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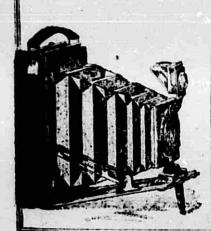


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Deryke-DeWert Union Took Big Boost By Busy, Bustling Newsy Notes About People You Place Saturday Evening.

Married at the home of the Fred DeWeert in this village, Tuesday evening, Nov. 16, to re-Saturday evening, Nov. 20, Miss mind him of his twenty third Jennie DeWeert and James M. birthday anniversary. Deryke of Grand Rapids. The During the fore part of the ceremony was performed at 6:30 evening games were played and by Rev. I.T. Weldon, in the pres- prizes were won by Oscar Moore

silk, and carried white carna by J. B. Sturgis and Miss Elva tions and the bridesmaid wore a Bowen. white gown with pink trimmings | The color scheme used through and carried pink carnations.

and Mrs. A. Zeits, Mr. and Mrs. each, and the nut favors were L. Deryke and Miss Deryke all of yellow in imitation of yellow Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. A. chrysanthemums. D. Schaaf of Holland and Mr. honor with a dainty pearl mani-and Mrs. O. K. Graham and two curing set. Other gifts both usehildren of Hickory corners.

Geo. B. Krum, "Old Lowell SILVER Boy," Enjoys Motor Trip.

The Los Angeles Tribune of ov. 14. has the following as count of a motor-hunting trip participated in by G. W. Krum.

to R. C. Durant, local manager of the Chevrolet Motor company, one of the most interesting was that of two this to say of it:

miles over good roads and bad in a photographic art. mishap to the car and are very en-

complete camping equipment strap taught at mother's knee." the coast read to San Francisco, where they spect several days doing the fair. From there they drove through the Sacramento valley to the for December 22. Redding, which is just west of the active voicano Lassen, but on account of forest fires they were unable to see

the top of the mountain. After camping along the way they inally reached Deadwood, a little F. M. Johnson, Of course you don't have mining camp stuck away up in the to buy if you call and look mountains about fifty miles from a Dear Sir: railroad, and here they found excelbut we rather think you will. lent hunting, and Mr. Kemp brought

A feature of their camp equipment was the air-pressure stove, which burned kerosene and was used inside the tent, and they had electric light by attaching a wire to the batteries on the auto, and this provided a big onvenience for them. Still another nxury was the pneumatic mattress. on which eleeping was a pleasure. In act, they made the trip with almost all of the comforts of home.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Sermon Sunday at 10:30 by this notice is given free. ev. John E. Bodine. Sunday school, 11:45. Junior league, 4:00.

Christian Endeavor, 6:00. Owing to the absence of Pastor here will be no preaching in the

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the M. E. church. The Endeavor Bible Training class held their first meeting with Mrs. Allie Cline Monday evening, conducted by Rev. Lash. This raining class will hold meetings each alternate Monday evening at homes of the members.

METHODIST CHURCH

Morning service, 10:30. "The)vnamies of a Man." Sunday school, 11:45. Junior league, 3:30. Senior league, 6:00. Leader,

liss Taylor. Evening service, 7:00. Thanksgiving program at Verrennes by the Sunday school at

Praise service Thanksgiving night, 7.30, at the M. E. church

"What's Up?"

The Merchants Auction Co. are back. Yes we are back to finish the job at Riede's department store. We are here this time to close out the entire stock and wish to say to the buying public that this will be your last chance at the bargains as every article will be closed out. We also want to meet all the people of Lowell and vicinity. Whether you buy or not we want to meet you face to face at this last greatclean up sale. Everybody welcome.

Yours truly, Merchants Auction Co.

Boosters.

Sixteen guests gathered at the the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. home of Lyle R. Bowen in Keene

ence of only the immediate reladice Lampkin and Miss Edith Daller. With Miss Florence Miss Elizabeth DeWeert cousin Huntley at the piano several of the bride was bridesmaid and songs were sung. Then the guests has. V. D. Schaafwas best man, repaired to the dining room where The bride was dressed in white a four course luncheon was served

out the rooms was yellow and After the ceremony and con white. The centerpiece of the gratulations, refreshments were table was small glass baskets filled with tiny chrysanthemums Mr. and Mrs. Deryke went, attached with white and yellow Sunday afternoon to their future ribbon to the large glass vase home in Grand Rapids. Guests filled with large white chrysanthepresent from out of town were: mums. The place cards were Mr. and Mrs. G. Koopmar, Mr. white with a yellow flower on

Free, daughter Violetta and Directly after the luncheon Lee Frank Deryke of Dutton, Miss Lampkin in behalf of some of the Elizabeth DeWeert and Chas. V. guests presented the guest of ful and beautiful were received.

The guests departed at an early | Rapids. hour wishing him many more happy returns of the day.—[Com.

Among the Gold. Fine Moral Drama Coming.

Manager Warner announces former Lowell resident, which the above named fine attraction will be of interest to his many for Idle Hour patrons for Wednesday, Dec. 1. The story was sug-Among the many touring parties gested by the beautiful ballad of who have reported their experiences the same name.

The Scranton Daily News has

local men, who last week returned "A most beautiful story woven from an extensive hunting and camp-ing trip throughout the northern part songs. Nothing finer in moving These two men, George W. Krum picture creation has ever been better make an inspection of Athambra and Vernon B. Kemp of Pasadena, covered more than 3000 pictures are the final word in Mr. and Mrs. E. T. V

Rural scenes and characters thusiastic over the performance of are depicted in "A pure, wholetheir Chevrolet, as well as the sport some story that cheers the heart of spending those weeks out in the wilds, and they say the performance The prospectus promises "The They left here September 1 with a most powerful moral lesson ever

California Letter.

Long Beach, Cal., Nov. 16, 1915

Enclosed please find one dollar down one of the largest bucks ever for renewal of The Lowell Ledger. Anyway we should enjoy killed in those parts, weighing about We are having delightful 200 pounds. Bear and wildcat also weather so far, only one rain were plentful and they saw scads of which was gratefully appreciated, From deadwood they came back as it was very dry. We have had through Douglas, Peanut, Hay Fork, a few light frosts in the lowlands Harris and Bridgeville, and claim that that vicinity can boast of some of the worst roads in the country, as they were two days traveling sixty and it seems more like the Fourth Kodaks and Brownies from miles. At Santa Rosa they made of July. The seasons are so much

summer from winter. Yours respectfully. Mrs. Chas. Blass.

Auction Sales. Dick Russell will sell his farm

horses, cows, implements, etc., at | batteries.—Smith's Garage. auction, on the Charles Winks farm 5 miles southwest of Lowell, on Tuesday, December 7, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. Free lunch at noon. See bills printed at Lowell Ledger offic with which

ing in Grand Rapids Thursday. Ed Allen. Phone 6.

Phone 35. Hakes' auto livery.

J. A. Mattern spent Sunday in Grand Rapids. Mrs. G. W. Rouse was in Grand

Rapids Thursday. Always at your call, McQueens' ous. Phone 6. tf.

Miss Bernice Creaser spent the week end in Albion. Leon Young was in Allegan a

iew days last week. Mr.s Ed, Maloney was in Grand Rapids one day last week. Charles Lane has purchased a

part of the Solomon Lee farm.

Mrs. Ella Cheetham has gone o Detroit to spend the winter. 🍇 Miss Cora Kropf of Moseley pent Sunday with Rosa Kropf, Miss Leila Houser spent Sunlay with friends in Grand Rapids. Miss Freda Kropf spent Sunday with Mabet Allen in Grand Rap-

Miss Lillian Smith spent Sunlay with friends in Grand Rap-

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gregory have moved into the Purple

Leonard and Lee Braisted are spending Thanksgiving in Grand

Miss Ruth Layer is home from 'adillac for the Thanksgiving Miss Minnie Smith is visiting

er sister Mrs. Perry Haipin at Miss Garry Hankinson spent

Grand Rapids. Mrs. Henry Visser and two City. children spent over Sunday in

Grand Rapids. Misses Estella Kaufman and Fern Frazee were Grand Rapids cisitors Saturday.

Grand Rapids is spending today band passed away in 1875 and a with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. White and laughters visited relatives in

Portland over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fish are spending Thanksgiving with friends in Grand Rapids. A new way to buy a high grade

watch-call at our store for particulars, U. B. Williams. Miss Helen Shivel of Grand Rapids visited her brother and mends here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. White and York and Lowell, who will mourn Mr. and Mrs. Leon Young were for her as a sister beloved. - [Com. in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Lash and son Lewis are Thanksgiving guests of friends in Chicago. Y . Wayne Young has gone

South Boston for the winter. Special meeting of Island City Rebekah iodge Tuesday evening, Nov. 30. Initiation and banquet.

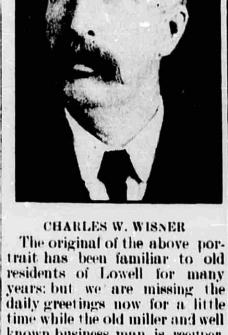
ing several days with Lowell rel-F. J. Morse and son Howard left Tuesday to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Frank

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Misses Luella and Mabel Allen and aunt, Miss Armstrong of E. A. Anderson attended the Grand Rapids are spending Grand Rapids Traffic Club meet- Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs.

adv tf. Blue Ribbon oleo at Shaw's.



known business man is recuperating from his recent illness. "Charlie" will soon be looking

after the bean business again, and going after his favorite smokes: and we'll all be glad to see him.

Mrs. Mary Sandell Passed Away in Belding.

Mrs. Mary Sandell, an old resident of Lowell, aged 80 years, died Wednesday morning, Nov. 17, at the home of her son W. F. Sandell in Belding, where she has made her home for the past three Sunday with her parents in years. Funeral services were held at the home: burial at Carson

Mary Horton was born in Wayne county, N. Y., August 18, 1835. Her childhood, youth and young womanhood were passed in Gaines, Orleans county. She was married to John Sandell Miss Ida Belle Rutherford of New Years day, 1855. Her hus few years later she came to Mich-Mrs. Grace Woodcock and Miss | igan and bought a home in Low-Mayme Woodcock were in Grand | ell, where she lived until the infirmities of age compelled her to accept a home with her son.

Mrs. Sandell united with the Methodist church of Lowell during the pastorate of Rev. D. O. Ball, about twenty-five years ago, and remained a faithful attendant as long as health per-

She is survived by her son Will F., one sister, Mrs. D. E. Pratt of Lowell, a niece, Mrs. Pearl Haber of South Bend, Ind., and many old friends in New

to live with her son, Robert in Items of Interest Contributed

By Student Reporters. The entertainment given by the Ricardi Fadettes under the auspices of the Senior class proved Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fletcher and to be a success. Fifteen dollars sons of South Haven are spend- was cleared, the proceeds to be used for the publishing of the 1916 Retrospectus.

Charles Andrews has been enrolled as a new pupil in the eighth

The seventh grade is making lemonstrations in physiology

The Seniors of Lake Odessa have invited the Lowell Seniors to a party at Lake Odessa Friday evening. "Better pack the boys up and send 'em over, eh?" The Annual staff met for organization last Friday. Work will begin at once under the different

departments. The Junior class is studying Shakespeare's "Macbeth" in English. The Freshmen are study ing "Midsummer Night's Dream" by the same author.

Pearl Scott has resumed her luties at school, after a week's

The Sophomores are doing some very good work in theme writing on "The Mansion" by Henry Henry Van Dyke. Hear ye! hear ye! Know all

Seniors by these presents. Book reviews are upon Wednesday next. School will be closed Wednesday, Nov. 24, for Thanksgiving vacation. The teachers will return to their homes to enjoy a big turkey dinner. School will be resumed Monday following. The next meeting of the Smilers will be at the home of Vera Loucks

December 1. Miss Fitz will entertain her mother and sister from Lamb, Michigan, over Thanksgiving. The Botany class have planted beans, corn and wheat to observe

their growth and development. The Junior Girls lota Nu club met at the City hall Monday evening, Nov. 15. The first of the evening games and music were enjoyed, after which light refreshments were served. Miss Blake was honorary guest.

James Chambers of Macon, Mich., came Saturday to visit Mrs. Samuel Chambers and niece, Mrs. Cline, and returned home Tuesday afternoon taking with him the remains of his brother. Seneca Chambers, of Mrs. James (Louise) Chambers and of their daughter, Mrs. R. D. Bancroft (nee Sadie Chambers) all to be placed in the cemetery at Macon. Glen Adgate of Saranc was in town one day last week.

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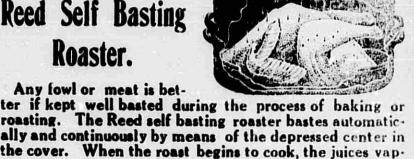
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MICHIGAN WOMEN Six tickets for 25 cents are being issued by the Safety Motor Bus club. organized by owners of Grand Rapids'

INVITATION TO PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION TO SUFFRAGE WORKERS.

WILL HAVE SPECIAL TRAIN

Detroit Women Are Assisting Costuming of Three Hundred Who

Will March in Historical Pageant,

Detroit-Mrs. Edward Breitung, of Marquette, chairman of the Michigan his head. He never regained con-Congressional Union; Mrs. Jennie sciousness after the fall and Friday Law Hardy, of Tecumseh; Mrs. G. B. died. Jennison, of Bay City, and Mrs. C. D. Hamilton, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Ralph Ainsworth, Miss Margaret Fay delivering his Sunday evening ser-Whittemore and Mrs. Eugene R. Thippen, of Detroit, have received invitations to be present at the reception to be given on December 6th in honor of the suffrage "flying squadron" which will be attended by 300 work-

ers in the Congressional Union. Mrs. Lucia Grimes and Mrs. Edith Lowell, of Detroit, are now in Wash- of R. E. Olds to Lansing Masonic ington, where they are assisting in bodies, the costuming of the 300 women who With flowage rights along Crockery will participate in the historical pa- creek acquired, the formation of a geant that will mark the visit of the hydro-electric company to build a big

flying squadron." The Michigan delegation will be car- 275 horsepower will be started in the ried to Washington in a special car immediate future. leaving Detroit Dec. 4 at noon.

TO STAMP OUT DIPHTHERIA state intercollegiate oratorical con-

Cadillac Has Adopted Strenuous Meas- women's December 9. ures Against Disease.

Cadillac-Because of the desire effectively and quickly stamp out the gested that the operators be paid betdiphtheria which has been prevalent in Cadillac for more than a month, the authorities are enforcing some rather stringent regulations. The years old, of Hart, one of the oldest city schools are to be closed this practicing physicians in that section week, the public library closed, Sun- of the state, died at Butterworth hosday school classes will not meet the pital at Grand Rapids Saturday from junior members of the Y. M. C. A. will a complication of diseases. be required to remain away from the association building and all children board of trade the boosters' club, the under 16 years of age are not per- retail merchants' association and all mitted to attend theater or moving such local organizations in Ludingpicture performances.

New Finnish Republican Paper. Calumet-Finnish republican busi. secretary of agriculture, M. A. C., will ness men of Houghton and Keweenaw have no agricultural trains this year. counties will put into the field a re. The Smith-Lever bill prohibits any publican newspaper, a semi-weekly person receiving salary or expenses publication, designed for use in the for accompanying such trains. House, 113 coming county, state and national The question of submitting local

> Those associated in the enterprise next spring, was turned down by the include several prominent republican board of supervisors in session at leaders in this part of the state. The Standish Wednesday because the penew publication is expected to reach titions were not presented in time. Finnish-Americans in all parts of the The county is now wet. country. The company, known as the Finnish Republican Publishing Co., is ployed in the principal motor plants capitalized at \$10,000.

Fire Loss at Yale. Yale-Fire, supposed to have start. of 5,600 since Jan. 1, and 1,500 more

ed in the engine room, completely de- than ever employed there before, stroyed the plant of the James Liv- James Case, 70 years old, was iningston Flax company, here, at 10 stantly killed early Sunday morning o'clock Thursday night. The mill was at Saginaw, by being struck by an aufilled with a large quantity of finished to driven by Nicholas Naumann as he tow. Loss is estimated at \$15.00. The was crossing the street diagnoally. company employs about 18 men here Naumann had five members of the and has three other mills. James Wattashefer family in the car with Livingston is chairman of the corpo- him, three of them girls. ration. Edgar W. Farley, secretary, and James McColl, local treasurer and tice Saturday that the Germania Re-

Nurse Employed by Church. Saginaw-Hereafter tired mothers Wiest, of the Ingham circuit, who up-

ho want to attend service at the Jef- held the constitutionality of the act ferson ave. M. E. church will not providing for a tax on car loaning have to soothe crying babies and the companies. services will not be interrupted any Hugh Beardon saved Jerry Moore, more. A nurse will be stationed in 12 years old, and Harley Johnson, 12 one of the unused rooms of the church years old, from drowning in Saginaw and will care for all the youngsters river Saturday. They were fishing during service. The plan has been from a canoe, which capsized. Beartried out in a number of churches don swam from a dredge and took and has been a great success, the at- Johnson from a pile where he was tendance at the morning worship par- clinging, and then rescued Moore by ticularly increasing.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

A 30-foot fall from a tree caused the dress the delegates. get a squirrel he had shot.

A shipment of 50,000,000 whitefish eggs has arrived at the Point Edward general civic improvement the Albion hatchery at Port Huron. The eggs Boosters and Knockers' club has voted will be hatched and the fish turned to permanently endow a large room into Lake Huron next spring.

After being out from 10 o'clock Fri-

she fell 30 feet down an elevator shaft 2,500 members from all parts of the at the home and fractured her skull. state are expected here for the event At a meeting of drain commission- Putting through the resolutions fc ers of Sanilac, Tuscola and Lapeer a special election to name a successor counties, the decision to have a sur- to former Probate Judge F. W. Van vey made of the route of a drain to Wickle, by a vote of 12 to 4, the coun be known as the Cass river drain, ty board of supervisors of Oceana was reached. The drain, which will county late Wednesday set December be nearly 40 miles in length, will be 6 as the date of the primary and De one of the largest in the state and cember 27 as the date of the special will cost approximately \$550,000. election.

Victor Norquist, of Bessemer, hunting north of Wakefield, accidentally AID OF IMPROVISED shot himself Friday. Death was in-LADDER.

The City hotel at Allegan was badly

damaged by fire which broke out in

the Hicks harness shop next door.

Sam Shingler fell from a ladder Thursday while ascending to the loft

While Rev. D. D. Shaw, of the First

Methodist church, of Port Huron, was

mon, burglars ransacked the parson-

age. Their efforts netted only ten

Arrangements are being completed

room of the Masonic temple at Lans-

ing of a handsome pipe organ, the gift

Albion college will have representa-

tives in both the men's and women's

tests this year. The local men's con-

In a report to the council, the spe-

cial committee appointed at Flint to

obtain better telephone service sug-

gether for the good of the city.

Fourteen thousand men are em-

in Flint, according to figures made

public Saturday by the manufactur-

ers' association. This is an increase

Auditor-General Fuller received no-

fining Co., of Pennsylvania, had ap-

pealed to the United States supreme

court from the decision of Judge

tors could be obtained.

cents.

The loss is about \$12,000.

has already been subscribed.

A national bank is being organized away and Fires But All Sucfor Gladstone by local Escanaba busiceed in Getting Away in ness men. Most of the \$50,000 capital Darkness.

> Jackson-Four inmates of Jackson were successful in getting away.

Ross Abbs was captured shortly before midnight at Rives Junction, about 10 miles north of the prison by Deputy Sheriff Leeks and returned to the prison. Leeks will be given the \$100 reward. for the installment in the blue lodge

scaling the wall. The escaping men were: Fred Brown, alias Lewis Locke, 45, a Negro, sentenced from Calhoun county in 1908 to serve from five to 15 years for burglary; Lee Taylor, a Negro. 47, sentenced from Berrien county in 1906, to serve from seven and one-half to 15 years for robbery; Ross Abbs, 26, sentenced from St. Clair county last August to serve from two and one-half to five years for larceny, and Frank Wilhelm, 22, received from Berrien county in 1911 to

along the C. & N. railway.

ter wages so that more capable opera-Dr. Thomas Jefferson Sherlock, 70 darkness, his aim was poor. Other guards were attracted by the shot and within a few moments a search was in progress .

WOODMAN OFFICIAL IS DEAD

General of Foresters. ton into one strong body to work to-Under a ruling of David F. Houston,

flicted with arterio-sclerosis. option to a vote in Arenac county

of the Woodmen of America.

Bullet Lodges in Brain.

them with milking pails.

Thursday night the boy was gone innocent. for an unusually long time, and the bullet in his head. He had stubbed value to grant another reprieve. The his toe and accidentally discharged decision of the board was against the gun. He died a few minutes later. further continuance.

Kelly is Found Guilty. grabbing his hair as he was sinking.

About 200 students from other Michigan colleges are expected to be guests at M. A. C., December 3, 4 and 5, when the state student convention Rev. R. W. McLain, pastor of the of the Y. M. C. A. will convene at Baptist church at Ithaca and grand East Lansing. The convention will chaplain of the Michigan I. O. O. F., open Friday evening, December 3. has resigned his pastorate to enter when Gov. Ferris and Acting President Dedzie, of the college, will ad-

instant death of Lloyd Abbott, aged Mrs. Norman Galt, fiancee of Presi-15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ab- dent Wilson, Friday night, from Washbott, living two miles south of Cad- ington flashed a signal that formally mus. Abbott started on a hunting opened the \$1,000,000 Masonic temple trip shortly after breakfast. Later in and inaugural fair. On receipt of the the morning his dog returned and this signal a firing squad from the Michled to an investigation and the discovigan Soldiers' home fired a presidentery of the body lying under the tree. ial salute of 21 guns, the boulevard The boy is supposed to have tried to system was turned on and factory whistles were blown.

> In accordance with several plans for in the Albion city hospital.

Instead of four years more of a day morning until after 9 at night, a ten years sentence at Jackson to when attacked by the wounded deer. jury in the circuit court at Kalamazoo serve, William O. Sutton now laces for life.

Mrs. Lydia A. Brigham, 60, who The Michigan Arbeiter bund will moved from Flint a year ago to en- dedicate its new state headquarters ter the Michigan Soldiers' home at at the East Side Arbeiter Hall in Grand Rapids, was killed today when Saginaw, December 5 and 6. About

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS | FOUR ESCAPE FROM

NORTH WALL IS SCALED WITH

ONE MAN IS SOON CAPTURED

Guard Sees Last One Making Get-

of his barn at Charlotte, striking on prison escaped Friday night over the north wall of the penitentiary. One of the wall guards saw the last man escape and fired upon him but all

An improvised rope was used in

power plant at Ravenna to develop serve five to 15 years for burglary. Taylor and Brown were captured test will occur December 2 and the

> The men were employed in the brick plant and the power house. The ladder used in the escape was constructed of rope and an iron pipe. The guard fired on the fourth man but because of the distance and the

John H. Mitchell of Ionia Was Major-

Ionia-General John H. Mitchell, major-general in command of the of John G. Morrison and his son, Modern Woodmen of America, For. here, in January, 1914. esters' uniform rank, died here Friday at the age of 66 years, after an illness of 16 months, having been af-

He was born in Franklin, N. Y., and came here when 7 years old. At 17. he went to Grand Haven and published the News there. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in Ot. ling. tawa county. Returning, he edited the Standard for a time when it was owned by L. E. Rowley. This was in 1883. In 1903 he took up the work

KILLED WITH HIS OWN GUN

Lad Near Addison Stubs His Toe and

bright, 13, son of an Addison farmer, Spry had refused President Wilson's took his gun every evening and went last request to grant Hillstrom a redown the lane and through a woods to prieve, the state executive received round up a herd of cows, and each a telegram from Seattle, the sender night the lad hustled them up to the of which said he was with Hillstrom barnyard where his father awaited on the night when the Morrisons were

Toledo, O.-A jury in common pleas court late Friday returned a verdict of guilty, with recommendation of mercy, against John P. Kelly, clerk of courts, under indictment for alleged jury-box tampering. The maximum penalty is a year in the workhouse and a fine of \$1,000.

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

Harlan A. Depew, of Ann Arbor, has been appointed chemist in the bureau of mines at Pittsburg. At a special election Wednesday

night for the school district which embraces the city of Flint, the taxpayers voted to bond for \$110,000 for extension to the system. Twenty school site in the Fourth ward and a similar amount for a site in the Fifth. building in the Fifth ward. The first fatality of the deer hunt-

ing season occurred Wednesday at

King Potato will rule in Grand Rapprove his kind.

Wallace G. Wright, for eight years general secretary of the Jackson Y. the plant at South Park, in Port Hu-M. C. A., has tendered his resignation ron, and the plant of the defunct to take effect January 1, and will ac. Havers Motor Car Co., and will escept a position as general secretary tablish a general foundry business in consin.

August Schneider, 17 years old, son east of Lansing, was killed Saturday Lumber Co., at Melvin. The loss is evening by an automobile driven by \$32,000, with \$17,000 insurance. The Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, who paratus from Yale helped combat the was returning from a foot ball game flames, which for a time threatened | na and Vicenza, in the Italian provat Ann Arbor with a party of friends, the entire business section.

PRESIDENT TO CONFER WITH PEACE DELEGATE



MME. SCHWIMMER. Washington-President Wilson has promised an interview on Friday to Mme. Rosika, peace delegate from Austria. Mme. Schwimmer says the warring nations are too proud to sue for peace and that the neutral nations must intercede with some plan which all nations can accept at once and thus save the honor of all of them Sunday in the south part of town and at the same time stop the war. Mme. Schwimmer has been in Detroit recently and has so interested Henry Ford that he will accompany her when she calls on the president.

Young I. W. W. Leader is Executed by Firing Squad After Several Efforts

Salt Lake City, Utah-Fighting death in an insane frenzy, Joseph Hillstrom, young I. W. W. leader, was executed by a firing squad shortly after sunrise Friday for the slaving woman's hospital.

In some unknown manner he had concealed a broom handle in his cell. When the door was opened. Hillstrom leaped upon the guards, swinging his club fiercely on their heads, severely cutting one about the scalp and face. The guards leaped upon him and overpowered him almost in a twink-

The pleadings of the Swedish government and President Wilson's intercession on two occasions failed to save Hillstrom. Hillstrom's unsupported defense

woman's house on the night the two men were killed was disregarded by the authorities. He went to his death with the woman's name, if true, his own secret.

that he was elsewhere at a married

She did not come forward to save Adrian-For three years Arthur Al- Early Friday, many hours after Gov. slain and declared that Hillstrom was

Gov. Spry immediately summoned waiting father started down the lane. the board of pardons and it went into At the end of the woods he found session to decide whether the elevthe boy in a dying condition with a enth hour evidence was of sufficient

> Munday is Found Guilty. Morris, Ill.-Charles B. Munday, former vice-president of the La Salle Street Trust & Savings bank, of Chicago, known as the Lorimer bank, was found guilty Friday night of conspiracy in connection with the failure of

The jury recommended that Munday be sentenced to serve five years

The trial of former Senator William Lorimer, president of the bank, is expected to follow soon, but it probably will be in Chicago.

STATE NEWS IN BR. EF.

Chauncey Olmstead, of Detour, was shot to death Thursday near Detour. thousand dollars was voted for a Olmstead was hunting when a gun, standing against a tree, fell and was accidentally discharged. The bullet The remainder, \$70,000, was for a new pierced his neck, killing him almost

the Michigan Conference Woman's Delaware, Keweenaw county. John Missionary society, at Jackson, as fol-Besonen, aged 70 years, was found lows: President, Mrs. Grace H. Peck, dead near a deer he had killed. It Kalamazoo; vice-president, Mrs. F. A. is believed he died of heart failure Mall, Grand Rapids; treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Ray, Manistee. Solomon Frain, 77 years old, of

Officers were elected Wednesday by

charge of criminal libel. Talbot was convict who attacked Charles Smith, ber 1 when the National Potato asso- habit of always walking with his head Milan. Charlton on Oct. 25 was senrecently arrested upon complaint of another convict, with a knife and in- ciation and the Mcihigan State Potato downward. Sunday, Mr. Frain was County Clerk Edward Curtenius. Tal. flicted terrible wounds. He was con- association will meet in joint confer- taking his usual morning walk across months for slaying his wife. He had bot published a weekly paper and in victed or murderous assaut, and has ence and will exhibit and lecture, seek the Saginaw river at Bay City and been in jail five years and one month. one issue declared the clerk was dis- been sentenced to Marquette prison means to extend his domain and im- walked off a drawbridge, which was A royal degree cut his sentence down Romeo Foundry Co. has purchased

> \$150,000 a year. Fire early Thursday destroyed the of a farmer residing near Webberville, sheds and stock of the H. J. McPhee an official announcement made by the W. B. Wood, general manager of the origin of the fire is not known. Ap- Italian war office. Another squadron of aeroplanes dropped bombs on Vero-

TRAIN IS DITCHED AT MACKINAW CITY

ONLY FOUR INJURED IN WRECK CAUSED BY BROKEN RAIL.

MANY HUNTERS ARE ABOARD

Two Sleepers and Three Day Coaches of Michigan Central Train are Thrown Into Ditch and

Wrecked.

Cheboygan-Although three passenger coaches and two sleepers were thrown into the ditch when the Michigan Central southbound train was wrecked by a broken rail, three miles south of Mackinaw City at midnight Sunday, only five or six persons were

It was at first reported that 40 were killed and many injured and physicians from Cheboygan and Mackinaw rushed by auto to the

Postmaster John Noll, of this city, had his right arm dislocated, and E. A. Tremaine, also of Cheboygan, was badly bruised about the face. The train was an exceptionally heavy one, being drawn by two engines.

The track and roadbed were torn up for more than 150 feet. A number of hunters, some with their wives, were returning from the upper peninsula. The train was sev-

eral hours late. **WOMAN IS BURNED TO DEATH**

Attempt to Start Fire With Kerosene Results Fatally at Saginaw.

Saginaw-Mrs. Anna Shebasta, aged 77 years, was fatally burned late Sunday afternoon when kerosene, with which she attempted to light the kitchen stove exploded throwing flames over her body. She died three hours later. Mrs. Shebasta suffered a stroke of paralysis last spring and

had little control of her left side. So rapidly did the flames consume her clothes that she fell at the stove. When neighbors responded to her screams, they found her garments burned off and her body charred. She was taken to the

Attempt to Blow Up Archbold.

Tarrytown, N. Y.-Preparations for what the police believe to have been a plot to blow up the home of John D. Archbold, president of the Standard Oil company, and business partner of John D. Rockefeller, were discovered Sunday when four sticks of dynamite were found concealed within 50 feet of the building. The explosive was wrapped in

coarse yellow paper and around each of the four sticks was wound copper wire. Dallas After Democratic Convention.

Washington-Cato Sells, commissioner of Indian affairs and member of the Democratic national committee from Texas, Sunday received word from Mayor Lindsley, of Dallas, that \$100,000 had been raised to secure for Dallas the 1913 Democratic national convention. The message said special train would bring Texas here to urge Dallas' claim before the Democratic national committee at its meeting December 7.

To Buy Gowns in America. Washington-Denial was made at the White House Saturday night that Mrs. Norman Galt, President Wilson's flancee, has ordered any gowns from Paris. It was said that all of her trousseau will be made in the United States. The denial was issued in connection with reports from Paris that the Dressmakers' Syndicate there had blacklisted a New York dealer said to have been commissioned to buy gowns for Mrs. Galt.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Rome-Passports to Austrian and German cardinals will be issued by the Italian government, enabling them to attend the consistory at the Vatican

Kingston, Ont.—Immigration reports

state that there is a noticeable increase in the number of people who are leaving Canada to take up residence in the United States. New York-Federal Judge Hough Thursday held that the government has a right to make temporary use of

any device on which it has granted a

patent, and that the patentee cannot secure an injunction. Washington-Great Britain, France and Russia have united in an effort to add China to the Entente Alliance in order to prevent possibe friction in the future between Japan and China, and to preserve the peace of

Como, Italy-Porter Charlton was convicted Truxton Talbot upon a life imprisonment. Sutton is the ids for three days beginning Decem- Laingsburg, lost his life through the discharged Saturday. He left for

Terre Haute, Ind.—Eugene V. Debs,

Socialist candidate for president of the United States in 1900, 1904 and 1912, in a formal statement announces he has declined the fifth of the association at Superior, Wis- that city. The company's pay roll is nomination for the presidency at the hands of his party. Rome-Austrian aviators threw 15 bombs on Udine, Italy, killing 12 per-

sons and wounding 27, according to

ince of Venetia and on Grado.

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SYNOPSIS.

-11-Briar country and goes to the Green Briar country and goes to Harwood's home, where he finds Noreen Harwood. He introduces himself as Lieutenant Ray-mond. Parson Nichols comes to the house and tells Noreen of her father's death. Wyatt forces Parson Nichols to confess that he has been sent in advance death. Wyatt forces Parson Nichols to confess that he has been sent in advance of Anse Cowan, who proposes to marry Norech at once, and so quiet title to the land in dispute between the Cowans and Norech's dead father. Anse Cowan and his wing arrive and find the preacher bound in a closet. Wyatt and Norech have concealed themselves in the attic. The Cowan gang ransacks the house, but falls to find the hidden couple. Wyatt tells Norcen who he is. They return to the second floor and await the next move of the gang, forcing the preacher to silence. Unable to escape while the gang is on the first floor and around the house, Wyatt proposes to marry Norcen and protect her from Cowan. She accepts and Wyatt forces the preacher to marry them. Cowan's gang is driven of by Federal troops, one of whose officers is the real Lieutenant Raymond. Wyatt is trapped, though Norcen attempts to defend him. Wyatt is taken to Lewisburg for trial as a spy.

CHAPTER XV.

I Choose Death.

walked those streets hand in hand gravely, and extended his hand. with my father. It had not grown any "I would far rather meet you as I larger, and thus far the war had did before," he said, "but war gives wrought little damage. The most of | us no choice." about the Frost hotel, a three-story wooden structure, where the officers liked the man. "I presume there is vised lever wrenched the bracket of the garrison lodged, and the court- no doubt as to my fate?" my father presided on the bench, now This is Colonel Pickney, in comcompletely surrounded by a military mand." camp. There were more Federal soldiers here than I had expected to see, but a remark exchanged between two lute, its expression that of regret. of my guard informed me that most of these had arrived during the night | he said to his companion, "which fact -a regiment of Ohio troops, and a adds to the unpleasantness of such battery of light artillery, destined to duty. Your name is Wyatt?" assist in a contemplated attack on Covington. The head of our little column halted | federate service-an officer?"

in front of the hotel, but Whitlock shouted a command to the sergeant, and we rode on past, the guard closing up tightly. I kept my face straight ahead, determined to make no sign, had as we clattered on down the street.

At the courthouse steps the sergeant turned me over to the officer of the day, and I was marched into the basement. The old jail had evidently been burned, for I could see the roof had fallen in, and the stone walls were blackened with smoke, but the lower story of the courthouse was bastile enough, the windows barred, the walls strong and thick. The place in which they thrust me had at one time protected the county records, was perhaps nine feet square, with one narrow window high up in the wall, and an iron door. The floor and walls were of stone, and the ceiling beyond reach. A soldier threw in a box, to be Ramsay." utilized as a seat, together with a couple of blankets.

"There, Johnny," he said carelessly, "I guess you'll stay here till you're wanted. There'll be some grub along after awhile."

The iron door clanged behind him. and I heard the sharp click of a heavy lock, then regular steps passing back and forth across the stone floor, proof that a sentinel had been posted. There seemed little need of one as I sat down on the box and stared disconample light, but no hope of escape. The shelves on which had once recounty were of iron, as a safeguard against fire, with a sheet of iron at hind. My heart gave a sudden leap. As a boy I had played about this building, invading every nook and corner. I could even recall when those shelves were first installed, and I had sat almost where I was sitting then. and watched the workmen bolt them into their present position. It was before my father bought the place out a block down the street. Those shelves rested against the big chimney, and there was an opening leading into it, and do all I could on your benalf." across which they had nailed a tin I drew a long breath of relief, my The sun must have been well down protector before they fastened the

bits of stone, which would afford lodg- ened, and my lips smiled.

Longest Line Measured, by Triangu-

lation in Canada Said to

Be 135 Miles.

The longest distance ever measured

in Canada by means of the triangula-

tion system was accomplished by the

Canadian geodetic survey in the work

ing the western boundary of the Do-

minion. One of the distances meas-

ured by the triangulation method was

135 miles in length. By the measure-

can be found.

ment for the feet, and grip for the

tested two of them with my hands, but that her message was meant for my found both these firm and immovable. encouragement. She wanted me to the noise might be overheard, and not indifferent; trusted me to accomme in some food. So I went back to must act now, if at all. my seat on the box, and waited, my eyes on the iron, and my mind eagerly of hunger, but because I needed it to working on some plan which seemed keep up my strength. I was alone, feasible. I had a half dozen keys in unwatched; there was no place where my pocket, and a broken cartridge an eye could peer in on my move. dered if there was not some trouble shell in my belt-nothing else avail- ments. I dragged the box over to able. The searchers had stripped me clean. A careful survey of the floor revealed only a twisted nail, but there the grating. It proved to be part of replied, somewhat surprised, "for my was something caught in the iron bars a discarded horseshoe, flung there being with her was entirely accidenof the window; from where I sat it looked like the half of a broken horse tained three thin-headed nails. With

the door. while two men entered. One was Fox, the screws before finding one loose her again. The occurrence which tecting roses at the north. One is to the other a heavy-set, gray mustached enough to turn. By this time my fin- aroused my suspicion that he felt a draw the bush together into as small I knew the town well, and few officer, in the uniform of a colonel of changes had occurred since last I infantry. The captain greeted me final success set my heart throbbing

down again-there was someone at

life in the sleepy old town centered "I took my chances and have no

house, a dignified edifice of red brick. "I fear not, but the matter is not in a block beyond, where in other days my hands, for which I am grateful

> I bowed, and our eyes met. The face confronting me was strong and reso-"A very young man, Captain Fox."

"Yes, sir." "You claim connection with the Con-

"A sergeant of artillery, sir." He cleared his throat impressively. "You have the appearance of an intelligent man, Sergeant Wyatt, and but, nevertheless, I had a glimpse of position. I am sure I need not dwell Noreen, standing at her horse's head, upon the fate which befalls a spy and, for an instant, I felt certain her when captured by the enemy. In eyes were resting on me. Then Ray. your case there seems to be no demond spoke to her, touching her fense possible—you wear Federal unisleeve familiarly with his hand to at. form; were within our lines, and patract attention, and she smiled up into pers have been found on you of a his face, as if in answer to some witty most incriminating character. It is remark. This was the last glimpse I my understanding you make no denial."

> "None, whatever, sir; it would be useless."

There is always a way in which mercy can be extended," he went on So I Went Back to My Seat on the earnestly. "Doubtless you possess information which would be of the utmost value to us. I shall gladly use my influence on your behalf if the circumstances warrant." I glanced aside at Fox, and caught

the look of appeal in his face; then back into the expectant eyes of the colonel. "You have authority to make me

this proposition?" I asked quietly. "I am in command of this camp, and pledge you my influence with General

I stood motionless a moment, en deavoring to straighten the matter out in my mind. When I spoke it was as briefly as possible.

"I can only thank you, Colonel Pickney, and respectfully decline, I will not answer vour questions, sir." it a throb of fear. That my fate was a correspondent, that an anecdote Fox gripped my arm, and as I already practically settled I knew, but illustrating his human quality may be see a mist of tears in his eyes.

pretense at calmness. "do not be hasty in your decision. I would not counsel solately about. The window afforded | you to any act of dishonor, but surely some compromise is possible. I not only ask you to consider the situation believe she would, but the vague "if your sons are any good I shall be posed the records of Green Briar from your own standpoint, but also dream of such a thing recurred again from ours. I accompanied Colonel Pickney in the hope I might have their back, concealing the wall be some influence." He hesitated an in- box to a position below the window, stant, as though doubtful of his words. and standing on it, managed to gain "Perhaps I should say my boy, that another urged me to come."

"Another?" "Yes-a lady."

My head swam, my heart beating like a triphammer. "Do-do you mean. Captain Fox.

that she actually asked you to urge white stripe, cross and recross in ject is to release two eligible men for on the ridge, and we were living only me to save myself by such an act?" ed me to accompany Colonel Pickney, the bars were firmly imbedded and

mind clearing, my resolve strength in the west when Fox returned. If I could once get in behind that I was glad; and she had not urged his friendly interest, and with a fleetiron plate the way out would not be me to an act of dishonor. And I knew, ing hope that Noreen might commissuch a hard or difficult one to travel. I understood-she wished me to real sion him to bring me some further The chimney was large; I recalled ize that she was not indifferent to my message. Yet the moment I looked time?" standing upright in the fireplace on fate, that her interest was not dead; into his face, shadowed by the fading the floor above, and looking up to and she had sent the message to me light, I realized that he brought no where I could perceive the light of the by the only man she could trust to encouraging news. My heart sank, sky. It was constructed of irregular rightly deliver it. My heart light- but I kept a suite on my lips.

measurement across the Mediterra-

Humorous Fact of History.

The enactment of the law of habeas

than two hundred miles.

me. But it cannot change my deci- "And no hope of one, Wyatt." he ansion; I will answer no questions." "This is your final reply, sergeant?" against you is too strong. The delay the colonel's voice had hardened: his in convening a court has been caused eyes had lost their friendliness. "Good by the scarcity of officers in camp day, sir."

The door opened to the rap of his to return, but it is now so late that knuckles, and the two men passed Colonel Pickney has decided to hold out, neither one glancing back at me. you prisoner until morning. I waited The sentry asked a question, and I until the order was issued before comheard Pickney answer:

his hand. "Tell her how glad it made no reprieve."

"I thank you for your message, Cap- fore now," I said meaningly; "yet I

eight o'clock."

the result?"

this masquerade."

existing between you relative to the

"That would appear impossible," I

"Yes, so she insists; but I know

the young lady since."

was not so much as suspected.

full moon.

at full moon.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

That Frost is Most Likely to Occur

In the "Light of the Moon"

is a Wrong Idea.

One of the most tenacious beliefs

The moon reflects sunlight to the

the reflected light makes it colder

Kitchener's Good Humor.

Lord Kitchener is so much regard

war minister would give them com-

glad to take them for nothing." Sound

common sense this, as well as humor

touched with irony.-London Chron-

Officer's Wife a Car Conductor.

town council recently it was stated

woman conductors and 25 postwomen.

Styles Soon Change.

the continent, Mrs Whyffer?"

"Yes. We start tomorrow."

"So you are going to motor across

"I dare say you anticipate a pleusant

"Yes, but there is one thought that

"I'm afraid our car will be out of

date when we reach our destination."

-London Telegraph.

"And what is that?"

troubles me."

At a meeting of the Portsmouth

swered regretfully. "The evidence

tain Fox," I said sincerely, clasping judge from your expression there is

"Yes, set the food within, but let no one communicate with the prisoner except on my written order. I will have another sentry posted above."

A soldier entered, bearing a camp hands in climbing-no easy job, of ration and a pannikin of water, and Confederate Sergeant Wyatt is sent as a natural serge of the Springs they meet Major Harwood. Wyatt is sent to bed. He becomes suspicious, and finds that Taylor has murdered Harwood and escaped. Wyatt changes to U.S. uniform, and to a detachment of Federal cavalry identifies himself as Lieutenant Raymond, Third U.S. cavalry, Captain Fox finds Harwood's body. The detachment is ambushed Wyatt escapes to the Green Briar country and goes to Harwood's lateral country and goes lateral country and goes lateral country and goes lateral country and goes lateral count purpose. I stepped hastily across, and Her face arose before me, and I felt I dare not exercise much force in fear live: wished me to know that she was besides it was time the jailer brought plish all that a man could. And I tive enough, but surely could not har-

> I ate the food, not from any sense the window, stood on it, and managed friendship of Miss Harwood." to dislodge the bit of iron entangled in carelessly by some farrier and conshoe. I got up to see, but quickly sat difficulty I loosened one of these and fitted the sharp edge into a screwhead girl. Someone told me he actually the insect enemies. Don't let bugs of a shelf bracket. The nail afforded proposed to her at West Point, and pasture on your plants. gers were numb and bleeding, yet the

The removal of the screw, which by chance was the lower one, enabled me to insert the remnant of horseshoe beneath the bracket iron. Slowly, room, and overheard. I have not seen not done by an amateur. complaint," I answered heartily, for I fearful of creating alarm, the impro-

with exultation.



grip on it with my hands. With foot have no relation to the change of braced, and every muscle strained, I weather. Regarding the two former worked that bit of iron back and forth, effects named, it is quite easy to untearing it free, until I knew that an- derstand that reflected sunlight from other wrench would separate it en the moon cannot affect the weather tirely from its fastenings. Then I in the first place, more light is reforced it back into place again, ceived from the sun in thirty minpressed down the loosened screws, utes than from the moon in one year, carefully gathered together the slight and, moreover, the greatest reflection debris littering the floor, and cast it is at full moon; from a logical point into a dark corner. The bracket of view then it should be warmer inseemed as solid as ever. Now I must stead of colder at full moon. This wait for night. .

CHAPTER XVI.

Under Death Sentence.

It was dreary waiting, for every unusual sound reaching me brought with glanced at him, I was surprised to how long the delay might be remained to the point. One of my officers has a problem. Fox, I felt convinced. a rich father who wrote directly to "Wyatt," he exclaimed, making no would use whatever influence he pos "K. of K." offering to settle £250 sessed to delay action, and there was apiece on each of his two sons if the a faint hope in my mind also that Noreen might even make a plea to higher missions "Settle the money on your authorities in my behalf. I dare not daughters instead," came the reply; and again to my mind.

To learn all I could I dragged the a narrow glimpse without, the vista revealing a flap of dirty tent cloth and part of an army wagon backed up against the building, leaving barely that two women, one a colonel's enough space for the guard to pace daughter and the other a captain's back and forth the length of his beat. wife, were working as conductors on I could see his blue-clad legs, with the the municipal street cars. Their obfront of me. I tested the strength of war service, and they devote their pay No. Wyatt; not that. She request the iron grating with my hands, but to charity. Portsmouth has now 30 immovable.

ened. She did care then! God knew had been expecting him, trusting to "I expected to be out of here be-

RECORD IN FINDING DISTANCE | essary to have an elevation of | corded in the affirmative. In a spirit 2,000 feet in order to see the point at of fun the clerk announced ten votes which the instrument is sighted. in for him, to accord with his great size. 185 miles the elevation is correspond. They were so recorded, and for some ingly greater. This is perhaps the unexplained reason the "error" was second largest line ever measured by never corrected. The strangest part this method. The record is held for of it is, the majority for the measure nean between Spain and the northern failed of passage without the fat lord's

shore of Africa, a distance of more extra votes. Using up the Forests. It is estimated that there are taken

from our forests yearly, including corpus marks an important epoch in waste in logging and in manufacture. ment of one side of a triangle and the the progress of civil liberty in Eng. 20,000,000,000 cubic feet of wood, valreading of the angles on the transit at land, and is regarded as one of the ued at about \$1,250,000,000. There are the two ends of the masured line- great achievements of Charles the used in a single year 90,000,000 cords which angles are formed by taking a Second's reign. Charles himself did of firewood, nearly 400,000,000,000 a distance of 60 miles it is nec- arose and asked that his vote of re properties

Cheerful Man Wine. in a recent contest of woman's opinions this type brought first money. He is described as follows:

I vote for a cheerful grin, and for the man who always has it ready at in the places where large trees are the right time. He can be depended permanently desired than to try to was less than ten; hence it would have upon as a judge of human nature, s plant full-sized trees. Some trees can ing dogwood, Cockspur thorn, Wash- clean much longer than most polishes. humorist, an optimist, a actician, at be successfully transplanted if they ington thorn, Eu bird cherry. Chokealtruist and a friend. If he's a doc have been properly prepared by root cherry, Wild black cherry, Garland he's a preacher, I'll go to his church. cialists, not for the amateur. regardless of denomination. If he's in business, I'd like to work for him. planted around a permanent home. Mountain ash. If he wants me to, I'll marry him.

Secrecy in Dispatches

The war department telegraph code. revised and distributed from the office sight at the distant point—the side of not want the law, but just at the time board feet of number, over 444,500,000 of the chief signal officer of the army. the triangle required to be measured he was very anxious to curry favor board feet of veneer, 135,000,000 ties, is kept under lock and key in the dewith the people, and was afraid to 1.686,000,000 staves, over 136,000,000 partment, in the office of every post in carrying out this feat it was need oppose so popular a measure. The sets of heading, over \$53,000,000 bar commander, in the headquarters of essary to work at night and to use friends and foes of the act were pret rel hoops, over 7,300,000 cords of us every armed force in the field, and the cellar or other suitable place in form or quantity. Try some other inpowerful acetylene lamps to find the ty evenly divided in parliament. but tive pulpwood 165,000,000 cubic feet is issued individually to every officer order to give room to the flowering secticide for ridding the soil of worms point 135 miles distant. The transit in the final vote it was carried the of round of the United States Signal corps. or telescope is perched high on a manner of its passage, however was 1,500,000 cords of sood for distillation. The navy likewise has a code of its mountain side in order to overcome the both comical and illegal While the over 140,000 cords for excelsior and own, and each of the three depart curvature of the earth's surface. in voting was going on a very fall ford ments mentioned uses, when neces with advantage in the hot air of the ten spot and cover quickly with powsary, the codes of the other two

Flerers and Shrubbery-Their Care and Cultivation



To Have Beautiful Roses Like This Care Must Be Taken of Them in the

CARING FOR THE ROSES

By JBEN E. REXFORD. Shower, spray, dip, wash, scrub; do Raymond is deeply interested in the any and all these things to keep down

It opened, and a soldier stood aside little purchase, and I tried three of sought this detail in hope of meeting There are several methods of propersonal grudge against you was this a space as possible, and wind it with -I know he promised her to use his straw.

influence to have you sent to Charles. This is a very good method when ton for trial, but instead he urged the work is well done, but, unfortu-Colonel Pickney to exercise his own nately, few persons are able to do it authority, I chanced to be in the next well, therefore I advise that it be

One objection that can be urged free, until I was enabled to get firm Raymond was treacherous was probito perfection, is that the straw is likethem, or she would have chosen him bark off the bushes,

in this emergency rather than Captain All things considered, laying the Fox. But she had revealed to neither plants down flat on the ground and officer the fact of our marriage; it covering them with dry earth or leaves for the amateur to follow. It is certainly the easiest one.

FALLACY OF LONG STANDING The bushes should not be laid down until the cold weather seems likely to set in. I have known great injury done by covering them too early in the sesson

is that the weather is affected by bend them flat without breaking, or, erally considered that frost is more this part of the work, and make it likely to occur in 'he "light of the possible to do it safely, I would advise the flowers. moon" than at any other time. For digging out some of the soil on the this reason crops which the frost is side of the plant toward which it is likely to destroy are planted at such to be bent. This will allow you to tip a time as to be certain to avoid a the bush over without making any abrupt bends in it.

Such large growing varieties as earth and produces the tides. It has the climbers, like Queen of the Prairie. minor effects, such as changing the po-Baltimore Belle, and the Ramblers, sition of the earth and causing minwith canes half an inch or more ute deflections of the magnetic needle: through, cannot be handled with safethese last, arc, however, so small that ty. A slight bend makes a fracture in they have only effect upon refined inthem, and this it is advisable to avoid. struments of detection, and it has These sorts I would make into as been proved conclusively these two compact bundles as possible, leaving them in an upright position, and either wind with straw or protect with corn stalks

Tea roses and the Bengal and Chinese varieties, comprising the so-called ever-blooming class, can be wintered out of doors, at the north, if given the very best of protection, but nine times out of ten they fail us. These I would take up, and pack in boxes of earth. precisely as the farmer "heels in" late purchased fruit trees. should disprove any argument that Then set them in the cellar where

the temperature is so low that growth can generally be safely wintered. Keep them quite dry. Generally they ed as a man without a smile, writes will not need watering after going into cold storage. If the place in which you put them is dark, all the better.

Take no chances in fighting insects. Fight to exterminate.

I HINTS FOR FLOWER LOVERS

account of their long tap-root.

rant and gooseberry bushes to look for the white eggs of the current My mind worked rapidly. That against it, even when the work is done worms, the larva of the current saw i.y. If you find any, dust the leaves. ably true. Noreen had treated him ly to attract the attention of mice, and top and under sides, with finely powwith marked coldness. There could be no great degree of intimacy between they are pretty sure to gnaw all the wet, or put a heaping tablespoored. in a gallon of water and apply.

> The petunia is one of the most ac. milk and add a pinch of salt and place fine hose and watch the seeds grow.

If you want brilliantly colored and oddly shaped flowers, plant some Tigridias or Mexican summer blooming bulbs. Don't set them out until settled weather, for they are tender. The Japanese are still working to perfect the Ipomoas or moon-flowers. They are most satisfactory annual vines. They are gross feeders and demand cultivation during the growag season. They come in many beautiful colors and shades, splashed, mar-

bled, siriped, spotted and blotched. pulled out.

The amateur must learn to thin oven for five minutes until quite hot. ruthlessly. Plants that grow too closewill not be encouraged. Here they ly together never do well. Pinch of all the suckers from fruit and ornamental trees.

The Dutch bloomers are slow about ripening and you want their bed, just trench them in a far corner of the garden. When they are well-ripened

By JOSEPHINE DEMARR.

Make bird houses and thus secure

Two perennial popples should be found in every garden—the Iceland poppy and the oriental. It is better to sow them where they are to grow, for they do not transplant readily, on

Just as soon as the lilac and other salad. spring flowering shrubs have done seem to be the best and safest plan a strong eye or shoot, preserving the characteristic form of the shrub

Plant cannas one to two feet apart. depending altogether if they be dwarf or the tall growing sort. They like very rich soil and plenty of water durheavily, take out the thread and oil ing the growing season. A mulch of with kerosene. Work briskly for strawy manure will help to conserve the water that is given them. Cut off all the seed pods as they form. may do its work of loosening all the old oil and grime, and then wine care.

Don't let the weeds get a foot high and then pull them, disturbing the surrounding flowers, even if none are

them in a cool place until fall,

the presence and esteem of these active insect destroyers. Also protect every toad and try to keep a few about the home place.

Do not neglect to examine the cur- cantaloupe by scooping out with a large

blooming, prune them. Cut back to

commodating of plants. It takes root | in a very moderate oven. Cook slowly easily, grows rapidly and makes a for an hour stirring in the crust that fine show in a hurry, even if planted will form once or twice during that late in the spring. If you have a time. Then add a pint of milk which corner you don't know what to do has been brought to the boiling point If the bushes are old, and have stiff with, prepare the soil carefully, scat- with a square of unsweetened chococanes, it will be a difficult matter to ter petunia seeds upon it, water with late and a cupful of light brown sugar. at least, cracking them. To facilitate Pull the big weeds, the little ones will be smothered by the rapid growth of

put them in a paper bag and keep few of the potatoes at a time in the



An Attractive Planting of Trees.

kinds develop.

PLANTING OF TREES

Before planting a plan is necessary. Have some idea of the result you hope to achieve, and stick to that idea. It is a mistake to plant too thickly. as rank-growing shrubs have to be cut out next season. It is better to plant small, well-grown nursery specimens

when I'm sick. If pruning. But it is the work Evergreens ought always to be

FLOWER NOTES

Make out your lists for seeds and plants early. Too much fertilizer develops a weak but rapid growth.

All nonbloomers should be stored in and foliage plants. Evaporation takes place slowly from glazed pots, and these may be used

living room.

Swamp bay, Large-leaved magnolia, acid in two quarts of water and apply Umbrella tree, Cucumber tree, and with a scrubbing brush. Wash after-

The Norway spruce gives quick shell

TREES ARE ATTRACTIVE

The following trees are attractive

The agaless bloom late in the win-Line upon line about overwatering. Line upon line about overwatering, ed to commit suicide." "Oh, well," overfeeding and overcrowding. Turn she said, "it's no use to grieve over plants frequently to keep them from being drawn.

Azaleas object to lime water in any

in these plants. Look at the stored roots and bulbs. if any sign of decay, remove the rot- that nappens to somebody else which dered charcoal

SALADS TOO LITTLE USED

Salads are capable of infinite va-

riety, so when fish and cheese fail

vegetables which approach animal

foods in nutrition may be served, and

either the oil in the dressing or the fat in the cream or melted butter of

a boiled dressing be depended upon

to supply the necessary oil. Try a

corn salad. A pound of this vege-

table contains as much protein as is

found in half a pound of lamb chops

or half a dozen eggs. Cool freshly

boiled corn, also some rice (dried in

the oven until the grains separate).

salt slightly and mix them in equal

quantities; fold in some stiff mayon-

naise and serve very cold in lettuce

cups. Beans, peas and lentils, which

are all so rich in protein, are very

desirable for salads in place of meat.

Cover two cups of cold baked beans

with French dressing and let stand

a half hour; drain, sprinkle with half

a teaspoonful of onion juice, mix with

cream dressing, arrange on lettuce leaves and garnish with parsley and

hard-cooked eggs. Lentils combined

with onions, peppers and parsley, and

served on cress with French dressing.

A fruit salad has the added ad-

vantage of being very healthful, for

nearly all fruits hold acids and salts

in solution which are cooling to the

blood, and there are so many fruits

available that none needs to become

tiresome. Pears, as a salad possibility

once tried, will appear often this way:

Peel large pears, halve them, remove

the cores and drop them into cold wa-

ter in which is a tablespoonful of vine-

gar to keep them white. Fill the core

cavity with either grated cheese or

cream cheese balls and serve on let-

tuce with French dressing. Purple

erg plums may be used instead of

pears, with lemon juice substituted for

vinegar in the dressing. The stone

cavity of peaches filled with chopped

nuts and arranged on lettuce with

mayonnaise is very tasty. A pretty

salad can be made from watermelon or

spoon pieces from the ripest parts,

draining, chilling and serving in let-

tuce cups with French dressing. When

mayonnaise is used with fruits, leave

Chocolate Rice Pudding.

ful of rice, then cover with a pint of

nilla and continue baking for an hour

longer. Do not stir the last half hour.

"Oil" With Kerosene.

fully with a soft, old duster.

When a sewing machine works

When the kerosene has been re-

lubricating machine oil, and it will

Spanish Fish Pie.

pepper and tarragon vinegar. Butter

a piedish, put in some sliced cooked

tomatoes and a little tomato catchup;

lay the fish on this. Put into the

French Fried Sweet Potatoes.

Pare and cut raw sweet potatoes in-

to slices lengthwise, making the slices

about half an inch thick. Prepare two

paus of fat, one of moderate temper-

ature, the other boiling hot. Drop a

cooler fat and cook through, then skim

them out and place in the hot fat to

brown. Drain on paper, sprinkle with

For Kitchen Floors.

Take a cloth and pour on it some de

natured alcohol, enough to wet cloth.

then pour on some linseed oil, then on

that pour more alcohol. Then take

your cloth and rub it together just as

you do when starching clothes and use

it on your kitchen floor. It is excel-

Better Cookies.

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oven are very convenient for baking

cookies as well as giving a better

condition by rubbing lightly with

paraffin, rather than greasing with but-

Whipped Cream Pie.

plates; put together with whipped

cream and sprinkle with powdered

sugar: do not let it stand before serv-

Onions Cooked in Milk.

Good Silver Polish.

For Solled Matting.

Better Off.

"There have been times in my life."

said he, gloomily, "when I was tempt-

the past. We can all look back and

A Sense of Humor.

. Green - 'What is a sense of humor?"

Brown-'A sense of numor is that

which makes you laugh at something

see where we've made mistakes."

ward with clean water.

Onions soaked for an hour in cold

ing or the pastry will soften.

Bake three crusts on separate pie

lent for cleansing and polishing.

salt and serve hot.

ter or lard.

ter, although one of its drawbacks is water and then slowly cooked until

its raggedness. Plant it now, and let | tender in milk and served with melted

it be cut out when other permanent butter make a very delicate vegetable

for a meal.

flavor with half a t

Serve hot or cold.

Wash and soak a large tablespoon-

make a hearty and tasty salad.

Really They Should Be Given a Very Prominent Place in Meals Served to the Family.

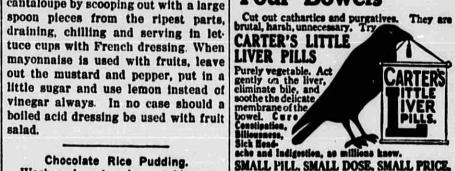
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dent Wilson for re-election on account of his war policy are "foolish counselors," thin ks the New York Post, if they expect successfully to punish the President "for doing what nine-tenths of his countrymen heartily approve." The Post goes on to quote a prominent anti-Wilson Republican as saviage of the act. Volumes the heart-lessness of the act. Volumes the complexion, throwsoff impurities and releases ble naturally and easily. Unless the bowels move freely and regularly all the powder in the world will not permanently cover "that muddy complexion." This laxative is mild yet effective. It does not gripe or sicken in its effects. You will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to bis work and will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to bis work and the complexion, throwsoff impurities and releases ble naturally and easily. Unless the bowels move freely and regularly all the powder in the world will not permanently cover "that muddy complexion." This laxative is mild yet effective. It does not gripe or sicken in its effects. You will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to be successfully to punish the powder in the world will not permanently cover "that muddy complexion." This laxative is mild yet effective. It does not gripe or sicken in its effects. You will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to be week and Thanksgiving will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to be successfully to punish the powder in the world will not permanently cover "that muddy complexion." The laxative is mild yet effective. It does not say the powder in the complexion will not dispute the merits of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Start a treatment to say the complexion will be proved.

LET us be thankful thatours is one of the few countries. American plot, that "It is all up sible. with Republican hopes. Wilson will be re-elected." There is plenty of legitimate political division on debatable ground; but nothing could better serve to unite good citizens of all parties than an attack on our good president by foreign born enemies.

CHARGES of extreme immorality among the high school girls and boys of Chicago are to be investigated by grand jury. Which goes to show that the most expensive educational equipment that money can buy, is no substitute for good moral training in home and school. Further, there is more than fancy in the thought that education which neglects the moral and religious nature of the child is worse than none.

Moving picture theatre patrons who desire meritorious productions, will be interested in the announcement that one of the big producing companies has obtained the right to reproduce the works of Mark Twain. Our old friends Tom Sawyer, Indian Joe, Huckleberry Finn and Pudd'n' Head Wilson may soon be seen in their native haunts and the old life on the Mississippi will be portrayed to a stranger generation.

IT MAY be all right for Governor Spray to drive all lawbreakers out of Utah; but what state wants them? Certainly. Michigan has no use for them and they are not wanted in the country. Those who do not like American laws and are not satisfied with fixed methods for amending them, are at liberty to seek lands and laws more to their liking. Driving criminals from one state to another will never stop crime.

IT MAY be a little late: but we wish to record an O. K. on the action of the Chicago doctor who permitted a defective baby to die without an operation that might possibly have saved its miserable life. Had he kept still about it, he would have saved the parents much needless publicity and himself from the charge of seeking free advertising.

FRIENDS of the Ledger: Send in the names of your Thanksgiving guests. They will interest the absent ones who couldn't get home, but to whom finished their work at Dan Carr's Clerk, Protem. this paper carries the old home and will move to the home of her news every week in the year. Let it bear an occasional mes- the Larkin Club at her home Tuessage from you, even when you forget to write, for "Absence trott are spending two weeks at makes the heart grow fonder." Lawis Dallers'.

meat bill burdensome may take last Wednesday. comfort in medical assurance that an excessive meat diet induces kidney and heart troubles and burdensome fat. Where moderation spells both health father in Shelby.

Van Hull 71 years old who has been with his brother peal to the big majority.

Woodward avenue has con- cemetery. tinued until six hundred motor Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Daller will encar owners have united with tertain their children and Detroit friends to a Thankegiving dinner the police force to stop the Thursday. criminal recklessness that has made the "safety zones" of Grand Rapids last week visiting his that city a byword.

JUSTICE HUGHES of New York, whom Senator Smith endorsed for the presidency. postively refuses the use of his name. Now, if the Justice of Mrs Dell Bowen Thursday. will return the compliment. the Senator knows a man who will positively refuse to decline, shovels and hammers. Invitation to

THE Detroit Times proposes a penalty of one year at hard labor for speed demons who terrorize the highways with drink and death. That may do for a starter; but a second offense should bar them from the road forever.

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D. G. Look

The LOWELL LEDGER longer accept advertisements of intoxicating liquors. As we have said before, the movement for safe reading matter in the home is becoming popu-

THE Youth's Companion in recent number had an editorial appeal for a greater appre-THREE MONTHS 250 sacrificing fathers. It cites the case of a poor old man. who, Entered at the postoffice at Lowell, Michigan just returning weary and worn as second class matter. from a day's toil for his family, heard his daintily dressed THOSE German-Americans daughter singing "Everybody who propose to defeat Presi-Works but Father," and was

anti-Wilson Republican as say- is one of the few countries ing, when told of the German- where a Thanksgiving is pos-

KEENE CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr will spend

tained relatives from Ohio last week. 10:30, a. m., Nov. 28; West Lowell, Mrs. Austin Byrnes was quite ill

last week. Miss Cora Kropf visited her uncle, John Kropf, and family in Lowell Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderwelt of Grand Rapids are spending the week at their cottage at Murray lake.

Mrs. Harley Pickens and son were

in Grand Rapids last week.

Miss Mary Hine of Vergennes assisted
Mrs. Glen Ford with her housework last week.

a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blasser last Tuesday evening.

COMPLEXION BLEMISM?

Yes, that sluggish liver often causes it. Dr. King's New Life Pills clears

ALTON. Mrs. Electa Towns and daughter, Mrs. R. B. Davis, visited Mrs. John lark one day last week. The annual meeting of the Christian

1:30 p. m , Nov. 28; West Bowne, 11 a. m., Dec. 5.

The regular services are held at the above churches at the hours indicated, the morning and evening services alternating between Bowne Center and West Bowne, and the afternoon ser-vice at 1:30 at West Lowell. R. C. Parchall, Pastor.

MORSE LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Front attended the play "Damaged Goode" at the Orpheum in Grand Rapids last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Blasser gave a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Nov. 22.—Morse Lakeschool taught by Mise Laura Underhill, is preparing a fine Thanksgiving program to be given Wednesday atternoon.

Mrs. 8. 8. Yelter was quite ill Sarurday and Sunday, but is better at

Misses Laura M. and Bernice Underbill visited relatives in Grand Rapids Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. F. Chamberlain and wife, Mrs.

operator at Fox Station Monday relatives at Lake Pleasant, Detroit day. and Morse Lake. Dale Curtiss returned Monday to

ALTO VILLAGE NOTES

Rev. Chamberlain and wife, Mrs. Bancroft, Mrs. Curtise and Mrs. L. Dygert attended Pomona Grange in Keene last week Some one in this community is sending "chain letters" on post cards. Everyone ought to know that this is against the postal laws. Lewis Merriman visited his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Baker, the latter

part of last week. Last Sunday evening more than a dozen passengers waited in the cold and dark at the depot for the train due at 9:27 p. m., which was about 30 minutes late. With no fire, no lights or lamps either, it makes us all feel as if we would instruct our Repreentative to vote for an increase in

the passenger fare. Nit!
Mrs. Gladys Yelter underwent an operation for appendicitis at Ann Arbor last Friday and is doing nice-

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Grand Rap-ids visited their son Arthur and wife over Sunday.
The James Dooley family gave a concert at the M. E. church Saturday

evening to a full house.

The special meetings at the Baptist church are increasing in interest and attendance. Better attend.
Gaylord Scott and stater of Grand Rapide visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tredenick over Sundans

OBITUARY. Levi Grant Skidmore was born at The annual meeting of the Christian church will be held at 2 p. m., Saturday, December 4, at the church. Elechas accepted another position at lived in Alto and vicinity all his life

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spected. He had been a member of

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He had been connected with the

The funeral was held at the M.

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this fall. Ask for it Saturday.

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father, Frank Finch in Easton. Mrs. George Denton, will entertain

day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cook from De-Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Werner and Mrs. THOSE who find the family John Croop of Belding were last Wednesdy guests of Mrs. L. Daller

Mr. and Mrs. George Golds and Jennie and Brayton spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moore went Friday to visit in Grand Rapids and will spend Thanksgiving with his

making his home with his brother Mark Hull, and has been ill for some time, passed away Saturday. His DETROIT is not in a state of funeral was held at the home Monwar, but the slaughter on day at one o'clock, Rev. Bretz of Saranac officiating; burial at Marble

Mr. and Mrs. Al Pant and Opal were Sunday guests of their daugh-ter, Mrs. Ben Andrews.

There will be a Grange meeting this Friday night, Addie Daulels was in Ionia Saturlav on bueiness Mrs. Elizabeth Daniels was a guest Remember the bee to fix the church sheds Wednesday, Dec. 1. Bring teams as dirt has to be drawn, also

all. Piente dinner at the church served by the Ladles Ald. Read the LEDGER.

MOSELEY

Mrs. George Lewis has been staying with her aunt, Miss Helen Mann, who has been very ill the past week. Horace Weeks and wife left Wednesday for Long Beach Florida, where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Glen Ford visited her sisters, Mrs. Allen Godfrey and Mrs. Ed.

Binedict at Hastings last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hardy of Keene
visited Dorus Church and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Simon Herrington is caring for Mrs. Finn and baby. Will Rennells of Stanton visited his

parents, Stephen Rennells and wife, ast week. Lee Cummings was in Grand Rap ide last week. John O. Wingeler and family enter-

tion of officers and trustees. with his father and grandmother in of a program committee.

Smyrna. The Gleaner meeting was held at Grange hall December 4. Come and Alex Onau's Saturday night. A good | get your penny supper. turn out. Next meeting to be held at Mr. and Mrs. Bert Norton and son No More Backache Burr Davie'; election of officers. Earl and wife motored to Grand Rapids last week Thursday.

Mrs. Ids Shaw assisted Mrs. R. B. Davis with her sewing last week and this week is at Morris Trombull's. Mrs. Elects Towns returned to her home in Orelane Sacurday.

Fred Kohn and Ed. Insley of Smyrna were dinner gueste at Burr Davis'

Thursday John Zahm is selling out and going to Owoseo to work in the sugar factory. Mr. and Mrs. Dood (nee Lydia Dickens) of Saskatchewan, are visit

Mrs. Orlo Weeks left last week for her home at Sherman City. Orlo left Saturday. He has been assisting Hen Ford:

Willis Purdy is not quite so well as he has chills and fever. GRATTAN CENTER.

Nov. 22.-Marion and Marie Byrne and Naomi and Norma Elkins were in Grand Rapids Saturday. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas

Bookey, Nov. 21, an eight pound son. Mrs. S. W. Matice and Frank Matice attended the funeral of Mrs. Matice's brother-in-law, Fred. Deike, in Otsego Friday. Mrs. Burton Partridge is threatened with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hatchew, James

Stanton and wife, J. I. Norton and wife, Mrs. S. W. Matice, Bernice and Frank Matice and Mrs. Kittle Engle were royally entertained to a chicken ple dinner at A. A. Norton's Nov. 15, the occasion being Mr. Norton's 79th

birthday. Clarence Stanton is visiting his daughter Ina in Detroit. The hunters have returned from the North each with a big deer. -E. V. Storey went to Grand Rapids Monday on business.

The young men of Grattan have arranged an athletic association and are practicing basket ball. They met Saturday and elected Rents Donovan president and Harold Story secretary and treasurer. Games can be arranged by writing C. E. Pelter, R. 3, Belding, Mich.

Bowne Charge. Schedule of services, sun time. Bowne Center and West Lowell, morning and evening, alternately. West Lowell-1:30, p. m. Communion services: Bowne Center

There will be a community Christmae tree at the Church on Christmas Will Dicken and wife spent Sunday eve. A fine program is in the hands A penny social at South Lowell

No More Misery

back and sides or have any signs of kidney or bladder trouble such as er, Mrs. Phidelia Skidmore, a brother

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SEELEY CORNERS

Clarence Lewis is working for his grandfather in Lake Odessa. The sale held at the larm home of Z Lewis was well attended. Among those from a distance were Judu Wood and wife of Lake Odessa and B. Slater of Clarksville. W. T. Manning occupied the pulpit Sunday, giving a fine sermon in be

Ross Stephens in very sick with pneumonta. G. Stephens took a load of ducks to Grand Rapids Monday. Recent visitors at R. Ferrall's were Mr. Worden, wife and daughter of Cascade and Mrs. Snyder of Grand

Rapids. R M. Ferrall made a business trip to Grand Rapide Saturday. The neighborhood feel very grateful to the Ladles Ald society for the new cement steps on the church built by J. Green of Lowell.

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At first the Forest Hills led, with the et, he brought out a bill and handed it

Sparksvilles second. Then the Ham- to Kyle. mond Centers and Guilfords crept upon these teams and passed them. Kyle, "\$10. What does it mean?" And so the record kept changing till "It means that I bought the stake midsummer, when it became evident for the pitcher, since I intended she that two teams, both of which had should have it if I must pay for it mybeen at the foot of the list at the start, self. Since we won with a man short the Hiltons and the Ferncliffes, stood | you may settle the bill." other was bound to win the bat.

baseball in his mouth, and Kinsey of tume." the Ferncliffes was represented when Kinsey could make a twirler in three essons of any man.

The excitement had been increasing the point of deciding which teams should make the final struggle for the bat, and when this was determined it reached fever beat. .

While there was ill feeling between the partisans, there was none whatever between the two teams. The captains were the best of friends and remained so notwithstanding the rivalry. Each told 'he other that he expected to be beaten, but would dle game, though no such admission was allowed

to get out. The excitement ran as high among the girls of the different towns as among the young men, many girls having sewed or embroidered on their caps or their sweaters or their jackets the letter H or F. With the exception of those girls living in one of the towns from which the rival clubs hailed, the preference depended on the attractiveness of one or more players. This gave Captain Warfield a majority of the sympathy, for he was a fine IS Your Rheumatism elevator for the past seven years and at the time of his sickness was bus-iness manager. He has held several looking fellow, while Kinsey's nose had been broken at football, which

of the town offices including supersadly marred his appearance. A week before the champion game One brother, Sherman, died at Denver in 1889 and his father passed was to be played the pitcher of the Ferncliffe team received a blow in the There are left of the immediate eye from a ball which not only closed family to mourn their loss, bis mothit, but bid fair to be followed by serious consequences. At any rate, the George of this place and a sister, Mrs. Helen White, and a large circle of other relatives and friends. accident eliminated him from the com-

ng game.

Where was Kinsey to find a pitcher to take the place of the one he had lost? The terms adopted by the league required that all the players should be residents of the town which the team represented. Kinsey told Warfield that he must either have authority to go outside the county for a pitcher or give up the struggle. Warfield consented to his doing so provided only an amateur

was introduced. Immediately after this arrangement Kinsey was known to be giving instructions to his pitcher, but since these lessons were in private it was ier a positive guarantee to quickly every home and office in America. not known who the pitcher was. He relieve the worst cases of kidney The Rev. Irl R. Hicks Magazine, Word and that he was obliged to make a trouble or refund the money. Try and Works, and his unique Almanac nitcher since there was none and

made at hand. The person he was instructing did not come to Kinsey for instruction. Kinsey went to his pupil. For this reason it was difficult to find out who was the man being taught to

This matter seriously disturbed the that the steam engine was known in betting on the champton game. Kin-Egypt as early as the year 200 B. C. sey was importuned with questions The machine in question was a roabout his new pitcher and how the tary affair and more theoretical than practical. A Greek adaptation of the plied that in his own opinion his team same idea was used a little later for had as good a chance for winning with turning the spit. Then steam power the substitute as with the original, but he declined to give an opinion as to the result. A man named Kyle, who was betting on the game, so persisted in his questions as to who the new pitchhelped, if not cured, by outdoor air. er was, where he came from and what and an abundance of fresh air in the was his record that Kinsey, finally losing his patience, said:

"I don't know that I'll have a pitcher. I may have to take one from the team." "That will make you a man short," said Kyle.

"Suppose it should?" "In that case I'll bet you \$50 you lose the game." "I'm not betting on the game, but if

you'll make the stake a present for the pitcher to cost not more than \$10

*************** against a box of cigars to cost the same amount I'll take you." THE FERNCLIFFE "All right," said Kyle; "it's a go."

PITCHER

Story of a Baseball Cham-

pionship

By DAVID R. BRADY

The baseball fever for the coming

championship before the diamond should be deserted in favor of the grid-

iron. No professional players were al-

lowed to take part, and every precau-

tion was taken to insure an amateur

As the season advanced the different

teams were found to be so evenly

matched that it was impossible to pre-

dict which two would play the finals

for the champion prize bat inlaid

with silver and beautiful to behold.

series of games.

Several persons who were standing near were puzzled at this strange contract, but, interpreting it favorably for the Ferncliffe team, went away to get bets against it. The incident was spread abroad and tended to stimulate the backing of Kinsey's team, though odds were obtained, it being reported that the pitcher would come from the team as already constituted and that the game was liable to be played with a man short.

Up to the day the game was played no one had seen the new pitcher, and some contended that there would be no new pitcher; that Kinsey had a man season was on, and the teams were do the twirling. Ferncliffe folks, takon his team-a dark horse-who would half a dozen towns within a dozen miles of one another had formed a league with a view to disputing a able odds in their favor) that the Fern-

> When the teams walked out on the diamond, true enough, there were but eight men in the Ferncliffes. However, when the game was called a man emerged from the Ferncliffe quarters and advanced toward the diamond. He went straight to the pitcher's box and stood there with every spectator's eye fixed upon him. He was of me dium height and appeared to be well built, though his loose uniform was not calculated to show the lines of his figure. He did not look over eighteen years old, but that was about the average age of either team. Kinsey tossed him the ball, which seemed to go to him as if he held a magnet in his

palm, and the game began. It does not come within the scope of this story to give a detailed account of the struggle for the championship between the Hilton and Ferncliffe teams. It was closely contested from the start. At first the Ferncliffe's pitcher seemed to be very nervous and made some bad breaks. Kinsey was watching him closely and now and again spoke to him encouragingly. Reassured, he went on with his work and before the third inning began to show himself a first class twirler. Indeed, before the game was finished it was evident that if the game was won at all it would be won through the advantage he gave his team. In the eighth inning it was a tie, and only by the brilliant pitching in the ninth did the Ferncliffes win the game.

The teams had left the grounds when Kyle stepped up to Kinsey and

"How about that bet between us? suppose since you had a full team "I've won that bet," replied Kinsey and, thrusting his hand under his jack

"To lady's hat and trimming," read

"Yes; our pitcher is not a man, but a The reason of this was that both girl, a cousin of mine, a student in the these teams, after the first few games | State Normal school. She's strong and had been played, got in new captains. athletic, and I've played ball with her who took them in hand in earnest and often and while doing so saw in her coached them splendidly. Warfield of the making of a good twirler. She'll the Hammond Centers was jocularly be at our house this evening and happy spoken of as having been born with a to receive callers in appropriate cos-

It is needless to say that the young a baby as having thrown away his lady pitcher's reception in the evening bottle and called for a bat. Each man | was largely attended. She was very weeded out the poor material he found | modest and found it difficult to stand in his team and replaced it with the against the battery of eyes brought to best. It was said that Warfield could bear on her. The story that the Ferntell a good catcher by his walk and that cliffe pitcher was a girl had within the few hours since the finishing of the game spread so far that every one who had seen her in baseball costume wishduring the playing of the games up to ed to see her dressed as a woman. The consequence was that the house was too small to receive the crowd at one

> coming. The next day when the normal student returned to her home a crowd escorted her to the station. She wore the hat that she had won by the bet Kinsey had made in her behalf, and many were the facetious remarks it excited. When the train pulled out a shout went up, which was acknowledged by a waving of the said hat.

The Ferncliffes have a clubb where their trophies are displayed. The hat won by the team from the Hiltons hangs on the wall, and under it hangs the photograph of the girl who enabled them to win it. She is now a matron and has forgotten athletics in a numerous progeny of chil-

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WARNING!

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tan hound from Lowell Saturday

time, so they kept going as well as NO HUNTING OR TRAPPING ON THIS FARM.-LARGE singu carde on tough manila tag board, 10c each at The Ledger office.

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THE SUEZ CANAL SHARES

head again, but with less energy.

terest myself in the negotiation from

the point of view I have spoken of.

culty has already arisen between the

of which I should be glad to avoid the

tain differences with the British gov-

ernment on a question of tolls, the

company was obliged to threaten to

close the canal to their ships of war.

No sooner was this threat made

known, than Ismail Pashs took it upon

himself to interfere, in his character

of the principal shareholder, and to

strenuously forbid the company to

adopt any such course. We have rea-

son to think that this action was the

result of representations by the Brit-

ish government through their envoy;

is a form of pressure which could no

longer be brought to bear if the shares

of the company were held by private

"I nodded my head. Everything was

"'Let me see if I rightly understand

this affair,' I said, looking from one

to the other of my two companions.

'I am to proceed to Cairo as a private

individual, the agent of the gentlemen

whose names are written on this pa-

per, on whose behalf I am to induce

shares in the canal. Should it become

necessary, I and to offer to his high-

ness in confidence the guarantee of

the French government. At the same

Great Britain of the opportunity of

nancial reasons, to close the canal to

"De Lesseps smiled and nodded. The

"'You have exactly comprehended

minister gave me a look of intelli-

say, 'and I see that we did not do

quickly as possible—and be careful not

to come near the Quai D'Orsay till the

"I bowed, and made by adieu, With-

"I was provided with letters of in-

troduction which speedily obtained for

Pasha. The character of this khedive

agance that I relied as the motive for

"The palace at Cairo, in which he

received me, was a strange mixture of

European and Oriental luxury. Figure

eastern features contrasted strangely

"'I have the honor to wait upon

your highness,' I said, as soon as the

ceremonial salutations had been ex-

changed, 'on behalf of an influential

syndicate of bankers in Paris, who

have charged me to lay before you a

proposal of some magnitude, and

"I saw his dark eyes glitter as I

pronounced this name. He responded

"'I am tired of the Suez canal, M.

le Baron. It has not fulfilled the ex-

pectations I was led to form from it.

and it is, besides, a cause of many

political embarrasments. But go on;

"It is one which, if you accept it,

may relieve your highness of some of

speak,' I answered respectfully. 'At

"A frown crossed his face as I made

this request, which it was easy to see

finance on which you approach me.

there can be no objection to what you

propose,' he replied cautiously. 'But

if it should turn out to involve political

"Thus encouraged, I came holdly to

your highness and the persons for cautious air.

"'If it is a mere question of private | days.'

those embarrassments of which you

explain your proposal.'

whom I act.'

to say.'

the point.

provoked his suspicions.

which relates to the Suez canal.'

with his western attire.

morosely:

whole thing has been arranged."

in a week I was in Cairo."

Frenchmen!

now clear to me.

her men-of-war.'

"Ah, my friend, so it has happened | you must be extremely careful not to to you also to have business with let it reach the ears of Colonel Warthese financiers!"

I turned in surprise, and beheld the ambassador coming down the steps of the Bourse. He was alone, and carried in his hand with some ostenta- ing again to De Lesseps, I inquired: tion a small leather case, which aptificates. I stopped and waited for his in this matter does not transpire?" excellency to reach the pavement.

"You flatter me too much," I said, answering his remark. "I was not about to trouble MM. de Rothschild. In fact, I was on my way to the office of the Temps; but I am in no hurry, If you should desire my escort as a The fact is,' he went on, assuming a protection for the vast sums which I more confidential tone, 'that a diffisee you are bringing with you."

The ambassador affected to glance Suez Canal company and the khedive. at his pocketbook as if he had remembered it for the first time, and at once repetition. Last year, owing to cerprocedeed to stow it inside the breast of his coat,

"You will at least consent to breakfast with me in one of those cafes which are patronized by the gentlemen of the Bourse, and which I am told are not so bad," he said, putting his arm in mine. The spring sun shone brightly on the pavement and the fronts of the houses, and the approach to the Bourse was crowded with flower girls, who offered us their nosegays as we moved away.

The business which I have trans- and you will agree with me that this acted this morning has reminded me of an affair of which I believe we have never spoken together." the ambassador continued, "and which I only hesitate to tell you about because of the disagreeable light in which it places a celebrated minister of your country."

"Do not refrain any longer on that account, I beg of you," I responded, as we walked along in search of a cafe worthy of his excellency's patronage. "Whether it is Mr. Asquith or Lloyd-George whom you refer to, it will be indeed strange if you have anything the khedive to transfer to them his to tell me worse than I have been accustomed to read every day in the party newspapers of England."

"You are right in what you say," he time, as a patriotic Frenchman, I may returned. "It is not a question of As- permit myself the pleasure of thinking quith or Lloyd-George, however, but that this transaction will deprive

Before I could make any reply, he making any effectual remonstrance, stopped abruptly in front of a res- should the Suez Canal company at any inspire him with confidence. We entered, and the ambassador, who was evidently in a generous mood, ordered a sumptuous repast, to be ushered in with a bottle of Veuve Clicquot. As gence. soon as the waiter had departed, bowing to the very ground, his excellency the position, he was good enough to took up his napkin and his parable. "In the autumn of the year 1875 I wrong to select you. Now go and

was sent for by M. Buffard, who at make your preparations to start as that time held the portfolio of foreign affairs, to his private residence. On my arrival I found him closeted with M. de Lessens, that great man whom France forgives the mistakes of his old age, in consideration of the glory which he shed upon her in the past.

"I had already made the acquaint- me a private interview with Ismail ance of De Lesseps, whose former connection with the diplomatic body had is well known. His reckless extravnaturally increased the interest with agance had reduced his country to which I regarded him. On this oc- bankruptcy, and it was on this extravcasion he received me with great cordiality, as did the minister, who at inducing him to accept the offer which once introduced the subject on which I was empowered to make. they wished to consult me.

'I have invited you here,' he said. 'not on political business, but in order to ascertain if you are disposed to to yourself marble courts surrounded accept a private mission which the by myrtle-trees and fountains, leading Vicomte de Lesseps wishes to entrust into saloons which might have been to you. Although in the execution of uphoistered from Paris. This bizarre this mission you will be acting with- combination reproduced itself in the out instructions from my department, person of Ismail Pasha, whose swarthy yet I believe you will find that the services which you tender to M. de Lesseps will by no means displease the French government.

"'I will put the matter before you in two words,' he said. 'The khedive of Egypt is the possessor of 176,000 shares in the Suez Canal company, which it is believed that he may be willing to dispose of. A syndicate of capitalists has been formed here, which is anxious to acquire these shares, and it has been suggested that you should be asked to proceed to Cairo as their agent, to sound the khedive on the subject, and if possible to negotiate the purchase.'

"'Is the syndicate of which you speak connected with the canal company, by any chance?' I asked De Les-

"He shook his head decidedly. "'I am not even myself interested in it, he answered, 'except from the the same time the political suscepti- you, if necessary, the guarantee of my Fatimeh. However, I professed the utpoint of view that, as chairman of the bilities which are aroused by every company, I desire to see these shares transaction relating to the canal complaced in the hands of the company's pel me to ask that this negotiation friends. However, I have provided my-

self with a list of the members of the syndicate.' "He handed me a document containing about a dozen names. Two or three were those of bankers of some repute; the remainder were absolute nobodies of whom I had never heard.

"I stared at him in absolute consternation. "'But my dear Vicomte,' I exclaimed. 'have you any assurance that these persons command the necessary funds to carry out so enormous a transaction? This will be an affair of a hun-

dred millions!" "'I answer for that part of it,' interposed the minister, before De Lesseps had time to speak. 'There will

solution.

require guarantees? I persisted, be- which passes through your territories, cover the quarter in which this irre- khedivial residence. We were admit- in Lord Derby's mind. You will doubt-It is these rights which constitute your | sistible lever might be most profitably political relation to it, and they are applied. "If it should become absolutely not affected by the scheme we are dis- "Do not ask me to enter into details miliar to me, to an apartment which I syndicate of which I have spoken, and necessary, you may offer him the guar- cussing. In addition, you are the per with regard to this point. It is suffi- did not recognize. No sooner had we which has prevailed on me to act as a question of the bowstring—and that antee of the French government. But sonal proprietor of certain shares in cient to say that I ascertained that reached it, however, than a bell was its agent, has conceived the idea of Colonel Warton stooped to obtain this that is a point which you must avoid the company which owns the canal, great influence was wielded over Ismail sounded, and the curtain which con- operating in the shares of the Suez diabolical revenge!"

any other member of the company.' an offer for some of these shares?' "'For the whole of them, your high-

ness,' I returned, bowing.

"'What! Do you mean what you say? These shares are worth at the very least one hundred millions!' "'That is the sum which is men-

tioned in my instructions." "Ismail Pasha gased at me in con-

"But I have never even entertained the idea of parting with these shares! It is true that I find them unremunerative. Are you aware that the interest on them is deferred?' ton, the British representative in "'I have understood something of

the sort,' I said carelessly. 'My duty, let him know the result. "At length I thought I could underhowever, is merely to ask if your highness will accept for them the sum stand something of the situation. Turnwhich you have just named. My principals have believed that in con-'And you, M. le Vicomte, am I to peared to be bursting with share cer- be equally careful that your interest sequence of the unfortunate state of the Egyptian finances, you would probably sooner or later consider the ques-"The old man smiled, and shook his tion of realising the value of this prop-"'There is no reason that the kheerty, and their enterprise has led them to make what is perhaps a premature dive should not be informed that I in-

> effort to secure it.' "'But I do not say that it is premathoughtfully on the ground for some I hope?" moments.

ascertain the value of my shares,' he piled, with a little reserve. 'It is not Whom should I see coming out as I to dispose of them.' "I drew myself up with an aggrieved

"'I venture to remind your highness

that such a step would be a violation terms offered by the Andicate which to Cairo as a matter of pleasure. The

transferring these shares to a suitable harem, whose name was Fatimeh, and ed to admit the odalisque whom my purchaser, with the same freedom as who turned out to possess a mania for friend had promised me. the jewelry of the palais royal. The 'Ah!' he interrupted, 'I see what it negotiation was attended with some is you want. You propose to make me risk, on account of the rigorous pre of a deep-laid plan to entrap me, incautions which are observed in guard- stead of a pure coincidence, which I

the women of the East.

good faith of this charming creature. to give a warning sign to this intelli-Within two days I was sent for to the | gent woman, before she had advanced palace, and found myself received with | toward me, and pronounced my name the greatest cordiality by the khedive. with the most gratifying ardor. He informed me that he had decided to close with the offer of the syndi- ply struck dumb at perceiving that my cate, subject merely to a question of acquaintance with the inner arrangeterms. He seemed to consider the ments of the Egyptian court was not price of the shares should be increased less than his own. I enjoyed my triby another ten million france, and I umph over him with trepidation, howundertook to communicate this coun- ever, for I dreaded every moment lest

"As I was passing through the gates of the palace on my way out, I ran nate silence as we came away togethalmost into the arms of the one man | er. Probably he accused me in his own in Cairo whom I was anxious to avoid | mind of having deceived him. but he quaintances, and he recognised me in- ly terms; though he did not renew his stantly, though I at first feigned not offer to become my cicerone in the to remember him.

"My dear Baron, well met!" he shouted in his brusque English fash- sage from Paris-of course in cipher: ion. 'What good wind blows you here? I see you have been "tackling" old offer represents the value of shares. ture.' He stopped, and bent his eyes [Ismail; nothing fresh about the canal, but do not break off negotiation.'

said, peresently, regarding me with a the diplomatist whom you see in me searching look. 'Perhaps I might ob- at present. I am in Cairo simply as tain better terms in London, if I were a private visitor, and if I have paid my to make it known that I was willing respects to the khedive, it is not on friendly attentions to Ismail,' was all behalf of the Quai D'Orsay that I have he said as he passed on. been to see him.' "He glared at me with some sus-

"'Well, have it your own way, my of our compact of secrety. Unless you dear fellow; though you are the last my syndicate felt justified in paying, find anything unsatisfactory in the man I should have expected to come and after a very few words he gave

"It was Fatimeh herself! "If this meeting had been the result pears that Lord Derby objects to their proceedings, for a reason which it is ing the access to the apartments of firmly believe it was, the result could not easy to understand, and he has not have been more disastrous. Overeven forbidden the poor khedive to en-"I had no reason to complain of the | whelmed with confusion, I had no time tertain an offer which I was empowered to make to him on behalf of the "As for the poor colonel, he was sim-

sibly have had for this absurd prohibition? ter proposal to Paris at once, and to Fatimeh should make some reference to the motive of my former visit.

"The colonel maintained an obsti--Colonel Warton. We were old ac- said nothing, and we parted on friend-Egyptian capital.

"The next day I received this mes-'Tell khedive we consider our first

"Much annoyed at this imprudent "Pardon, my dear colonel, but you haggling at such a moment. I hastened "'I have made no attempt as yet to are under a misapprehension,' I re- to the palace to see what I could do. entered but Colonel Warton! "He greeted me with a dry smile.

"'I see you are constant in your

"To compensate for this mortification, I found the khedive in a yielding mood. I represented to him that the hundred millions was the utmost that way, and definitely agreed to accept

"Late in the afternoon, on returning to my hotel, I found a telegram marked 'Urgent' waiting for me in my room. t was from M. Buffard himself, and contained these words:

'British government has heard of ntended purchase and objects. Return to Paris at once, en route for serve which has provoked his inter-

"I knew in an instant to whom I was to attribute this frightful blow. Whether it was the beautiful Fatimeh, or the khedive himself, who had betrayed me, it was evident that Colonel Warton had fathomed the secret of my mission, and had instigated this interference of his government.

"On my arrival at the Quai D'Orsay, six days later, M. Buffard explained this may have caused him to connect the situation to me.

"'What has happened,' he said, 'is this. Lord Derby, who holds the portfolio of foreign affairs, has verbally informed M. Gavard, our representative, that the queen's government understand that the khedive has been asked o transfer his shares to a syndicate acting on behalf of the French government, and it is to this that they object. All that is necessary is to convince them that the negotiation proceeds from a privae syndicate, entirely independent of us, in which case we may hope that their prohibition will be withdrwn. You must proceed to London at once. Do not trouble yourself with Lord Derby, who is a mere instrument. Go straight to M. Disraeli, the premier; it is to him that ve must address ourselves. Explain to him on whose behalf you are acting, and the affair may yet be terminated satisfactorily.'

"I could do nothing but obey. On the evening of the following day, the 25th of November, I reached London. and as soon as I had changed my dress, drove straight to Downing

"The English premier received me with an urbanity worthy of the Faubourg St. Germain, and insisted on my lighting a cigar and refreshing myself with a brandy and seltzer, before he would permit me to say a word.

"'You must not think you are a stranger to me,' he was good enough to say. 'I am not ignorant of the distinguished reputation you have earned among the European chancelleries.' "'Your sentiments do me too much honor, M. le Premier,' I responded. 'I thing on which my eyes fell was this

only regret that I am not in a position to repeat them to the French government.' "'But I authorize you to repeat

them, I even request it,' he exclaimed. failing to understand me. "'Alas! that is impossible.' I explained. 'I am not here in any official capacity, and therefore I could not take it on myself to repeat expressions addressed to me as a private individ-

"An expression of apparent bewilderment passed over M. Disraeli's face, to be succeeded by one of cordial

friendliness. "'Then you are not here on behalf of your government!' he cried out. This is a visit which I owe to your personal regard for me! I insigt that rou shall allow me to refill your glass.'

"'You distinguish me too much in consenting to place me on such a footing,' I answered, slightly confused. 'In effect, I have ventured to come here to ask of you a favor on behalf of a certain financial syndicate with which I am associated, and which I feel sure

"'You would do wrong to doubt if my dear baron,' he returned with undi-

"'A thousand thanks, M. le Premier. considerations, it will evidently be in the matter than I had been justified turned, and gave a look at his master, certain well-known capitalists, whose necessary for me to consult with my in expecting, from the notorious state which appeared to announce the succonsequence of a misapprehension cre-

"You astonish me!' M. Disraeli

spoke in a tone of surprise. The next to soften his excited mood. moment he lay back in his chair and "I followed him out, and we pro- smiled good-naturedly, as he added: be no question of the money being vate finance,' I declared. 'As the counters in the countries of the east ceeded, by a route which was less "But after all it is not only you

that of the poison fang of a snake. the extreme, but seldom fatal. Many other tropical plants have such deadly stinging hairs that the poison is The Married Life of Helen and Warren

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Helen Is Awed by Their English Valet, but Warren Refuses to Be Impressed

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the porter lowered the trunk from his spangled fan.

him that there was a political signifinance in this transaction, that these shares were to be acquired for the "Right here behind the door," Helen French government, in a word." shoved a chair out of the way. "That

"M. Disraeli turned on me a look of small one you can put there by the the most perfect surprise. "'But surely that it not so?' he in-While he unstrapped the trunks, Mred. 'I have just understood you Helen got out her purse. Would a sixpence tip be enough? But at the last to tell me that there is a question hele simply of a private speculation? moment his brass buttons and gilt

try of the Bourse-when they perceive

the chance for a favorable stroke, pol-

ities is the last consideration which

enters into their heads. Well, it ap-

"The countenance of the English

premier assumed an expression of the

"'Ridiculous!' he muttered. 'It is

incredible! What reason could be pos-

"'It seems that they have persuaded

most profound annoyance.

your negotiations?'

tion?

frown.

braid made her fumble hurriedly for a "'Without doubt. The government of France holds itself entirely aloof shilling. When the door closed after him, she from the affair, on the contrary.' "'I understand. Then what you ask the rooms. They were the "bachelor me." of me is, to inform Lord Derby that chambers" of an army officer now in he is mistaken in supposing that the the war. "Bedroom, living room and | three-quarter bed." French government interests itself in

tisement had read "'Perfectly,' I answered, a little dis-As they were to be in London severconcerted, however. 'In that case, am al weeks longer, Helen had rebelled at I forbidden to hope that you will prethe hotel room without bath, for which vall on him to withdraw his prohibi-

bath; valet and catering," the adver-

they were paying an exorbitant price. This place she had found through "There will no longer be any rea sheer luck—and the London Times. son for maintaining it,' was the reply. The furnishings were ideal. There was 'It is rather a question how he could an air of distinction about the low ever have been deceived into a belief so groundless. Perhaps you can suggest a cause for this strange mistake? foreign trophies. "Thus encouraged, I ventured to pro-

nounce the name of Colonel Warton. setting of a bachelor's room in a way?" which M. Disraeli received with a Pinero play, the scene where the indiscreet young wife is discovered by "'It happened that this officer met her husband. There was even a screen me in Cairo,' I explained, 'and became for the lady to hide behind. aware that I was in communication

"Shall I unpack Mr. Curtis' things with Ismail Pasha. I did not believe low, ma'am?" myself obliged to take him into my With a start Helen turned to find confidence, and it is doubtless this recopard, the valet, beside her.

"I beg your pardon, ma'am, but if you'll give me the key to Mr. Curtis'

Helen thought fast. Her knowledge of a valet's duties was vague, gathered mainly from what she had seen on the stage. She did not want this man to unpack Warren's trunk, but she was too much awed by him to say so.

Nervously she watched him take out he things and arrange them in the closet and chiffonier. On account of the war they had brought few clothes, and she was uncomfortably conscious that Warren's wardrobe must appear very meager to this smart English

She tried to seem absorbed in her he refolded a pair of worn, faded pajamas that she had thought Warren could wear once more before she threw them away.

Warren's soiled linen he had already carried off, while she looked on helplessly. Now he threw a suit over his arm and started off again. "Is there anything of yours you'd

like brushed, ma'am?" "No, I think not," relieved to have him go.

But with soft-footed stealth he kept reappearing. He brought back Warren's suit, then took away his shoes. story," I remonstrated, seeing him Then he came in to look after the open fire. He did not knock, and Helen

found herself looking nervously over her shoulder to see if he was there. Disconcerting as was his presence, it gave her a delightful feeling of affluence. Helen's idea of luxury had always been the luxury of the English

novel and play. And now that she was in something of that atmosphere, she tried to "live up" to it. Instead of unpacking in her cottoncrepe kimono, she slipped on a silk negligec. And when at four o'clock

the valet brought her tea, she leaned back in one of the luxurious leather "The following morning a copy of chairs while he served it before the

It was after six when Warren came. She greeted him joyously.

"Hello, all settled?" as he hung up "Oh, yes, dear, isn't it wonderful? I could hardly wait till you came. I'm

wild about these rooms!" "Looks like we're going to be pretty comfortable here."

"And just think-it'll not cost any more than the hotel." "Not as much-not so many tips. How about that valet? He showed

"Dear, he's been here every minute! He doesn't knock, and he walks so softly, you can't hear him."

"Don't like him gum-shoeing around. "Oh yes-yes," hastily, "if I could

only know when he's coming." "Might mine the entrance hall." grinned Warren. "Hello, where'd this

come from? Been having a high-ball?" as he took up a half-filled syphon from the sideboard. "Oh, I found that down here." Helen opened the cupboard underneath. "The valet must have overlooked it. And

these, too," taking out a box of cigarettes. "Look they're crested and initialed." "Huh, don't think much of a man who has his cigarettes initialed. One of a bountiful supply of food.

of those monocled, white-spatted Johnthings. Did you notice this sideboard? receive the grass cut from all parks. And this rug," turning one up with

her foot, "it's an antique Bokhara. You | the upkeep of the zoological gardens wouldn't think he'd rent these rooms." "Guess he needs the coin," shrugged Warren.

"Well, the valet ought to put some of these best things away."

"Don't you worry; that agent was without knowing who they are." "I love this lamp shade—doesn't it sian gulf pearls.

give a soft light? Look how it's made -just strips of Japanese embroidery. Some girl made that for him." Then musingly, "That's just what I'll get for | honest man?" our library."

sideboard. From a lower drawer he "unless it was to sell him a gold produced a corkscrew, a shriveled brick."

"Where do you want this, ma'am?" | lemon, some cloves and a broken "Hub, a gay old codger! That valet overlooked a lot of things."

Helen was examining the fan. It still held a faint fragrance.

"Can't you picture an after-theater supper here—and she forgot her fan? Maybe that's she," glancing at a photograph in a silver frame. "Maybe it isn't," scoffed Warren.

"That imagination of yours'll get you into trouble yet." Then as he stepped into the bedroom, "Say, how about egan an eager, delighted inspection of this bed? Looks mighty narrow to

"Why, dear, we've often slept in a "Well, if we're going to stay here, I want a good wide bed. I'll speak to that agent tomorrow."

"But these are Colonel Craigs" things. They couldn't change the bed." Well, if they've rented these rooms to two people, they've got to put in & bed two people can sleep on. See here, this ought to be locked." He had opened the door of a narrow closet bookcases, the carved sideboard and crowded with boxes, papers and letter the walls hung with deer heads and files. "We're not going to be responsible for all this truck. Where's that To Helen it looked like the stage valet? How do you get him, any-

> "I don't know; he's been here all day. Wait, I'll try this bell, Just think, dear, when we get back we can say we've had a valet over here!"

"Not on your life?" scowled Warren. who loathed any form of pretense. "Any blowing about this valet business-we'll can right now!" Helen flushed. "Well, Mrs Stevens

is always talking about the way they travel, and the wonderful rooms they have. I'd like her to know-" "Mrs. Stevens can blow all she wants to. But don't let me hear you-"

"Did you ring, sir?" Leopard stood "Yes, you'd better lock up this closet. We can't be responsible for all these things." "Yes, sir, the key's been mislaid,

but I'll have one fitted, sir." "Well, see to it tomorrow." "Yes, sir; thank you, sir. What time

shall I draw your bath, sir?" "That's all right; I'll draw my own bath. You can serve our breakfast at eight-thirty sharp.

Times. That's all." "Thank you sir." At the door he hesitated, "I-I don't find any boottrees in your trunk, sir. Perhaps you left them at the hotel, sir."

Breathlessly Helen waited for Warren's answer. It came crisp and curt. "Never had a pair of boot-trees in

my life." "I-I beg your pardon, sir," and Leopard departed precipitately.

"Oh, what made you say that?" zasped Helen. "What'd you want me to say-that my man in New York left them out?" "

mockingly.

"Of course not, but he needn't "Know what? That I'm not aping

any of these bounders over here? Jove. you love pretense! Fairly wallow in t-don't you? Want everybody to think we've a pile of money, eh?"

"Warren, I don't," Helen flushed painfully. "You know I don't!" "Huh, I know you make things out whole lot different from what they are. Both times we've been over here it's been on business-and on the

cheap, too. You're a darn sight more careful of the coin than I am. Yet to hear you talk, anybody'd think we came abroad every year for our health, and spent money like water." "That isn't true," indignantly. "You can't tell me one thing I ever said-"

"I can't, eh? How about that hot air you always get off about buying your clothes 'abroad?' And we never have anybody to dinner that you don't manage to ring in something about getting our china in England. And all you ever bought over here was six

"But, Warren-" began Helen feebly, the color flaming her face.

"I've stood for that, but I'll be hanged f I'll stand for any talk about 'our valet.' The first time you put on that company air of yours and spiel off something about 'the valet Mr. Curtis had in London'-well, there'll be trouble. Now just remember that!"

War Horses for London Zco. The Zoological society, which con-

trols the Regent park 200. London, England, has just solved a most difficult problem, that of feeding the carnivorous animals in a practical way. It has made arrangements with the war office whereby the carcasses of all horses used in service, which have to be killed because of wounds, are turned over to it. As a result lions, tigers and leopards will be certain For the herbivorous animals the

authorities, in view of the high price "But, dear, he does have good of hay, have made arrangements to Reports from the continent say that is now a serious problem for the authorities.

Rich Turkish Fishing Industry. The fishing industry of the Bosporus is worth £250,000 to Turker. mighty keen about our reference. Along the Mediterranean coast she They're not taking anybody in here obtains excellent sponges, the Red sea yields mother-of-pearl and the Per-

May Have Been It.

"Papa, why did Diogenes seck an "I dunno," replied papa, who had re-But Warren was busy exploring the cently indorsed a note for a friend.

the bally-hoo go, son?" he demanded

Leave It to the Small Boy. Leave it to the small boy to put it of a small boy. "I'll show you," reover-even on the thoroughly sea- sponded the lad. For three blocks soned and experienced circus "kink- the clown ran panting after the younger." The Hippodrome circus was pa- ster with an ever-increasing army of rading along upper Broadway, New kids at his heels. "Where is it?" de-York, when one of the clowns was manded the exhausted clown, "Ha, seized with a thirst. Clambering ha!" laughed the youth. "I gave you down from his lofty perch he darted a run for your money, didn't I?" The into a corner saloon for a little "red clown might have spanked the youth. eye." When he emerged the caval- but he couldn't catch him. He comcade had vanished. Some side street promised by hiring an express waron had swallowed it up, leaving the to convey him back to the Hippodrome

Labor Also Is a Great Builder of Character as Well as of Fortune. One day we happened along where

deavor and he shoveled earth, rolled est in all sorts of enterprites. He is enthusiasm

asm. He worked as though he en fifty acres of poor land. Today he men as well as fortunes.

HAPPINESS FOUND IN WORK | Joyed it; his heart was in the en- owns numbers of farms, besides interand ready to help. That fellow sit-

Wounds as Fatal as Are Those of Deadly Reptiles.

Central America as the "ortiga brava" nula which enters the skir, and the Kalamazoo Gazetta

PLANTS WITH SNAKE FANGS (the cruel nettle). This plant is poison is discharged directly into the

as dangerous as a rattlesnake bite are duced by a cell which, during growth,

sufficient to kill a man, even in small doses .- Popular Mechanics.

easily recognized and is instinctively wound, the action being much like Many Are Capable of Inflicting shunned by the native animals. Trunks, leaves, flowers and fruit of The sting of this plant is painful in the plant are covered with stinging hairs, which are in effect long tubes Plants that secrete poison when that are very brittle and break at the touched and inflict a wound almost lightest touch. The poison is pro-

A woman's idea of a noble epitaph

clown marooned. "Which way did to escape the mob of small boys.

had turned out to improve the high- what we were told:

rocks and laid on gravel with cheerful a good citizen, always pubic-spirited Another man was a laggard, who ting on the fence? Well, he his never sat often watching the workers, offer- yet been on the township as a public there was a road-working bee, says ing them advice more in raillery than burden, but that is the best I tan say

the Breeder's Gazette. Neighbors in a spirit of desire to aid. Here is of him. Work and he fell out many a long day ago." way and to make safe some danger- "See that man who works so hard? It is not so hard to guess which ous stretches of a much-traveled road. He does not need to work. He start- of these two mer spent that day the jungles. The most common of these bulb set into the surrounding tissue. Among the workers one was especialed thirty years ago with his two happier hours, who spends year after by notable for his energy and enthusi- hands, his head, an old gray more and year the happier hours. Work juilds

then, are the persons who have de out an hour's unnecessary delay. "The dinner which the good colonel gave me that evening was of the best. "I produced a copy of the list supplied to me by De Lesseps, and hand-He made no further attempt to draw ed it to the khedive. He glanced over from me the cause of my presence in Cairo, but spoke as if he thoroughly recognized the character of tourist which I had assigned to myself.

amounts to a deliberate crusade

against the lives of the Giaours. Of

"'Certainly,' I answered, summoning

"'Good; tell me the name of your

hotel, and I will come and fetch you in

"I gave him the name, and broke

away from him in order to despatch

into the palace, as soon as I had

up a show of cordiality. 'As soon as

course you will dine with me tonight?'

I represent, they have the right to ex- | hotels here are vile, and the cookery

"'Very well, I will consider your of- I have despatched a little correspond-

luctance, 'but if you regard his ap- my telegram to Paris. I felt some dis-

proval as important, I am certain that | quiet at seeing him march straight

quickly, and smiled to himself. 'Who, on the completion of my affair with-

"'No, no; that is all right,' he said turned away, and I resolved to hurry

fer. But I must know with whom I am | ence, I am at your disposal.'

pect that you will not enter into nego-

"My remonstrance appeared to im-

press him. He listened thoughtfully,

dealing. Has M. de Lesseps anything

"I pretended to misunderstand him.

"'M. de Lesseps is not one of the

syndicate,' I replied, with an air of re-

"I assumed an offended demeanor.

khedive's eye as I mentioned the gov-

"Thus dismissed, I returned to my

and nodded his head once or twice.

tiations elsewhere.'

to do with this?'

it can be obtained.'

it with some confusion.

puted you?"

forthcoming.'

government.

However, I will hear what you have it would be necessary to take some de-

"It is above all a question of pri- me that every difficulty which one en-

"'I do not recognize these names, he muttered. 'Surely you will see "'I tell you what it is, baron,' he that before entering on such a negotiation I must have satisfactory assursaid, at a late stage of the repast, and ances that this immense sum will be after the second bottle of champagne had been opened, 'you must see some of the sights of Cairo, now you are "There has never been a question here. I am not very busy at present. of the solvency of these gentlemen,' I and you must let me take you about. returned with warmth. 'The moment I can't promise you much in the way

your highness says the word, one of theaters, but there are some charmfourth of the purchase money shall be ing women here whom you ought to deposited in the Grand Bank of Cairo. know.' In addition, I am empowered to offer "I smiled discreetly as I thought of

most anxiety to meet the colonel's "I caught a quick glance from the friends. "The colonel put his own construcmay remain a secret entirely between ernment. He instantly resumed his tion on my smile. "'You do not believe me!' he ex-"'That is satisfactory enough,' he claimed roughly. 'Very well, you shall that you will not refuse.'

remarked quietly. 'Well, leave this see for yourself as soon as dinner is paper with me for the present, and I over.' will let you have my answer in a few "He rang the bell violently, and gave minished cordiality. 'Rest assured that some whispered instructions to his if this favor is in my power it is alman, who nodded with an air of intelli- ready yours. But explain yourself." hotel. But I was not satisfied with gence, and went out. At the end of the result of this interview. The an hour, when we were sipping our The affair is one of the simplest. The khedive had shown far less eagerness coffee in the smoking room, he re-syndicate I refer to is composed of

advisers before giving you an answer. of his exchequer, and I perceived that cess of his mission. "'Now,' cried the colonel, springing sted in the mind of Lord Derby.' cisive step in order to force his con- to his feet, 'come along, and you shall see whether I can fulfill my under-"My previous experience had taught | takings."

khedive of Egypt, your highness en- resolves itself into aquestion of back- novel to me than he supposed, to a who have had to face the disagreeable Bourse. "She did not live long to "'And in case the khedive should joys certain rights over the canal sheesh.' It remained for me to discretain door situated in the rear of the task of combatting misapprehensions enjoy the little gifts which I had preted by a eunuch, and led along a suc- less tell me the particulars?" cession of passages, some of them fa-

raising, if possible; and in any case and there is nothing to prevent your Pasha by a beautiful odalisque in his cealed an adjoining chamber was lift. Canal company. You know these gen-

polson plants is the Jatropha urens. When the hair is touched it breaks in for a good man would be, "He always known in Panama and other parts of an oblique direction, forming a can- used the right fork when visiting."-

merly made my acquaintance over a diplomatic transaction,' I added, 'and my proceedings with the idea of pol-"M. Disraeli smiled, and shook his head playfully at me. "'Ah, baron, you see that your terrible reputation pursues you,' he obpeople refuse to recognize in the most astute diplomatist of Europe, the innocent traveler of a harmless commercial syndicate?'

"'It is perfectly shameful!' the pre-

mier exclaimed with immense indig-

nation. 'You have done right to com-

plain to me of this person, whose un-

just suspicions have inflicted a serious

"'It is true that the colonel had for-

injury upon your friends."

the door, where he renewed his expressions of regret at Lard Derby's unfortunate mistake, and warmly assured me of his own perfect belief in the indifference of the French government." The ambassador heaved a sigh, and commenced rolling up his napkin as if he had nothing more to tell me. "'But you have not finished your

"When I finally tore myself away

he insisted on accompanying me to

His excellency regarded me with stern surprise. "Is it possible that you have neglected to bear in mind the date which I have assigned to this conversation?" he demanded. "My dear ambassador, you forget that all have not your extraordinary

beckon to the waiter for his bill.

memory for these dates you speak of," I returned with some impatience. "At least consent to remind me of what happened on this occasion."

His excellency shrugged his shoul-"You compel me to resume? Good. the Times was laid before me at

breakfast. I opened it, and the first "'We have today to make a somewhat startling announcement. The British government have bought from the khedive shares of the Suez canal to the amount of £4,000,000 sterling. In the complete secrecy with which this transaction has been carried out, a transaction which it is impossible to separate in our thoughts from the question of England's future relations

with Egypt, we trace the hand of Mr. Disraeli.' "And so on. I had been deliberately, shamefully deceived. While M. Disraeli was pretending to grant me everything I wished, he actually held eh?" the khedive's assignment in his pock-

et. It has been the most humiliating experience of my career." I tried to look as though I shared his excellency's indignation. "And did the French government

take no action?" I inquired respect-"How could they? I have related what passed between us. This astute man had carefully set himself to draw from me an explicit assurance that my government were without interest in the disposal of these shares. If I had dared to remonstrate he would have replied that he was perfectly entitled to bid against a syndicate of private speculators. This heartless intrigue was too skillfully planned to leave any

flung down a gratuity for the waiter, and stalked out of the cafe. As we walked away, the influence of the sunshine and the balmy air seemed "After all, it was poor Fatimeh who came off the worst," he remarked in a

The ambassador rose abruptly.

opening for protest."

"Her fate has remained a mystery.

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"How? Do you mean to say-"

OLD BRIDGE AT ADA TO BE DISCARDED

RUSTIC LATTICE TRUSS STRUCTURE HAS STOOD FOR MORE THAN SIXTY YEARS

New \$30,000 Span To Go Up. (By Henry H. Tinkham in the Gran Rapids Press.)

Ada, Nov. 13 -- More than sixty years ago when what now is the West Michigan State fair was a tiny exposition held on the present site of Fulton Street park in Grand Rapids, there was exhibited a small model of a lattice truss bridge, the invention of then Ald. Harry Ives of the Valley city.

The model bridge was one of the wonders of the fair. Built of light quarter-inch stuff, with a span of some three or four feet. it supported Ives' better than 200 counds without a sag. The horror of the old Ada state bridge collapse was still fresh in the minds of Kent county's chizens. and so it was that the little structure shown at the Grand Rapids fair was the progenitor of the picturesque old span that enries the Ada-Lowell road neross tirned river at the out skirts of this village. That the confidence of the community in Ives' bridge construction idea was justified has been demonstrated during all the six decades or more while the structure defied Grand river in its angriest moods, braved stresses of incensingly heavy traffic and withstood the battering of the elements.

inadequate to carry the traction in crossing. engines and threshing outfits.

leck in need of replacement.

example of unique design that his way ashore. Thus was the put on the bridge by the owning

Pleasant

dren and grandchildren in town.

fully tasty things baked from

Two Views of Old Ada Bridge By Courtesy of The Grand Rapids Press



Rustle old covered bridge across Grand river just east of Ada village which was built to the novel design of a Grand Rapids man and has stood the the western approach to the Ray Rickert's test of Grand River's dread battering and the increasing traffic of more present bridge and eliminate. to their new house. than sixty years. The bridge as it appears from the Ada side of the



the county road commissioners river at Ada was state built as little band of Grand Rapids capauthorized a \$30,000 steel bridge part of the then state road. It italists got together and formed to be started January 1. It is was unlike the present structure a bridge company. They cast planned to set it aside in favor in strength of design and material a bout for a suitable design: a of a modern structure of steel and Grand river's annual batter- structure that would not dupliand concrete to meet the demand ings speedily weakened it. Work- cate the tragedy that marked the Layer spent Friday with Mrs. John of the modern bridge engineer for men were continually strengthen- passing of the state bridge and Laver of Alto. a factor of safety of 50 per cent ling the old bridge to guarantee finally hit upon the lattice truss against the extreme stresses of the safety of travel, but when a design of Harry Ives. Gerrit X, against the extreme stresses of the safety of travel, but when a design of Harry Ives. Gerrit N. There was a fine program of select traffic and the elements. While heavily loaded wagon trundled Brazee was engaged as contractor readings, Larkin toasts and a guessits old timbers still are sturdy across it shook and vibrated and and the bridge was thrown across and well preserved and it carries creaked and sagged under the the river in 1857. It cost some, paired to the dining room where a the motorear as easily as it sup- the strain until those who were thing less than \$8,000. It was ported the slower and lighter forced to use it shook their heads one of the longest bridges in westhorse drawn vehicle, it is today doubtfully and held their breaths ern Michigan at that time and

Its approaches are circuitous, weakening bridge gave evidence tion. It was operated under a exposition there. its piers showing the wear and its of dissolution and two men were twenty-year charter to the com- James Jury of Ann Arbor visited put to work bolstering the old pany as a toll bridge, and a toll instater, Mrs John Rittenger, Fri-Under the trunk line highway law span. In beginning their work of 10c was collected for ever two-day and saturday the state builds bridges on ac- they were forced to take out some horse rig that crossed. cepted trunk line roads and Kent of the timber, further weakening The structure proved a paying ents spent Sunday in Ionia. county by widening the Ada- the span and it was just at this venture, but it became a thorn Lowell road to meet trunk line time a load of hardware, consist- in the flesh of Ada and Lowell specifications will become eligible ing largely of stoves, destined citizens who were awake to the to a state-built bridge where the for one of Lowell's big stores need for industrial advancment of day with their parents. rig reached the center of the the toll bridge was an obstacle SUDDEN MUSCULAR ACHES AND PAINS

old Ada span now crosses Grand drove upon the bridge. As the the communities. They realized In all its years of faithful ser- bridge there was a momentary and toward the end of the charter vice it would be strange indeed if crackling of timbers as a warn- period a movement was begun the old bridge had not endeared ing and the whole structure in Ada to buy out the bridge edy. Sloan's Liaiment is a real necitself in the hearts of those who crashed into the river. The company and make the structure old. Its merit is praised in dozens use it, and no sooner was the heavily loaded wagon, two horses a free bridge. amouncement made that a new and their driver were precipitated. The village was interested then structure was being projected for into the water and the two repair in the big Ada mill and needed find guaranteed relief in Sloan's Linits place than there rose a chorus men were dropped and crushed the wheat from the country tap- iment. Every home meets with sudof objections along the line of: in the tangled fabric of the old ped by the Lowell-Ada road, the den aches and accidents. Your home "Woodman, spare that tree." box trusses. One was taken out river road and the other high-needs a bottle. 25c, 50c and \$1.60. The objection is not without alive but so sorely wounded that ways leading to the eastern end reason, because the old bridge he never was himself again. The of the bridge and finally a bond EAST CASCADE & not only is historic and has had other was killed outright. The issue was floated which, with the a place with the development of horses were drowned, but the assistance of private subscription Kent county, but stands as an driver of the rig managed to make was sufficient to meet the price

The death warrant of the old ed its engineering efficiency. The need for a bridge here was bridge. bridge was signed yesterday when The first bridge across Grand more acute than ever now, and a because of the novelty of its de-There came a time when the sign attracted no end of atten-

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Nov. 22.-L. H. Merriman of Grand

Mrs. Walter Foster has been ill the

Rev. Manning of Albion and Mr. and Mrs. Will Klahn enjoyed an

yster supper with Mr. and Mrs. C.

. Blakeslee last Saturday evening.

Walter Blakeslee is having his corn

DeWeert last Saturday evening.

urnace installed to his residence.

gone to Cadillac in a restaurant.

day visit at Clint Wood's.

Bertha Gress has returned home

cousin, Mrs. Hazel Tolan of Calc

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bends of Grand river, its weather benten timbers fit in with the scenic effect to a nicety and few "Foley Kidney Pills have done me more good than \$150.00 worth of other medicine." Chas. N. Fox, Himrod, there are who cross the bridge but exclaim enthusiastically over the picturesque old span. It was not strange then, in view of its rustic beauty and its history and long and faithful service, that voices should be raised against its removal. The objections have been communicated to the Kent county road commission and the commissioners while themselves regretful of the necessity for a new bridge, point out that the safety of travel is the first consideration.

It seems that the desire is to straighten out the approaches as well as to rebuild the bridge. The projected steel and concrete bridge will cross at an angle and avoid the "S" turn that marks dom's Sunday. a large degree the sharp curve by | Earl Jepson is out of school on ac which the much traveled Ada. count of the chickenpox. Lowell road approaches the bridge. It has been suggested ide that in view of the fact that the Mrs W. Bowen, Misses Lora and present bridge will not be molested during the construction of the day afternoon. new span that perhaps it might surprise Friday eventur. They pre be arranged to leave it in place sented him with a rocker. for its scenic and historic value. The road commission authorities say without reservation that the old bridge while it has given splendrd service and has effective. ly resisted the onslaughts of drended Grand river, is not safe worms sapping its vitality and clog-This is the view of Ada's historic old lattice truss bridge obtained by the majority of those who enthuse over its scenic value. The west entrace, modern travel will some day peevishness and irritability has a prove too much for the old lattice cause. Give Kickspoo Worm Killer trusses and another tragedy will a chance and if worms are there this was of home origin and has prov- Lowell-Ada road rendered useless. be marked up against the Ada

SOUTH LOWELL. [Crowded Out Last Week.]

Liarrison Wilcox of Lansing attend d church here Sunday. Mrs. Freeman Whitmyer, Mrs. Paul

Tower and children and Miss Anna Mrs. Howard Bartlett entertained

the Larkin club Friday afternoon. ing contest. At six o'clock all redelightful three-course luncheon was Mrs. Nellie Holcomb and Miss Gen

eva Monks are visiting the former's brother, T. Willette, and family. Charles Sterzick left Wednesday for allfornia and expects to attend the

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kilgus, Miss Mrs. C. G. Wieland returned from Brinton last Thursday and reports

her mother some better.

-NEED NOT BE!

Carl and Ray Efftenger spent Sun-

That is-if you use the right remessity in every home-for young and of letters. A stiff neck from colds, children's sprains, those aching mus-

NORTH McCORDS Nov. 16, 1915.

[Crowded out last week.] Mrs. Chas. Quiggle is taking care o er sister's buby a few days. Mrs. Roy Munger took dinner at Mrs. John Semyne's Wednesday. Mrs. Bessle Whendon spent Satur iay night and Sunday with her fath er, W. B. Gregory.

Mr McDonal has been doing some

work for Mary Fuller. Edith Quiggle spent Sunday at Carl Sincinir's.

CASCADE

Nov. 20th. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watterson were in Lowell Friday.

Miss Lillian Oriap returned to her iome in this village Thursday, after everal weeks' visit at the home of M. Schenck

Miss Carrie Vandervere, who is em-ployed in Grand Rapids, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. andevere last week. Harvey Vanderhoff and family are

loving to Alaska. Cascadel oasts of two rural routes,

one coming direct from Ada, carried by Chas. Nellest is No. 4 and the old No. 42 route carried by Henry Penninga is changed to No. 1, Ada. Wm. Wood has completed a strip

of concrete road on Lake drive for the city of Grand Rapids. The Loyal Workers Sunday school class and their families met at the town hall Thursday for a dinner, which was a most sumptuious affair and greatly erjoyed by about thirty. The Berean class met with Mr. and irs. Arthur Blain Thursday evening. Work on the good roads is practic-

ally done in this vicinity. The over-

auling, repairing and storing away

of the machinery, will take some tim We wish The Ledger a most happy and hearty Thanksgiving.

FALLASBURG

Nov. 22.-Mrs. Will Whitt and laughter of Keene spent last Thurslay with Mrs. Will Booth. Alex Bozung and wife and Henry Bozung motored from Westphalia

Will Risedale, wife and daughter Edith spent Sunday at H1 Converse's Floyd Lang, wife and daughter Orma were guests Sunday of Dave Garfield and wife at Moseley. J. E. Tower and Floyd Lang were

n Grand Rapids Thursday and Mrs. l'ower spent the day with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Steketee. Mrs. Frank Sherrard, who has been and let us fill your bin bevisiting Will Sherrard and wife at fore the rush of orders be-Harvard for the past nine days, re-

turned Suuday accompanied by the latter for a few hours' stay. Hamilton Whedon of Lowell came o Mrs. Sherrard's Sunday for his daughter, Mrs. VanVelzen, who has been company for Mrs. Denney during

be absence of Mrs. S. Clinton Miller and family have moved from the Connely place to the nome of Chancy Miller near the plant. Mrs. Will Joseph of Coopersville is visiting Mrs. Emma Beckwith and

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The Rawer family are native Maoris and are handsome specimens of their



race. In their public exhibitions they wear the queer but picturesque costumes of the native islanders. Mr. Rawei himself was born in the wilds Rapids spent Saturday with his of northern Zealand, among the most daughter, Mrs. Arthur Baker. savage people, was adopted by an English lady of wealth when about twelve years old, given a thorough education and enabled to graduate with high honors and the degree of master of arts from Christchurch University.

The presentation of "From Savagery to Culture" is so cleverly and artisti-Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Baker of cally done and is so full of the interest Grand Rapids visited several days last week with their son Arthur and of novelty and wonder that it compels



MR. AND MRS. RAWEI-MR. RAWEI after spending some time with her

> the utmost enthusiasm. It is captivating to the last degree, full of delight and surprises.

The audience is held under a spell of reason why you should be. Instead of "wearing" it out, get sure relief fascination by the weird ballads, the by taking Dr. King's New Discovery. love songs, the cannot choruses the war love songs, the canoe choruses, the war Dangerous bronchial and lung all chants and incantations and the numerous beautiful pictures of the marvelous island scenery.

Her Waist Measure.

A teacher in one of the city schools -who, to say the least, is of rather generous proportions-was trying to explain to her scholars the correct "And-ah-what salary would you around my thumb, once around my xpect?" asked Deacon Klutchpenny of wrist; twice around my wrist, once the church at Hardscrabble. "Seven around my neck, once around my hundred dollars a year, without dona- neck, once around my waist." Then tion parties," replied the applicant for she paused, and a shrill voice from the her new home recently purchased of fifty, with!"

the pastorate. "Eight hundred and back of the room exclaimed, "Twice around yer waist, once around the site."

> Told Her About It. Put two tablespoonfuls of ammonia Eugene attended the wedding of his Aunt Nan, which took place in church. The bridegroom and best man were waiting at the altar for the bride, who The comb will be spetlessly clean,-. was slowly advancing up the aisle, to the strains of the weeding march. when Eugene's childish treble sounded clearly: 'Hurry up, Aunt Nan, Mr Abbot's waiting for you."

Near-Sigi tednass. Many people believe that a child nay be born near-sighted, but this is not the case. Near-sightedness always results from strain, and in the great majority of cases can be prevented, or at least kept down to low

The Best of References. Mrs. Hiram Daly-Can you get a reference from your last employer?" Applicant - "Shure I can. I've been workin' for meself for the past six months, an' I recommend meself to

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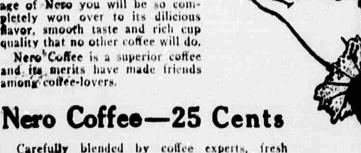
Lazy folk. do right now is to TALK | "Even of some folks knowed dar vuz a free possum farm in de ner worl"," said Brother Williams, "dey wouldn't be in no hurry ter git dar, fer fear dey'd hatter climb a tree ter git a possum."-Allanta Constitution.

> Well, What Do They Do? Expert says that writers to the contrary notwithstanding, bullets neither whine, hiss, howl, hum nor whisper. Very well, Majority will take the expert's word for it.-New York Evening Telegram.

And the Rose Has Its Thorn. Successful conservation has its penalties. The beaver is doing an immense almost of damage in the Ad irondack region, while in Pennsylvania the elimination of forest fires has caused the rattionake to multiply in great numbers.-Rochester Herald.

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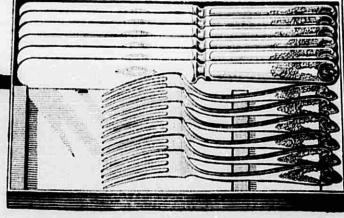
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As it would be manifestly unfair to accept from one patron cream which will lower the value of highgrade cream sent in by other patrons, it will stand all patrons in hand to see that their cream is delivered in the very best of condition, which will mean a high-quality product from the creamery and consequently fancy prices. There is only one way in which that can be done, and that is that every can of cream shall grade up to the top notch. When that is done, then under the direction of the experts from the department, the butter can be brought up to the highest standard.

prices, and those creameries are a

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MUCH EXTENSION **WORK PLANNED FROM** M.A.C. FOR THIS YEAR

SCHOOLS WILL BE HELD IN CON-NECTION WITH COUNTY AG-RICULTURAL AGENTS-MANY INSTITUTIONS TO BE VISITED

East Lansing, Mich., - About 50 one-week schools in agriculture and home economics will be held throughout the state by the extension department of the Michigan Agricultural college, according to an announcement made recently by Supt. R. A. Baldwin. This is the largest number which has ever been held in this state and will require the employment of two additional farm experts. The extension staff now consists of 10 experts in agriculture and home economics.

Household engineering and insect control are two new subjects to be taught for the first time this year. The former will deal largely with sewage disposal and water supply on the farms and will be in charge of O. E. Robey. The latter will pertain to insects. Specimens, demonstrations and lectures will be included on the program. In addition, there will be courses in farm crops, dairying, animal husbandry, home economics and general agriculture.

The one-week schools will be held in connection with the county agricultural agents, and the list of schools indicates that the counties having agricultural agents have more of the one-week schools than those without.

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If a man lives in a small town he considered disloyal to his community.

must bet on the home team or be



Central Michigan News of Interest

Ionia - The state board of pardons during the present month. Every boy ted unanimously to submit the ques- eight were represented. Laverne considered 36 cases at their regular who completes the work of his corn tion of sale of the property to Kent Spafford, the State Field Secretary creameries of the state as possible up monthly meeting held at the Reforma- club makes an exhibit of ten ears of county in a vote of the stockholders was present and spoke several times corn and turns in his report and es- at the fair grounds. The directors during the day and gave the main ad-

> Lowell - The village council hes A. C. from Hastings. voted to install a life saving device

of the world as of the highest possible quality, and as such will be in great in the rural routes. Patrons and the forming those who were interested in representing hives at Orleans, Ionia Washington which changed rural demand and will bring fancy prices, carriers both are looking upon the the matter that the amount will be en-To this end, the legislature appro- changes with the idea of the greatest tirely offset by the year's taxes soon terly convention of the Lady Macca- terly convention of the Lady Macca- to pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the convention of the Lady Macca- to pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the convention of the Lady Macca- to pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the convention of the Lady Macca- to pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the convention of the Lady Macca- to pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the pour to the pour to the greatest number and will be pour to the greatest number and will bring take Odessa, attended the quarter to the pour to the greatest number and will be pour to the greatest number and will be pour to the greatest number and will be pour to the greatest number and the greate priated funds to be expended under good to the greatest number and will to pour into the treasury. the direction of the State Dairy and co-operate to the end of efficient ser-

possible repetition of the tragedy.

fessors' salaries are concerned was visit. decided upon when the board of trustees met recently in Kalamazoo.

say, will be given a free trip to the M. also agreed that the property when ta- dess in the evening. ken over by the county may be used

for any purpose by the public, thus consisting of an oxygen tank and lung Portland - The clerk of the village withdrawing the strings tied to the meeting of the W. F. M. S. of Lansmotor at a cost of \$150. A demon- has come to the defense of the village proposal laid before the board of su- ing District was held at Ovid M. E. stration will be given at the next council, upon which has been heaped pervisors at the October session, church November 11 and 12. The der the direction of the department, meeting of the city dads. It is considerable criticism since an un- Those who hold claims against the Standard Bearers of Lyons were rep-whose products are entirely worthy sen the loss of life in cases of elect that the year's appropriation had for consideration at the next meeting, and Bernice Bradt. The auxiliary by trick shock, drowning, suffocation and placed the village approximately \$14,- The county appropriated \$4,000 for Mrs. Elva Steele, Mrs. Geo. A. Brown 000 in debt, by declaring that the liquidating the society's debts. charge is absolutely without founda-

Harry Manning near the Grand River hive for sending the largest delega-

Under this appropriation the depart. the boys of Barry county for Satur- and a sequel to a trip to Lowell was Nashville - People of Nashville and and ambulance corps of the Allies and ment has picked creameries about the day, December 4, at Hastings. This the verdict of the coroner's jury. Al- vicinity who are interested in the new neutral nations are American. state to receive their attention, and will be the culmination of the various though the death of Manning is de- co-operative creamery can congratu-

ject lesson as a guarantee against towns in the state whose co-operative creameries are to be conducted for a ... time under state supervision, by de-Olivet - All back salaries of the puties from the office of the State of Olivet college professors will be paid Dairy and Food department. Other within a short time. Already a sum of towns will be visited later by the de-

money has been received for this pur- puties, as fast as they can get to pose. The plan of getting Olivet col- them. Nashville and Alto being the lege free from debt as far as the pro- two lucky towns to receive the first

Woodland - The Christian Endeavor institute was held in the United Lowell - Directors of the Kent Brethren church Wednesday, November County Fair association controlling the 10 with a good attendance. Five so-Madison avenue road fair grounds vo- cieties were expected to report but

and Mrs A. E. Bradt.

ter will be recognized in the markets of the world as of the highest possible Lowell — Slight changes were made tion. He took the opportunity of in-Alto - The Alto postoffice is bee lodge of Ionia county at Blan- Nos. 54, 55 and 3. Route No. 53 from Mc-

Two thousand of the seven thous-

the first two are the Nashville and Al- local shows which each club has had plorable, the residents of this city are late themselves upon the fact that Our Want Column will sell it for you.

War Situation

Line-up of Armies In the west-Germans against French, British, Belgians. Iu the east-Russians against Germans, Austrians

In the south-Austrians against Italians, Serbians. In the Dardanellies-Turks against British, French.

ment of Italy has been arranged at Belgium 100,000 New York, which, coming directly after the flotation of the \$500,000,000 Austro-German Armies 4,500,000 Anglo-French loan, emphasizes the de-Lyons - The forty-first annual gree in which New York becomes the universal banker instead of London.

> at least continue through the winter. of battle where he studied the situa- Austria 3,050,000 tion thoroughly and thus gained many

tung (a Frankfort periodical) declares The need of such service was made that the United States is "led on ap- clear by the problem of transporting Portland — That the tragic end of \$2 was awarded to the Orleans Harry Manning near the Grand River hive for sending the largest delega-America's British sympathies is radi- equip one car of each train with an cal it will undoubtedly be ignored by operating table and sugerical supplies President Wilson.

> The following figures represent, as far as possible, an authentic report

of the strife and now: Armies in Field in First Months.

Allies Russia 2,000,000 Great Britain 150,000 Belgium 100,000 Central Powers Germany 3,000,000 Austria 1,500,000

Presents Size of Armies Allies Russia 1,500,000 France 2,000,000 A \$25,000,000 loan to the govern- Serbia 150,000 Central Powers

Permanent and Temporary Losses. Frederick Palmer, the accredited Great Britain 400,000 ish armies, thinks that the war will Serbia 100,000 He recently returned from the scene Germany 3,350,000

facts upon which to base his belief. Americans have taken an active part in the development of hospital The Reinische Westphalische Tei- service on railway trains in France. was the first step taken which makes possible the immediate relief of suf-

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Anyone with addiction to things old-fashioned must be delighted with the prospect in handbags, for it seems as if two-thirds of the new ones have gate tops. This gate top, which was revived when silk handbags came into style, is now used on soft leather handbags, most effectively. Sometimes the little gate top is circular, sometimes it is oval shape. It is made of silver and gold, brass and nickle, and sometimes it is studded with real or imitation stones

his shoulders.

small. It is made of leather, drawn into a tiny rosette at the bottom and fitted with a little strap just big enough to slip over one finger.

Flowered silks are still used for linings of handbags, and so are black and white stripes and the gay silks vaguely termed futurist.

One of the new bags is called the moire, sometimes flowered and the strap that forms the handle is cut in band of silk that is slipped over the hold the bag shut.

with metal gate tops, are exceedingly smart. Sometimes the steel beads are sometimes is a conventional band.

REASONS FOR THANK- +

ered upon us during the past year: for prosperous industries and fertile fields; for contented homes and peaceof solid benefit to a single division of our people must in time be of benefit to the people as a whole; for the extension of education and the fostering of the arts and sciences; for our preservation from flood and famine, plague and drough-for these tokens of the benignant and beneficent care of a watchful Providence it is becoming that the people should gather to offer

thanks to Almighty God. While in sorrow and compassion we view the misery and devastation which a world war has brought to our fellow beings across the ocean, while we look agast at fields dved tion whole and unharmed.

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MICHIGAN CROPS ARE WORTH \$162,600,195

Lansing-That the agricultural districts of Michigan should furnish a lucrative field for the operations of the busy automobile agent is shown by an analysis of the recent crop report issued by Secretary of State Vaughn.

The estimated value of the other principal crops follows: Oats, \$27,112,-545; rye, \$5,717,480; barley, \$1,229,-897; potatoes, \$9,840,929; buckwheat, \$482,868; beans, \$11,504,142; clover seed, 1,861,200; apples, \$4,081,040; peaches, \$2,506,316; pears, \$350,387; plums, \$324,012; cherries, \$1,637,940; strawberries, \$696,142; raspberries and blackberries, \$1,631,937; hay and fortured people, easy as age, \$39,990,450; peas, \$4,414,570; suyour collar, anatomical- gar beets, \$4,618,590.

According to the Secretary of State Vaughn's report the yield of potatoes, ical fraternity, cannot tell its worth here, beans and corn is below the average for write at once for cat- the past ten years. The estimated yield of beans is 3.834,714 bushels, which is 32 per cent less than the average for the past ten years. The potato crop is estimated at 19,681,859 bushels, which is 40 per cent less than the average for a ten-year period, while the estimated yield of corn, 50,208,723 bushels, is 19 per cent below the average from 1905 to 1914 inclusive.

IMPROVEMENT OF FARM RESIDENCES

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT GET-TING INTERESTED IN HOUSE-ING OF RURAL COM-MUNITY

The federal government, under the An odd new bag is made of soft restrictive spirit of the present age, is leather with a silver gate top, and a venturing into many new and untried little ruffle hanging over it of silver paths, says the American Contractor. mesh. It is quite suggestive, some- It is assuming many responsibilities how of the knight errane's helmet and and duties, unthought of a few years protector of chain mail that fell over ago. Some of the innovations are modest in present scope, and were There is a new bag that is very sprung upon the county by enthusiastic popular clamor for their enactment but with protencies for tremend- AN INVISIBLE WORLD ous strides in the future.

> One of the recent government extensions of activity was created by the Smith-Lever act for co-operative ag- COUNTLESS BILLIONS OF BACricultural work, which passed congress last year. It has at last an indirect interest for architects and building material manufacturers, for

embroidered in a flowered design, law's provision which practically as- this faculty means, Leuwenhoek, na-Some of the prettiest of the new bags if the whole world is prompted to grab covered certain minute bodies which are made of silk and leather combined, at "something for nothing," or to seize he called "little animals." He made One that is very attractive is made of what purports to be a bargain. The drawings of these and today we know black and white striped silk, in wide Smith-Lever law makes appropriation them for those useful friends and mastripes, with a little section of tan of national funds for use in the vari- lignant enemies of man-bacteria. suede clasped about the silk. Some- ous states only on condition that stip- We spend our days surrounded by times the bags are made of leather at ulated supplementary state appropri- another world, a living world of countthe bottom and silk at the top-sug- ations be made. It is quite interesting less billions, invisible to the naked eye, gestive of the frocks with skirts made to observe that all the states have re- silent, tireless, destroying the living, up of two strips of fabric, one serge, spond to that requirement. For the consuming the dead, useful in the erment contributed \$480,000. For the by a train of sickness, suffering and store of the store

maximum of \$4,580,000 in 1923. the states would contribute their share wenhoek thought, but vegetables, bac-For the manifold blessings of for the year 1915-1916, but the neces- teria consist of two classes those that Almighty God has show- sary amounts were not only provided which prey on living things and those but greatly exceeded. Instead of a which reduce to their original minerals, total of \$1,680,000, necessary to be fluids and gases, every dead thing available, the total through excess which they attack. They are of varcontributions of state and local or- ious shapes, round like marbles or ganizations, will be nearly \$5,000,000. straight like little sticks. They grow The liberal response for co-operation in clusters, chains and in pairs. They from all parts of the country encour- are ubiquitous. The dusty air, the aged the government officials to be- earth and its waters, the interior of

tion has ever undertaken." propriation, running into millions of health.

of supplies. Few people realize how important There are in the United States about The great weapon against bacteria it is to have sunshine in the house, 2,000 rural counties. Under this Smith- is cleanliness. The mastery over prema-We must have fresh air, they say, and Lever law county agents are already ture death lies to a great measure, in throw open the doors. But the sun's employed in over 1,000 counties, or our own hands. Clean persons, clean rays must be kept out. It will fade more than half. It is expected that cities, clean workshops and clean lives the carpet. So they keep the shutters there will be at least one woman en- are the makers of public health. The shut and the curtains down. What gaged in the extension work in each of United States Public Health Service

is kept dark? But it is just as true Here is an educational work the try are gradually bringing these facts

as necessary to keep us in a healthful estimate. Agricultural experts are Sunlight is a substance: so is the state and capable of scattering smiles, quoted as saying that it will so vastly sunlight of the soul. We need not as it is for a house to have both heat improve farming conditions and prac- manufacture either. What the naturand light, in order to make it health- tices that unfavorable comparisons al sun is to the earth, the Lord is to

will no longer be made with the highly the soul. We need to open the shutorganized agricultural regions of Eu- ters by putting away every selfish rope. Involved in the transformation, and worldly thought; we need to let if transformation it should chance to up the curtains that separate us from be, is a decided improvement in the the neighbor's welfare. We are creatfarm house and in all the various im- ed to be diamonds, to reflect the light. provements in construction, which But if we absorb it by turning our have heretofore been limited mainly affections and thoughts wholly uron to city and town construction. self we become like charcoal.



OUR PUBLIC FORUM

IX-Peter Radford

On "Back to the Soil With Wall Street"

When Wall Street wants good business men she usually goes back to the soil to get them. That financial thoroughfare is said to be honeycombed with men who have plowed barefooted, who have drunk branch water. eaten cornbread and molasses and slept on the floor in their early days. A man is more capable of holding the reins of business who knows how to drive a team of mules, shear a sheep or put a ring in a shoat's nose. A man is better equipped to meet the problems of life who in his youth has walked the log across the creek to get to school, courted the girls at husking bees and pitched horse shoes Saturday afternoon. A man who has

spent the moonlight nights of his youth possum hunting, going to protracted meetings and occasionally turning down the community at a spelling match age of the scholarship, instead of one has the right sort of stuff in him to make a good business man. The active officials of most of the large business organizations of America it is said were, with a very few exceptions, raised on the farm, and could swim the creek, pitch hay, chop wood, milk the cows or slop the hogs as easily as they can run world-wide business institutions.

The farmers look to these capable and loyal sons of the soil to assist in the solution of the business problems of agriculture. Wall Street is reputed to be capable of financing everything from a Y. M. C. A. to a war, so why not finance agriculture? It is not sufficient to lend money to a correspondent to lend to a local banker, to lend to a broker to lend to a merchant, to lend to that erected by the empire builder of the landlord to lend to a farmer. Such a financial system sounds like the South Africa. house that Jack built, and is just about as useful. Neither is assistance complete when money is furnished buyers to "move the crop." What the farmer wants is money to hold the crop. What better security is there than a warehouse receipt for a bale of cotton, a sack of wheat or a bushel of corn and why will such securities not travel by the side of government bonds?

The American farmer is a capable plowman. He always has filled and always will fill the nation's granary, larder and wardrobe, but he has nothing to say in fixing the price of his products. The problem confronting the farmers of this nation today is marketing and its solution depends first upon the farmer organizing for concert of action and the co-operation of the financial interests in marketing the crop. Agriculture is the biggest business in America and the only one that has not a financial system adapted to its use.

TERIA ARE SILENTLY AT WORK

Great things have small beginnings troubadour bag It is a long purse- the natural effect of the law, if real- A spectacle maker, Jan Leippersheim like bag, of silk, sometimes plain or ized, will be to radically improve the by name, living in Holland, invented a type of residence construction on crude magnifying glass in 1608. Anfarms throughout the entire country, ton von Leuwenhoek, born in Delft, one with the bag. There is a shirred The main purpose of the law is to in- this day, 1682, improved this clumsy crease the efficiency of the farmer, toy and evolved a compound microsstrap handle and when this is pushed and that implies not only greater cope which has become the most valufirmly down it acts as a fastener to knowledge of his calling, not only bet- able sanitary tool devised by man. ter farm appliances, but also better That first miscroscope was as far re-Silk habs embroidered with steel, houses and house conveniences. moved from the high-powered instru-Quite shrewdly a condition was im- ment of today as the modern American posed upon the administration of the from the original caveman. Yet by sures its success. It would seem as turalist, physician and botanist, dis-

first year ending July 1, 1915, the gov- sciences and arts, yet often followed will increase yearly until it reaches its bacteria are one of the greatest ar There was some question whether living thing. Not animals, as Leu-

lieve that the law will be a complete animals and plants all contain them. success. Secretary Houston of the ag- They cause the fermentation of foods, ricultural department calls it "the they make cheese, they produce disease most significant piece of educational and some of them when killed and inwork, in many respects, that any na- jected into animal protect it against the very disease which they would The initial purpose of the law is to have produced if living. Many of enable every farmer in the country to them live as harmless creatures in the receive the educational advantages in body of the animal for years, only to regard to farming that have been re- kill their host when the opportunity stricted heretofore to students of the presents. Their study has given various agricultural colleges. To carry birth to science, bacteriology, one out the purpose of the law all the ap- of the foundation stones of pubic

dollars, must be expended in the em- Their mere presence does not necesployment of men teachers to demon- sarily produce disease. Recalling the strate improved farm methods in the parable of the sower, some bacteria fall field and of women teachers to demon- by the wayside, some fall upon stony the highest type of young men, with strate home economics, including places, and some fall in good ground among others such vital matters as and bring forth the fruit of suffering, to make a good impression on all men; men and little children, at water supply, sewage disposal, sani- perhaps of death. A normal, temperate to make a good impression on an inch, the type to which older men are athomes destroyed, at commerce tation and hygiene household equip- life, free alike from the gluttony of palsied, at proud cities leveled . ment and labor-saving devices. There idleness or overwork, the sound mind to the dust and progress giv- is elasticity to the educational field to in the sound body, a cheerful, normal in the classroom, in leadership of his us are." ing way to desolation, our be covered, and since the initial start environment, these form the stony fellows in undergraduate activities, in minds must turn in gratitude was made last year the instruction of places in which bacteria take no root, the committee work which executes the farmers has already greatly The depraved appetites of mind and broadened so as to include besides crop body, the dark and sordid atmosphere production, farm management and ac- of penury, the nerve racking and

prepare the good ground. must be the condition of a room which the rural counties of the country. and other sanitary bodies of this counof an individual that sunshine is just effect of which no man can accurately home to the general public. In this

IS SURROUNDING US gradually being lengthened. All of lection and student popularity enters.

NEW TYPE OF MAN TO BE DEVELOPED

UNIVERSITY UNION PUTS PER-SONALITY FIRST IN SCHOL-ARSHIP OFFER

Ann Arbor, Michigan - Is the modern American University developing a new standard of men? Is the premium being taken off book learning and placed on personality? Judging from conditions expressed in

a new scholarship announced by Presiintroduced into our universities-the science of knowing, mingling with and influencing men. In other words, the classroom will continue to make students but outside the classroom another agency will be at work developing the human, practical side of a

The term of the scholarship indicate an effort to develop a type of college man who will represent the ideals of the practical man as well as the schol-

friends and the fiercest foes of every Michigan, through their organization known as the Michigan Union are to elect one of their number annually to represent them in scholastic life at a European University. This plan, formulated in connection with the campaign now waging to obtain a \$1,000,-000 home for the Union, will make the undergraduates themselves responsible for the type of man sent to compete against European in general scholarship, athletics and all the other activities of collegiate life abroad.

The committee in charge of the Union's general campaign has set its face against only one class of "mixer." In requesting Dr. Hutchins to define the character of the Union scholar, the chairman of the committee said:

"I have not in mind at all the beer drinking mixer; he is an undesirable and of absolutely no account in this

The real popularity on which the students are to gauge their representative is sketched in this wise: "A student of high standards, a big, broad man among his fellows; he shoul be a finished product of the Michigan Union as he works under ideal conditions ability to meet men of all classes and the details of Michigan Union management, in athletics or the drama or | north in summer are sure to fly south





college journalism, is to be paramount qualification raised before the eyes of the electors.

A fund for the maintenance of this representative abroad is to be created at the same time the million dollars for the Michigan Union club house is raised among Michigan alumni in October. In fact, the total som to be raised is \$1,020,000. Of that, \$1,000,-000 will be used in constructing and maintaining a club houses for alumni and students, associated in the Michigan Union. The \$20,000 will be invested by the Union trustees at a rate that will insure the holder of the scholarship \$1,200 for a year's residence in any European university he may select. An effort will be made to give one Michigan student a year the advantstudent a two or four-years' term at a specified institution. In these details the Michigan Union scholarship will differ materially from the Cecil Rhodes scholarship for Americans and colonials at Oxford. In essentials, the Union scholarship will resemble closely

"The plan of election proposes a thorough test of the democracy of a big university, inasmuch is it devolves upon the students themselves the responsibility of making the choice," said President Hutchins. "Almost all other scholarships are filled by faculties who, professionally, are in touch with the classroom qualities of students.

"If the students choose wisely beirs will be the credit in greate way cleanliness is becoming more gen- measure than it is in any scholarship eral, and the span of life in America is in which a combination of faculty sewhich is largely due to the miscros- If they choose unwisely, they fail to demonstrate in practice the character which the university seeks to nurture in them. I may say that the university believes the Michigan undergraduates will rise to meet the test in a spirit creditable to the teachings of the university, that the finest fruit of democracy is an intellectual aristrocy, composed of men of intellectuality and poise."

Laughter.

Laughter begins either with the mouth or the eyes. Then come the the vocal expressions of laughter, such as brays, cackles, sniggers, simpers, giggles, snorts, grunts, fog-horn rumbles, yells, shricks, guffaws, trills, dent H. B. Hutchins, of the University chuckles, sniffles and all corts of peof Michigan, a new science may soon be culiar bird notes and musical sounds.

Unappreciative Daddy.

"What's that?" asked Mr. Cumrox. his daughter was trying to play the piano. "That's music." "You may think it's music, daughter, dear, but if you could hear how it sounds you'd realize that it's some kind of an op-



The Latest Composition, Flatte-"That was the best piece of ragtime I have heard on our pianoplayer, dear." Mrs. Flatte-"Well, that was one of those porous plasters I got in there by mistake."-Yonkers Statesman.

Measure of the Dollar. It may be useful to know that a silver quarter of a dollar measures threefourths of an inch acress its circumference; a half-dollar one inch and the "dollar of our daddies" one and a half

A Profit-Sharing Millionaire. Elias Derby of Salem, Mass, who was the first millionaire in the United States, practiced profit-sharing with the cailors of his merchant ships.

Tco Many. It was W. S. Gilbert who once remarked: "It is easy enough for bishops to be good on a salary of five thousand tracted, the sort able to hold attention, pounds a year, but we have to be good through sheer personality." Capacity for nothing"- a pause-"and some of

> How Birds Forestall Weather. Migratory birds and fowls that go previous to cold and stormy weather. When these birds are noticed flying in circles, and darting restlessly about, there is usually a severe atmospheric disturbance not far distant, such as a cyclone or tornado.

Well, What Do They Do? Expert says that, writers to the contrary notwithstanding, bullets neither whine, hiss, howl, hum nor whisper. Very well. Majority will take the expert's word for it.—New York Evening

The specific charge against Foscer stand behind him. read by Commissioner Hurd at the hearing and preferred by Postoffice Inspector Frazer is that Foster mail-

Ionia - J. E. Potter, charged with merchant, of Grand Ledge, offering taking \$10,000 from Michigan retail him a membership in the United Remerchant through a fake coupon con- tail Merchants' association, which cern, known as the United Retail the government officials says was a Merchants' association, was arraign- fake coupon scheme. Foster declares ed before U S. Commissioner J. Stan- his scheme for the retailing of manuey Hurd, charged with using the mails facturers' products is one of the most to defraud. He was held in \$10,000 original and honest in the country. bail and remained to the county jail. He said 125 manufacturers would still

A woman fears burglars; a man ed a letter to R. N. Knott, a retail old age.



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> H, the time is getting nearer I'll pack my grip and fly To the little town down yonder where the meadows touch the

Where the cribs are fairly bursting with the corn they've gathered in And the orchards now are sleeping till the days of spring begin.

Where the dear old mother waits me and the dear old dad looks wise As he views the shining turkey and the row of pumpkin pies,

Thanksgiving day once more! Soon a mighty hungry feller will be knocking at the door."

the kitchen baking things palates of the proudest of our

fills the snow white crust,

old time wanderlust.

old folks, good and true.

led as you paced the kitchen floor, agent. come knockin' at the door."

OU can bet I'm mighty hungry -mighty hungry just to see brightly and to feel they're

Oh, I'm hungry just to kiss you and to feel your arms again Sort of loving-like around me as you

once embraced me when hungry just to squeeze Dear old mother as I used to and to

sit upon her knees. Oh, there is no use denying it's Thanksgiving day once more. "Soon a mighty hungry feller will come knockin' at the door."

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to the office of the county clerk, where was as "rare as a day in June." he wanted a marriage license and balmby weather it is easy to imagine wanted the ceremony performed at what the condition of the air is in to bring it about.

operation when the deal is closed is is that often there is strenuous op-And I almost hear him chuckle: "It's is put through.

cuit court has 13 criminal cases, 8 buildings are being put up in accord- mary education is as follows: civil cases to be tried by jury, 4 im- ance with plans and specifications pre- 1. To give to every citizen the in-T CAN see the dear old mother in parlance, 21 divorce cases, and 12 con- pared by the state board of education formation he needs to transact his That would glad the eyes and five men who are "for sentence."

And my soul this very minute feels the county agriculture agent for Kent stall a ventilating system is like pull- ulties and morals. county, who resigned recently. This ing teeth. Oh, I'll soon be treading backward was due to the fact that a suitable man But the present good health cam- neighbors and his country, and to diso'er that paths that once I knew was not available at that time As a paign is forcefully calling attention charge with competence the functions To the old home in the valley, to the result, Kent county will have to wait to these conditions and is expected to confided to him by either. You were right, dad, when you chuck- meets again, for a new agricultural the state.

> yet this fall The new road will connect the village of Orleans with the four-mile stretch of state road just completed between that city and Belding. Farmers and villagers are furnishing the funds and labor to do the

Lansing - Farmers throught the Michigan's Sugar company's district received their checks for the October deliveries which amounted to about

FURNACE FACTS Keep the coal in the furnace high

in the center and lower at the sides. If the coal banks up on the sides leaving a hole at the heart of the fire it gradually cools and soon dies

Sprinkle all coal with water before using, it will burn longer and make during the reign of Jeroboam and was

Use as small size coal as the grate When removing ashes from

furnace sprinkle them with water, Never shake the furnace fre unless it needs it; twice each day should be

sufficient in most severe weather. An old engineer once told me that much heat was lost in a furnace from covering the red hot coals with new coal. He said "allow the fire to burn until the coals begin to have a gray color then fill the furnace.

Many hands at work on the furnace prove most disastrous. If the boys of the family run the furnace have each do certain parts of the work; one fill kingdoms needed his warnings. and shake the furnace and the other clean ashes and keep water pan filled.

POORLY VENTILATED DISTRICT SCHOOLS GOOD HEALTH ENEMY

Holland, Michigan, November 22 .-That the rural schools are responsible for the spread of a great deal of tuberculosis in the state of Michigan is brought out from week to week as the "Health First" campaigns that are being conducted by the state board of health continue. The average school house in the city of any size has some means of ventilation and moreover the teachers take some pains as rule to keep the windows open a large part of the time. But the large number of school pupils from rural schools found afflicted with tuberculosis points to the fact that these conditions do not obtain in the "little red school house" known to fame for its sentimental associations

Terrible Croup Attack Quickly Repulsed By Old Reliable Remedy

tered croup and colds for his family of ten with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound.

In an address before the Medical association of Ottawa county, Dr. Victor C. Vaughan Jr., of Detroit, declared that he had taken particular pains to notice during an automobile trip from Detroit to Holland, cutting entirely across the state through a Otsego - Verne B. Cole, who was had open windows while the pupils

prosperous section of country, how many schools in the rural district employed in the Otsego Union office, were mastering their three R's, and on eft the village for Escanaba and his the whole journey he found not one sweetheart, Miss Margaret Repp, where an open window could be disquietly boarded the same train. When covered, in spite of the fact that it they reached Kalamazoo they hurried was in early November and the day the bridegroom to be explained that If that is the condition generally in

once so they could get the train in ten the average rural school in inclement minutes for Chicago. Her people had weather in the middle of winter. Moreno objection to the marriage but it is over, the average rural school of the thought that the couple wanted a lit- old type has practically no method of tle more romance than goes with the ventilation. The struction of the buildordinary wedding and took this way ings usually paid not the slightest at- state or the nation better, for only tention to securing a supply of fresh air for the pupils. The state board of Grand Ledge - Consolidation of the education is doing all in its power to Grand Ledge Telephone company and counteract these mistakes of the past the Michigan State is practically as- by advising teachers to let the air in sured, but the company that will be in through the windows, but the fact

licited patronage since the inventory looks for her salary to the parents in tention to the views of Jefferson on was made, and they are not expected a district and not to the board. It is the subject. to do much repair work until the deal easy to understand therefore why Dr. Vocational training and the teach-Vaughan found no open windows. But the "little red school house," father of American democracy essen-Hastings - The calendar for the (which by the way usually is painted tial elements in the course of study.

fession cases. The criminal cases are in which provision for ventilation is own business. made. But even against these plans | 2. To enable him to calculate for there is often bitter opposition. One himself and to express and preserve East Lansing - The state board of large Michigan furnace manufacturer his ideas, contracts, and accounts in will take good 40 as first pay- I can see the pumpkin glowing as she agriculture at its meeting failed to is authority for the statement that writing. appoint a successor to J. L. Ckinner, persuading rural school boards to in-

another month, or until the board have a beneficial effect all through

LESSON

For November 28

Golden Text - He that hath my

word, let him speak my word faithfully.-Jer. 23-28. By Mrs. A. J. Dann, Lake Odessa

Amos was a native of Tekvah, six miles south of Bethlehem, and was brought up a shepherd. He was also a dresser of sycamore trees.

accused of treason by Amaziah the of the furnace will admit; it will give Jeroboam however did not pay much attention to the accusation or the prophet. Amos prophesied that Amausing a sprinkling can; or cover them did wrong and hindered the divine word and then finished his message to Israel.

It is ditinctively stated that he phophesied in the days of Uzziah, king of Judiah, and in the days of Jeroboam, son of Joash, king of Israel. He lived about 750 B. C.

The kingdom of Israel though apparently prosperous had grown licentious and oppressive and Amos was called from his occupation to warn the people of the coming judgments. But not Israel alone needed to be called to account for other neighboring

Nation after nation needed to be warned of their ungodly works. The prophesy of Amos is unlike that of other prophets as his expressions were particularly his own, often rural in character and again launching into the wonderful things not easily dis-

He had a message and he delivered t most emphatically and then retired o his native home for the remainder of his days.

He practically depicted social unrighteousness and urged the people to put away evil and accept God.

Amos was like many modern preachers who tell the people the truth about their salvation, they are not popular with the men who are living in a rut and fail to see a new light-a light that shineth in the darkness. Great criticism was tendered him and an appeal to the king was made, but God took care that his servant was not subdued until his message had been delivered.

Amos had remarkable courage which would be well for us to imitate. Many people are courageous when the question is a popular one, but true courage comes when a man can face evil with a standard of righteousness when his cause in unpopular.

Amos saw Israel's downfall and urged the people to repent, probably

The minute that hoarse terrifying croupy cough is heard in the home of T. J. Barber, of Jefferson, Ga., out comes Foley's Honey and Tar Compound—there's always a bottle ready. Here's what he says: "Two of my children, one boy and a girl, aged eight and six years respectively, had terrible attacks of croup last winter and I completely cured them with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. I have ten in family and for years I've used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it never fails."

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Personal cleanliness will make public righteousness, for sin is one form of filth, and righteousness is free from filth. When filth becomes scattered it undermines righteousness one form of filth, and righteousness scattered it undermines righteousness



debasement which leads to destruction ensues. Therefore despise no effort that is made to make the person, the home, the community, the these are worth while.

Have you a message? Give it. Have you a purpose? Live it. Do you lack courage? Seek it.

JEFFERSON ON EDUCATION Recent discussions among educators still a mystery as far as the public position to such a course on the part and laymen as to the purpose of comknows. The managers have not so- of parents, and after all, a teacher mon school education have recalled at-

ing of civics were considered by the November term of Barry county cir- white) is passing. In many districts His summary of the objects of pri-

3. To improve, by reading, his fac-

4. To understand his duties to his

It was a faithful Swede girl who, when the winter was coldest and the furnace was not working right, was Belding — Orleans will have another half mile of state reward road INTERNATIONAL admonished by her mistress to take an iron to bed with her to warm it. admonished by her mistress to take In the morning the kindly woman askd Lena how it worked. "Pritty gude," she said. "Ah had it almost warm by morning."-The Argonaul.

> BOOSTING THE HOME TOWN These rules for boosting the home own are from the Talladega Daily Amos the Fearless Phrophet Home

> > Improve it. Talk about it. Trade at home. Be public-spirited. Take a home pride in it. Tell of its business men. Remember it is your home. Tell of its natural advantages. Trade and induce others to trade

> > When strangers come to town treat

Don't call your best citizens frauds and imposters. Support your local institutions that enefit your town. Look ahead of self when all the

town is to be considered. most good for the most people

Help the public officers to do the

"Toe the line!" commanded the mas

A shuffling indicated obedience. The master inspected the line approvingly until his eye rested on an urchin so far behind the others as to be almost out of sight.

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Recipes

Cooking Onions

It is said the disagreeable odor of onions may be prevented by boiling a little vinegar in an open tin dish while the onions are cooking.

Chocolate Pudding One cup sugar, two tablespoons of

flour, three eggs, two squares sweet chocolate, three pints of milk. Flavor ing. Let cook until thick, and serve

One-half cup Baker's cocoa and 34 teaspoon of cinnamon, mixed with 11/2 cups granulated sugar. To this add scant 1/2 cup butter, mix well, then add 1 egg weil beaten, 1 cup of sour milk, 1 teaspoon of vanilla, Sift 1 teaspoon of soda with flour and add enough flour to make mixture of medium thickness. Add to this 1 pound of seeded raisins well dredged with door. Bake slowly. This cake is better if baked several days before serving.

Chocolate and Nut Sandwiches Take two tablespoons of sweetened chocolate; mix with a little water and beat to a thick paste; chop fine a half pint of English walnuts or hickory nuts; stir the chocolate paste while cooling, add the nuts, and spread thinly on narrow wafers. Let harden, then press two wafers together.

Chocolate Cake

One-fourth cup butter, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, three-fourths cup milk, 1 three-fourths cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 2 ounces chocolate (melted,) one-half teaspoon vanilla, sin. Cream the butter, add sugar gradually, and yolks of eggs well beaten; cream again. Add milk, flour mixed and sifted with baking powder, and But in warm rooms it is better to emp- times than it seems posible to bear: beat thououghly. Add the whites. minutes in a shallow cake tin.

Mix two tablespoons of Baker's Cocoa with three cups of granulated sugar. Add one cup of milk and let boil until dropped from spoon it forms boiling.) Remove from fire and add vanilla, and butter size of a big walnut. Let it stand until cold, then beat until quite stiff. Pour in buttered platter and cut in squares.

Potatoes on the Half Shell

atable methods of cooking potatoes, what she considered mothers good and properly baked they are very easi- for: ly digested.

Select medium sized potatoes, scrub erywhere, and so he just had to make unlighted room. Timidity should not very thoroughly, using a brush; place mothers." in a shallow pan on a potato baker. But it takes grace to be a good and cook in a quick oven for about mother-now doesn't it? She must 40 minutes or until quite soft; cut a be wise and patient and good natured thin slice from the top, scoop out the and serene and always ready to com- well of your fellowmen; look with inside and mash thoroughly. For six fort and help without losing her self- charity upon the shortcomings in their potatoes allow two tablespoons of but- control. Prof. Swing once said he lives; do a good turn for them as opter, three tablespoons of hot milk; salt knew many mothers whose children portunity offers, and finally, don't forand white pepper to taste. Refill the were well washed, well scolded, well get the kind word at the right time. shells, letting the potato rise a little dressed, and well whipped, but few How much such a word of kindness,

above the edge; stand in a baking pan and cook in a hot oven about eight minutes. Serve hot.

Soda Biscuit

Soda and sour milk, if properly bal anced, are no more injurious than tak

One quart of flour, one teaspoon of salt; one teaspoon of soda; four tablespoons of shortening; about one and three-fourths cups thick sour milk.

Mix the dry ingredients and sift twice. Cut the shortening in with a knife until distributed, then mix in the sour milk with a knife, using enough to make a dough that is easily handled. Turn on a lightly floured board, knead for one minute, rol! to half an inch thickness and cut. Lay on a baking sheet or biscuit parl and place in a hot oven immediately; bake for twelve minutes. If all the ingredient are cold the biscuit will be lighter on account of the greater expansion when put in oven. The work must be! and may escape before the oven is

Boll three cups of brown sugar, one cup milk and two squares of choco-

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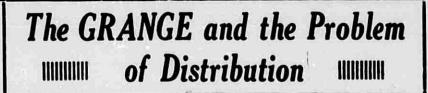
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With Fresh Oranges

Orange Pudding-Take a cupful of rapidly done where soda and sour milk breadcrums, a pint of sweet milk, yoik are used, as the gas is formed quickly of two eggs well beaten, the juice of an orange, an ounce of butter and some sugar beaten to a cream. Mix these together, adding the grated rind Chocolate Fudge With Peanut Butter of an orange. Pour into a buttered pudding dish .- Bake until firm.

Now take the whites of the eggs, late, grated, until a soft ball can be beaten as required for a meringue, formed in water; take from fire add add a little orange juice and sugar. two tablespoons of peanut butter and Whisk until stiff and cover the padheat until creamy. Pour into a but- ding with meringue. Place in the ovtered pan and mark in squares when en until the meringue is 3.4. Garnish with quartered sections of orange.



There is much talk about "The the ordinary catalog house-at least folks put everything they have into Problem of Distribution" of late, and so long as our Grange contracts are it and never draw out a cent. All properly so too, for it is indeed a properly supervised and the interests they get in the end is crov's feet great and important matter. Distri- of our Grange members who buy around their eyes, sour faces and bution of the necessities of life often goods in this way are watched with dried up souls. Does it pay?

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> self to demonstrate its worth. the possibilities that lie along the line in the near future we should be able of neighborhood co-operation, and rea- to distribute a large share of our grolizing them, lead out in a practical ceries by means of this system of The dear little feet wander often. way so that the largest possible num- buying.

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has been the wonder of private dealers part of what might have been accoming about it, and it is not best to tie plished. up too closely to the fellow with a

What we need most in every Grange the purchase of flour and feed stuffs, So many things going amiss.

Our Grange contract system is old, of co-operative selling. To be sure, It is one of the strong factors in real we have talked about it a lot, but Grange growth. This system is not here again, our friends are waiting But think of the desolute mothers perfect, because it was originated by for an exhibition of some real busihuman beings, and human beings are ness. They are not content with readnot perfect. In the past it has served ing of some neighborhood quite re- And, as thanks for your infinite bles- will more than make up for the losses at the center of the top where rib- French chair. a useful purpose. There is no reason mote, where practically everybody in the world why it is not as much sells his fruits and grains through a needed today as ever, unless it is that co-operative association. They want this plan of direct selling has been to see a little of this thing right at For some day the noise will not vex however, and according to the "Michitaken up by so many private compan- home, and just about the only way to ies that opportunities for direct buy- interest them so that they will help, is to actually co-operate and sell You will long for the sweet childish market from demoralization, as the without the usual ruffle, the edge fin-But the Grange contract system something to the advantage of the

If you have good, healthy children,

tion. Such a child should be guided

not driven. If afraid of the dark, it

should not be forced to sleep in an

be ridiculed, but patiently explained

Cultivate kindness of heart; think

and argued away.

will always possess advantages over consumer and the producer alike.

Pleasant Evening

3. Reveries 3.

A Department Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join

The Home Circle at Evening Tide

AND ALONG CAME RUTH (whose children were inspired and it

"Ruth, is there any way to keep certainly takes grace to lead such a

lowers in vases without the water be- life before the children that they

"Why yes," replied Ruth, "if you full of animal spirits and rollicking

will put a lump of charcoal in the wa- with fun and life, be thankful for it

coming foul in smell?" asked her cou-shall be inspired.

er cut surface to the water."

"Why, you see, God couldn't be ev-



How much capital have you invested in the worrying business? Some

As we look back, it seems a long Much happiness or misery depends now serving a large number of peo- speak loving, sympathizing words and

Perhaps from the pathway of right,

CONTAIN POTASH AND PHOS-PHORIC ACID-SHOULD BE KEPT DRY AND NOT PERMITTED TO

ter it will keep it sweet for some time. even if they do make more noise some The famer who burns wood for ty the vases, wash them thoroughly for the weak and nervous child is ten- heating and cooking should carefully then chocolate and vanilla. Bake 40 with warm water and borax, and refill fold more of a problem. There are store the ashes and not permit them every other day. This doubles the two general types of nervous children. to leach, as they have a peculiar ferlength of time that your flowers will The active child always on the go, tilizing value. They not only contain remain fresh. You should also remem- inquisitive, and acquisitive, but deli- potash and phosphoric acid in appreber to strip the stems of all the lower cate as the mimosa leaf shinking ciable amounts, but also contain magleaves before putting them in water, back into itself at the first repulse or nesia and lime, and when applied to an opportunity which is enjoyed by while roses will last better if you slit harsh word, and the pale, quiet, af- the land they also act indirectly to the producers of no other agriculturthe outer bark for an inch or two at fective child, thoughtful, responsive, increase the available nitrogen con- al commodity, owing to the fact that the end. Soft stems should be cut reserved. The child of the first type tent of organic matter in the soil.

slanting ways. So as to expose a larg- may be the embryo philanthropist or Ordinary house ashes contain on the try's crop is produced in Michrigan. leared of criminals, inventor or social average about 8 or 9 per cent of pot-"You can always depend upon iconoclast, as his training tends, while ash and 2 per cent of phesphoric acid. of the opportunity presented through Ruth," chimed in another cousin, "she the child of the second type develops Investigators have considered that the initiative of this organization, to is a walking encyclopedia of useful into the philosopher, the poet, the man there is enough potash and phosphoric eliminate the speculative fluctuations while, as a matter of fact, such work of letters, or the misanthrope, the re- acid in a bushel of ashes to make it in market values of their product, and requires no stamping or padding the cluse, the anarchist, as the case may worth 20 to 25 cents. Besides that, thus stabilize the trade in this food-

> When the Creator had made all the easily to this idea. good things, there was still some dirty KNOCKER.

enabes ashes to rot weeds and to ferment peat. The potash content of ashes will be lost if they are permitted to leach, and care should be taken to store them in a dry place.

Wood ashes may also be profitably applied as a top dressing to grass land and to pastures, where they will encourage the growth of cloven and better kinds of grasses, which will then crowd out inferior kinds and weeds. Wood ashes also may be used for corn and roots. Because of their lime content they are not so good for potatoes although sometimes used for this crop. Ashes from hard woods (deciduous

trees) are richer in both phosphorus and potash than those from pines and other soft woods (conifers). The ashes of twigs (fagots, for example) are worth more for agricultural purposes

FOR BEAN CROP

CROP. BEAN GROWERS GIVE ADVICE

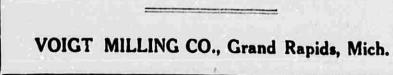
To try you from morning till night; state that much of this talk about corners it is a favorite idea to em- head cushion to hatch is hung by Who'd give all the world for your that even with two-thirds of a crop, through which broad, soft ribbon is back to a point just low enough to

prize of beans is going to be high, vantage, following editorial suggests:

cent meeting can be maintained, the fect is light and airy. less this may be deemed expedient after thorough discussion at some future

meeting of the association. "The bean growers of the state have

"KNOCKER AND BOOSTER"



MONEY GROWS

"Makes Bread White and Faces Bright"

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by wise investments. The wisest investment today is the farm and farming land.

Cut-over land near a good town in Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota or Montana and the west will in ten years make you well-to-do.

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Young Bros. Realty Co., Incorporated 536 East Michigan Ave., Lansing Michigan

This product was so fearful to con- vet and a grasp of steel, and called it than the ashes of heartwood taken template that He had to make some- a BOOSTER; made him a lover of from the middle of an old tree. In thing to countertract it, so he took a fields and flowers and manly sports, a general, the smaller and younger the sunbeam and put in it the heart of a believer in equality and justice, and wood burned the better ashes. The child, the brain of a man, wrapped ever since these two were, moral man ashes of coal do not contain enough these in civic pride, covered it with has had the privilege of choosing his potash to make them valuable in this brotherly love, gave it a mash of vel- associate.

these spreads, when brought ready gether with heavy silk. In order to made costs anywhere from \$20 to \$40, have a good finish on both sides, this er. \$3.10 in November, \$3.20 in De- fine lawn, such as is used for baby's with the chainstitching visible on what cember, \$3.30 in January and an ad- dresses and of a quality that is sheer was previously the wrong side. Most SEND THE CHILDREN TO BED vance of five cents per bushel for ev- but without crispness. Two yards in elaborate coverlets of crepe de chine ery month thereafter, is the urgent length by a yard in width is the are scalloped and bound with narrow O, mothers, so weary, discouraged, recommendation of the recent con-Worn out with the cares of the day, vention of Bean Growers at Flint. coverlet being rounded and the top lops then being underlaid with a You often grow cross and impatient, The most disastrous season in the straight. A 10-inch ruffle of the ma- flounce of net or lace. new idea, who has not prepared him- In addition to these things, the Compleir of the noise and the play. state's history is predicted for the terial, either hand scalloped, hem-Grange should assist its members in For the day brings so many vexations, bean crop by the bean growers in constitched or lace edged, runs down both favorites, as they are so soft as to vention assembled, and their aim is sides of the coverlet and across the be easily tucked into any desired community is a few men who realize in spraying materials of all kinds, and But, mothers, whatever may vex you, to recuperate the year's losses partial- lower end. The more elaborate mo- place and are suited to all the fabrics Send the children to bed with a kiss. ly by regulating prices if possible dels have this flounce attached with used for coveriets. A circular lace and controlling the marketing of the an entredeux of lace to match the medallion should be used for the cenedge or the ruffle may be put on with ter of such a pillow intended to accom-On the other hand, well known lo- a fine veining, such as is used for lin- pany a large trimmed coverlet. Some But we must not ignore the problem The dear little hands find new mis- cal business men, who aim to keep geri. In any case the work is all women affect a pose which calls for

in touch with agricultural conditions done by hand. In each of the lower a pair of small elbow cushions, and a heavy bean losses is exaggerated and broider a pair of two-inch eyelets ribbons from the top of the curving the high prices prevailing for beans tied, similar eyelets being placed suit the occupant of the luxurious bon can be drawn through and a bow Send the children to bed with a kiss. It is generally conceded that the tied which will show to the best ad-

An unusual coverlet designed for a can Farmer," it rests with the farmer cretonne furnished room is of point The silence will hurt you far more, to do his share toward keeping the d'esprit over soft rose silk. It is ish being a cut out garland of the cre-For a sweet childish voice at the "Even with a small crop, if every tonne applied with invisible stitches. bean grower attempted to cash in his Detached flowers and butterflies are And to press a child's face to your beans at the opening of the season, applied here and there over the sur- proverty—of thee I chant. I blew a prices would be demoralized, but if face of the net, with the figures some- pile of dough on you two years ago

at the association meeting and refuse with hand drawnwork, or the lace as once before. Yet if I had the mon, to sell beans on any other basis un-Embroidered cotton voiles in white,

laid over a color, makes dainty coverthan is gained from this transparency the design may be overlaid with colored hand embroidery for the space of two or three inches, to form a border around the coverlet. This is an A pleasing variation from baked potatoes is afforded by the following recipe: Baking is one of the most pal
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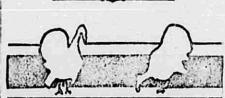
be. One of the greatest mistakes in stuff in a manner which will prove that strength can come thru opposition. This power is that which growers."

be. One of the greatest mistakes in stuff in a manner which will prove the ashes. This power is that which growers."

What not—use our class the basis of what little handwork is the basis of what little handwork is done. A center ornament done in this color work makes a more elaborate growers." spread and the small detached patterns will be found to lend themselves

Crepe de chine is a favorite materwork to do, so He made the beasts and ial for the maging of these elaborate reptiles and poisonous insects, and covers as it is so soft that it drapes when He had finished He had some gracefully around the reclining figure who wants to sell and of their scraps that were too bad to put into and is also to be found in the most bethe Rattle Snake, the Hyena, the Scor- coming shades. Such spreads are cf. pion and the Skunk, so He put all ten made reversible, two colors being these together, covered it with suspic- used. They are basted together and to buy. ion, wapped it with jealousy, marked joined by several rows of machine it with a yellow streak, and called it a hemstitching, which gives an effect of finish and border trimming.

Elaborate coverlets for the couch Another way of joining the doubare now an important feature of bou- led fabric is to turn both edges in doir furnishings. As the simplest of narrowly and chainstitch them toany women undertake the work in chainstitching must be done first on A favorite washable model is of other and then the operation repeated.



You'd give all the world just for the price schedule with the monthly what concentrated at the center of the and now you quite refuse to go, or advances fixed as reasonably by the top. The net covering is tacked light- won't or can't. Through town and For the comfort 'twill bring in your Bean Growers' association as its re- ly to thin silk lining, so that the ef- country-side, you were my joy and Send the children to bed with a kiss. result will be a more even marketing An ingenious woman has utilized a hue (thy nice white tires so new) -FLORENCE A. JONES. of the product and more money for single handsome curtain as a coverthe growers without in any way in- let for her couch. The lower part of most every day. To thee old rattlecreasing the cost of the product to the curtain is of requisite hand box, came many bumps and knocks; the consumer. That is to say, the wrought lace to the depth of a half for thee I grieve. Badly thy top is speculative feature of the market will yard, the sides and top edge with torn, frayed are thy scats and worn; have been eliminated to a desirable cluny and the curtain itself of finest degree. An unreasonable price main-voile. The measurements of the avertenance would not be possible through age curtain are so in conformity to the breeze, and good folks choke and a loose organization of this kind, but requirements of such a coverlet that wheeze while we pass by. I paid for with the making of a reasonable minimum price based on the season's yield woman who hesitates to undetake the twice, now everybody's yelling "ice" and the prospective demand for the making of such a spread and still co- -I wonder why? Thy motor has the crop, it becomes an easy matter. Revets something a little out of the or- pip, and woe is thine. I, too, have sufgardless of the attitude of the bean dinary. Single old curtains, bought fered chills, ague and kindred ills, enjobbers, the bean growers of the state as samples, are often found at greatly deavoring to pay my bills since thou should practice conservative maket- reduced prices. The top may be fin- wert mine. Gone is my bank-roll ing methods under the plan advanced ished with a deep hemstitched hem, now; no more 'twould choke a cow,

> Do you want to buy or sell anything? No matter what it is—a house, a dog, a piano, what not—use our clas-

another car I swan and speed some

The logic-and the reality—is this:

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You have to make your own way in this world!

You want money now—you'll need it worse later on. Start to put your money in the Bank, a little at a time. Deny yourself and start saving --- systematic saving.

"Spurts don't count. The final score makes no mention of a splendid start if the finish proves you were an also-ran."

Open an Open an ecount loday LOWELL MICHIGAN INTEREST ON SAVINGS



Newsy Notes About People You Know. Mrs. H. F. Dawson is ill with

erysipelas. Mrs. Pearl Shepard spent Sun-

day in Ada. Walter Kropf was in Grahd Rapids Sunday.

Ray Hatherly was in Saranac Sunday visiting friends. Paul and Lorna Stuart were in

Saranac Friday evening. Theo. Shepard was in Grand

Rapids on business Sunday. Bert Fish of Grand Rapids was in town Monday on business. WANTED-Experienced bean

pickers at the King Milling Co. Earl Bartz of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Ruth Wood. Hakes gives prompt bus and baggage service. Phone 35 If you would like to own a high

grade watch read Williams' watch William Sexton of Ada Route 4 made The Ledger a call Tues-

The Bible Study class met Monday night at the home of Ethel

Gardner spent Friday evening parents. F. G. Hoffman of Grand Rap-

his family here.

spent the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Lottie Wilson Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dawson

of Keene spent Sunday with her her mother, Mrs. Lottie Wilson. John Headworth and children of Grand Rapids are spending Thanksgiving with Neil Cameron and family.

Miss Clara Hornbrook of Grand Rapids was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey Denton, over Sunday. Eliminate bake-day trouble by

using Pansy Blossom Flour. Guaranteed as good as the best. For sale by all dealers. Miss Lucille Parker of Grand

Rapids spent Sunday with her friend, Mrs. P. J. McDougal, at the home of A. M. Barnes. The Raweis, Native New Zeal

anders, second number of lecture course December 13. See writeup elsewhere in this paper.

The Ledger is the home of "Hurry Up" auction bill jobs and the widest publicity obtainable in this "neck of the woods." Blue Ribbon oleo at Shaw's.

Secretary E. K. Mason of the accompanied by her daughter, projected for the near future. Grand Rapids Street Railway Co. Donna Margaret. and his wife were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. T. W. Mason.

Henry H. Tinkham of The issue of the Ledger.

..... is the Boot Remedy For Constipation? Thirtie question asked as many times eachday. The answer is

Rexall Orderlies We guarantee them to be satisfactory to you. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
D. G. Look.

Miss Ola M. Johnson of Grand Rapids is spending Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Ferry Rosewarne is visiting her parents.

and three children are spending Thanksgiving at Grant. Complete line of the new model: Victrolas just received.

U. B. Williams, 24 Mrs. M. B. Conklin will speud Thanksgiving with her son Glem: and family in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. J. H. Covert returned Monday aiter a two weeks' visit in Middleville and Grand Rapids. The Ladies Aid of the Church

meeting with Mrs. T. J. Elerick. Victrolas are selling well; U. B. Williams reporting the sale of four fine ones recently. adv. 24 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freeland of Hastings visited Mr. and Mrs.

F. L. Barnes over Sunday. Protect the Home-Storm Sash and Doors; give comfort, save fuel, exclude drafts.—Westfield & Fall River Lumber Co. 25

E. M. Jarden and Mr. and Mrs.

Every Christmas season makes a shortage on victrolas. Better place your order now and not be disappointed. U. B. Williams.

Misses Ruth and Elsie Stone are home from their schools at Grand Rapids and Byron Center the home of A. A. Scott last six months. Apply to F. M. Johnson, dean of Lowell editors. Misses Ruth Gibson and Hazel to spend Thanksgiving with their Thursday.

and Michigan Potato associa- nard house. iseum, Grand Rapids, Dec. 1, 2, 3. will be announced in our issue of factory. Mrs. Owen Knapp of Lansing | Headquarters at Pantlind hotel. Mildred, 4 year old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams. died in Detroit and was brought here Wednesday night. Funeral services today at the home of

Mrs. Pearl Nowlin and three children of Jackson came Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with the former's sister, Mrs. R. E. Springett, who went to Grand Rapids to meet her.

the Burton place, 1½ mile east of Ada, south side Grand river, on Saturday evening, Dec. 4. Extra good music. Everybody welcome. D. Martindale, Prop.

Word has been received of the death of Fred Deike of Otsego.

many Lowell friends. tana has been visiting her sister,

Among the jurors drawn for

Blue Ribbon oleo at Shaw's. Hakes' auto livery, phone 35, Miss Anna Lalley of St. Johns

Miss Ella Perrin of Greenville spent Sunday at home.

Miss Lorna and Ralph Stuart spent Sunday in Saranac.

John Mills of Saranac was a Lowell visitor Saturday.

with relatives at Moseley. Mrs. Tom Morris of White' Bridge was in town Saturday.

Howard White and Will Smith were in Grand Rapids Sunday. of Christ will hold their next Mrs. Frank Keech of Moseley as a Lowell visitor Saturday.

> were in Grand Rapids Monday. Get a watch you can depend on. Get in on Williams' watch

her sister from Grand Rapids as good flour as any. adv

Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kerekes are

W. J. Webb returned to Madison, Wis., Saturday after spending a week with his wife and

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Look are spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Burger at Con-

There will be a dance held on Hartgering, of Detroit are spending Thanksgiving with the former's parents here. Lowell real estate transfer

Louis G. Blakeslee to Wm. J. Warren and wife, part nw 1/4, sec tion 21, Lowell, \$5,700.

who was well known in Lowell, has returned from the Rock River His wife, who is left to mourn her country with its full quota of loss, was formerly Adella Barrett game and reports a jolly good and has the sympathy of her time. A line from Weldon Smith re

Mrs. Nellie Holcomb of Mon. ports a prosperous business at Allegan and a growing attach-Mrs. R. M. Wilcox, and brother, ment to the town. His interest T. C. Willette, for the past week, in Lowell continues, however, and ber 3 and 4 at R. D. Stockings' She has gone to Lakewood, N. J., a call on his former townsmen is store,

have bought the Minor house giving with their daughter Mrs. bridge article published in this farm. Both families will move of the gizzard and plenty of stuf- ville. into the Minor house this week. | fin', thank you.

> Odessa and stayed over night with him before he left.

and entertainment course for 1915.—[Herald. Mrs. Collins is West Bound-10:52 a. m. Daily 1915-16 had an auspicious open-known here as Jessie Combs. ing last Thursday evening in spite of the inclement weather. An eleventh hour rally on ticket sales brought out a good attendance: and the Beulah Buck Quarted at Board of Trade will be tet company is declared by good well at Brezina's restaurant Wednesday Dec. 1 24.7 p. m. Daily except Sunday Wednesday Dec. 1 24.7 p. m. Daily except Sunday judges to have been better than any number on last year's course.

brass from Canning factory last summer. Officer George Taylor took him to Grand Rapids Friday, in accordance with instructions of the prosecuting attorney. He admitted his guilt in connection with the Canning factory theft but denied any connection get these magazines. We are with the similar job at the Bent Rim factory, committed at the

"Yes They're Back."

The Merchants Auction Co. are back at Riede's. They're here and piece of goods in the store.

Riede's Dept. Store.

BURNED BY ACID

Appropriate Thanksgiving eading matter elsewhere in this Many a Michigan mother has probably used this 68-year-old hat-Eugene Pippin has come to rement on some merular of the familimain indefinitely with his friend. Maybe it did not happen to be some notably hard case like that of A. M. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Manning Millard, of Cortland, N. Y., who was the home of Mrs. L. P. Thomas are moving into rooms in the almost burned to death by sulphoric sold, and who said this shaple lint Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Avery of ment "not only cared him, but re-Grand Rapids are spending today John Mills returned to Pontiac Balsam of Myrrn just to cure a Jame Monday morning accompanied back, or to heat a wound, or a sore, or a burn, or to fix up any other ex-The C. M. Himebaugh sale, ternal til.

ELMDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pottruff of Mrs. Jacob Miller is making her sis ter, Mrs. Suste Thomas, of Banalster Moseley spent Sunday with Mr. The auction sales of the Caleb Wie

were largely attended. Mrs. Harley Lenhard and daughter lelen are visiting relatives at Sara-

Sunday with David Ager and family flev. Magdanz, the German preacher of Hopkins who holds services at large attendance. Preaching next Sunday at 3 p. m., sun time. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sargeant were

business business callers at Lake Odessa Saturday night.

Mrs. W. E. Chambers entertained her sister, Mrs. Rausom Vaughn, the

Sunday evening, Nov. 28, a special to our friends who helped us with Thanksgiving program will be given at the Brethren church under the Ransom Moore made a business trip to Saginaw Saturday. Mose Stabl and family spent Sun-

day with Steve Custer and family. Mose Stahl, Add. Erb, Harley Lendren of Lansing are here to spend hard and Steve Custer accompanied John Hostetler to Grand Rapids Thanksgiving with her parents, saturday night, making the trip by the car and throwing the machine in-Ernest Shawley of Belding is Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. badly tojured. The accident occured about 2½ miles west of Lowell.

Miss Ethel Dintamen made a buslness trip to Lowell Monday forenoon. surpassed, and you can buy on Charles Lindsley and family of West Logan moved into the tenant house time with easy payments if you of Sam Kelms last Thursday. The Farmers' Elevator at Elimdale commenced buying beans Monday

> Mrs. John Bashore and son Arthur are spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nash, at

ADA VILLAGE. Mr. and Mrs. James Bristol called

on the former's sisters, Mrs. Chase and Mrs. Mitchell, of Lowell Thurs-Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wel-Prayer meeting each Thursday

Mrs. John Silloway is caring for her Mrs. A. D. Lincoln is spending grand-daughter, Mrs. Weldon. Arthur Frisble attended the funeral he week in Saranac, the guest of of his grandmother at Fowler Thurs glad you came. her sister, Mrs. C. A. Lee, who day and on his way home made a will entertain with a Thanksgiv- short visit at his brother Levi's at

Mr. and Mrs. Ashiey Ward have an Lamps and wirdshield on ma- Rapids, which took place October Mr. and Mrs. James Bristol attended the Masonic fair Monday evening The Grand Rapids Press and Rev. Lille, former pastor at this

The Lowell Ledger both one year place, occupied the pulpit in the Cononly \$2.50. This offer is good Sundays and will continue to do so Sundays and will continue to do so Preaching every Sunday evening at the Baptist church by the Rev. Pegg of McCords.

The funeral of Will Coller washeld the testimony of Lowell people-kidfrom the residence Monday at two o'clock; interment in the Findlay of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cole of Hast-The loss by fire on the Bradish

ings, was held in the Congregational church Tuesday; burial took place in the Ada cemetery New subscribers who pay \$1.00 or a year in advance will receive

the paper the rest of 1915 free. All such subscriptions will be dated to expire January 1, 1917. Take it quick. Our friends having business

with the Probate court will do the "I had rheumatism pains in my back publisher a favor by requesting and limbs. After I stooped over, I that the necessary advertising be | had trouble to straighten up again. sent to THE LEDGER. It will The passages of the kidney secretions cost them no more and will help were trregular. I was miserable in

azine Bargain: Mother's Magazine, Ladies World, McCall's action of my kidneys." Magazine (with one 15c pattern) and Lowell Ledger, all one year. Regular price \$4. Our price Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that A. D. Lincoln left early Monday \$2.25 for all four to one address. Mr. Layman had. Foster-Milburn circuit court are: Moses Whalling for Columbus, where he has morning for Batavia, N. Y., to Bring or send all orders to The Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Railroad Time Cards PERE MARQUETTE Effective June 20, 1915.

3:38 p. m. Daily except Sunday 1:55 p. m. Daily Mixed train leaves 4:50 p. m., daily ex. Sunda

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FEDERATION REPORT

Heard By Lowell Literary Club At Last Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Lowell Literary club was held at Wednesday, November 17. After the usual business session the afternoon was given to Mrs. moved the scars." Perhaps your George M. Winegar, who as delemother used this same Hanford's gate to the State Federation of Women's clubs held in Lansing a short time ago, gave a very interesting and comprehensive

The sessions being held in the Representative half of the State capitof the Federation were hoaored by distinguished guests among whom was Gov. Ferris. also Lieutenant Governor Dickland estate and Mrs. Mary Snyder inson who welcomed the guests in behalf of the state. Mrs. Pennybacker, the Presi-

dent General of Federation of Women's clubs, left a thought If I had my way I would emblazon on the standard of every of the Edison diamond disk pho- the Elmdale church, is drawing a club woman the three words, in vestigate, eliminate, consecrate, but with three we must co-oper-

Mrs. Ashbaugh, the State president, wished to present two problems, the censorship of music and the dress of young girls, not apparently having any relationship, but each bearing on the larger question, the development of character.

The principal address of the Federation was given by Miss Lutie Stearns on "The Problem of Public and Personal Leisure. She spoke of eight problems to auto. As they were returning home be solved before we could have an the steer wheel broke, overturning ideal democracy, one of which was the liquor problem. Twenty states are now dry. The women vote. Her slogan to club women "Side by Each." After the report Miss Fern

Loomis read "Pyramus and Theshy" and a Victrola selection "A Perfect Day" closed a very enjoyable and profitable after-

BAPTIST CHURCH. Services next Lord's day:

Prayer service at 10, a. m. Preaching at 10.30. Bible school at 11.45. B. Y. P. U. at 6, p. m. Preaching at 7, p. m.

at 7.30, p. m: Come to the above services and we will do our best to make you At Alto. The special meetings

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Sunday evening at 7:30 instead of every Sunday morning as stated in the paper last week, at West Bowne. Loren Dygert has given his barn and house a tine coat of paint.

Little Miss Billinger of Lowell spent several days with her aunt, Mrs.

Martha Colby.

Miss Margaret Hunt entertained the young people's club Saturday evening with puzzles and games. A fine oyeter supper was served, after which all departed declaring Mar-garet a fine entertainer. Coringer boys are very busy in this neighborhood husking corn with their husker.

Miss Ruth Lind is helping Mrs. Stauffer with her house duties. Robert Mervan of Northfork has come to spend Thankegiving and join his wife at the home of U. S. Hunter.

SOUTH BOSTON Nov. 22.—Old friends of Anna Collar

formerly of South Boston but now of Sea Bright Station, Cal., will be sorry to hear that she has undergone an operation for appendicitis. All who wish are requested to join in a card Belle Wood (nee B. Luck) another of South Boston's girls, but now in

California, had a boy ten years old, who was accidentally shot and killed while playing with other boys re-The Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Edson Grant at Elmdale Thurs-

day. A bountiful dinner was served and a good time enjoyed by all. Mrs. S. E. Tucker returned to her home in Saranac after spending near-ly two weeks with her sons and Mrs. Newell Tucker of Saranacepent

Thursday at the home of Ed. Tucker. Oberly and Dawson are pulling ed to Grand Rapids Saturday. Miss receiving head prizes for the married apple trees for Will Draper's. Will Ackerson's brother is here from North Dakota visiting relatives. Ernest Collar and family of Ionia at Ed. Tucker's. attended the reception given Verne Freeman and wife Saturday evening. An 8% lb. girl, Catherine Margaret, came November 20 to make her home

with Ed. Tucker and family. Mother and child are doing well.
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A delegation of 14 from South Bosbanner

Mrs. Chas. Klann's mother and her

A complete surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Verne Freeman last Saturday evening when about 90 of their Will Draper and family spent Sun-day with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Andrews stayed till early Sunday morning. The evening was spent in guessing Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tucker motor- contests and games and music. Those folks were Mrs. Will Draper and Mrs. Mrs. Burke of Saranac is nursing | Chas. Ayers and booby prizes were the sick and caring for the new baby given to Mrs. Morrison and Hiram Evans. In the young people's contest those receiving head prizes were ton Grange were represented at Ruth Collar and Frank Freeman and Keene Pomona Grange meeting booby prize given to Margaret Roth.

Thursday. Boston still has the N. W. Stuart, in behalf of the company, presented the young couple with a beautiful leather rocker, which sister from Blanchard are visiting bespeaks the esteem in which they

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A. A. Scott and Horace Walker

vorking for Cliff Hatch this week. John Noyes at Clarksville. Mrs. Chas. Hoffman of Ionia pent the week end with relatives

Mrs. Myrtie Campbell of Ionia desire. visited friends here the last of the

S. A. Barnes of Ohio visited at Lowell and vicinity-The Ledger

E. C. Walker visited his daughter, Mrs. K. C. Chase, in Grand Rapids Monday.

The Winegar hunting party

George Layman and son Roy of Lyons are spending Thanks- office. and lot, formerly known as the H. L. Weekes and family. The Grand Rapids Press made The J. C. Post place, and adjoining Elder is looking well and seems Ledger a call last Thursday. Mr. 38 acres of the old Peck farm, equal to: "Some of the dark Tinkham is the writer of the Ada purposing to make it a fruit meat, a little of the white, half Alsberg and family at Coopers-

> Maynard, son of Mr. and Mrs. the December term of the Kent T. J. Elerick, left Monday mornley, Ada; Earl Colby, Bowne; El- accepted a position with his join in a Thanksgiving reunion Lowell Ledger, Lowell, Mich. mer Weller, Cannon; A. Konkle, uncle in one of the large furniture with his four brothers, one of Cascade; John Hannon, Ada; Edshops. He will be greatly missed whom he has not seen for over win Borden, Grattan; Ed. Hoag, by the young people of Lowell. forty-six years. Lowell: Delbert D. Krum, Ver- Will Elerick came from Lake

George Connor was arrested Thursday on charge of stealing mittee will know how much roast

this time to close out every yard your surplus belongings. Clean To the people who attended the last sale this announcement is clutter. Someone wants it. Read sufficient. To those who were and use the want columns. not at the first sale, we say come. The Ledger office is now equip-Come to the first sale, come to ped to give quick and reliable every sale, borrow the money if service in its job printing departnecessrry. This is your last ment and lucky purchases of chance. You should know us stock enable us to make attract well enough by this time to know live prices. We are enjoying a that everything is just as repre- gratifying increase in this depart-

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> chine broken. They were enroute 20, Congratu attons. to Grand Rapids.

ing dinner.

Lansing, today.

only through this paper and on- indefinitely. ly on rural routes. tf Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Scott and daughter Pearl and Mrs. A. R. Barnes are attending the Barnes family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson in

harness shop fire was satisfactorily adjusted Monday. Insured in the German company of Pittsburg, R. E. Springett, agent. Division No. 3 of Congregational church will hold annual Christmas sale of dainty caps, aprons and colonial rugs Decem-

Teachers report cards, ready Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Davidson printed, for sale at The Ledger Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Foreman and family and Mr. and Mrs. the home paper. Warren Lillie expect to spend Thanksgiving with Bert Van-

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Jesse E. Collins has begun suit for divorce against Matthew C. The 2:10 p. m. Daily 2:10 p. m. Daily 0:10 p. m. div The Clover Leaf club lecture couple were married Ang. 10, Mixed train leaves 10:52 a. m., daily ex. Sund

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section corner here at the camp within

belongs to us, with numbers, and all

and what sort of a tract is this strip?

"Oh, I see!" said Sandry, shifting a

see no mention made of it."

East Belt deed."

ter Hampden."

with a vengeance.

set up beside the county road.

of the Narrow Tract.

fort to keep his voice to the common-

lights soft music and alien scenes.

"Yes," she said dreamily, falling in-

to the whimsical speech that only es-

caped her when she stood apart on the

hills, or listened to the pines. "It came

Sandry had gone a little way to meet

by a clump of spruce, new growth and

sun breaks through just at the last.

And I know the ocean is under it-

blue and purple, too, like the hills.

"You picture these things, don't

"Yes-I know them all-my way.

them to ruin people with-and God

"You believe that?" asked Sandry,

"Believe it?" said the girl wonder-

"Well-it's been a long while since

The girl was near to him now, the

dreamy look of her eyes dissipated in

wah would say so, and old Kolawmie!"

Spirit-even as the preacher says in

That sudden mist in her eves

"And so you would have me believe

"Ch, dear heaven!" she breathed,

would-you would-" but she could get

no further with the appalling thought.

"And you?" probed Sandry curious-

"Yes," she said solemnly, "I must

over the man a feeling of smallness

"All right, S'letz," he said, smooth-

ing the braid in his fingers, "I'll be-

for celestial peace?"

with an odd note in his voice.

ingly. "Of course. Don't you?"

Some day I'll see it."

the outside world?"

things."

a radius of five miles north and east eyes still solemn.

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SYNO PSIS.

Siletz of Daily's lumber camp directs a stranger to the camp. Walter Sandry introduces lamself to John Daily, foreman, as "the Dillingworth Lumber Co., or most of it." He makes acquaintance with the camp and the work he has come he intends to get a handful of the wealth in the uncut timber of the region. He gives Siletz permission to ride Black Bolt horse. In an emergency h proves to the foreman that he does not tack judgment. Siletz tells him of the 1-reacher. He discovers that Siletz bears the sign of the Siletz tribe of Indians and wonders what her surname is. In the flusher of the siletz tribe of the siletz trib "the Night Wind in the Pines" and kisses

CHAPTER VIII.

A Newcomer Among the Pines. One day soon after the men returned with word of the raft's safe delivery into the hands of Captain Graftz, Sandry, working over his books in the lit. giant. tle office, heard a strange voice with-

"Oh, no," it was saying in fresh, sweet accepts-and the very tone said East-"You need not wait. I'm going to stay. If this is the office, or headquarters of this place, I'll find whoever is in charge. Just put my trunk on that pile of timber. Be careful! Oh, do be careful! That case contains my typewriter, and it's more precious than gold! There-that's right, Now, what do I owe you?"

There was an answer and the clink of money, and Sandry rose just as the office door opened. It was the East that confronted him, Fifth avenue itself, the whole inimitable metropolis refined into one woman.

"I must beg a thousand pardons," she said, her clear blue eyes raised to his face, "and a lot of indulgence. I want to be taken in. Do you think anyone in this delightful place will do

"The whole camp will fight for the privilege," promised Sandry rashly, falling in instantly with her bantering ment of the man. tone and responding to the frankness of her smile. He watched her sit down gracefully in the chair that he hurriedly pulled forward. With the first glimpse of her the old nostalgia had returned upon him and his heart clamored for home.

"You are from New York," he said

at once. You westerners are so insistent on reasons. My name is Poppy Ordway-and I am of that unfortunate and much criticized species, the wom-

The smile she turned upon him was electric, full of that heady quality which is distinctive of the vital woman, the woman of strong and excitable passions; it appealed to Sandry instantly, so that a thrill of gladness ran through him to his very finger tips.

"I have written a few short stories eastern magazines, but they fail to satisfy me. I have my first novel drafted. and it is over there on your lumber pile along with my precious typewriter. It is a tale of the lumber region-and I've come out to work on the ground. Do you think I can find sanctuary?"

"We'll see that you do," said Eandry pleasantly, "and you couldn't have struck a better spot for local color anywhere in the Northwest. We are elemental here, right down to the primitive, and we are swamped with 'atmosphere.' You just come along to Ma Daily," he promised, already using the tone of hail-fellow which their common nativity and her frank manner had established between them.

Hungrily he watched her gather up her skirts and precede him up the little path to the cook-shack, where Ma Daily was already standing in the door to take inventory. Every little movement was so familiar, so potent in its suggestion of home. Chatting lightly, the stranger step-

ped up on the porch and smiled at the white-haired old woman.

"Ma Daily," said Sandry-he had long since lost the sense of resentment at the family atmosphere of the camp -"this is Miss Ordway of New Yorka famous author-and she has come West to write a new book. Luckily color. Can we take her in?"

ly and Sandry saw a scarce perceptible The vital blue eyes of the younger it of us." woman gave back the scrutiny with

perfect openness. "there ain't any room."

"I'll abdicate," put in Sandry quick-

put up a cot in the office." at the west door and, crossing the hallucination." big room, stood looking out upon the group on the porch. Her dark eyes

the door-jamb drinking in this appapresently she turned to the old lady

Anything is Better Than to Give Oneself Over to Pessimism That Will Spoil Everything.

Since we all have more or less misit in the right way. Why sit down and bewail the ill luck that is ours? Why turn our sorrow over and over in ov- minds, seeing in it ever new phases of misfortune? No! Let us stand up beneath its weight, no mat ter how heavy the load may seem and, with our eyes fixed on the glim mer of light, let us walk swiftly out

of the dark paths into the sunlight Once we have learned to walk on the sunny side of life darkness will have no further terrors for us. for we oil tree for cultivation in northern buckle on to the soldier's body, and will carry our sunshine around with Florida seems to have been proved by will protect the vital parts, although us in the depths of our hearts The sunshine of the mind is far warmer hassee, Fla., bore two bushels of fruit view, as he can see quite well beand brighter than the sunshine which last season in addition to being an tween the strands of wire. we see and feel with our physical economically important tree, it is a

Once we have gained the true sense 'h neans to null outceles out of sembles a catalpa.

The stranger flashed a brilliant glance at her, and with an inimitably open door. pretty gesture reached out a gloved hand and patted her arm, bare under

the rolled-up sleeve. "Mr. Sandry," called John Daily. standing on the foot-log, "will ye come ter enmity of years of fighting. down here a minnit?" "Siletz," said Ma, when the glitter-

ing guest had been shut away in Sandry's little south room, "what for do years-damned spectacular bluff!" you want we should keep her?" "Why-I don't know, mother," said

the girl simply, "only she's too beautiful to let go. She looks like the sun on snow." "Yes. Yes, I think she does," re-

As Sandry joined his foreman he the next few days. Ma Daily had nothsaw that something had ruffled the ing to say, keeping a grim silence usually placid temper of the slow which Sandry noticed. As for Siletz.

"What's the matter?" he asked. nasty up his sleeve." "Oh, yes-Hampden-he's one of the

owners, isn't he?" The two men walked back to the office and found, seated in the swing noon. chair, with his feet on Sandry's desk, a short, square man with a face and mantine hardness of purpose.

"Ah, Mr. Sandry," he said, taking his feet from the table with insulting slowness, "I'm Hampden-of the little matter o' business."

Sandry bowed. he said civilly, though the memory of work, longest hours and highest overthe damaged rollway came suddenly time it had ever known, up before him, biasing his appraise-

"And I might as well get it over lay hands on. with, for it's bound to be against the grain a bit."

As he spoke, a smile that was meant to be insolently apologetic but succeeded only in being clun ay, creased sharp eyes into narrow slits. "Yes?" said Sandry coldly.

about the tract? It isn't specially ment. good and we're leaving it. tatend to cross it and cut into the East Jelt."

There was a slight tone of satisfacin all this magnificent timber country. people had been on it enviously for time. years, according to John Daily.

"Jus' so. Jus' so," said Han pden. "only I'm afraid we'll have to stop is, we've just bought this tract, an'



Sandry on Edge.

she struck us in her search for local as it comprises two hundred and fifty with the homestead law. They looked acres, an' is in the form of a narrow at it from all sides, noticed a few his way. And the Bible." Ma Daily looked at the visitor sharp- strip runnin' north an' south, it will blazes on the nearest trees, read a effectually keep you out o' the East clumsily executed trespass notice, and touched Sandry. change pass over her cheery features. Belt-unless, o' course, you should buy returned to camp.

For a moment Sandry regarded the speaker in mild astonishment.

"You must be mistaken. Mr. Hampher sweet voice. "Please, please do." den," he said; "all the stumpage for "Don't know," said Ma slowly; five miles north and east is our property, with options on every privately trace. Bring the timbers away and owned section for another seven miles start felling from that end to meet the "yes-oh, yes, you must. Why you ly: "she may have my room and I'll in both directions. And this tract you trail." speak of lies within a mile and a half Just at that moment Siletz came in of camp. You are suffering under a men picking his crew, Sandry turned

Sandry smiled coldly. "If you will take the trouble to look mind, all right. This here track has the fine East Belt. rition. In the little pause that fell been duly filed on under the home-

Pines Lumber company. Now, my he had found nothing.

LOOKING ON THE SUNNY SIDE | every Slough of Despond without any outside aid. For just as Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress was mental, so it is with all of our journeys through life. Been Devised to Lessen MII-What we really accomplish must first

> be worked out in mind. Learning to pick out the gleam of how to avoid the sloughs of despond hardships and pains of soldiers before and how to walk in the sunshine is not easy, but even the attempt at learning these lessons brings its reward of happiness and peace. Every little effort in the right direction brings such beautiful returns that the only wonder is that so few of us make the effort.-Pittsburgh Dispatch.

> Adapt Chinese Tree. Adaptability of the Chinese wood recent experiments. A tree at Tails it will not interrupt the wearer's

"An', by God, we will!" This last came in the deep boom of the foreman, who was watching the departing lumberman with the bit

"Now, what do you think of that?" asked Sandry in profound disgust. "Just what I've thought of him for

CHAPTER IX.

young Easterner, you can't run yer log

Hampden rose, his little eyes shin-

"I'll neither take the trouble to go to Salem nor pay the least attention

to your threats," he said, and his man-

ner was coolly unconcerned, "and I

should advise that you get this com-

pany out of your head as quickly as possible. And now good day."

He turned, as if the interview were

at an end, and seated himself at the

desk from which Hampden had just

"By gosh, you'd better!" said the

other with a snap of his heavy jaws as he strode past Daily and out of the

trail acrost our land."

Sandry rose also.

ing with savage triumph.

Hampden and the East Belt. In the press of business and the pleasant moiling over the whole old turned Ma inscrutably, "and's about as city of New York with Miss Ordway. Sandry forgot all about Hampden it

she followed her with fascinated eyes whenever she appeared. Miss Ordway "Hampden of the Yella Pines is in did not eat with the men. Her mornthe office," said Daily sharply, "an' ings were given up entirely to the infrom his looks he's got somethin' cessant clicking of the typewriter in the seclusion of the little room, and she emerged after the noon hour, ate with Ma Daily and Siletz, and invariably took a short walk in the after-

in the evenings Sandry came in, and they sat in the empty eating room, dismanner which set Sandry on edge at cussing with a common knowledge the first glance. They both bespoke a that seemed to shut them apart to nature self-satisfied to the point of gether, the things of the great outpride, a crafty shrewdness that had side world. At such times Siletz lisbeen eminently successful and an ada tened in quiet eagerness, her dark face aglow and her eyes like mysterious pools in the shadow of her heavy hair That week there were several arrivals at Daily's camp-well-clad, re-Yella Pines-and I come over on a sponsible-looking business men from Portland; and before they left, Sandry had landed such an order for logs as "Glad to know you. Mr. Hampden," plunged the camp into the hardest

> Also he sent out word to Toledo that he had use for all the men he could

An extra crew was put to building the log trail up through the slashed opening to the East Belt, and activity Began a Systematic Search for Word characterized the hills.

The incessant shrill toots of the donhis weathered face, drawing his small, key, the scream and cough of its fussy labors, the rumble and clatter of the always took him out of the everyday, log train, began to be music in San- affected him like a play with lowered "It's about that track o' stumpage dry's ears, and the letters he wrote you're slashin' your log-tral acrost." to his father became brighter, filled "Yes?" said Sandry again "What with the exhilaration of accomplish-

For a day or two the work went forward finely and the new logs of the fresh-laid trail gleamed white against tion in his voice, for the Eas: Belt the green of the mountain. Then Colstumpage was a little the best thing lins, sent into the uncut timber ahead to blaze for further operations, reand the eyes of the Yellow Pines turned to the works in double-quick

"John," he said to the foreman, for none of the men would award Sandry your operations, Mr. Sandry. The fact unavoidable, even yet, so distinct and Easterner and his rawness; "John, they's a new homesteader's shack set-

tin' square acrost the trail." "The hell you say! Hampden!" The lorger nodded. The purport of Hampden's visit had been freely spread in the camp.

Daily turned to Sandry. "They's a new cabin settin' acrost here'n the East Belt, Mr. Sandry, Let's go up an' take a look at it," he said. 'I guess Hampden's pushin' his bluff." With a surge of anger Sandry turned abruptly, and the two men struck up the new trail.

"I'll have to settle that man, Daily," said the owner; "has he been doing such things ever since the two com-

panies have been rivals?" "Pretty much. Sometimes we've I've believed anything." been doin' 'em," returned Daily grim-

ly. Sandry laughed. "Well, you Westerners believe in fixing things first-hand, anyway, which helps some."

Far up in the heavy timber they came into a small natural clearing some 200 feet it extent, set like a hole amid the sold bulk of the closecrowding pines. In the center was a tiny log shack, shake-roofed, without doors or windows, the very least a man of the Siletz. He who believes female electorate, which was a perilman might do in grudging compliance nothing will be punished by the Great ous step to take." Still, considering

"And us with our big contract with the Portland Lumber mills!" said Sandry. "I begin to see. Daily, you gather out ten men and go up and her face where every emotion bared take that shack to pieces just as quick itself in unguarded innocence to the as you know how. Don't leave a observer.

As the foreman went among the down across the slough toward the of. ly. "Have you visions of the soul's refice. Once settled at his desk, he took | ward and punishment? Are you bound out the records of the Dillingworth rested first with a fleeting glance on up the records in the state land office company and began a systematic Sandry and then she saw the other, at Salem," returned Hampden smooth search for word of the narrow tract of She did not speak but leaned against ly, "you'll find that I'm in my right hill and timber between the camp and world."

> When Daily returned at quitting stead law by one T. J. O'Connel, and time to report the demolition of the and he dropped his eyes. sold by him last week to the Yella cabin and the start of the new cutting,

> > INVENTORS ARE KEPT BUSY | turned-up rim runs round the helmet Ingenious Contrivances That Have

Itary Hardships. There are sure to be many contrivances invented for alleviating the

the present war comes to an end. with springs, both heel and toe. This, use, and moreover, the helmet filled it is rgued, will make marching less with water would press uncomfortably fatiguing, as the springs will prevent on the head. the jarring now felt by the soldier as he marches along, especially over

hard roads There has also been invented a bul let-proof shield which is composed of wire. This shield is intended to

Soldiers often suffer terribly from your plans to send your Harry to decidedly ornamental one it bears thirst, and once more the inventor Yale? clusters of white flowers with reddish | steps, unavailingly, into the breach. A part of which is hollow. A broad he is in blue.-Puck.

about halfway down. During a shower of rain the water collects in this rim and runs through a small hole into the cavity in the helmet. Thus the water is collected automatically, and when the wearer desires a drink he simply turns a very small tap at the back of the helmet and out flows the water. This, as will be readily understood, First and foremost there are boots is rather too complicated for general

> There is also a rifle to which is attached a telescope, for use when 'iming at things a great distance off: arrows which can be fired from rifles and numerous other contrivances which the inventors, although not the authorities, think would prove of value to soldiers if used.

Wouldn't Do. Mrs. Day-I thought you had made

Mrs Weeks-I had, but it wouldn't of the "spare the rod" system are beof real mental succhine we will have vellow centers, and in full bloom re heimet has been constructed the lower do. You don't know what a fright ginning to be felt.—Philadelphia Eve

"That's strange," he said uneasily. Here anything you say-set mo up a Are these all the records, Daily? Has totem pole or attend Sunday school at anything ever been destroyed? I can Toledo. Unly forget it. By George, find nothing bearing on this piece of what a head of bair! If I were a womland, and yet the statement turned an I'd give a thousand dollars for it!" over to me by Frazer distinctly says He lifted the rope and weighed it that everything from the southwest critically.

"To have it, of course. You're dread data. What does this Hampden mean, fully unsophisticated. Come along." And swinging the mail sack he turned toward camp. Siletz came si-"No-that strip was part of the East | lently at his heels, falling in behind Belt. The company bought it four with a certain instinct, and Sandry year ago from a busted speculator, had an unpleasant suggestion of wilwho sold 'em first the north stumpage derness processions he had seen enteran' then this at a sacrifice price ing Toledo, enlivened by brilliant hues

"Why, what for?" asked Siletz, her

A smooth man from the East. There ness to detail that was convincing. was some hitch about titles-specially At the western door of the cookabout this here strip, an' the deal hung | shack they were met by Miss Ordway, fire for some time an' Hampden danced | blooming like a hothouse plant behind a war dance, he was so blame anxious plate glass, an incongruous element in to knock it, but old Frazer beat him her belted dress of light broadcloth. to it an' won out. Finally it was She leaned in the doorway with inimisettled an' the strip come under the table grace, an immaculate hand on either side.

"The wild huntress!" she smiled at sheaf of papers. "Here it is Well, Siletz,

that's a relief. And now for this Mis-I love the deer best in the fern." But Hampden was for himself and "Yes?" said Miss Ordway curiously,

and Sandry, kicking the clinging That evening Sandry met Siletz earth from his caulked boots, saw the across the little meadow back of the divining spirit of the writer probing camp, where he had gone for the mail this elemental nature. "Why? Wouldn't sack, left swinging on the forked stick you be proud of an antiered head with the mark of your skill between the "Been up on the ridge?" he asked. eyes?" vexed that it should take a slight ef-Siletz flung out a hand in a quick

gesture. "Oh, no, no-I could never do it.

Unless," she finished, still in that earnest manner, "someone I loved were starving. Then I could." Sandry looked at the two sweet faces, one so lovely in its smiling. amused alertness, the other so abandoned to the feeling her own words had stirred, and a deep admiration for both filled him.

"Wild to the wild," he said under his breath. "What are you, little S'letz? I

wonder if I'll ever know?" "S'letz," broke in the foreman, passing in his lumbering fashion, "the Preacher's comm'. I heard today he's been seen a couple times-once crossin' the Big Slough below the bridge.

an' once in the hills." For the first time since he had known this girl with her varied nature, Sandry saw the swift lighting of girlish excitement in her face as she flashed around at Daily. "Oh!" she cried gladly, "how soon

will he be here, I wonder?" "Don't know." (TO BE CONTINUED.)

LENDING A HELPING HAND Teamster Gave Handcart Pushar a "Lift" That Was Something to

De Appreciated.

The handcart was of a familiar sort

-a pair of high wheels with a long platform of slats resting on the axle and a crossbar at one end for a handle. A man stands behind the crossbar and breasts it to propel the veher and the camp was shut from sight hicle. The handcart was piled high with

big bags filled with waste paper-a "Yes-the light. Oh, the great lights cumbersome, heavy load that would -red and gold and purple. When the have been hard to handle anywhere, and was doubly troublesome going up the slope from Nassau street to Broad way. The handcart man had to bend over the bar and push with all his might to keep the load moving at all. you?" he said, "the things you have Coming up behind him was a driver never seen-the sea and the cities and | with an empty truck, drawn by a pair

of big horses. When the driver saw what was ahead, he started up his Sometimes I don't think I want to see team a little and skillfuly set the end them in their way-the real way. They of the pole square in the middle of might not be so beautiful. The Preach- the rearmost bag on the handcart, er says the glories of the world are a where he could push to the greatest lure of the Devil. But I don't think so. purpose without disturbing the load. It don't seem as if God would make Thus the horses began to push the things beautiful and let the Devil have handcart up the hill.

All the handcart man had to do was made all things. And we are his best to stand up, hold on to the handlebar, and keep the handcart straight. The big horses, guided by the friendly driver, were doing the pushing; and so, easily enough, the man got his load up the rest of the slope and round to the easy level of Broadway.-New York Sun.

British Sex Equation. There are more somen than men in "You're lost!" she said simply. "The the United Kingdom of Great Britain Preacher would say so -even Wahloo and Ireland. Consequently, as a member of the house of lords pointed out "Wahloowah-Kolawmie? Who are in debate, to grant the parliamentary franchise to women in the British islands "would mean the handing over talking to in the glade and an old, old of the country and of the empire to a the fighting qualities of the militant sisters who want to vote, the empire might be in safe hands if it came to an armed encounter with a foreign foe. However, the argument was eflittle S'letz?" he asked gently. The fective, for the lords defeated the mist had thickened under the heavy woman suffrage bill which was before lashes, and a look of distress was on them by a vote of 104 to 60.

There is a young author in Baltifame in the writing line if it takes even willing to defray the cost of putting on the market the numerous On the occasion of his last visit to his publisher, however, he was somewhat vexed, a rather unusual save my soul, though I lose the whole thing for him. "Why," asked he, "do

The majestic Bible language cast before?" "Well," said the publisher, with the utmost frankness, "the compositors were constantly falling asleep over your last novel."-Harper's Magazine.

you charge me more this time than

The department of marine and fisheries of Canada, in its report on the list of vessels built and registered in Canada during 1914, gives a total new tonnage of 43,846, the largest figure in 14 years. Of this amount, 23,167 ons was credited to Ontario, which has been advancing as a ship-owning and ship-building province since the development of trade on the great lakes began to call for a larger class of steamers than had been employed previously. Taking \$30 a ton as the average value of vessels of all kinds, the total for those on the Canadian registry on December 21 was \$27,-

New Victory for Children. Every day childhood achieves some new felicity. The latest is the news that slippers are going out. The government vouches for it. A mere fifteen and one-half million pairs were manufactured in this country during the last year, "a marked decrease over other reports." Manifestly, the effects ning Ledger.

972,000.



Thanksqiving

last Thursday in November. It since I that crisply show ivory white and pale

And this primitive thanksgiving will he multiplied and intensified a thousandfold at the expiration of the but for the coming of peace. In the will give thanks, even with the prize

flection of bitterness or hate; but a ment of a gigantic composite, that sweet realization of the kinship of all there is no fear of Uncle Sam "flying off the handle." In certain early and oriental litur-"The United States has escaped, gies was the Great Thanksgiving, now says he. "That is the special occareplaced by the preface and part of sion for thanksgiving. But may not

the canon. Then there is the General the whole world come to find cause Thanksgiving in the Book of Common for real thanksgiving in the new spirit Prayer, a collect in the third place derived and nourished by the tragedy Contrast these typical rural Thanksgiving pictures with some of the fammarked by the incense of prayer, has ily groups and of sustenance operations within the war-smitten territory, and, if you be apart from want, you will feel a pang of keenest commisera-

was a day set apart by the Plymouth struggling family should not be shar-Pilgrims, in 1621, in acknowledgment was first recommended by proclamation issued at the city of New York, in the grateful season. in 1789, by George Washington, who set apart for observance Thursday,

and cold.

children.

November 26, of that year. it was proclaimed by President Lin- glistening brown and bronze and bringcoln in October, 1863, who fixed the ing in its train attendants of the field

for the science of constructive things that "makes the whole world akin," intoxication of bloody triumph there and resolutely facing the future, but and the very essence of pleasing can be little of the deep, spiritual because the country is at peace with plenty. thanksgiving; for, despite the gigan- its world brothers and looks toward tic slaughter that has made this cen- taking the impartial part in the bringtury the Crimson age, the world is ing about of the peace of Europestill one big family with interests so and of the world. Dr. Carleton Simon closely interrelated that none is un. the distinguished neurologist, recentaffected by the struggle. And none ly, while discussing "war as an acute nervous affliction and its treatment of victory, for having made widows and its cure," made an interesting and orphans by the hundreds of thou. diagnosis of the condition of the United States. It may be reassuring In the real thanksgiving there is to hear from such an eminent authority, who regards the more than 90,neither exultation nor pride; no re-000,000 human beings in the present-

from the end of the order for morning of this war?" and evening prayer, and of the litany. But the Thanksgiving which, while the sunny lightsomeness of good cheer and laughter, is that annually ob-In the beginning of the observance tion and a regret that all of the world's

ing the peace-and-plenty conditions. In this case the turkey is the bird was perpetuated in many states by an alike of peace and of plenty. It is the annual festival appointed by the bird, likewise, of sacrifice—but not of governor. Its national celebration, in burnt offering-and goes to its aprecognition of the year's blessings. pointed end with what seems like a conscious dignity of the part it plays

What finish more honorable and im pressive for a bird than to be fated to die to make happy an entire nation? The war between the states was the For this brief, golden period the eagle event that established the national is only a remote symbol. The Thanksday. It has been, therefore, sanctified giving bird is magically transformed by the blood of brothers who died not into a tempting thing of appetizing in vain, for as a recurring observance odors, an eye-entrancing vision of

Resembling a large tracing wheel is t

A muscle from a frog's leg is utilized

Peat, compressed and formed into

So it is that in 1915 the people of In the turkey at this season there the United States give thanks, not are the pride of country, the religious for a war over, with the combatants sense of a nation and its sustaining present war-and not for the victory putting aside the science of murder hopefulness, the racial family spirit

> THE THANKSGIVING FEAST This is the day before the feast. Signals the valley, west to east, White fields and roads tomorrow mor But through the farmhouse kitchen glows

A light to gladden saint or sinner, Make ready for Thanksgiving dinner. The pantry shelves are lined with cakes Of flaky crust and fragrant sweeting, et incomplete the banquet waits

emerald, and translucent, liquid ruby.

For this which Margaret's spoon is beat-The sideboard gleams in jeweled light With amber quince and ruby jelly. Twill wear an added grace tonight, Wrought by the hands of Rose and

A stir of eager girlish feet Across the ancient oaken flooring. A rallying jest, an awestruck sigh Oh, never hours sped merrier by

For three fair cousins home from col-Beneath the kitchen rooftree brown, With weathered tile and rough-hewn

What memories are looking down—
A hundred years of toll and laughter! What echoes of long-vanished feet What far-off voices, young and sweet, From other days of feast and fasting!

Comorrow, through the drifted snows, With hearts aglow for smile and greet

Velly, and Margaret, and Rose Will walk across the hills to meeting Good angels join them as they raise and blend the feasting and the praise Into one day of pure thanksgiving.

INTERESTING BITS

and majesty of the sun as the giver

of good things, raised their scarred

arms toward it, reverent and tri-

umphant, their grateful gutturals voic-

men before the Great Father.

served in the United States.

ing thanks for victory.

a German inventor's device that accu-The American mountain sheep are rately measures irregular lines. the greatest leapers in the world. The British government is establishby a French inventor in a device that ing a very powe-ful wireless station receives and records wireless signals. scientists. Virginia is the leading state in the sheets, is replacing cork in Germany

production of soapstone, Vermont as an insulating material against heat ranking second The United States bureau of standards has developed a delicate thermoelectric test for the purity of plati-

There are more than 900,000 per-

tially or wholly deaf persons in Lon-Perfumes are now being put up in pencil form like the familiar headache

A pitcher has been invented to hold A California young woman, which posit. a can of condensed milk and permit in that state means voter, sleeps in Hon. Murie Burns, the best woman its contents to be easily poured. In a single year 4,472 hours of sun- declared her tent in another county the task of supplying grouse and other shine are possible, but only a few from the family mansion. They want birds for wounded sholdlers, the te places on the earth ever experience to rule out her registration, giving the owner of extensive moors over

the maximum MAKING GREAT CANOE TRIP intention to paddle to the ocean. On Missouri, thence the North Platte,

Two New Jersey Sportsmen Are Try-

ing to Cross Continent by

Rivers and Canals.

To determine the practicability of

a transcontinental voyage by canoe.

A brind man at Westbrook, Me., has built an ell to his house, laid the hardwood floors and installed a hot water Both the transmitter and receiver

rise to great indignation on her part. | which the shooting will be done

tomac From the headwaters of the

latter stream, they will enter the

The relative values of various kinds of coal are determined by X-rays with a method invented by French

Statistics have shown that Ameri-

can telephone operators answer calls

two seconds quicker than their English cousins. Experiments in rice cultivation in England and Wales together have 40 Porto Rico give promise of the island special schools for the blind, 51 for the deaf and 245 for otherwise defective

becoming an important producer of that grain. Six per cent of the line of a railroad being built in Switzerland will be over

bridges and 13.5 per cent through tun-Two Canadian scientists have found

of a new French telephone can be cobalt superior to nickel far plating An artificial oil of geranium made of hidden in a vase of flowers, a table other metals, being more durable, rephenol has been invented in France ornament or any other inconspicuous quiring less time to apply and provid-

the back yard, and authorities have marksman m angland, has set herself

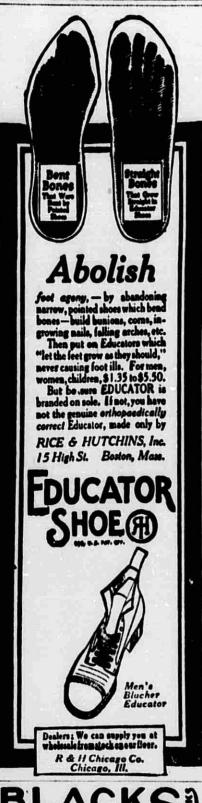
from Jersey City to the Delaware lowstone and the Snake rivers. inriver, thence to Delaware bay, to the tervening streams will carry them Chesapeake canal and on to the Po then to the Columbia.

their way, they will traverse the canal through which they paddle to the Yel-

('hesapeake and Ohio canal, make "Does constant poker playing

in their frail craft for the Pacific from which point, by plying small er after useless knowledge

two New Jersey sportsmen are headed, their way to Cumberland, Maryland, strengthen the mind?" asked the seek coast. The route takes the couple streams they expect to reach the "I understand it does to some ex through various rivers takes, creeks Monongahela river and, through its tent," replied the unlucky mayer "bu" and canals to the headwaters of the waters, the Ohio From the Ohio in my case I'm sorry to say it has Columbia river Down this, it is their they enter the Mississippi, thence the no tendency to strengther "hands,"



ESTB. 1850 - DETROIT OPTICIAN

Racetrack patrons should never try

to pick winners before they are ripe. To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

Not Just What He Meant. The Girl's Mother - And so you

think my daughter can live on your salary? The Steady Company-Why not?

Other women have .- Puck.

Men and Women

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is highly recommended by thou-Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that so many people say it has proved to be just the remedy needed in thousands of even the most distressing At druggists in 50c. and \$1.00 sizes. Yo

may receive a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcel Post, also a pamphlet telling you about it. Address Dr. Klimer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and euclose ten cents, also mention this

He Oldn't Bounce. Mike and Pat were working together washing windows. Mike was working on the first floor and Pat was hanging to a strap ever the window sill on the second floor. Pat finished his job first and said to Mile:

"I'm done, Mike, and I'm coming down. Will you catch me if I jump?' "Sure, come on," said Mike. Pat jumped and hit the ground with

a thump, all spraddled out. Mike stood with his bands on his hips and watched him. Pat rose, furious. "Why didn't you catch me?" he exclaimed. "Sure, and why didn't you bounce?"

Mike said.

As Ordered.

The menu of a certain restaurant is retorted the recruit; "you missed a a thing of wonder to strangers. It train yesterday." contains several pages of various dishes, all classified, mostly with weird French names. The country visitor eyed it up and trip to Reno, and owing to a sudden

eyed it down, but could make nothing turn of circumstances lingered there of it. And the waiter stood silently until he was hungry. At length, havby his side. At last, in despair, the diner dabbed ing friend, he entered a Reno restau-

his finger in the middle of one page, rant. and said: "Bring me some o' that."

"Oui, m'sieu!" replied the waiter, stating a fact. "That ees mayonnaise dressing, sar." "I know that, my man," snorted the Yorker. The waiter said it was a countryman. "I can read."

"But, m'sieu," said the waiter, apologetically, "what will you have it on?" The diner glared.

"On a plate, of course, you idiot! "I don't want no sage hen. I won't he roared. "Do you feed your guests eat nothing that has wings-and yet in troughs at this restaurant?"

SALADS TOO LITTLE USED Really They Should Be Given a Very

Prominent Place in Meals Served

A fruit salad has the added ad-

vantage of being very healthful, for

nearly all fruits hold acids and saits

in solution which are cooling to the

once tried, will appear often this way:

Chocolate Rice Pudding.

Occasionally one may be an early

No woman really cares for the kind

of love that the hero in a novel makes.

As the Twig Is Bent.

Had One on the Sergeant.

rid of some ammunition on the range,

and the sergeant in charge began to

use strong language as the firing pro-

ceeded and the target remained un-

"What! Missed again?" he roared.

as an unfortunate recruit cut up the

dust for the seventh consecutive

time. "I don't believe you could hit

"Oh, you needn't crow, sergeant,"

Not Impressed With Country.

ing detached a dollar from a protest-

"Sage hen," said the waiter, not as

"What's sage hen?" asked the New

"Has it got wings?" asked the oth-

"Then," said the visitor decisively,

one offering a query, but as a person

bird, native to the desert country.

er. The waiter said it had.

Is a valuable asset, but-

healthy, active mind, to make for success.

up the particular elements required.

active brains.

digest.

Strength of body must be combined with a

It is well established that both body and brain are

nourished and rebuilt daily from food—each taking

Urape-Nuts

made of wheat and malted barley, supplies all the rich

nutriment of the grains, including the vital mineral

elements necessary for building stout bodies and

balanced nourishment, but is delicious and easy to

"There's a Reason"

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

Grape N tood not only supplies rich, well-

A New York man recently made a

A squad of recruits were getting

bird without picking many worms.

Serve hot or cold.

pay!-Judge.

a furniture van.

to the Family. Salads are capable of infinite variety, so when fish and cheese fail vegetables which approach unimal foods in nutrition may be served, and either the oil in the dressing or the fat in the cream or melted butter of a boiled dressing be depended upon to supply the necessary oil. Try a corn salad. A pound of this vegetable contains as much protein as is found in half a pound of lamb chops or half a dozen eggs. Cool freshly boiled corn, also some rice (dried in the oven until the grains separate), salt slightly and mix them in equal quantities; fold in some stiff mayonnaise and serve very cold in lettuce TE G. BOARDS cups. Beans, peas and lentils, which EX6 STUDS are all so rich in protein, are very ILK ROOM desirable for salads in place of meat. Cover two cups of cold baked beans ICE STORAGE with French dressing and let stand a half hour; drain, sprinkle with half a teaspoonful of onion juice, mix with cream dressing, arrange on lettuce leaves and garnish with parsley and SAW DUST hard-cooked eggs. Lentils combined with onions, peppers and parsley, and U CINDERS served on cress with French dressing, make a hearty and tasty salad.

Wooden Icehouse, Insulated With Sawdust or Mill Shavings

Cinders.-Coal cinders should be

ised where obtainable to cover the

Excavating and Grading.—Excavate

entire floor to level shown and roll

Foundations.-Footings should be of

Carpenter Work .- All work to be

executed in a substantial workman-

Walls .- Set up double rows of 2 by

staggered with one 2 by 4 tle, as

shown on drawings, and cover outside

with one course of %-inch tongued-

and-grooved boards. Place on the out-

side of this two layers of water-

proofed insulating paper and then a

good quality of drop or shiplap siding.

For inside of room place directly on

studs one course of %-inch tongued-

and grooved boards, then two layers of

waterproofed insulating paper, and

finish with one course of 36-inch

Doors.-Doors to be constructed as

shown on detail drawings, of a good

quality of seasoned lumber. Com-

mercial doors can be bought at a

give better satisfaction than those con-

Drainage.-Provide for thorough

porous tile drain. Drain to be proper-

Pasture Rotation, Combined With

Drugs, Is Practical Method of Suc-

cessfully Combating Pest.

The stomach worm is the worst pest

because the older sheep are accus-

In July treat the whole herd, includ-

turn them into new pasture, and re-

PROFIT IN BREEDING SHEEP

Good and Flock Will Return the

Best They Possess.

Store Seed Corn With Care.

ing provided with good ventilation. A

woodshed or attic with facilities for

letting the air circulate through is a

Care of Celery,

good place for curing seed corn.

age, as this will cause decay.

and tamp until firm and solid.

sure a solid foundation.

like manner.

to sand or gravel.

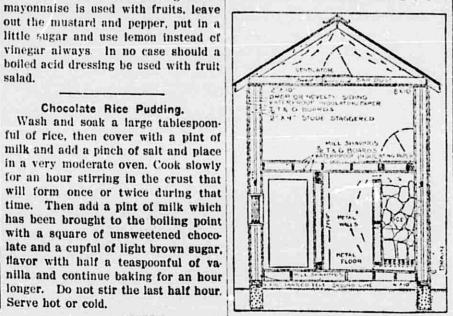
WOODEN ICEHOUSE SUITED TO DAIRYMEN

(Prepared by the United States Depart- | a certain amount of heat under given Among its typical designs for farm blood, and there are so many fruits icehouses suited to dairymen, the Unitavailable that none needs to become ed States department of agriculture tiresome. Pears, as a salad possibility offers the following suggestion for a wooden icehouse, insulated with saw-

Peel large pears, halve them, remove dust or mill shavings: Framing.-All framing used should the cores and drop them into cold water in which is a tablespoonful of vine- be dry, square-edged, sawed fair and gar to keep them white. Fill the core full to the sizes given, and should not cavity with either gratel cheese or contain any of the following defects: cream cheese balls and serve on let. Worm holes, shakes, heart pith, tuce with French dressing. Purple warped, twisted, or unevenly sawed egg plums may be used instead of lumber, rotten or unsound knots. Sizes pears, with lemon juice substituted for to be as shown on drawings.

vinegar in the dressing. The stone | Boards.-All boards used should be cavity of peaches filled with chopped thoroughly dry and sound and free nuts and arranged on lettuce with from loose knots, heart centers. mayonnaise is very tasty. A pretty shakes, or splits, and should be salad can be made from watermelon or dressed and tongued and grooved. Un cantaloupe by scooping out with a large seasoned boards should be carefully spoon pieces from the ripest parts, avoided.

draining, chilling and serving in let. Papers .- All paper used should be tuce cups with French dressing. When heavy waterproofed insulating paper,



End View of Icehouse.

not the ordinary building paper. Double thickness of paper should be used Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago in all cases, each layer lapping six reasonable price, and will probably inches over the preceding one. The layers should extend continuously structed by an inexperienced carpenaround all corners, and breaks should ter. be carefully covered.

Insulation .- When shavings or saw-Beautiful, clear white clothes delights the laundress who uses Red Cross Ball Blue. All grocers. Adv. dust are used they should be thoroughly dry and free from dirt, chips, and and if necessary provide a 3-inch Hills-What line does your son take Mills-Contracting debts for dad to sulation will not transmit more than

bark, and well packed into place. When commercial insulation is used ly trapped to prevent warm air from and installed by the manufacturers, it entering room. is usually under guaranty that the in-

Ventilation.-Provide ventilation as shown on drawings.

ATTENTION TO WORK HORSES TREATING SHEEP FOR WORMS

Labor Should Not Be Continued for Long Period Without Good Rest and Change of Diet.

Horses at work on the farm should be given the best of care, and the work should not be too severe or continued for too long time without giving the horse a rest and change tomed to the presence of the worm. of diet. Collars should be examined In the spring, soon after lambing, the frequently to see that they conform old sheep should each receive a dose to changes in the size of the neck 13 of one or two ounces of gasoline, folfat changes to muscles, and the lowed by a small dose of epsom salts. hames should be kept perfectly ad- After a day or two they should be fusted to the collar. The mane should placed in a worm-free pasture, if posbe kept from under the collar and sible. the shoulders should be washed at meal times, preferably with a little ing the lambs, with gasoline, and salt in the water. Oats is the standard grain where available, and mixed peat the process in November. Pasclover and timothy is one of the best ture rotation, combined with drugs hays. A little hay may be given at that are injurious to the worms, is a noon, all the animals will eat up practical method of successfully comcleanly over night, and none in the bating this worm. morning. Water should be given three times a day before feeding, and it should be clean enough for the owner to drink.-Ohio Agricultural College Bulletin.

GREAT WORK BY SCIENTISTS

Results of Research Have Been of Immense Value to Farmers in Many Different Branches.

Scientists have learned much about about their crop adaptation The efgrains, grasses, legumes, fruits and vegetables have been compared. The production of fruit and vegetables de-

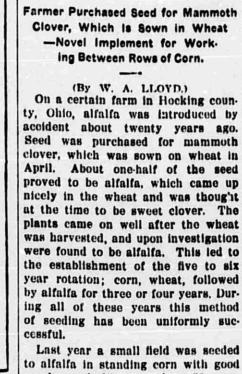
Science has enabled the orchardist and market gardener to combat successfully some of the worst funguses and insect foes. In dairying and poultry husbandry the results of research have immense value for practical men.

Protect Young Animals. The tender bodies of all the calves, pigs, colts and lambs ought to have ample protection from the very arst cold snap, else they are apt to become stunted by a few nights of exposure to severe weather, the evil effects of in soil or sand in a cool cellar. The been traced to dirty milk pails, strainthe abuse clinging to them throughout plants will continue to grow and form ers or separators. A dirty, unwhitethe entire winter and giving them a white tender stalks for winter use. washed barn or a stagnant pool in the scrubby appearance when spring When watering do not wet the foli- pasture may also contain the mischiefopens up.

Pig is Quick Money Make. The first investment in raising pork is small and the pig is a quick money tor they feel it more quickly than maker on the farm. He multiplies rap- other animals, and are slower to reidly, and if we only furnish him good cover. Be sure there is room enough pasture, grazing crops, pure water, at the troughs and racks so there will and a little concentrated feed he will be no crowding. This is important. rapidly gain weight at a small cost.

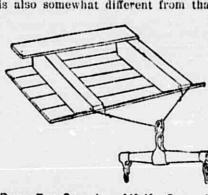
How Crop Was Established on Hocking County (Ohio) Farm.

ALFALFA AN ACCIDENT



to alfalfa in standing corn with good results, and this year about 20 acres have been seeded in the same way. The seed is sown after the last cultivation, and covered with a small plank drag. This is a rather novel, homemade implement, 34 inches wide and ground area of building in preference | 22 inches long, that works between the rows of corn. This dragging covers the alfalfa nicely and leaves the for floor and foundations sufficient to ground in a fine, level condition. get a selid and firm footing. Grade Should this method prove uniformly successful it will take the place of the present practice of seeding in the stone or concrete of size shown on are being successfully followed by drawings and of sufficient depth to in. alfalfa growers in Ohio.

The method of harvesting the alfalfa is also somewhat different from that



Drag For Covering Alfalfa Sown in Standing Corn.

tongued-and-grooved boards. Paper ordinarily pursued. The alfalfa is cut to extend continuously around the cor- in the morning as soon as it is dry from the dew, tedded and allowed to Ceiling.-Ceiling to be constructed lie in the swath during the first day. as shown on drawings, with one course Tre second day it is raked up and of %-inch matched boards nailed to drawn directly from the windrow to disappeared from war. joists, then two layers of waterproofed | the barn or the market. In this way insulating paper, following by a course excellent hay is made. Except for of %-inch tongued-and-grooved boards. threatened rain, no aifalfa is ever put inch rough board and covered with each season, the total yield being from up your sword!" good quality of shingles laid 41/2 four to six tons per acre. The alfalfa inches to weather and securely nailed. is allowed to stand three or four Or some one of the patented roofings | years, after which the land is plowed

SEGREGATE ALL AILING HOGS

Several Diseases Frequently Mistaken for Cholera-Keep Isolated Until Trouble Is Defined.

Just as soon as it is noticed that a hog is sick, it should be separated drainage by filling in a floor about 12 from the herd and kept isolated uninches deep with cinders or gravel, til the exact nature of the trouble can be determined.

Diseases which are most frequently mistaken for hog cholera are intestinal worms, various digestive disturbances, lung worms, inflammation of the bowels and necrobacillosis. The last named disease is caused by the same germ that is responsible for sore mouth and bull-nose of pigs. Most of the confusion of the two diseases arises from the fact that in some cases pigs affected with pecrobacillosis will show the speckled appearance of the kidneys, which has been looked upon as so characteristic affecting sheep. Lambs are more susof hog cholera. ceptible than older sheep, probably

Hog cholera serum is of no value in combating any disease except hog

MONEY IN SORTING POTATOES Consumers, Large and Small, Do Not Like Mixed Lots-Demand Is for

There is money to be made by the sorting of potatoes. Consumers, large and small, do not like mixed lots. They want them uniform in size and quality. Consequently potatoes are usually sorted before being put on the market and the price which is paid the potato grower is the price of sorted potatoes, less the cost of sorting. Therefore, the potato grower who ships unsorted potatoes really has to pay the charge of

Keep Animals Feeling and Looking The shipper of unsorted potatoes, also, has to pay another charge, and are later taken out of his shipment.

Succulence for Cows. For cows, ensilage is without doubt the best and most economical form of eight or more cows and has a farm where he can grow a few acres of by the double or single string method. corn should have a silo. I would not advise feeding ensilage to breeding bulls, boars and rams for there seems to be an opinion among many of the This should be put in some dry build- best breeders that ensilage is not a good feed for breeding males.

Cause of Ropy Cream. Ropy cream or milk is caused by germs. These may come from various dirty places, making a thorough clean-Celery may be lifted, the outer up around the dairy premises necesleaves taken off, and the plants set sary to avoid this trouble. It has often making germs.

> Selection of a Silo. Permanence, rigidity, frost resistance, and cost of maintenance are features to be considered in the selec-

Value of Young Stock. Young stock on the farm always grows into more value, and at the same time makes a lot of good

Farm Balance Wheel. Dairsing is a balance wheel in farm-

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Warrior of Today. The methods of warfare have changed enormously in the past year. The sword, for example, has almost

A story comes from the Argonne about a French chasseur who took a German officer prisoner. The chas-Roof.—Roof to be sheeted with 1- into the shock. It is cut three times | seur, a boy, said to the officer: "Give

But the officer shook his head and answered: "I have no sword to give up. But won't my vitriol spray, my oil projector or any gas cylinder do as well?"-Exchange.

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Hard Work. A visitor was being shown through boy," remarked the caller, sympa other evening and found his three chil-

the editorial rooms of a great news-"Is that the man who writes those state?" he asked, pointing to a man be all right in a short time." whose corrugated brow indicated deep

the baseball editor trying to think up

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"Charlies doesn't seem to be doing very well at school," remarked his that is the freight on the culls which mother. "His reports show that he The shipper of unsorted potatoes.

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> His Prerogative. "Well, I guess we can safely say this much."

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and a baby-all busy on the floor with

"'What are you doing with those

"'Oh, father,' said the boy, pointing

carpet, 'we were pretendin' that they

Of Course He Got Him.

The Guide-How did yer ever come

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Wise Doctor. Some time ago Brown began to feel a little under the weather, and now," said the duchess of Manchester a physician was summoned. A few to a reporter just before embarking days later a friend called to see how for England. "This universality of the patient was getting along. "Sorry to see you penned up, old

thetically. "What seems to be the dren-a boy of seven, a girl of five "Just run down a bit," answered his new box of mild cigars. profound editorials on affairs of the patient. "The doctor says I will

"I see," thoughtfully returned the visitor. "I understand the doctor told to the brown tobacco remnants on the "Oh, no," replied his guide. "That's you to take plenty of fresh air." "Yes," smiled the putient. "He was khaki soldiers, and we took off a new rumor about the Federal knew it was the only kind of medi- their putties, and now we can't get cine that I could afford to get."- them on again."

Philadelphia Telegraph. Reformed.

"Are you at all familiar with nautical terms?" "I used to know a few of them, but I haven't used them since I joined was you .- Puck.

Smile, smile, beautiful clear white Red Cross Ball Blue, American Mustarine which costs but a trifle, made, therefore best. All grocers. Adv. The woman who hesitates at an auc

The Hunter-Why, I heard a cracking in the bushes and I thought it

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The gloomy man distresses himself

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The day seed corn is picked it should be hung up on corn hangers, mands great skill. or in some racks that will allow no two ears to touch and will provide good ventilation between the ears.

Cleanliness in Dairy.

Garnish for Winter.

Don't Neglect Sheep. Neglect is costly in a flock of sheep, tion of a silo.

Take up a few plants of parsley_and Cleanliness is necessary i handling set in pots or boxes in the kitchen all dairy products. Wash and air all window or a light basement window. utensils thoroughly and, above all They do not need much light or care, things, wash the separator after every and furnish an abundance of material for winter garnishing.

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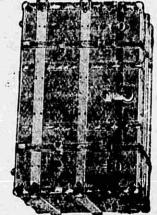
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