Adven-tures in Contentment," beginning his new novel, "Hempfield," in the American Magazine, says: "When we let new friends into our lives we become permanently enlarged and marvel that we could ever have lived in a smaller world." was only a fittle bit of to "s chap, and so, when for the first time in his if was only a fittle bit of to the first time in his if was only a fittle bit of to the first time in his life he came into close current of human things, if was as hard for him wayward little atom of fotsam and jetsam to keep from toss-lived in a smaller world." are a great protection against the weather" "You've got letters printed there," said the boy, peering around in front of his companion. "What do they spell? You know I haven't learned "Merry Christmas to Everybody!"" said Santa Claus. "I have the words printed there so the wishing any-he can't read, though," the lad added hastly. "He's only toking."

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## him, James had better ring up Henry SEASON'S BLOUSE CALLS FOR extended shoulder lines, however,

DEEP CONSIDERATION.

Made-Simulated Basque Received With Favor.

you know-no, siree! This board in nights," the lad went on. "They have son for several reasons, chief of style which looks quite moderi as

Green Brocade Dancing Frock.

A Jeweled Sash and Straps of Black Tulle | most fashionable. Over the Shoulders Complete the Ef-

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frocks and the consequent desire of wraps are the cape effects. Smill most women to have their blouses appear as a continuation of the skirt and serve for all manner of occasions when the coat must be lifted. It has long been a fashion to retain the coat in a room where one is calling or lunching-except in a private house at a formal mealand this gave rise to some carelessness concerning the kind of a blouse beneath, the main object being to secure good neckwear, which was much in evidence because the jacket was loosened. Now the wheel has turned. The incoming of the top coat, which is removed in the dressing room, and the fashion for the one-piece frock have resulted in a demand for a blouse that carries out the component parts of the skirt or. at least, strongly suggests it in color and in design. This does not mean that the wash

white blouse is forsaken. On the contrary, it has developed strength through the cotton crusade and such a popular factor in separate blouses. First, georgette crepe took Tip From a Fighter. Richard Bennett, the actor, was a with a glad cry of happiness, Little drop pennies into?" said Santa Claus. with a nice little hole at the top to drop pennies into?" said Santa Claus. "What Are You Wearing Those Boards for, Mr. Santa Claus?" plishment, he has many friends in the ranks of puglilsm. One evening during a performance in the middle West, Abe Attell went that Santa Claus's hand should be so in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, Abe Attell went the was not in any mood in the middle West, and the was not in any mood in the middle West, and the was not in any mood in the middle West, and the season. The shops show the plentifully, and yet one knows in the went he satisfaction of two special performances."
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once in a while when he's going away, and then she says, 'Good-by, Tom.'" "Fine again!" said Santa Claus, blowing upon his fingers, for, now that the sun had completely disap-

that the sun had completely disappeared over in the west, it was getting very cold. "Thomas Harrison, banker," he muttered to himself. "What, with the telephone book and the city directory, I guess we can find our way home with Little Billee." After dinner Henry came with the new tout of the house together. This season the the telephone book and the city directory, I guess we can find our way home with Little Billee."

This Adornment, Now in Such Great Variety.

ents: "I have found your boy wandering in the street. He is safe, and I will bring him home right away." (or to ride noise at main and has a long talk with him, just for the pleasure of pretending that it is Santa Claus he is talking to. (or to ride noise at main and has high, straight fur neckties of the "tour de cou" order are again very fashionable for girls. These ties are charming when made of ermine and (or the row of the row of

If man is immortal, so are the low-er animals. Such is the conclusion at which that able student, Ernest Beil, M. A., arrives after years of patient earch. He neither affirms nor de-s that human and subhuman and from an extension of the two fronts, effects now in vogue. man soldier, childless, was bringing under a jeweled fastening at the folded about the waist, and clasped the other. Gave Relics to College. Its Mary Wilkinson, granddaugh of Bishop Keener, has given to the following: a the collection which ahe inheriti from her illustrious grandfather, ong these is what Bishop Keener ight was the only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest stories of the war are to be to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to a listen the following: A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to the sate only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest stories of the war are to be to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to the sate only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest stories of the war are to be to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to de awap. A solder in a hespital in Heidelberg to the sate only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest stories of the war are to be to command and duy is above brotherly is a article in the Berliner Tage bat Prof. Faul Natorp of Marburg to the sate only original likenese who was traveling from Belgium to is a traveling the sate agent to the sate only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest travel and interesting things a the collection which ahe inheritic from her illustricus grandfather, to the sate only original likenese Vesley. New York-Many human interest travel and interesting things a the collection which ahe inheritic from her illustricus grandfather, the sate constant of the source and the second source and the second

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"In my way!"

which is not in keeping with the period of our suits and frocks, and there but there was nothing of it in his lend him a fur coat, to keep the wind Changing Styles Have Caused Many fight basque, buttoned straight up the front with fabric buttone with regulaanswer. "Oh, those are my new-fangled "Oh," said Little Billee, "I haven't "Changing Styles Have Caused Many front with fabric button, with regula-tion armholes, set-in sleeves and high or low collar, is already the smart separate waist to use

If the plain fronts are not becomn't do for Santa Claus to come down with the sneezes at Christmas time, wall. "He says he uses 'em on cold and it is especially difficult this sea- which belonged to the 1870 period, a

A blouse cut after this shape, mad in satin or soft grosgrain silk fastened with velvet buttons in the same color, and finished at the neck with a turnover collar of lace or a high collar of the satin, contributes wonderfully well to the appearance of a cloth suit.

## DICTATES OF FASHION

Grays are coming in again. Seal brown is a fashionable color. Gored skirts are well thought of.

The fuller a skirt is, the shorter it is apt to be. There is no lessening in the fondness for sashes.

should be beaten up so as to separate who wait for something to turn up The new square meshed veiling is much liked. Small women and young girls favor the riscid mass of the erg or should every man when he feels justified in

short coats. For the evening waist little trim. be bolled so as to be easily broken up kicking himself. When athletes are training for a conming is used. test they use a diet that consists, in A great deal of gold ribbon is used

on millinery. gives them strength without fat. So appropriate age for travel?" For the evening gown, flounces are if we wish children to be strong, we "Mileage."

must use as an important part of their Silver sequins are used upon white diet some form of animal food; milk net in evening gowns.

Prevailing styles among evening ones, or eggs and fresh meats for piece of stuff the dog is tearing up?

BROADCLOTH COSTUME "Can you give me a single instance "Yes; chewing the rag." ----where the less was made to contain the greater?" "Oh, yes, I've seen a big woman "Look here," said the indignant mis-

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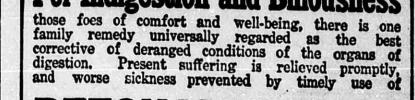


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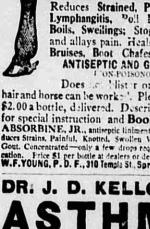
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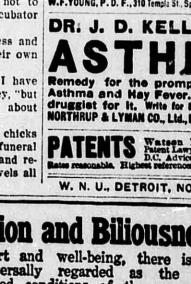


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great part, of rare meat, because this "What in your opinion is the most

## Marital Amenities and meat soups for the very young "Why don't you take away that

"Oh, the pooor little beast is onl enjoying himself in your own way.

## Were Safe Enough.



Springs, where he is visiting friends | Thursday until Saturday Mrs. J. H. Rittenger and son Howand relatives.

Those who were in Grand Rapids ard spent Saturday and Sunday in last week were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grand Rapids with her parents, Mr. Howard, Mrs. Eva Jones, Mrs. and Mrs. W. O. Jury. Warmnest, Misses Nellie and Myrtle A Merry Christmas to all.

Tiffany. Mrs. Wm. Wilde was called to Grand Rapids Friday, where she will re-main with her daught r. hirs. Ed. To every site 1 teacher within | beautiful 1915 calendar. adv

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## SOUTH BOSTON.

Dec. 23 .- Rudolph Roth is home for a two weeks' vacation from the Bensonice Ministerial college. Mrs. Ora Morton is spending Christ-mas with ber sister, Mrs. J. C. West,

in Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Hebert Chase and

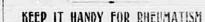
Austin Chase and family will spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chase of Lowell.

Herman Chase of Ann Arbor is spending his Christmas vacation with the home folks.

Officers elect for South Boston Grange: Master, W. D. Baker; Over-meer, Fred Fahrni; Lecturer, Mrs. May Lewis; Steward, John Fahrnie; Assistant Steward, Earl Church; Chaplain, Mrs. Phila Cilley; Treasurer, E. W. English; Secretary, Frank Freeman; Gatekeeper, Clyde Newman; Carles, Miss-Margaret Roth; Pomona, Miss Hannah Fahrnie; Flora, Miss Goldie Osborn; Lady Assistant Steward, Miss Mae Klahn.

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NORTH CAMPBELL Dec 22-Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Trow- Charles R. Foote w bridge and Marvin were Lowell vis- the first of this week.

following is an experience typical of . Mrs. Oxel Johnson and Haroid the work of Doan's Kidney Pills in spent Thursday with her father, Earl King, and wife of Elmdale.

Charlie Robbins, wife and baby at church was a decided success. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. The fair netted about \$40. The farce in one act given by the young ladies

whe very much enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roth visited Sun-Will Cosgriff and family have moved back to Alto. Mrs. Blackburn and children are Austin Rosenberger and wife of Zion Hill were Sunday guests at the' visiting friends in Jennings, Mich. home of Vernon Trowbridge.

Miss Marjorie Nichols of Grand Mrs. Joe Berkey is entertaining a Rapids visited friends here over Sun lealah Long spent Sunday at the Miss Donna Graham has accepted

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port were Sunday guests of Oxel incos last week Thursday. Johnson's Mr and Mrs Ira Hayden are the Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heaven spent proud parents of a son. They have Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and named him Wesley Johnson.

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man Smith of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Dale Curtis. nonials. 50c at your druggist. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Warner visited relatives around Morse Lake Friday. School closed Wednesday afternoon with a fine program and Christmas tree. Miss Underhill will visit her parents in the northern part of the

county. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Behler of Traverse City will spend the holidays with | work of friends and neighbors of this

Miss Bessie Curtiss went to Jack-

with Mrs. Gladys Watkins, and Sunday were dinner guests, with the latter's husband and Albert Hauserman, of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richmond. Florence returns home Friday.

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Sunday services at Snow church at ollows: Sunday school at 10:00 a. m., Supt., Will Hesche. Preaching

service at 11:00 a. m., H. A. Luten ALTO VILLAGE NOTES pastor. All are welcome to these services. R. A. Ferrall has purchased a span

of colts of Frank Eulzinga of Caledonia township. Interesting Items from a Hust-Rev. Walton of Grand Rapids gave ling Business Center.

us a fine talk on temperance Sunday morning. He and our pastor, Rev Marshall Yelter is just recovering Luten, were entertained by Mrs. Reynolds. Ten sacks of mail is the daily aver- Mrs. Thompson of Chicago is board FOR SALE—Hay, straw, corn and corn fodder by Carl Schultz, 3 miles

H. Vosburg purchased a span of Miss Leone Chamberlain is home horses in Grand Rapids.

Will Hesche sold a horse last week Charles R. Foote was in Belding To every schoool teacher with

in a radius of fifteen miles send Mrs. Nina Yelter is fill with pneumonia, but at present is improving- ing name and address, also dis-The supper and fair given last Fri, trict number, the City State day by the Ladies Aid of the Metho. Lowell, Michigan, will send a

beautiful 1915 calendar. adv LOWELL DIST. NO. 5 Gravel drawing on our good road

is to be finished this week and a cold rough time the men and teams have had who engaged in it.

James Easterby, who was so severely injured in a fall from his wagon on his return from Lowell last Thursday evening, was so far recovered as to be taken to his home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Baker of Bos-

ton visited their home people the Needham's at the road ending Sunboost. dav. Mrs. Wilcox has recovered from her

recent illness.

COAL Mrs. Laura Hughson, who has been making her home with her parente, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kinyon, for the past few weeks, has returned with her husbaud to their home in Gladwin county.

the 8th day of December, A. D., 1914

court his final administration account

and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue

It is ordered, that the 5th day of January A. D., 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office. means the least to be praised for the bucket brigade they kept in action all doing so well for little folks. Mr.

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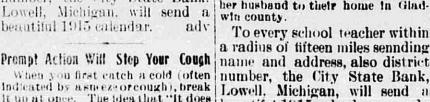
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Mr. and Ms. McLeod met with quite a misfortune last week in the partial loss of their home by fire. The front part alone and most of their goods of said estate.



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