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EDITOR VANDENBERG IN BRILLIANT ORATION, "AMERICA'S DUTY TO HERSELF," ENTHUSED HIS HEARERS

Paul H. King in Candid Discussion of Pere Marquette, and Byres H. Gitchell in "The Making of a Town," Visiting Speakers

PRESIDENT POST AND TOASTMASTER SPRINGETT RE-VIEW PAST WORK OF BOARD OF TRADE

The tenth annual banquet of in the last year we have built the the Lowell Board of Trade ranks | finest schoolhouse I ever saw for among the most successful occa-the money invested and I think sion of its kind. The decorating we should congratulate the offic-committee had done its work well ers for the successful accomplishand the City hall never looked ment of this work. better. Flags and bunting were used in profusion and beautiful of this size has the modern im-

The L. L. C. held its regular annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. M. N. Henry, Jan. 19. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. George M. Wins.

who left for California a few days lence of their work. L. P. Thomas; recording sec, are airing yet.

Smith, Mrs. Horn, Mrs. Rose-warne, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Her-man, Mrs. Hurley, Mrs. W. S. Winegar, Mrs. F. N. White.

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that for the last few years. With- CONTINUED ON LAST PAGE

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ing all that had been given.

Mrs. Henry entertained in a musical way by selections on the Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. U. B. Williams Feb. 2. All members urged to be present.

Regular meeting of Clover Leaf club was held Jan. 25 at the home of Mrs. R. E. Hunter. The Bulletin and an application for iting friends: membership was voted upon
The election of this new member
fills our club to the limit. Mrs.
C. O. Lawrence as chairman of
Trade, and while we have not
Itting friends:

We are gathered tonight to
celebrate the tenth anniversary
of the birth of the Lowell Board
of Trade, and while we have not
I think there should be a radical

Child Welfare Program.

PAUL H. KING

Lowell Litereray Club Elects

Officers, Mrs. Williams

Mrs. W. F. Huntley: parliamen-tarian, Mrs. J. S. Hooker; critic,

Directors: Mrs. M. N. Henry,

Mrs. O. C. McDannell, Mrs. J. C

No regular program being pre-pared, Mrs. M. C. Greene gave an

informal talk on the work of Mad-

ame Montessin as she saw her

work illustrated while on her

western tour. Mrs. Greene

Mrs. M. C. Greene.

the day announced the following program: Violin solo, "Bercense" Miss Blake, Mrs. D. G. We as an organization have done to encourage the factories we allow the Mange accompanist. They resonne good. 'The Child in the Nursery," Mrs. ch dhood, their welfare from var make as many improvements as with honesty, ability, ambition Charlotte Waites. duced and gave an interesting talk upon the care of children's

A rising vote of thanks was given him. Miss Blake then favred with another violin selec-ion, which closed the program. Our next meeting will be a social Feb. 8 at the home of Mrs. R. D. Stocking with Mrs. C. D. Hodges

as chairman. W. R. C. Installation,
Joseph Wilson, W. R. C., held
their installation Jan. 19th with
Mrs. David Flanagan as install-

A banquet was served at 6:30; after which the following officers

were installed:
Pres., Almira Shear; sr. vice,
Marietta Sayles; jr. vice, Mrs.
Chubb; sec., Sarah Pletcher;
treas., Orena Washburn; chap.,
Alice Campbell; con., Helen Avery,
guard, Elizabeth Halsted; asst.
con., Ava Wardell; asst. guard,
Sallie Flanagan; patriotic instrucor, Francis Carter; musician,
Lizzie Andrews: press cor., Mrs. Lizzie Andrews; press cor., Mrs. Washburn; color bearers, Francis Aldrich, Mrs. Edison, Anna Daw-son and Mrs. Spencer.

After the installation the following program was rendered; Song by Mr. and Miss Maynard. Recitation, "The Flag We Love," by Mary M. Rolf. Encored, she gave "The Old Kitchen Floor." Recitation by D. Flanagan, The Hermit. Song by Mr. and Miss Maynard. Short talks by the comrades and closed by singing America.

W. C. T. U. The Lowell W. C.T. U. met with

rs. Clark Jan. 21. The president, Mrs. Hodges, appointed the following committees: Flower, Mrs. A. E. Gunn and

Mrs. T. Carter; Suffrage, Mrs. J. S. Hooker; Purity, Mrs. I. T. Weldon; Sabbath observance, Mrs. Townsend; Medal contest, Mrs. Stinton.

Mrs. Hodges read an article from the Press entitled "How drys lay plans for state wide pro-nibition, New National Pharmacopoeia will drive out wet drug stores." Mrs. Clark read an article on "What more important iob can we tackle?" Mrs. Banks

gave us a German song. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. Townsend Feb. 18.



TOASTMASTER SPRINGETT

And Garden Sass is Coming Up -In California.

Sierra Madre, Cal., Jan. 13, 16 Mr. F. M. Johnson, Editor Ledger, Lowell, Mich.

Herewith I hand you one dollar for renewal of Ledger, as I see by 19. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. George M. Winegar, presiding in the absence of the president, Miss Audie Post, who left for Calliance of their many parts of the president of the pre

who left for California a few days previous.

The business session was confined largely to the election of officers with the following result:

President, Mrs. U. B Williams; 1st. vice-president, Miss Bertha Doyle; 2nd vice president, Mrs. J.

M. Hutchinson; secretary, Miss Ferne Loomis; treasurer, Mrs. L. P. Thomas; recording sec. dently found little to do for the tions. The Chautauqua was well district alone will bring about \$2,000,000 in the San Gabriel valley and this is a comparatively small district. All produce is a good price this season and abundance of everything, and as the frost danger is practically passed the outlook for business

> Potato planting is well under way, the fruit trees are just bursting into bloom, gardens are being planted, while some are up, ripe strawberries are in the market, and yesterday morning as I came to work there was a flock of about fifty robins on the roof of the office eating the pepper berries which had fallen from the tree which shades my office.

The moving picture business is getting to be a great industry in this country. There are about ten million of dollars invested m and around Los Angeles. The clear air, ability to work in the open 360 days in the year, the advanattended, and the public did their President Post in opening the part well-but the program was after dinner program spoke in not as good as we had hoped: airs and "desert" within a relief but we have good reasons to ains and "desert" within a radius home of Mrs. R. E. Hunter. The President read some articles of interest from the Michigan Club Lowell Board of Trade and vis- gram next year and hope we remain the control of the control shall have the loyal support of camp.

Respectfully, George Mesecar.

VANDYKE-WAITES

For many years I was on a committee of three of the best daughter Beatrice went to Flint

large farm and money I had I business men in the town to be yesterday to attend the wedding Bradish. Questions concerning earned and could not always looking outfor bright young men of their son Rudolph, Jr., to Miss I would have liked; but used to and perseverence, and we have let The wedding was a quiet affair,

every year. I believe that is a capital or credit to make a start liles; and took place sooner than good rule for Lowell to follow in a small way and if they are the and we certainly have been doing right kind will build up a successan engineering position with New York City contractors on new subway construction.

The young people left for the last last evening.

Mr. Van Dyke is one of Lowell's most estimable young men and his rise in his chosen profession s pleasing to his many friends:

Anderson-Wright.

Two well-known Vergennes young people were united at a quiet home wedding which took place last evening at the pleasant home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wright.

Miss Donna Verle, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wright,

and Mr. Clare Anderson are the happy couple who are receiving congratulations of their many

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B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. Evangelistic service at 7. Every member of church and ongregation as far as possible should be present next Lord's day at the morning service, as there is important business to be transacted following the sermon. At Alto: A cordial invitation is extended to one and all to attend the preaching service and Bible school each Lord's day at

1:30 and 2:30 p. m. Union prayer service each Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. These services are held in the churches.

The full title of Los Angeles was in Spanish times "Pueblo de Nuestra Senora la Reina de los Angeles" or "City of our Lady the Queen of the Angels."

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State and General News Section of Ledger

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Lowell and Environs

JUMP IN TAXES IS STARTLING William Daily, 44, a parole violator, is again behind Jackson prison walls. A state teachers' institute for Arenac county will be held at Stan-

TAX COMMISSIONER'S FIGURES

AMOUNT.

State Present Some Very Interest-

ing Facts for the Taxpayer,

are two and a half times the total

uation of \$1,335,109,918.

as against \$6,123,022.21.

and personal property \$584,725.991.

ture College.

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and the Arts at Michigan.

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MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

by his brother, Arthur C. Pound.

badly that he cannot recover.

completely over.

\$21.56.

SHOW SKYWARD BOUND IN ruary 10 and 11 n ext. Michigan senators have received protests against the proposed taxes on gasoline and motor cars from the

A SPECTACULAR INCREASE Big Rapids board of trade. The Traverse City municipal lighting plant in a report to the city com-The Tax Rate and Valuation of the mission shows that the plant paid a

net profit of \$13.813.61 in the last Charles Petrine, burglar from Washtenaw county, who has been confined Lansing-The state tax commission in Jackson prison since 1905, has been has issued a table of comparisons

transferred to the asylum for insane showing that the total taxes levied in Michigan in 1915 for all purposes levied in 1901, while the total assessed valuation had increased only two and

a fifth times. There was raised last more than 60 years. year for state, county, city, township, school, highway, country roads, drains, villages and other purposes a grand total of \$60,596,921.07 on an assessed vice with the American legion being valuation of \$2,968,236.813. In 1901

recruited in that city. for the same purpose the total raised Charged with having burglarized, was \$23,350.404.37 on an assessed valwith her husband, a home in Sturgis, Winifred Wilson, 21 years old, has The fact that the increase in the been taken to that city. She was ground. valuation of the state has kept pace to a large extent with the rise in the

total tax levy has only gone up about Caught while attempting to sell one-sixth. In 1901 the average rate some junk to a Saginaw junk dealer, per \$1,000 was \$17.49; in 1915 it was Oscar Wentworth, of Saginaw, is \$20.42. The 1915 rate, however, was held in Flint, charged w ith robbing not the highest of the period. In 1913, a D. U. R. power station.

another legislative year, the rate was Because the epidemic of grip has attacked the attorneys in charge of the It is the city taxpayer, however, remaining cases on the calendar, the who has reason to bemoan "ye good circuit court in Saginaw has been adold times," for the urbanite's total journed for several days.

taxes in 1915 were nearly three times Prof. George W. Bissell, dean of what they were in 1901, \$18,268,286.40 engineering at Michigan Agricultural college, was elected president by the The increase in state tax proper Michigan Engineering society at the has fluctuated because of the heavier close of its annual convention. levy in legislative years, but the state

tax levy in 1915 was about two and a failed to develop, John A. Craig, prinhalf times larger than the state tax in cipal of the Muskegon schools, an-1901-\$9,509,461.85 as against \$3,835,nounces that the order barring unvaccinated children from the schools will The most spectacular increase and one significant of the public interest be revoked.

The body of Mrs. Peter Beltinck. of in good roads is that in the county 400 per cent since 1901-\$2,474, night of January 10, was found frozen Office: McCarty Blk, Lowell, Mich. 771.26 in 1915 as against \$166,441.75 in a cake of ice and washed up on a bank by high water about a mile be-The increase in the total assessed low the city.

valuation of the state has come pre- | Charles Morrice, of St. Johns, 18 dominantly in the value of real es- years old, was awarded first prize by Physician and Surgeon tate which is now two and a third the Boys and Girls' club department times the total in 1901, while the of the Michigan Agricultural college personal property on the tax rolls has for the best exhibit of corn conducted increased only 89 per cent. In 1901 with the Michigan Experiment associareal estate totalled \$1,019,968,833 and tion.

personal property \$315,141,085; in Charlotte and Dowagiac get 15,000 House, 119 1915 real estate totalled \$2,383,510,822 and \$11,000, respectively, for commencement of work on new buildings. An appropriation of \$15,000 is made to continue work on the new postoffice DOCTOR JOHN O. REED DIES at Muskegon for the remainder of the law.

Was Former Dean of U. of M. Litera-Inquiry is being made of Michigan congressmen regarding Judson J. Ann Arbor-Dr. John O. Reed, since Adams or Judd Adams, born at Gales-1892 a member of the literary faculty burg, Mich., and believed to have been of the University of Michigan, died at killed by Mexican bandits. Adams DR. E. D. McQUEEN of the University of Michigan, died at the home of his brother, Dr. A. W. was for a long time employed at Escanaba, later going to El Paso, Texas,

The immediate cause of death was ind then into Mexico. hardening of the arteries, following a The first of the coming big gales complete general breakdown four from the northwest struck Sault Ste. years ago, as the result of overwork. Marie Saturday noon, preceded by a Since 1907 and until he resigned in thaw and the first thunder shower Livery and Transfer June, 1914, Dr. Reed had been dean ever reported in January in the history of the College of Literature, Science of the local government station. A 45-mile wind was blowing and a snow

Four years ago Dr. Reed suffered storm is raging at night. a complete collapse. As soon as he The war has taken a slap at another was able to travel he was taken to of the world's great luxuries, tobacco, Germany, where eminent German spe-both chewing and smoking, and incicialists treated him. During the first dentally threatens to disrupt one of year one of these specialists said he Detroit's biggest industries, which contributes 30,000,000 to 35,000,000 though it might be two or three years pounds of plugs and granular tobacco before he would be again able to take

to the world's annual supply. up the strenuous duties of the dean-Vincent Jagge, held on suspicion of being an accomplice with Lawrence Page in the murder of the latter's EX-GOVERNOR RICH ROBBED grandfather, Frank S. Sprague, is alleged to have made a statement to Pocket Picked on Train and Thief Superintendent Carroll, of the Grand Rapids police department, in which

he puts the whole job on Page. Chattanooga-To friends here, for-An attack of heart disease, said to mer Governor John T. Rich, of Michihave been partially induced by exgan, on his way to Florida, reported citment in viewing motion pictures at that while on a train in Cincinnati the Soldiers' Home, caused the death he was relieved of his pocketbook, con- of William Chatterdon, 69, an inmate taining \$250. He has no idea how of the institution. Chatterton came the theft occurred. George W. Millen, to the home in 1911 from Allegan banker of Ann Arbor, who was in the county. He leaves a son at Jonesville.

next car, came to the rescue of for-Promiscuous distribution by Michimer Governor Rich with funds suffigan congressmen of free seeds furcient to carry him on his way and take nished by the United States departcare of his wants until he could reach ment of agriculture was strongly con-Florida and make financial arrangedemned by members of the Michigan Experiment association. A resolution was adopted requesting that "the congressmen from Michigan distribute Word of the death of Harold C. are recommended by the experiment | cough, which caused the absence of no obligation to perform police duty Pound, 29 years old, of Pontiac, Mich., station." Valuable seeds have been in Hong Kong, China, was received sent to persons who have little use

for them, it is said. Ernest Bigler, son of Marshall Big- By a vote of 34 to 17 the Saginaw ler, of Pontiac, was fatally burned county board of supervisors named when fire destroyed the Bigler home, a special committee of five to house until he had been burned so treasurers in handling state and coun- Thursday afternoon.

Eight people were hurt, four Dr. Alfred I. Noble, 59 years old, feeling slightly ill.

The forestry department of the The first big evangelistic campaign Michigan Agricultural college is fos- ever held in Cadillac will commence er profit for farmers from sales on been started.

timber cut from the farm woodlots. Greenville is threatened with an When Robert Edgecomb, who lives epidemic of scarlet fever. There are changes on the Pere Marquette and The will of William C. Cupp, a in the west, dropped in unexpectedly now five cases, but because of the on the family of J. B. Haynes in many exposures the board of health crease domestic and export grain mer, who died recently, leaves \$7,000 Camden, and met his sister, Mrs. Le- has ordered the closing of the public freight rates from Chicago, Milwaukee to the state industrial school for roy Hickox, whom he had not seen in schools for one wek, the Sunday and Manitowoc, Wis., to eastern and girls. The manner in which the 28 years, she collapsed completely schools for two weeks, and made a Virginia points, were found not justi- money is to be expended is left to age could attend public gatherings.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS HORRORS AND SPOILS OF WAR

THE TERRIBLE CONDITION OF dish on Thursday and Friday, Feb-RAVAGED POLAND IS BRIEF-LY PICTURED.

GREAT AREA IS ONE SPOIL

The Booty is Far Greater Than Seems Possible and the Destruction Beyond Estimate.

Ann Arbor-Ignace Jan Paderewski, after his concert in this city told these things about the suffering in Poland: People walk barefoot for miles in Hannah M. Towar, believed to have snow to get carrot soup. No chilbeen the oldest woman in Detroit, died dren under eight remain in villages at the age of 103 Wednesday morn- of war-ravaged country. Three huning. She had resided in Detroit for dred thousand girls have been wrong-

ed. Twenty thousand villages destroy-To evade trial on a charge of non- ed, 300 sizeable towns. Two thoussupport of his family, William Taylor and churches have been destroyed. Greece is said to indicate a possibility went to Sarnia and enlisted for ser- Three-fourths of Polish soldiers in dif- that a revolutionary movement which ferent armies are lost. In one district will oust King Constantine from and where 2,000,000 lived no human being make Ex-Premier Venizelos president, is now to be seen. Parish priests will be fomented by the allies. stood at posts through all disasters and now distribute funds upon the

London-An Amsterdam dispatch to the Central News says that the total Villa, booty of the Teutonic allies during 17 months of war is summed up in Vienna as follows: Nearly 3,000,000 prisoners. Ten thousand guns. Forty thousand machine guns. Four hundren and seventy thousand square kilometres of enemy territory occupied. The occupied territory is about 300,000 square miles.

A dispatch from Havre says that a report has just been issued by the Belgian government giving the number of houses in the various provinces of Belgium which, the report says, were burned by the Germans. Higinio Aguilar, the Cedillo brothers, The following figures are given: Bra. and many lesser chieftains. bant, 5,821; Liege, 2,703; Antwerp, 1,800; Malines, 1,748; Dinant, 2,232; Namur, 1.710; Philippeville, 1.301;

SISAL PRICES ARE IMPORTANT de facto government.

Increase in Price Would Cost Michi gan Farmers \$250,000.

Washington-Edward Frensdorf, of Hudson, Mich., member of the board of control of the Jackson state prison. is in Washington at the request of the federal trade commission, with regard to the Mexican sisal trust, which the

ernment laid hold of the Yucatan sisal found Saturday morning. supply and raised the price in the twine is used, the twine being made wholly from sisal fibre.

Mr. Frensdorf declares he is absolutely uninterested in the merits of the controversy as between the Harvester trust in this country and the sisal growers' monopoly in Yucatan. flooded. All the Michigan man cares about, is preventing the increase in price, which out of the farmers of his state.

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

Michigan State Horticulturist society will hold its mid-winter meeting in Pontiac, Feb. 15-16.

461 miners in the upper peninsula.

Word has been received of the death of M. Henri-Fortune Leduc, a dian railway mail clerk, of Orillia, teacher of French in Saginaw for two Ont., has been sentenced to two years years, who lost his lift at Louvain and six months for bringing a 15-yearwhile fighting with the allies.

of public instruction, is calling atten- to Canada. tion to the meeting of the educational association to be held in Detroit, Feb- calling upon the Montenegrins to reruary 21-26. This is the first to be new hostilities against the Austrians held in Michigan.

of the Oakland County centennial, Austria's peace terms, the Montenewhich will be held at Pontiac the week grin legation states. of August 20, it is necessary to raise \$10,000 to defray the expenses that Cummings, provides for a peace will be contracted during the week. strength of 400,000, which would be

was closed Friday morning on account listments, three times the camp mafarm seeds only to such persons as of an epidemic of grip and whooping neuver and rifle practice now required more than half of the 40 pupils. The after 1920 and conversion of six army teacher, Miss Bernice Ralph, has the posts into federal schools for reserve whooping cough.

Sylvester Thornburg of Cassopolis, under arrest for the murder of his pended by an epidemic of "grip". Pubaunt, Mrs. Almira Thornburg, was lic meetings have been forbidden and The father was in New York and it investigate the methods of present held responsible for the murder by the schools have been closed. In one was not known the son was in the and former county, city and township the jury at the coroner's inquest room 28 pupils were ill with the dis-

A woman "trusty" at the Genesee county jail prevented a serious fire seriously, when a Michigan United superintendent of the Kalamazoo which she discovered in the kitchen brought back to Flint from Youngs-Traction Co. interurban car jumped state hospital for the insane, died and extinguished the blaze with sev- town, O., to face a charge of killing the track west of Urbandale, due to suddenly of heart disease in his eral pails of water before the fire de- Stanley Vancowskey, 18, is said to a broken track. The car left the room in a Detroit hotel, Thursday partment reached the building. The have made a confession and declared rails ten feet from the bridge over morning. Dr. Noble arrived in De- fire started from the cook stove. Offi- he shot in self-defense when Vancowthe Waubascon creek, and turned troit Wednesday, and complained of cers at the jail feel that her sentence skey attacked him with a knife. The ought to be commuted.

A. N. Higgins, editor of the Prairieville Press and Barry County Graphic, surviving veteran of the civil war tering a movement for organizing far- on Februarf 20 and will continue for is in a critical condition at his home who lost both arms in the service, mers into community "woodlot asso- five weeks. The erection of a taber- in that village, following a paralytic a bill has been introduced in conciations." The aim is to secure great- nacle seating over 3,000 people has stroke. He was found unconscious on gress providing for a pension of \$150 the floor of his office.

Proposed tariff and regulations Detroit. Ann Arbor railroads which would in- wealthy Eaton Rapids township farmission.

WILL KING OF GREECE LOSE HIS CROWN?



KING CONSTANTINE.

Pressure by the entente nations on

Zapata, Argumedo, Higinio Aguilar, and Others Foes of Carranza.

Washington-Death to Americans in Mexico and destruction of their property, as well as war to a finish against Carranza, was determined upon, it became known at a formal convention of Mexican revolutionary leaders held in November at a ranch near Cordoba. Present and joining in the agreement are said to have been representatives of Villa, Zapata, Argumedo,

Meager reports of this gathering came to the state department long ago. Huy, 255; Verviers, 581; Waremme, few persons in Washington knew that rebel factions in the field in Mexico had, effected any kind of an agreement for concerted activities against the

The recent massacre of Americans, at Santa Ysabel, attributed to bandits led by Villa officers, is believed to have been perpetited in accordance with the rebel convention order.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

federal government is studying with county jail at Sylvester were hanged an eye to violation of the anti-trust to one limb of a tree on the outskirts of Starkville, Ga. The bodies., contain-Some time ago the Carranza gov- ing many bullet holes, were cold when

El Paso. Texas-Bernardo and United States two cents a pound. This Frederico Duran, Mexican cattle means an additional outlay for Michi-thieves, have confessed to the killing gan farmers alone of \$250,000 a year of Bert Akers, an American, at San for binder twine, and similar increases Lorenzo. Chihuahua, just below the in every other state where binder boundary line, and will be executed.

Chicago-More than 12 hours of steady rain inflicted \$200,000 damage in the suburbs of South Chicago and the territory within a radius of 40 miles. Hundreds of store basements and cellars in scores of homes were

means a quarter of a million a year of Mr. and Drs. Jay Bell, was burned to death in the family home at Hillsdale, while his mother, in her stocking feet, ran frantically about in the ice and slush outside trying to find

Twenty thousand trees will be furnished free to the public schools of Michigan by the forestry department The 10 per cent wage increase and of M. A. C. next Arbor day. Schools nounced to take effect February 1 for in need of trees for planting purposes employes in iron mines will affect 4, have accordingly been invited to ask

> Herbert S. Smelzer, former Canaold girl from Orillia to the United

Paris-King Nicholas' proclamation According to D. L. Davis, president tion to be wiped out than to accept

The National Guard bill of Senator The Tyrrell school, east of Morrice doubled in war time. Three-year enofficers, are their principal features. All activities at Marion are sus-

ease and there were only a few in each room able to attend school. Stanilaw Ferrett, 51 years old,

slaying occurred a year ago.

On the ground that he is the only a month for Bernard Magoonaugh, of

of control.

GERMAN AIRMEN RAID ENGLAND

ONE MAN KILLED, TWO MEN AND ONE WOMAN WERE IN-JURED.

NINE BOMBS WERE DROPPED

Germans Captured a First Line Trench On a Front of Several Hundred Yards in France.

London-Two German air raids on he east coast of England, perhaps within 50 miles of the heart of London; the occupation of the two main seaports of Montenegro by the Austrians, and the capture by the Germans of French trenches in the Argonne forest, near Arras. First one German aeroplane, and 12 hours later two German aeroplanes, flew over and dropped bombs on the east coast of Kent. Nine bombs were dropped by the aeroplane, one man being killed and two men, one woman and three children injured. Some damage was done to property.

The raid of the aeroplanes was without effect, apparently, the London war office declaring that no damage was done and that no casualties had been reported. The aircraft in both instances escaped, although they were Ared on by the British guns and

chased by British aviators. Antivari and Duleigno, on the Adriatic coast of Montenegro, have fallen into the hands of the Austrians, which leaves King Nicholas only a few miles of front on the sea and gives the Austrians command of the coast from the gulf of Triest virtually to the Albanian

Vienna reports that the Montenegrins continue to lay down their arms and that in addition 1,500 Serbians have surrendered in the last few days, although a semi-official communication says that a considerable porbut they were not made public and tion of the Montenegrin army has declined to surrender, and that fierce 16; Turnsout, 40. Total, 18,207. The there was a general conspiracy against fighting has been resumed in the

Heavy fighting has been in progress in France, a French advanced position on the road between Arras and Lens being attacked by strong German forces. The infantry attack was preceded by mine explosions and a violent bombardment, and the Ger mans captured a first line trench on a front of several hundred yards.

WAR LOSSES ARE 14,960,000

The Number Killed Is Estimated at One in Every Five.

London-The gross casualties in the war up to the beginning of January, killed, wounded and prisoners, are 14,-960,000, according to the computations of a prominent statistician and student of war estimates. The basis for the figures is official and other reliable information. The number of killed is estimated at one in every five, and prisoners taken average one in every seven or eight. The expert's estimate of gross casualties suffered by each warring nation follows: Russia 4,000,-000; Germany 4,000,000; Austria 2,800,-000; France 2.300,000; Great Britain 560,000; Italy 300,000; Belgium, Serbia, Bulgaria and Turkey 1,000,000. In Raymond Coe, three-week-old baby the present war at least 21,000,000 men are under arms.

AVALANCHE STRIKES TRAIN

Coach and Diner Carried Down Moun tain Side; Six Killed.

Seattle, Wash.-Six persons are believed to have been killed and 15 injured when the westbound Great Northern Cascade limited train was struck by an avalanche near Corea station, on the west slope of the Cascade mountains, and two cars carried

down the mountain side. The train had been held at Corea, Fred L. Keeler, state superintendent States. The girl has been sent back | which is about 100 miles east of Seattle, by a small snowslide. When the track was about cleared, an avalanche broke from the mountain and caught the dining car and day coach. They went down the mountainside like chips. The diner caught fire and was

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

Paris-The Montenegrin consul in Paris makes the official announcement that all negotiations between Montenegro and Austria have been broken off and that Montenegro has decided to fight to the bitter end.

Pekin-The coronation of Yuan Shi Kai as emperor of China, has been postponed indefinitely. The reason given officially is the uprising in southern China. Paris-Jack Johnson, it is said,

wants to come back to the U.S. A. The Negro battler has grown tired of Europe and tired of being urged to enlist and make himself a target for the once-time champion will come back to this country and serve out the prison term meted out to him forviolation of the Mann white slave law. Buenos Aires-The Hamburg-South

American Steamship Co.'s coasting steamer Preidante Mitre, which was seized in November off Cape San Antonio, by a British transport, has arrived at Buenos Aires. having been restored to her owners. Washington-Navy department offi-

cials declare that so far they have been unable to develop or purchase a detector of hydrogen gas such as was requested by Lieut. Charles Cooke, commander of the submarine over the surprise. She had supposed rule that no person under 20 years of fied by the Interstate Commerce com- the discretion of the school's board E-2, for the recent explosion on the

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ning clothes.

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Not only color, but a great deal of

metal tissue is incorporated in clothes.

sive but very lovely evening frock

broidered in crystal flowers, in the in-

tricate workmanship of the eighteenth

Cheruit has introduced the idea of

making loose bodices of silver tissue

stones worked on silver net. An effec-

tive frock worn at one of the smart

a short skirt bordered with Kolinsky,

the bodice of silver tissue mounted

over fresh pink tulle, the long, flow-

Kolinsky, the white belt of black and

such a price is that the money goes to

Making It Look Like Angora.

French orphans.

trimming.

Doucet has sent over a vastly expen-

made of silver tissue, which is em-



general way more than fairly comfortable. Robert Wickliffe Woolley is one of the latest of America's well-known newspaper men to be appointed to a position in the treasury department. As someone else has put it, Woolley makes

son so many newspaper men are ap-

pointed to positions in the United

States treasury is that the scribes'

heart desire is for once in their lives

to get next to a lot money. One gets

next to much money in the building

containing Uncle Sam's strong box,

but he doesn't get held of any great

amount of it, although the salaries paid are in a

more money than any other man in the United

States, but the personal difficulty is that he is

not allowed to keep the proceeds of his manu-

facture. He is the director of the mint, and every-

body knows that the province of the mint is-to

turn out money for the multitudinous uses of the

There are not many newspaper men in the

country who are better known than this present

official of Uncle Sam's government. Woolley

looks about thirty years old, but he can add quite

a number of years on to that and give no lie to

the date of his birth. He has been a reporter, a

sporting editor, a managing editor, an editor, and

a writer of magazine articles, and today he can

pick up any one of his old jobs and do it justice,

and if the whirligig of politics in time shall thrust

him forth from the portals of the treasury de-

partment, he probably and very naturally will

The writer of this has known Woolley for a

good many years, and worked with him side by

side for a considerable length of time on a great

Chicago daily. Woolley was then a sporting edi-

tor. He is an outdoor man, who loves the things

which all full-blooded Americans love, and, more-

over, he knows how to write-about them, whether

it be as a close finish on a Kentucky track or a

14 innings "so far" (to 0 at the National league

grounds in Ne York city. Woolley loves sport

for sport's sake, but it must not be supposed for

a minute that sport ever occupied the major part

From boyhood until this day the present direc-

tor of the mint has been a student of sociological

conditions, of economics and of the ways and

means of legislation to get for the people what

seems to the progressive-minded t a things which

they ought to have. Convictions that certain

lines of procedure were the right ones to follow.

and a determination to follow them, have given

Robert W. Woolley many strenuous and exciting

It is not necessary to explain to the people of

the United States what a political ring is, nor is

it necessary to explain what an invisible govern-

ment is. Certain brave spirits in newspaperdom

have been fighting rings and invisible government

for years, and it has made no difference to the

courageous ones whether the ring was composed

of men of their own party, or whether the in-

visible government likewise was tinged with a

partisan color of a hue ordinarily deemed ad-

mirable by the crusaders. The director of the

mint is a Democrat, but he has fought Democrats

when they were trying to exploit the people for

Not long after he entered newspaper work the

director of the mint had a "time of it," which

tested his courage and the sincerity of his convic-

tions. I am not going to mention the name of

the place where a certain thing happened, but

unquestionably the scene of it will be recognized

by many and the details will be remembered by

men who have not yet arrived on the borders of

Down in the South, and not very far in the

South, either, Robert W. Woolley was once

managing editor of a newspaper of prominence

in a city of considerable size. The chief editor

of his paper and the mayor of the town were

engaged in a row, for the mayor, it was believed,

was connected with a municipal political combi-

nation which, as the editor viewed it, was far

from being an institution intended to benefit the

people of the community. Finally the lie was

passed, and the lie is, or was, anyway, a sure

One morning Mr. Woolley went down to the

newspaper office and found the mayor of the town

and his son, each with a gun in hand, holding the

Prosperous English City

and everybody is spending it like water, according to newspaper correspond-

ents. An instance of the way in which quickly made money is being tightly

spent is afforded by the fur trade. A furrier relates that within a couple of

coats which middle-class women are wearing. Birmingham was an area of

An enormous business is being done in cheap jewelry, but part is due to the

innumerable little factories before the war. The small manufacturers are

Great wealth has come to Birmingham, England, through war contracts,

fighting word in certain communities.

Oof! Oof!

asyfum today and stopped in to see

Jaggs-Did he ask about me?

your brother.

own drink."

Dutch treat."

Waggs-I was passing the insane

Waggs-Yes. He's just crazy to see

Getting Around It.

"I propose each one pay for his

"All right. You order Holland gin

for both of us and it will still be a

middle age.

hours during his long newspaper career.

turn to tread in the old accustomed ways.

people of these United States.

entire business office force of the newspaper prisoners behind their counters. The intruders to leave. Woolley had no gun. He entered the office and proceeded to address some remarks made up of words ordinarily considered of the fighting kind to the armed intruders.

The Building Is Uncle Sam's New Money Fac-

tory, and Below Are Employees Counting His

Woolley reached for a telephone, took it off the receiver and was laughed at by the gunmen, who told him that they had cut the wire. Woolley stood there with the receiver in his hand for a minute while red-hot verbiage was exchanged. Then Woolley walked straight by the two armed men and went out of the door, and neither one cared or dared to interfere with him.

Later it developed that while the receiver was off, although the wire had been cut, the chief editor of the paper at his home had taken off his own receiver to call up the office, and found he could not get it. But as only one wire was severed he heard a large part of the conversation in the office by means of the uncut wire connected with the office telephone. What he heard afterwards was used in evidence, for court proceedings were brought.

Now, it is just here that an ordinary newspaper man would have become disgusted with the profession which he was trying to follow and would have thought that the whole world was out of joint. The mayor of the town and his son were editors of a rival newspaper. This rival stood, of course, for the municipal ring, and it was things which appeared in its columns which had caused the other editor, Mr. Woolley's chief, to put the lie in print. While things seemingly were still at white heat between the two camps the mayor and his rival editor, whom he was ready to shoot, or be that by, made up their differences, combined the two papers, and thus Woolley, who had dared everything for his chief, was forced out, and in the parlance of the street, was "left to hold the bag." In other words, Bob Woolley stood for right and principle and then lost his

There was a celebrated law case in Kentucky that attracted world-wide attention. After the municipal ring episode and Mr. Woolley had lost his place as managing editor, he became a reporter and he handled the case. There came down from Chicago at this time two newspaper men who since have become widely known-Eugene Bertrand, now of the New York Herald, and William E. Lewis, the editor of the New York Telegraph. They had been sent down from Chicago to work on the matter Woolley had in hand, and they became acquainted with him. They found out a lot of things about him which appealed to their newspaper sense. They also discovered that he was fond of American sports. They went back to Chicago and a short time thereafter Woolley, who knew nothing about their interest in him, received an offer from the Chicago Tribune to become a reporter in the sporting department of that paper. He went to Chicago, and it was not long before he became the sporting editor of the newspaper whose staff he

From Chicago the present director of the mint went to New York, and for a long time was employed on the New York World. A little later, as somebody else has put it, "he vielded to the temptation of a beautiful fruit plantation in Texas." The fruit was not altogether golden, as far as the proceeds from the sale of the crops were concerned, and Mr. Woolley went back into the newspaper profession.

newspaper in a southern town, whose locality another quite levely evening gown is Novel Ideas Have Lately Been Intro-I shall not give here, because of certain circum- of blue and gold net over a skirt of stances connected with the case. There it was gold tissues. One of the best gowns another crusade against a municipal ring and worn at the opera was of bright green another case of being compelled to edit with a velvet and lace over a petticoat of silrevolver in the hand and also to walk with a gun ver lace, which was mounted on silver exceedingly handy. The ring eventually was tissue. The gown was trimmed with broken into bits, but meanwhile Mr. Woolley had wide bands of emeralds and rhinelost his newspaper.

For a short time thereafter Mr. Woolley was the editor of the San Antonio Light in Texas. dances was of thin silver tissue, with ver or glittering gold. Some effects Then he went back to New York and entered upon a really notable career as a magazine writer. He was sent on many assignments throughout the country for some of the best magazines in | ing Italian sleeves of tulle edged with the United States, and then he became one of the Washington correspondents of the New York | white crystals. Beneath the short | gles. Silk nets in lavender, violet, World, a position which he held for about two skirts were square pantalettes of sil- rose, flesh, light blues, yellow, cream, years. Then again Mr. Woolley turned to magazine work, and in the year 1911 he became the chief investigator of the congressional committee appointed to look into the affairs of the United States Steel corporation. This committee was

Because of its wide-reaching effects, it is probable that a magazine article entitled, "The Plunderers of Washington," was the most notable contribution to the "news and information of the day," which Mr. Woolley ever wrote. This article was preceded by an intimation that anyone mentioned and who chose so to do might know that he had recourse in the courts. In other words, the information upon which the article was based was tested in advance. This article was called by the press of the time "fearless." It dealt with some of Washington's big bankers and real estate men and with a good many officials.

Woolley was writing just as he wrote when he was attacking municipal rings in smaller towns of the country. It is not too much to say, perhaps, that the article largely was responsible for a complete change in the manner of men appointed to positions of high trust in the municipal government of the city of Washington, for Washington in a way has municipal government, being under the rule, of course, of congress, but having a board of District commissioners as responsible heads.

In the year 1912 Mr. Woolley was the editor and compiler of the "Democratic Text Book," and was chief of the campaign of publicity bureau of the Democratic national committee. He also compiled the text book of 1914. His political affiliations at this time, however, newspaper men believe, did not have anything to do with his appointment to office. His efforts along liberal and progressive lines had attracted the attention of Woodrow Wilson. Mr. Woolley was appointed first as auditor for the interior department, an office which, despite its name, is under the control of the treasury department. Then he was given his present position as director of the mint. He is filling it.

I am writing this article with feelings of personal admiration and liking, perhaps even of affection, for I have known Woolley for years. He is a tried man. He is one of the newspaper fraternity, and after nearly a quarter of a century of close acquaintance I know that I can say that he is an honor to it. Robert Wickliffe Woolley lives just outside of Washington in Fairfax, Va. It is this little town which has possession of the wills of George and Martha Washington, and some parts of the bill of rights of George Mason. It is a good place for a Democrat of strongly progressive tendencies to live.

Mr. Woolley married Marguerite Treholm of Winchester, Virginia. They have four children. all girls. The family life is of the kind accounted ideal. In the books Mr. Woolley is put down as Robert Wickliffe Woolley, but newspaper men from coast to coast and from the Canada line to the Gulf know him much better as "Bob."

SAFETY FIRST IN ALL THINGS.

"Why do you always carry your umbrella, even when it is not raining?" "So someone else won't carry it when it is raining."-Pennsylvania Punch Bowl,

A MARINE JOY RIDE. Motor Boater (to passenger)-Did you see me

cut down that fisherman in the skiff? Passenger-Sure! Say, this is almost as much then carefully remove the basting fun as automobiling.

factories cannot meet the home demand. The Eskimos have an original superstition. They say that one day Aniga, the moon, chased his sister, the hun, in wrath. Just as he was about to catch

days of his getting in a big stock of valuable furs he was sold out, and further her, however, she turned round and threw a great handful of soot in his face. evidence is supplied by the fashionable cut and extravagant trimmings of the and thus escaped him; and of that soot he bears the traces to this day.

| sales. The cheaper and more showy kinds of furniture and ornaments are

being sold as fast as they can be turned out, and the Kidderminster carpet

now among the very rich, and their wives are helping to spend the war gains. refuse of breweries, which has heretofore been thrown away.

Uncle Sam made \$2,500,000 last year from the sale of wood from the

shine.

demand for patriotic badges, army badges set as brooches, and so on. Pawnbrokers report a marked decrease in pawning and a corresponding increase in government forests.

GAVE PROOF OF IT.

Charley Murray, who manages sporting events at Buffalo, has a positive Your shadow darkens my life's sungift for expression in telegrams. He keeps in touch with his friends by wirewith his enemies, too, sometimes.

During the midsummer hot spell he organized a boxing carnival. Being anxious to secure for one of his ring attractions Ted Lewis, the English fighter, he sent the following message to Jimmy Johnston, manager of the Britisher: "Hope the heat has not affected you. Will give two-fifty for Lewis next

Tuesday night." Johnston answered: "Feeling fine. Want one thousand for Lewis."

To which Murray promptly wired back:

"I see the heat has affected you."-Saturday Evening Post.

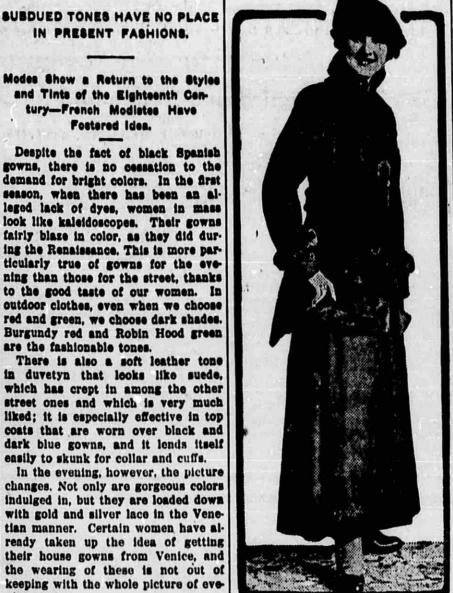
end even. When of sufficient girth I me, you needn't class me as a ground. Power Behind the Throne.

Mistaken Identity.

She-I cannot accept your offer.

He-Well, because you won't marry

Harker-Your friend Enpeck seems to have very decided views. Parker-Yes; thanks to his wife. Harker-How's that? Parker-She decides them for him. in tiny bows. ON RUSSIAN LINES



Suit of olive green broadcloth made on Russian lines. The skirt is plain except for three plaits let in at each side. The coat is trimmed with heavler fur with fur-lined collar. Buttons are covered with the broadcloth and the belt is made of it.

VARIOUS EFFECTS IN LACES

duced, With Results That Are Most Gratifying.

Spangled allover laces are in opalescent effects, wave and floral designs value for fence posts. By treating -for instance, a large orchid heavy this timber with creosote the farmer with purplish spangles and silver. Laces in band, galloon, edging and allover designs are worked in frosty silhave touches of color with silver. Black net with silver leaves is very handsome, and fleurs-de-lis in silver are charming on black or white.

White nets have silver or gold spanver lace and the slippers of silver tis- black, gray and tan are embroidered sue had oblong buckles of jet and in silver or gold.

Bolero jackets and flounces with a Yet, in contrast to these gorgeous scalloped lace edge are novel when the colors the new frocks are in blue and net is well covered with fine soutache pink, the Watteau shades. Worth braiding in lace patterns. The braid sends over a pale rose brocaded satin may be silk, silver, gold or steel, givgown trimmed with rhinestones, which ing a metal incrusted appearance. is lightened by tulle; the price paid Black chantilly lace is used for the for it was nearly \$1,100, and the only skirt of a dress under a metal silver reason that one is not rebellious over | tunic.

Hoopskirts Established. Hoopskirts and bustles have established themserves in winter favor, but And, by the way, do you knit? Then both confine themselves to picturesque do make for yourself or someone else adaptations of genuine hoopskirt and a sweater of the fascinating teazle bustle fashions instituted years ago. wool that looks like Angora when the The hoop is as likely to be located garment is finished. And how do you around the knees, or even the hips, as get this result? By brushing the at the skirt's hem, and the bustle is sweater up the wrong way with a wire usually a very inconspicuous arrangebrush after it is all knitted.-Harper's | ment of crinoline, affording support to hip draperies. Bustles over the hips, indeed, are more often seen than the old-style bouffant effect at the back.

Buckles Much Used. Buckles of all sorts are used as The latest development of the hooptrimming. On some of the severe skirt idea is shown in a handsome fur shapes in beaver hats a wide buckle of coat, flaring well at the knees and held iet, celluloid or bone is used, with a out from the figure by a stiffening of band of corded ribbon as the sole wire, hidden beneath the skunk-fur border.

Brocades, indeed all materials, have,

strangely enough, a stiffness not so

suggestive of youth as the frocks of

which they are fashioned. Fabrics.

notably the failles and grosgrains,

show metal medallions which hereto-

fore have not had a youthful appear-

which make them adaptable to youth-

ful frocks, says Vogue. In the more

dignified gowns, brocades of all sorts

-some in the scroll patterns, some in

allover patterns, and some merely

with a large medallion on a back-

not to the exclusion of velvet or of

Buttonless Blouses.

the need of the woman who is always

in a hurry. It is of soft white satin

veiled with white chiffon from right to

left. A collar of the white satin rises

high at the back, turns over and then

extends downward the entire length

of the surpliced front. A snap button

holds the loose fronts at the bust line,

and another fastens the waistband.

Of course, this dainty blouse has long

sleeves and they bell a little over the

Worth Remembering.

Tall, thin women had better try on

their new hats before pier glasses

rather than to be fitted to a smart

model sitting before a dressing table,

for many smart shapes are tall as

taining unused things. It takes only

ous.-Philadelphia Public Ledger.

A new buttonless blouse will meet

the plain taffetas.



Silk sweater-coat woven in broad stripes of white and a color, trimmed with braid matching the dark stripe and crochet buttons. Knitted muffler and cap with plain band and tam crown matching the muffler.

To Launder Tatting. To launder tatting successfully, baste it firmly to a Turkish bath towel and proceed to wash it as if it were a part of the towel. When nearly dry press the tatting, still on the towel, threads and you will find your tatting | church steeples and quite as conspicu-

ing This Method.

body, then my smooth, stiff paper fold-

ing this straight, so as to make the

took two large circular pieces of

white paper and pasted over each end.

fastening the full parts securely over

Christmas and pasted down with li-

PUT TABLECLOTH IN TUBE | I have one for each tablecloth, several for tray cloths and doilies, and have room in any ordinary sized buf-Woman Writes of Excellent Effects fet drawer for two napkin boxes, be-Which She Achieved by Adoptsides several other small boxes con-

'hand.

When folding many large sheets of about as long to make one as it reclean, light brown paper which had quires to write about it. A good grade of paper can now be commercially made from the hop wrapped new blankets, it occurred to | 1 am using a little idea which 1 pending upon the kind of timber. Soft was sold for feeding purposes it would ne that it was just the thing to make think someone would like to copy tubes on which to roll cloths to keep Cut a circle from blotting-paper the and will absorb more creosote. When seed there would not have been 65 them smooth and the buffet drawer size of your doilie on the living-room the posts are taken from the hot cree- bushels to sell. Thus it is quite evineat. So I measured my cloths, after table. Then, when the writing spirit sote they are placed in a cold creosote dent that seed growing is a fairly recreasing once, and made tubes that moves, pull up your chair, pull out the table drawer containing other writing length, being one yard. First, I took a few small, stiff pieces materials and you have as good a suband folded them diagonally to give stitute for a writing desk as you need.

-Exchange.

Home Doorstops.

Doorstops are popular. They are

made of iron with enameled decorathe tube itself, then put on next to tions in bright, gay colors. Some are last thickness. The last one I made in the form of figures and others are of a sheet of white wrapping left from baskets of fruit and baskets of flow ers. Still others are made of flat brary paste the whole length i tied pieces of wood with large bunches of it in four places with white ribbon flowers painted on them and have the fron weights attached to the back

CREOSOTE FOR POSTS AND WIRE FENCING



our Barrels Used With the Alternate Ones Heated by Means of Fire Beneath the Extended Ends of the Pipe.

(Prepared by the United States Depart- | The hot creosote causes the air in ment of Agriculture.) the wood to expand and forces out Osage orange, locust, red cedar, mulpart of it. In the cold creosote the berry and bur oak are the only kinds internal air contracts again. The parof timber that when used for fence tial vacuum which is thus caused posts last on an average more than draws the preservative into the wood fifteen years. It is becoming increascells. The same effect may be proingly difficult in the north central duced by leaving the posts in the first states to secure any of these at the creosote bath until the liquid has prices which prevailed in the past, and cooled. This, however, requires much the steady decrease in the supply and more time, and if this method is emincrease in the cost of timber of this ployed, only two batches of posts can kind is turning the attention of farmbe treated in a day. Where there are ers to the possibilities of substituting two tanks, one for the hot and one for posts of cheaper woods that have been the cold cresote, the process may be treated with preservatives. Expericarried on continuously. ments conducted by the United States The tank used should be large department of agriculture, and varienough in diameter to hold the numous state experiments have shown that ber of posts that it is intended to creosote is the cheapest and most eftreat at one time. The liquid in the ficient preservative, and that shorttank should stand about six inches lived timbers treated with it will withabove the portion of the post that will stand decay as long as the more durable woods. In many localities there is an abundant supply of cheap timber

Small Treating Outfit for Poles and

Posts in Which Metal Drums, in

Which the Cresote Was Shipped,

Are Used for the Tank-The Oper-

ator Carelessly Allowed the Creo-

sote to Boil Over and the Whole

can obtain his posts at a much small-

er expense than would be involved in

which the air may circulate readily.

which has been heated to a tempera-

they remain until the creosote has

Thing Caught Fire.

for the purpose.

be underground when set in position. The tank may be built over a fireplace with the fire directly under it, or which in its natural state is of little steam coils placed within the tank where they will not be in the way of the posts.

It does not pay to treat a naturally durable wood with creosote because the fibers are so hard to penetrate that the operation is an expensive one. Moreover, after treatment, wood of this kind is no more valuable than cheaper timber. Experiments have shown that beech, birch, gums, soft maple, poplar, sycamore, willow and pin oak respond very readily to treatment. With these the cost is approximately ten cents per post. Creosote may usually be obtained from hardware dealers.

LOCATION FOR A HENHOUSE

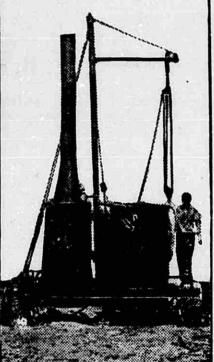
Care Should Be Taken to Avoid Dampness and Secure Proper Ventilation for the Fowls.

The water which fowls drink is not excreted as in other animals, but is carried off by the air that the bird breathes. The air that the hen breathes in common with other birds passes to every part of the body and gathers moisture. If the air is dry it gathers the moisture easily and quickly. If the air is already moist it takes up very little more moisture. This means that more air must be breathed to do the same amount of work. The result is a panting hen even though the day be quite cool. A panting hen is uncomfortable and is not the one that lays the most eggs or makes economical gains in

the purchase of wood naturally suited The three most common causes of dampness in the henhouse are: a The process of treating wood with poor location, faulty floor construccreosote is a simple one, and can be tion and poor ventilation. A poor done easily on the farm. The expense location is any place that does not of the necessary equipment depends, have the best air and water drainto some extent, on the number of posts to be treated. It has been estimated age. Any spot that is low or that that a double-tank equipment should does not have an outlet to ground not cost more than \$50 and a single that is considerably lower is likely tank, capable of treating two lots of to have poor drainage. This means posts each day, should cost much less, that if the henhouse is located The posts that are to be treated in such a place the damp air is likewith creosote should be thoroughly ly to settle in and about it and the seasoned and stripped of their bark, frost will linger there late in the both outer or inner, in order that the spring and make its appearance in preservative may penetrate the wood. the early fall. Such a location short-After having been cut and peeled they ens the laying season. A fairly high spot on a south slope is just about should be stored in piles through right, for aside from being brighter The first step in the treatment is to and more cheerful in winter it is place the posts in a tank of creosote drier than any other exposure.

ture of about 220 degrees F. Here BIG YIELD FROM PURE SEED

penetrated through the sapwood, the Quite Evident That Seed Growing is Fairly Remunerative Business-Interesting Figures.



fit With Boiler for Steam Heat Cre-Posts and Poles.

woods will be penetrated more readily

Whether we use registered seed, good grade seed or poor seed the cost of production is the same, but the returns are different. Why not, then, use the seed which will give us the greatest profits? If proper cultural methods are practiced and good registered seed sown, there should be no difficulty in securing yields of sixty-five bushels of oats per acre, and in some cases a much

higher yield may be secured under favorable conditions. This grain should give at least sixty per cent marketable seed depending of course on the season. The price received for the best seed varies somewhat depending upon supply and demand, perhaps 90 cents per bushel would be a fair average price. Some growers, however, receive \$1.25 per bushel for small lots of choice seed oats. At these figures, then, we would have 39 bushels of seed oats, and 26 bushels of feeding oats in addition to the straw from one acre. Or to state the case more con-A Specially Constructed Treating Out- cretely the feeding oats and the straw would almost pay the total cost of proosote and a Crane for Handling duction, including interest on the valuation of the land. The 39 bushels of seed should give a return of \$30 to time required to accomplish this de- \$40. If the total yield of 65 bushels bath and left there for several hours. munerative business.

how good or poor the mother the best should be well cut back. sire obtainable is none too good.

Support for Grape Vines.

To Secure Good Colts. | posts very firm in the ground, about Let the farmer who wants good colts ten feet apart, on these posts fasten select the best grade mares and breed three smooth wires, fence fashion. them annually to one good type of and to these wires tie the grape. horse. Of course, the quality of the branches with strips of goods of sufdam always has more or less influ- ficient strength to hold the vines in ence upon the progeny, but no matter place. After frost the branches

Covering for Strawberries.

Clean straw or marsh hay makes an A good way to support grape ideal covering when the proper time vines that have been set in a row is comes to give the strax berry plants with posts and smooth wire. Set their winter overcoat.

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Heineman, gives an advance pledge that if elected, action will be taken on the opening day of the legislature which will give Michigan a budget will give Michigan a budget will be taken on the opening day of the legislature which will give Michigan a budget will give Michigan a bud lieutenant governor, David E. Some judges think so. system for its financial and business operations. Taxpayers have evidently had enough of ing methods of operation and in the world will they put it? methods of operation and will be ready to exact a like pledge from all legislative and Rapids Press one year on rural gubernatorial candidates in adroutes \$2.50.

The Ladies Aid society of the church of Christ will hold their next meeting with Mrs. Charles McIntyre Feb. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. William Holmes of Hiram Converse took dinner at the converse took dinner at th vance of election. It is well to remember that

"When the devil was sick The devil a monk would be, When the devil was well, The devil a monk was he.'

IT HAS been said that each generation is weaker and wiser than its predecessor. However, it may have been in the past, advancing medical science and general intelligence, have made the first part of the quotation untrue. But as to the latter part, the fact that platinum thrown away as worthless by early Spanish explorers is often found in excavating foundations for new buildings in Columbia, sometimes in sflicuient quantities to pay for the building, is one of many proving that the revised edition should read: "Each generation is stronger and wiser than its predecessor."

A YALE college professor has figured from government statistics that "needless sickness, death and fatigue" cost this country annually a billion! and a half dollars. That's a large price to pay for neglect of fresh air, sunshine, pure water, cleanliness and exercise: and yet, proper use of these nature remedies, would save the greater part of this vast

THE Toledo Blade is of the opinion that the idea behind the new state of Superior proposal is the wish of the Upper Peninsula promoters for more offices, more jobs on public building and another public crib to fatten politicians. If states are to be subdivided, how many new ones could be carved out of Texas, California and others?

IF THE law giving exclusive rights to one telephone company in a community is to be used to exact exorbitant monopoly rates, voters will do well to require from legislative and gubernatorial candidates a pledge for its repeal; and the time for action will soon be

Who says Arkansas is slow? One of her natives has raised 4,500 bushels of rice and sold it for \$1.00 per bushel, clearing \$4,000 on the year's crop; and it wasn't "the yaller kind" told about by the Traveler,

THE Saranac Advertises wants a business man for governor. Certainly, the manage ment of Michigan's affairs affords opportunities for the exercise of high business acumen, and we have had none too much of it in times past.

THAT Cadillac woman who impersonated the hired girl to trick her husband in suspected pranks, and was herself hugged and kissed by the girl's beau, is now meditating on the old adage: "Be sure you're right; then go ahead."

A CHICAGO professor figures that the war in Europe will cost the lives of 25,000,000 men. Who can compute the sorrows and sufferings in the homes from which these fathers, sons and brothers were called?

Does the fact that the British army has enlisted more married men than single prove that the benedicts are more patriotic than the bachelors, or that the trenches have fewer terrors for the former?

A TRIBE of Indians living in a California canyon has just buried a member at the age of week Friday. 150 and has fifteen others aged 100 years or more. But who of his uncle, Morris Trumbuli. wants to live 150 years in a Mr. and Mrs. A. Norton and daughcanyon?

SOME people who like to make a big show on "nothing a year," may find food for reflection in the statement that us soon again.

THE Progressives are said to be unanimous in the opinion his foot. that Col. Roosevelt is the best man for the Republican nomi-

ion that instructions from the

A MILWAUKEE man has eight wives. Great Scott! It's more than most of us can Sunday. do to take care of one. Anv-THREE MONTHS...... 250 one missing from Kalamazoo?

upon the Dardanelles as one of A REPUBLICAN candidate for the world's decisive battles?

the old hap-hazard and graft of 16 miles to the inch. Where

THERE is a growing suspic- Hettle Davis and family.

E. P. Nach was calling on friends our vicinity Saturday.

new presidential primaries will | A large number from these regions not hold long after the first or favorite son ballot in the national conventions.

Were at Lowell Saturday.

Charles Davis and Mrs. R. B. Davis were Sunday guests at M. Trumbull's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray White are visiting friends at Grand Rapids and Fish.

The electric light men from Belding repaired the lights at John Clark's

do to take care of one. Anyone missing from Kalamazoo?

WILL future generations regard the losing British attack upon the Dardanelles as one of

HOW TO CURE COLDS

British scientists will make a map of the world on the scale guarantee of satisfaction.

WEST LOWELL.

Mark Speathen is under the doctor's

Quite a number from here attended the creamery meeting at Alto last Wednesday, women as well as men. Mr and Mrs. Frank Freeman spent Sunday with their brother Verne and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nash and family of Clarksville spent Sunday at the home of Robt. Young.

Cannon-Grattan Vicinity. Born, to Mr. and Mre. John Toobey, January 17, an 8 lb. girl. Wm. Malone has bought the farm of Elmer Story. John Bird and daughter spent Sat-urday and Sunday in Grand Rapids. Miss Jeanett Scott is quite ill.

KEENE HEIGHTS Mark Bowen spent Sunday after-noon with Earl Jepson.

Maggie Bowen spent Sunday after-noon with Bernice Rickert.

Band No. 3 of the Keene I., A. S.
met with Mrs. Eva Hunter last Wed-

met with Mrs. Eva Hunter last Wednesday and spent the day sewing, about thirty being there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wingster of Moseley were week-end visitors of Adelbert Hardy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R S. Bigley, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Denny and son Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gramer and Theo, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Jepson and Earl spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hunter.

Hiram Converse took dinner at

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LOWELL DIST. NO. 2. Hasel, Eether and Bernice Rittenger of South Lowell spent Saturday at Oliver Simpson's.

Mrs. W. G. Dollaway spent from Friday until Sunday in Grand Rap-

Miss Florence Strong of Grand Rapide spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Coons. Simon Fopma of Lake Odessa spent two days last week at Peter Fopma's. Miss Mary Alexander spent Thurs-day and Friday at Leone Alexan-

Bertha Althaus is on the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fopma spent
Sunday with Mr. Bogart's people at

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 cared 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."

Banish worry and save doctor bills—keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand, in your home. One bottle lasts a long time—it's reliable and safe—and the last dose is as good as the first. Get the genuine. W. G. Dollaway made a business trip to Grand Rapids Monday. Ed. Venstren of Keene spent Sun-day at Walter Scrambling's. W. G. Dollaway spent Sunday at Roy Dollaway's in Lowell.

MOSELEY

Harley Pickens was a Saranac vistor last Thursday and Friday.

Orren Sayles is slightly improving from his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sayles returned to their home in Toledo last week.

Louva Church and Peter Peterson visited Helen and John Andrews over Sanaday.

Mrs. A. Race has returned from her

Mr. and Mrr. Ray White visited friends in Grand Rapids last week.
Mrs. George Lewis was in Belding

Mrs. A. Race has returned from her visit in Woodland, accompanied by her niece.
Mr. and Mrs. John Acheson and

daughter Wilma were in Elmdale Saturday helping to celebrate her father's birthday.

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MORSE LAKE.

Grip to the right of us, Grip to the left of us, irip in front of us, Luringly adore us Ours not to eat or drink, Oure but to lay and think Vho next will get a kink

While grip is o'er us. Little Cora and Bertha Foster are ust recovering from grip and pneu-

monia
Mrs. Ella Priest and son Alexander
have been confined to their beds for
some time with grip.
Mr., and Mrs. N. V. Warner of Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Borought
of Lind, Wash., spent Sunday night
with J. O. Scott and wife, then inctored to Grand Rapids Monday where they were guests of Mrs J. R. Warner. of Will Klahn and wife, visited S. S. Yelter and extended their sympathy to him in these days of pain and Vegetable Grower, 1 year......

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Yelter of Lowell have been caring for his father, S. S. Yelter, whose life hange by a thread at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reuter of Freeport, father and mother of Mrs. Yelter, came Monday to ex-tend their sympathy for the sick one, Sunday the Misses Clara, Annie and Lillian Shantz, Adison and Alvin Shantz of Caledonia were guests of their sister, Mrs. Paul Curtiss. Born, to Rev. and Mrs. C. V. Howell

of 307 N. Pierce St., Amarillo, Texas, January 15, a 7 lb. boy. The many friends of Mrs. Howell will be glad to know that she is doing well, but the much wished for baby boy only survived a short time after its birth. and Sunday afternoon the young assistance of the Baptist minister and

others, consigned the tiny form to mother earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Curtles enter-tained the following guests Sunday at a farewell dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs Lewis Borought and daughter Wilma of Lind, Washing ton, who depart for their western home January 29, after spending two months with friends and relatives in Michigan, their former home. The gueste from Lowell were Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Warner and sons Royden and Alva, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Werner and ila Oberly. From Alto were Mr. and Mrs. John Vandenboeh and two children, Mark Warner and Joe Scott. From Morse Lake were Miss Laura Underbill, Mr. and Mrs. J. O.

Scott and three children. Word has just been received that at eleven o'clock Monday night after a long painful illness, Samuel S. Velter departed this life. He entered the great mysterious hereafter with-out a fear, fully trusting in the Great Shepard who said "I will go with thee through the valley and the shadow of death" Funeral services Thursday. Obituary next week.

FALLASBURG

Our bridge here had a narrow eccape last Friday night about 5 o'clock when theicein the river broke up and when the ice in the river broke up and came rushing down. Owing to the big flat below the Kalward hill the water spread out over it saving the bridge but breaking off the telephone poles and taking fences, logs and everything in its path. Saturday morning Godfrey Kront our highway morning Godfrey Kropf, our highway commissioner, got busy and with help cut road through the banks of

ice, removed the logs, etc. Miss Elizabeth Smith attended the teachers' institute in Grand Rapids last Wednesday. Friday she went to her home at Jenison and spent

over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hale of Keene are Ill and under the doctor's care. James Stanton and wife entertain ed her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrr. John King, of Smyrna Sunday. Glenn Sayles, who is with his nunt, Mrs. Sherrard, visited Leo Richmond

of Vergennes last week. Frank Jones visited his slater, Mrs. Etta Whinnery, and husband of North Keene one day last week.

A. McLeod was in Grand Rapids
Thursleyen i Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were Sunday caller's st C. F. Hale's in Keene.

Mr. at d Mrs. J. E. Tower motored to Grang Rapids Theaday for the day.

to Granu Rapids Tuesday for the day with A. G. : taketee and family.

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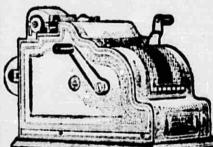
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The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes

Dr. Penton successfully removed a cancer from the breast of Mrs. Chas. ole last week.
Mary Francisco and brother Glenn attended the masquerade party at Lowell last Thursday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Kropf and daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Vrs. C. Wiggins, Sunday.

ALTON.

Clyde Purdy was home from Lansing Saturday and Sunday, return-ing to school Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Will Dicken were Sun day gueste of his grandmother. Mrs.

ter spent Sunday at Bartonville with their son, Earl Norton Alvin Davis spent Friday night at

the home of his uncle, Burr Davis. We are sorry to hear of the illness of our friend, Arthur Anderson, and hope he may be around and among feller wore \$5.00 hats and \$20 suits.

The Gleaners who attended the installation of officers at John Wright's last Thursday all day had a very pleasant and delightful time. Burr Davis acted as installation of officers at John Wright's last Thursday all day had a very pleasant and delightful time. Burr Davis acted as installation of officers at John Wright's last Thursday all day had a very pleasant and delightful time. Burr

> ill of rheumatism and erysipelas in Quite a number from here attended the dance at Lowell Thursday night Martin and Lucile Davis spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Guy Tallent.

absence of Arthur Anderson, who is

Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. James
Holmes last week.

Mrs. Edith Brown of Cadillac spent
Friday with Mrs. James Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Michiel Myczkoviak
of Vergennes attended the Ald society
at Mrs. Herbert Dawson's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciarence McIntyre

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McIntyre spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Charles McIntyre.
Mr. and Mrs. John Kryzetof spent
from Wednesday until Saturday in Grand Rapide.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McIntyre spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. Jack McCarty is gaining slowly.

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tag your child's face distigured with

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Klahn called on in Dakota, after visiting relatives here the past two months. their elster, Mrs. Geo. Hazel, Sunday.

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ed a fine time.

dinner was cerved.

Wm. Malone of Parnell.

and itay are ill with the grip.

notice at The Ledger office.

days last week.

GRATTAN CENTER

Did you get an overcoat at the

The Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. Elmer Story Thursday. A fine

John Carey was in Lansing a few

Elmer Story has sold his farm to

Julius Osmer and children Hazel

J. I. Norton made a business trip

to Greenville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey McGinuis and son John, accompanied by Tom Mc-

lingte, left Thursday for their home

Wool Driving Mitts, heavy

Muleskin Lined Mitts...........21c

Sheep Lined Mittens 43c Heavy Wool Sweaters \$1.29 Maryland Kersey Pants....\$1.85 Plush Back Wool Shirts and Drawers......83c Camels Hair Wool Drawers in large sizes.....\$1.07

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38. It's Ordered \$9.85

Two left, both sizes 36. All-

wool Black Kersey Dress

Coats; velvet collar, Cloth-

Craft make; worth \$5 \$9.85

Men's Chesterfield Box Coat,

collar to match; loose and

roomy; dark blue, Clothcraft

coat; worth \$12.50 \$8.45 Ordered Out at.

Men's Chesterfield Dress

Coats: velvet collar, full lin-

ed, seal brown Diagonal,

made by Clothcraft, sizes 42

and 44. Worth \$22.50. They

are Ordered Out \$17.45

Mrs George Whitten was in Grand
Rapids Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Kropf visited at C. Wiggen's Sunday.
Lee Cummings is spending a week
in Lansing.
There will be a special school weet. There will be a special school meeting at Moreley schoolhouse Saturday evening, Jan. 29. Everyone invited. Clyde Purdy was home from Lan-

The Moseley school board met a

sale at Lalley & Shuter's, friend? MANY PEOPLE DON'T KNOW They will surprise you there. ad A sluggish liver can cause a person School was closed last Wednesday. an awful lot of misery. Spells of dizziness, headaches, constipation The teachers were in attendance at the teachers' institute in Grand Rapyour liver needs help. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills and see how they tone up the whole system. Fine for the stomach too. Aids digestion. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason of Oakfield spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Will Hess.

eing over Sunday.

Purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Only 25c at your druggist. SOUTH LOWELL

The Ladles Aid society met with Mrs. Henry Klabn Thursday. Charles Sterzick had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bartlett attended the funeral of their uncle, James Welch, in Grand Rapids last

Mrs. G. Rittenger was in Grand Rapide Monday.

Mrs. Martin Schneider spent part Auction bills printed at short of last week in Grand Rapide.

on small monthly payments, just about what rent would be. This

Mrs. G. Friedli is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Monday in each month. Talk it over with M. C. GREENE, Pres., or J. B. YEITER, Sec.

Newsy Notes About People You

Phone 35, Hakes' auto livery Verne DeGraw was in Saranac Saturday.

J. E. Monks was in Grand Rap ids Saturday.

Blanche Meyer of Saranac was in town Friday. Elmer Moulten of Belding was

F. W. Braisted was in Grand

Mrs. P.C. Peckham spent Monday in Grand Rapids.

Clare Althen was home from his travels over Sunday.

Mrs. M. VanArsdale has been quite ill the past week.

Eugene Pippin visited friends in Ada one day last week.

Miss Essie McVenn spent Sunday with relatives in Alto.

from Detroit over Sunday. Hazel Vaughn of Saranac wa in town Thursday evening. L. J. Post was a business vis

itor in Grand Rapids Friday.

Stocking's clearance sale is still evening.

of Moselev were in town Satur-

spent Sunday with Everett Cogs Don Parker was home from

lonia from Thursday until Mon-B. C. Smith has been confined

Have your ice tools sharpened

Mrs. Lyle Denick spent Sunday

Belding. Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Clark were Grand Rapids visitors one day

Orra McCall of Grand Rapids visited his parents here last week

Everett Cogswell of Pontiac spent Sunday with his many

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Delk spent Sunday with their children in Grand Rapids.

Bela Cowles and Guy Purdy, who are working at Evans, were in town Saturday.

with his parents here. Alice Crawford of Ionia and

Mary Davarn of Pewamo visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the home of L. P. Morse.

C. S. Moore, P. J. Peters.

Put Whiz Auto Freeze in your will occur in this locality.

Raincoats! Raincoats! Rain- Rapids Herald, Jan. 21. coats, good stylish \$10.00 gar-

Hakes' auto livery, phone 35. Walter Kropf was in Saranac Sunday.

Will Davarn of Pewamo was in

town Friday. Will Klumpp has recovered from a weeks' illness. Mrs. R. D. Stocking was in Grand Rapids Monday.

Miss Rose Wingeier was home from Grand Rapids over Sunday. C. D. Barnes of Lausing is visiting his mother and sister here. Keene real estate transfer Springfield Savings bank to E

Earl Chamberlain of Elsie is visiting R. M. Wilcox and family

Peter Fineis and A. A. Scott were in Grand Rapids Friday

Mrs. Charles Williamson has returned from a visit with Mrs. Del Phelps of Ionia.

Mrs. John Welch and son of Ionia returned home Friday, after a visit with Lowell relatives. Mrs. Phil Sayles returned to Toledo Friday after spending two weeks with her parents here.

Lowell realestate transfer: Jas. Rogers and wife to Peter Eyk and wife, e 80 and ne 1 frl, 14, section

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Scott were in Ionia Friday and called on trip to Grand Rapids Saturday. their uncle, John Scott, who is

Don Parker, Bruce Krum, Ver-Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Sayles of nor Chubb and Will Graham Saranac were in town Saturday, were in Grand Rapids Sunday

Miss Allie Aldrich returned to Leslie Friday, after a several weeks' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Doyle.

The new Tungs-tone needle plays 50 to 200 records on your Victrola without changing.—U B. Williams.

Mrs. Wilson Schaffer and little grandson of Detroit came Saturday for a visit at the home of R.

The new Masonic temple in Grand Rapids is to be dedicated at Smith's Garage and Machine February 3 at 4 p. m. Doors open at 3:30.

The Odd Fellows' lodge of Ionai has planned for the construction of a new temple to cost between \$30,000 and \$35,000.

Eliminate bake-day trouble by ising Pansy Blossom Flour. Guaranteed as good as the best. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Emma Houghton has returned to Lansing, after spending two weeks with her sister. Mrs. Wm. Miller, who is quite ill. Knives, razors and scissors. The best made are included in

our clearance sale. R. D. Stocking.

Tuesday and the formerattended been living for some time. the Board of Trade banquet.

mart on his farm in Ionia township, which has tested 14 per Did you get in on those over-

coat bargains at Lalley & are real ones. adv The Grand river flatsare cover-

ed and Flat river is high; but the day. Lowell real estate transfer: City snow is all off the ground, and State bank to Frank Collins, lot unless heavy rains precede the 60, Sweet and Smith's addition. inevitable freeze up, no floods

radiator. Cheaper and better Mrs. Mary E. Moore, Mrs. Rob than alcohol. Smith's Garage. ert J. Flanagan and Miss La-Mrs. E. C. Walker spent part Vanche Moore left for Los Angeles of last week with her daughter, and other points in the west, Mrs. K. C. Chase, in Grand Rap- where they will spend they remainder of the winter.-Grand

Some of the finest boys' suits ments for only \$6.45. Lalley & you ever saw for \$1.98 at Lalley & Shuter's big sale. adv

Always at your call, McQueens' MODEST

J. B. Sturgisspent Sunday with Miss Elva Bowen in Keene. Miss Jennie Joseph was a Grand

Gale Bowen of Saranac spent Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Callier were in Grand Rapids Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Morgan of Grand Rapids were in town Sun. | that one manufacturer is accused of Will Baker of Saranac was guest at the home of John Frazee Mark Warner of Alto spent Fri day night and Saturday with pany claim for it."

C. E. Wood went to Lansing Mrs. O. C. McDannell, Mrs. Geo. M. Winegar were Grand Rapids Monday.

Monday. Mrs. Frances Curnan of Grand Rapids spent part of last week at M. H. Vanderhoff's.

Miss Minnie Meek spent Sun-Clark Taylor was in Grand

day in Grand Rapids with her Rapids Monday. brother and family. Some of the finest boys' suits Feb. 2. Single admission 25c. you ever saw for \$1.98 at Lalley

& Shuter's big sale. adv Rapids Monday. Wheeler Hull attended the funeral of his old friend, W. K. Mun-Ionia over Sunday. son, in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Good silver plated spoons at 69c a set while they last at Stocking's pre-inventory sale. Mrs. Elmer Madison of Shelby spent the last of the week with

bus. Phone 6. tf. adv

Rapids visitor last Thursday.

Sunday with Miss Irene Stone.

day evening.

Friday night.

Lowell relatives.

visitors Monday.

Mrs. Andrew Kaufman and fam Mrs. A. C. Sherman returned to Grand Rapids Monday after

spending several days with friends Raincoats! Raincoats! Raincoats, good stylish \$10.00 gar-

ments for only \$6.45. Lalley & City hall, Feb. 2. lecture course number, Wells Watson Ginn

entertainer and impersonator. Single admission 25c. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barber and Mrs. R. Quick have all been ill with the grippe in the same house;

but are improving now. Mrs. Laura Misner returned where she has been visiting her country.

granddaughter and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Whitney uary 3. So writes A. J. Boulard were here from Grand Rapids of Mancelona, where deceased had

Amos Welch of Ionia has found an almost inexhaustible bed of mart on his farm in Ionia town.

Did you get an overcoat at the law will apply, and that it is the church Sunday. That is right; come business of the department of gasin and bring more with you. They will surprise you there. ad justice to make an investigation.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Warner and sons, Royden and Alva, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boroughf and daughter Wilma, Ila Oberly, Mr. and ter, but that they also talk it Shuter's? You had better, they Mrs. Grant Warner attended a over with their farmer friends farewell party at the home of and urge them to use their in-Earl Curtiss at Morse Lake Sun-

Rapids for the first 22 days in January ran a neck-to-neck race. Generally the births are three to one over the deaths. Up today Secretary Carpenter had reports showing 131 births and 121 deaths.-News.

The next number of the Clover language. A few drops of Sloan's Liniment on the affected parts is all Wells Watson Ginn, who appears at the City hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 2. He is said to impersonate so well that a blind | I tried many medicines, they failed. Fortunately I heard of Sloan's Livman in one of his audiences the platform. Reserved seats on the biggest department store to S. F. sale at Collar's store.

districts, will begin running in 1915. 25c at all drugglate. The Ledger next week. This story in book form would cost morethan the price of the paper for a year and is only one of many valuable features that will be off- mother, Mrs. Cyrus Blough, of Freeered during the year. Only \$1.00 port the past week.

grange was attended by nearly one hundred. W. E. Baker, the Schwarder to Grand Rapids Friday. installing officer, gave an interesting report of the proceedings of the last meeting of the State of the last meeting at the rabbit hunt, bringing in evening. Dr. Regterink was called nineteen bunnies; Frank Daniel's and est the arm, it being broken just side bagged sixteen. The thirty-five made a pot-pie just big enough to go around. Keene day. grange will now meet every Fri-

following officers: Overseer, A. T. Bean, McCords; lecturer, S. N. Church, KentfCity; secretary, Mrs. Kidney Disorders Church, KentiCity; secretary, Mrs.
R. S. Coleman, Sparta; treasurer,
George Norton, Rockford; chaplain, Mrs. John Preston, Kinney;
steward, Earl Brewer, Carlyle;
assistant steward, Charles Godfrey, Dutton; assistant lady
steward, Mrs. Charles Godfrey;
Pomona, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark,
Rockford; Flora, Mrs. Leon Haybarger, Sparta; Ceres, Mrs. Hattie
Bancroft, Alto; gatekeeper, John
Preston.

Inulity District

Quickly Relieved

M. N. Henry, the popular drugglet,
has established a new record in the
sale of medicine. He says he don't
believe any medicine ought to be paid
for unless it does the user some good
and he has adopted the plan of selling
Solvax, the etandard kidney remedy,
under a positive guarantee of quick
relief from all kidney or bladder misery, or money back without question.
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Farmers' institute dates: Grattan, Jan. 31; Cannonsburg, Feb. 1; Rockford, Feb. 2; Byron Centinued use will soon tone up the entire system of improperly working organs and give you the desire to live and enjoy life to its fullest.

Solvax is sold under a positive guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. Ask M. N. Henry. ad historian leaves 4:50 p. m., daily except Sunday GRAND TRUNK

Effective May 30, 1915

6:48 a. m. Daily except Sunday 6:48 a. m. Daily except Sunday 5:46 p. m. Daily except Sunday West Bound—12:17 p. m. Daily except Sunday 4:58 p. m. Daily except Sunday 4

Dealer Says Liniment Does More Than Maker Claims.

Michigan people are apt to think product is best," he means it, but maybe his enthusiasm makes the statement a tritle exaggerated. Therefore, it is interesting to find being too modest in regardito his 68 year-old liniment. Mesers. Nicholson & Stuhr of Cheyne, Wyo., says: "We know from personal experience that Hauford's Baleam of Myrrh will do all and more than the Hanford Com-

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Bert Hayes was in Grand Rap ds Monday.

Wells Watson Ginn, City hall,

Mrs. John McCall was in Grand Jack Taylor was home from

Mrs. J. Cogswell and son returned to Saranae Monday. Hakes gives prompt ous and aggage service. Phone 35

Frank Loughlin and wife were irand Rapids visitors Monday. Mrs. Theo Shepard went to Ada Monday to take care of her daughter.

of them.—Lalley & Shuter.

The Twine Situat!on.

The proposed monopoly of sisal relief. by a clique of Mexicans, backed by American capital with headquarters in New Orleans, is exciting the retail dealers throughout the country. They realize that this combination, if the proposition is put through as planned, will have a practical Thursday from Grand Rapids, the twine manufacturers in this to see her again.

Edison diamond disc phono- while their stocks will cost them Friday. Mrs. P. was elected Secregraphs re-create music minus the vastly more, if this combination tary of Pamona Grange in place of disagreeable noise common to succeeds in its plans, than heretalking machines using needles, tolore, the victim will be the Ed. Potter gave a progressive pedro Hear them at Stocking's, adv farmer. He must have a certain party with 35 present. All had a The United Fuel and Supply Co. of Detroit, Free Press building in sending out fine large calendars showing the Detroit water front. Enclose four cents in stamps with your request.

Miss Mattie Boulard, well the farmers from this imposition, and are now working, through their state associations, to the end that an investigation of the entertained by Addie Daniels Feb. 2. Miss Mattie Boulard, well known in Lowell and vicinity as a nurse for many years, died at Mancelona and was buried Jan
Mancelona and was buried Jan
Hend that an investigation of the plan to be made by the proper federal authorities. It is believed by many who have investigated by many who have investi headquarters will be made in this stay and was called back Monday to country, the Sherman anti-trust It is suggested to dealers that of their congressman to the mat-

they not only call the attention fluence with our national legislators that an investigation be Births and deaths in Grand to hold up the twine users of the brought about and the scheme

country be nipped in the bud. -Implement Age.

FOR RHEUMATISM

As soon as an attack of rheumatism begins apply Sloan's Lintment. Don't waste time and suffer unnecesiment and after using it three or four thought there were ten actors on am up and well. I am employed to where they employ from six to eight hundred hands, and they surely will "The Battle Cry," a tale of the all hear about Stoan's Liniment.—H. feuds in the Kentucky mountain B. Smith, San Francisco, Cal.—Jan.

ELMDALE

Glenn Stahl entertained the young Mrs. Gus Deardorf entertained her

per year and now is the time to Guy Singleterry, who has been P. M. telegraph operator at Elmdale for The istallation of officers and en the agentahip at Clarksville. John

Minnie Moore accompanied Leitha

Mrs. Steve Custer has a bouquet of

day evening until further notice.

—Ionia Standard.

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—Ionia Standard. Sparta—The Kent County Po-mona grange has installed the following officers: Overseev A

Freston.

Kugel Bros. of Grand Rapids, upholsterers and furniture repairers, have opened a branch at the American store, Lowell. They operated here six years ago and gave satisfaction.

Engage of the remedy that already has created a such a widespread demand in Lowell. Solvax is not just merely a kidney treatment, it is a medicine that puts the entire, pain-racked body into normal condition and gives vigorous health after the many painful disorders caused directly or indirectly by sick kidneys. A change for the better will be seen after the like the such a widespread demand in Lowell. Solvax is not just merely a kidney treatment, it is a medicine that puts the entire, pain-racked body into normal condition and gives vigorous health after the many painful disorders caused directly or indirectly by sick kidneys. A change fixed train leaves 4:50 p. m., daily ex. Sunday liked train lea of the remedy that already has creat-

WHITES ERIDGE

Joe Shear and family were in Loweli last Thursday, the guest of his uncle, D. O. Shear. to Grand Rapide last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John King drove to Fallasburg Sunday and spent the that when a manufacturer says, "My day with the latter's stater, Mrs. Los Jenkins came home from Beld. ing Saturday to spend over Sunday. Mrs. Ella Richmond has returned

home after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Bowen, Homer Morris and Lodowic Shear were in Beiding Saturday night.

Mrs. and Mrs. R. F. Jenkins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caboou in aranac last Wednesday hight. Mrs. Tom Morris drove to Beiding last Saturday and spent the day with Mrs. Leo Benson.

Good Backs for Bad

Lowell Residents Are Learning How to Exchange the Old Back for a Stronger One. Does your back ache, feel weak and

painful? Do you suffer headaches, languot and depression? is the urine discolored, passages

irregular" The kidneys may be calling for Weak kidneys cannot do their work.

Give them the help they need. To cure a kidney backache you must cure the kidneys. time a tested and proven kidnes

Convincing proof of merit in Low ell endorgement:

Mrs. A. G. Sinclair, R. F. D. 50, Don't miss those \$15.00 suit Lowell, says: "I cannot say too bargains. Stylish 1915 suits all much in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have used them on several occasions for kidney complaint and back. ache and they never falled to give me

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that ndv

KEENE CENTER.

Mrs. Hancorne, we hear, has been monopoly of the sisal output and tonging to see some of her old friends will be able to dictate prices to here. We are sure all would be glad

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. E. Pinkney attended the The dealers also realize that Pomona Grange at Berlin Center last Last Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs.

the plan that, inasmuch as American capital will back it and the from Grand Rapids for a few days.

There was a nice crowd out to church Sunday. That is right; come Preaching every Sunday at 2:30, p. m., fast time. All are invited.

On Thursday Mrs. Ed. Potter gave a party for her oldest son's tenth anniversary. Fifteen children were there and left many nice presents which were appreciated by the recipient.

Try Ledger Job print.

NORTH CAMPBELL Mrs. Mary Johnson visited Wed-nesday with Mrs. Charley Richard-Mrs. L. Seese spent last Friday at the home of Joe Berkey. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Robbins vis-

ited Sunday afternoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rob-Vernon Trowbridge was a Lowel

visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bedell and Bernie spent Sunday with H. Hay and wife of Clarksville Mr. and Mrs. Earl King and son of Elmdale were Sunday guests at the home of Oxel Johnson Mrs. Martha Layer, Anna and George of South Lowell spent Sunday "tth Lewis Leece and wife.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

y local applications, as they cannot each the diseased portion of the ear, here is only one way to cure deafness, ad that is by constitutional remedies, seafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustahian Tube. When this tube is inflamed out have a rumbling sound or imperfect caring, and when it is entirely closed, cafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this ube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; ninecases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Bollars for any case of beafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by liall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

E.J. CHENEY, 2 CO., Toledo, Obie.

Bold by Druggists, 75c.

LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

Effective May 30, 1915.



Rexall Grderlies

The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste

Protects every member of the family from Constipationthe enemy of good health

104 254 504

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative.

Trial size, 10 cents. D. G. LOOK THE REXALL STORE

Pullen Block

CARD OF THANKS.

Words fail to express our appreciation and gratitude to the friends and neighbors who have been so kind during the few weeks our dear son and brother was with us in his last days of suffering. To the Cheerful Doers, and Mrs. Sinclair had . Foster-Milburn | the Woman's Bible class of the M. E. church; and may He who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb be your comfort and support when affliction sore comes to your sorrowing hearts. May our dear heavenly Father's blessing rest upon each and every one.

The Lowell Ledger.

Mother, Mrs. Packard

Classified Advertising.

and Children.

Your small want advertisement in this column will receive careful consideration by Lowell Ledger readers. If you need help, or want a situation, have something to buy or sell, have lost or found something, you will find this column profitable. Rates-1 cent a word for first insertion, i cent a word thereafter. No advertisement inserted for less than 12 cent. Cards of thanks and oblinary verses 5e per line. Positively

ORN FOR SALE-Inquire of Geo. horoughbred Hoistein calves, both

no deviation from this rate.

you can get one for nothing. Phone

sex. Write for information how

FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein built calf born Dec. 10, 1915, also grade Holstein built born May 21, 1915. Geo. D. Clarke, Lowell, Mich. Citz. phone, Alto. OUBLE CUTTER for sale. Inquire

of Mrs. M. VanArsdale, Lowell. c31 FOR SALE-Cutting box, almost new. Mrs. Benj. Soules. Lowell.

FOR SALE-Thoroughbred White Wyandottes, 4 pullets, 2 cockerels, -U. B. Williams. c32 FOR SALE—Seasoned second growth

wood, \$2.25 per cord, delivered. Phone 68-4, Leonard R. Kerr. 34p FARM FOR SALE,-40 acres on Section 27, Cascade township, ½ mile west of Cook bridge on Thornapple river. Good buildings, 10-room house, good barns and outbuildings. Good soil, all improved. For further information call Dutton, Bell phone 41, 21 or write to Chas. Lawyer, Lowell, Mich., Box 202.

FOR SALE OR TRADE o acre improved farm 35 miles southwest of Lowell. Might trade for small place in or near Lowell— Jacob Maurer. R. F. D. No. 6, Low-

TO RENT—Third floor, Kopf block, well suited for lodge purposes. Inquire G. W. Bangs.

FOR RENT—Good house on west side.—Geo. M. Parker. c29 TO RENT—House right edge Pere Marquette depot, \$6.00 monthly. Will sell for \$600, \$100 down, bal-

ance \$15.00 monthly with interest 6 per cent. House rebuilt, in fine shape. Owner, A. B. Spinney, Smyrna, Mich. 54p EW DISCOVERY-Hand made Hurley 5c cigar. Have you tried one? Mild and sweet! Made in

MISCELLANEOUS Shorthorn Bull, Royal Monarch 356703, will be found on the farm of A. L. Pant & Son for public service. \$1.00 cash at time of service with a return privilege.

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WANTED-To buy young team,

troit, Mich. NAME CARDS printed in correct styles, right prices. Ledger office

HELP WANTED

We want forty girls and women for

sorting beans at once in new and

up to-date bean picking plant. Will pay 6c per pound. Apply at once. Six Lakes Elevator Co., Six Lakes, Mich., per G. C. Marotzke, IRLS WANTED! Steady work,

good pay. Apply to Ypellanti Reed Furniture Co., Ionia, Mich.

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KITCHEN ECONOMY

You can not save money as long as your profits go into the garbage can. And that is where impure and unwholesome groceries and provisions often find their way. Shop the other way-buy foodstuffs that have no waste-make every ounce count in the strength and vitality of life.

We offer you groceries and other eatables that will stand the test-that will register 100 per cent pure-that are cheapest because there is no waste. It is economy to buy such goods-it is extravagant and wasteful to buy anything else. Plug up the financial leaks in your kitchen, and your pocketbook will experience a healthy relief.

with us and let it mark the beginning of better financial days for you.

This store is the home of "Kitchen Economy." Trade

Phone 250

G. W. BANGS & CO.

Lowell Granite & Marble Works

We bought a large stock of Granite in the fall of 1915, before the Quarry prices were raised, and can give you the benefit of last year's prices as long as thi stock lasts. Place the order with us now for the Monument or Marker you wish set in Spring of

J. H. Hamilton Estate

Citz. Phone No. 20. Lowell, Mich.

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Sell Your Junk Now At the High Prices!

Rags,\$1.00 per 100 lbs. Waste Paper......20c per 100 lbs. Clean Magazines and Books ... 25c per 100 !bs.

If you have no way to deliver

junk, call for me and I will be glad to take it. Furs Bought and highest market Prices

AMERICAN STORE

SAM RICE, Proprietor.



Black Silk Stove Polish

Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the shine lasts four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware and grocery dealers.

All we ask is a tial. Use it on your cook stove, your parlor stove or your gas range. If you don't find it the best stove polish you contact, your dealer is authorized to referred your money. Insist on Brack Silk Stove Polish.

Made in liquid or paste—one quality. Black Silk Stove Polish Works Sterling, Illinois Inc Black Silk Air-Drying from Enam

'A Shine in Every Drop' Read the LEDGER.



The Mark on

The Lowell Ledger \$1.00 per white, regular stock business envelopes, size 6%, printed with your name and address, in neat box only \$1.25 The Ledger lob print, to for you now.

Know.

in town Friday.

Rapids Saturday.

Dale Buttermore was hom

Mrs. A. Abbott of Saranac is G. visiting her niece, Mrs. E. Hansen. S. P. Hicks made a business Mr. and Mrs. Clare Ford of quite ill. Moseley were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Vandenbrock Floyd Russell of Whites Bridge

to the house by illness for several D. Stocking.

at the home of her parents in

Floyd Oliver went to Grand Rapids Monday; after a few days

Letters advertised Jan. 21 1916, J. Holland, Edward Mack,

After searching the earth for better stylus-material, a Victor expert discovered the miraculous reproducing and wearing qualities of tungsten. The Tungs-tone Stylus will play from fifty to two hundred records or even more. The life of the Tungs-tone Stylus depends on the character and volume of the records played. You don't have to change the Tungs-tone Stylus until it wears out. When this takes place the stylus simply stope reproducing as a signal for a new one. There is no danger of spoiling the record, because, strange to say, tungsten it softer than the record; although its wearing quality is one to two hundred per cent better than the hardest steel. We cannot explain why—it is one of nature's secrets—a phenomenon. We only know this true and recommend the True of Strike to all

Important Announcement

it is true and recommend the Tungs-tone Stylus to all No needles to change is the common nostrum of manufacturers of machines operated with a permanent jewel point, but the Victor Company knows what others will learn in time, namely: that no permanent point can be made to last forever on hard disc records. The jewel stylus was a success on the old wax cylinder records, but jewels do wear rough in time, and if not instantly detected and changed, will quickly spoil a valuable collection of records—a most insidious danger; hence the Victor Steel Needle, to be used but once, was the only practical needle for the new gramophone type of hard record

until the discovery of the miraculous properties of tung-

of tungsten projecting from the end of a steel holder in

Tungs-tone is a trade-name and was coined for the

The new Tungs-tone Stylus lies in a small cylinder

The tiny cylinders of tungsten reproduce Victor Records better than any other known material. Smooth, strong and full as to tone. The Victor Tungs-tone Stylus fits all Victor sound The quantity will be limited at first, but we hope to have enough to supply our trade this week. We have always maintained the Victor was the best

Call at our store anytime for demonstration or, bet-

ter still, let us make a demonstration in your own home.

U. B. WILLIAMS, Jeweler

New Records are in.

sten for reproducing styli.

which it is rigidly set.

talking machine and with the new needles there is no room for doubt.

THE HEART OF NIGHT WIND

A STORY OF THE GREAT NORTH WEST ILLUSTRATIONS BY TRAY WALT = TES TO COMPANY

CHAPTER XXVI.

The Spirit of the East.

young forest ranger, and in less than that mighty voice commanded cessa- fallen from the roof since some long-It takes in the telling these two keen | tion. and the soldier, were ready to grap-

It was a Titan struggle, and it was instinctively. indicative of the force that has coning in semidarkness beneath the Get out!" threatening forest, choked by the Walter Sandry, working near the

the lie of the timber, the lines that | Belt! were likely to go fastest, following the and each man had to take care of him-

archs of the forest, hoary with a thou raised his stentorian cry and flying sand years of age, crashing through figures halted a moment, stopped obstructing branches, shook the earth against their will by its compelling each moment. With each such stu- power, pendous fall wealth and world-economy and prudence trembled at the I'm going to stay! Who'll stay with sacrilege. It was a carnival of waste, me?" a sacrifice of the gifts of God-and | Out of the dense obscurity came Colamong all those who fought it with lins, a huge, fantastic figure, and stood heart and hand and brain there was beside him without a word. In the tennone who knew its worldwide import sion of the time Sandry reached out so well, who lamented it so keenly a hand and gripped the giant's shoulas the lean, brown forest rangers der. whose special foe it was.

"And to think a dozen miles of gov- cried.

told of it that day, and it awakened swered that call, and they were alone no more interest than would have at- in the purgatory of heat and smoke. tended the announcement of a heavier All the rest were running for their run of salmon than was usual in the lives down the cleared fall toward the

They were too common, those fires | From time to time Sandry glanced

go anywhere unhindered.

the years-passed to the Hunting den's men in savage enmity, to join Grounds and the reservations, via civ- their ranks later with happy irresponilization, and now the great timber sibility at the call of gold, and was had shed its dry foliage and its pitch, still willing to turn back to fight with the little growths had sprung up sea. him on death's brink, because he had son after season, the vines had crept returned their taunt of East and West. between and a man might not penetrate the fastnesses without built

So Destiny took up the land and fall, the kindling saplings laid on All through the early hours of the long night they labored, dirty, black ning here and there, digging like mad in the wide trench that was to stop the surface flames, sawing unceasingly at the towering trees, while the guards brought twenty-minute tidings

of the approaching fire. High against the dun, smoke-light ened sky the dark canopy of the East Belt whispered and mouned as if in fear, and from time to time Sandry, a haggard, grim-lipped specter of a man, lifted his bloodshot eyes toward it. It was still his own, his future of the Dillingworth, despite the tangle of Hampden's threats, the unrecorded deed and the unfinished trail of the Yellow Pines at the south, and it

impenetrable timber near the summit of the big ridge which must be cut air by that call. through before the flames reached it. or all would be lost.

pulled at his heart pathetically.

the owner desperately of Daily, who sened. ran by in the smoke with wet rags to tie over the mouths of the men

it was two o'clock and that hour in the sleeping world outside when all the elements are at an ebb.

Then, all suddenly, Destiny laughed.

Hated Reptile Not Nearly So Black as

He Has Been Painted by Those

Who So Not Like Him.

A big part of the fear is unfounded.

He gives Wa warning with a set of

shell-like ratties on the end of his tail,

by which he is most easily distin-

which he males with his tail.

RATTLER IS MUCH MALIGNED | which may be two or three times a KNOWN AS FRIEND OF BIRDS | pire state passed the plumage law for-

tide turned. Hell broke loose upon the land and heaven was not. Fire encompassed the world. Its increased Company H, under Captain Donald- roar changed to the thunder of the son, they trotted swiftly up with the spheres. It appalled the hearts of quickstep of hard-trained infantry men, stayed their hands in fright. All and stood in column of fours while throughout the darkness of rolling earth. It ran backward into the ridge. the officers sought the head of af- smoke wherein they worked between fairs. Daily promptly sent for the the raging torrent and the East Belt

one man where there was no commuple with the enemy. Light-marching nication save between those a few feet more easily, standing close together, kits were dumped upon the ground apart, they dropped their spades, their and the hard-muscled men took to tattered blankets, their axes. They humanity. Sandry stood at the mouth, the hills and the timber under quick, straightened from their labor, leaving the last to enter. He looked out in decisive orders. Two hours later the cross-cuts in the trunks. Here and hushed amaze at the unchained madwagons arrived with commissary supthere, above the solemn thunder ness of the burning world. The great plies and the smoky, blackened val- hoarse voices began to call. It was fire had reached its zenith. It came the time to quit and they realized it booming and roaring to the fall and

"Out! Out! Out!" they cried to quered nature-the human atoms toil- each other in the dusk. "Get out!

smoke, flayed by the almost unbear apex of the pushing line, saw men be rolled into it and here and there a able heat, menaced by the flames that ginning to run past him back along the at any moment might sweep here or trench and the cutting. He lifted des There was no air to breathe. Like there among the rocks and declivities perate eyes to the ridge whose dim of the uneven hills and cut off escape. crest he could see between the boies, That was the great danger they so near had they won to victory. Only guarded against-the possibility of a few more big pines, a dozen saplings, getting hemmed in. Guards were de- a scant few yards of trench and it tailed to watch the vanguards of the would be done-the long lane of safety foe, to note the speed of the flames stretched across the neck of the East

"Stop! Stop!" he cried with different growths, but in the mysteri- a great voice that came from the very ous dusk and the silence of vast depths of his lungs with borrowed mingled sounds they were impotent power. "Stand by me, men! For God's sake stand by!"

He saw dim shapes falter, half turn The mighty boom of falling patri- toward him and start on. Again he

"I'm Johnny Eastern, all right, but

"A dozen men and we've won!" he

ernment trails would have prevented. He saw the halting shapes turn. it!" cried the leader with an oath gather another and another, retrace bluff. But the awful moments dragged Out in the valleys beyond, the heavy their steps and spring back into the by and Sandry stood at the entrance. smoke had obscured the setting sun darkness. Every man of them was The flames passed all measurement of Range it had spread up to the heav- home. He leaped himself for the figures at his feet. He felt himself goens, drifted afar on the changing wind handle of a saw sticking out from the and all the distant valley of the Wil- bole of a 150-foot sugar pine and the lamette knew that the forest fires whining song of the cross-cuts rose

The papers throughout the state Fourteen men had heard and anvalley beyond the dip.

that sported with the national wealth upward at the increasing light. The each year, too much a part of every- sugar pine fell with a rending roar, day life, and they did not know that and with Harris, who, he saw for the this was to be a marker of time in first time, had been pulling with him.

he ran to the next. Time was when they were unknown, He saw as he ran that one of the these monsters of destruction-a long- men, working like a fury to fell the past time it was, when those first for- saplings, was Murphy, who had greetest rangers, the silent Red Men of ed his pompous "Dillingworth" with the hills, had burned out the under- such grinning irony in the old days. brush each year so that a pony might | He had a moment's vague wonder at this odd stripe of humanity that could The silent rangers had gone with hold such prejudice, fight with Hamp

One by one, in silence, in a tension that drew the skin tight on their faces they saw the last remaining monarchs

played with it that hot, dry August, earth, the trench, much narrower and Against time, against heat that scorched their bare arms and tortured their starting eyeballs, against a stifling atmosphere that drove them nearer and nearer to the earth for breath, they drew the last blade, sent the last big pine crashing toward the

The ridge was clear in the increas

"Now!" cried Sandry with the tri umph of a general on a victorious field, "now for the ridge and over!" But even as he dropped his saw and ran, calling his men, Collins' big voice came through the rolling smoke with the calm of finality. "Ain't no 'over.' It's a ninety-foot drop on to hard rock beyond that

Sandry stopped in his tracks, his There was still a stretch of almost head cleared as it with a whiff of salt

The men had closed in with the in stinct of their kind to be together in "Shall we make it, John?" asked danger, as if so the danger were les-

But the Easterner was undaunted. "Then we'll take to the East Belt," "Ought to if the wind stays where he cried. "even though it is a crown fire and coming fast, I think our treuch will hold it."

With all confidence he turned to the south. Instinctively the men had list."

where fallen logs dry and pitch-laden

"Is it over, Collins?" he asked, streamers of flame were licking across steadying his voice. it. The half-looked-for had happened. "Over? Look yonder. Feel th' wind. The little bunch of fighters were It's changin' again. Th' fire's back-

consternation at the red canopy.

the fall?" said Collins hoarsely.

But one by one they stooped and

entered the small black hole in the

scarce the height of a tall man, its

floor uneven with the heaps of earth

forgotten prospector had carved it

Here for a moment they breathed

a sweating, panting, waiting mass of

the trench. Its sound was indescrib-

able. The heat grew until the fiesh on

Sandry's arms and face rose in blis

ters. A sheet of flame shot sheet

then they lost control of themselves.

"II-" And he flung himself forward.

A smooth, black muzzle came forth and

"I'll shoot the first man that at-

tempts to pass me," said Sandry

Raving and cursing, he backed away.

begged to be allowed to pass, and one

"S'letz," he muttered, "little S'letz-"

When he came to himself again, men

were crawling across him. He could

breathe better and the light had les-

sened. He sat up, wincing at the mov-

ing of his scorched skin over the

forest of tall, black spikes, picked out

here and there by heavy spots of fire

ing out in the darkness.

die an' get ut over!"

against the light beyond.

and lie down."

hemmed in, ringed around by fire. crawled toward the Siletz basin three Death faced them on every side. miles, I'll bet, while we've ben savin' Then, as the owner sent a searching this end. We've only begun to fight." ook to every quarter, he sprang tor-

CHAPTER XXVII. "Here!" he cried, "here! Into it! Every man of you. In, I say!" The Shot in the Hills. At the crest of the sheer ridge an old, abandoned tunnel gaped in the gloom, a dim haven of refuge Its nouth was overhung by vines, its re-

At camp they met a party, headed by the foreman, just starting out in search of them. Their absence had been discovered only when Daily, comcess mysterious in the blackness. Saning in from the north, where his work dry sprang to its edge and turned back had been laid out, had asked for Sanfor the men to pass. They stood, a small, silent bunch, gazing in wordless

At sight of him the three women standing together at the foot-log gave evidence, each in her way, of those emotions which the suspicion of his fate had stirred.

On Ma's face was an unbounded pride that he had come through, a man of parts, abundantly able to care for himself among a hardier crew. On Miss Ordway's there lay a vast relief, while Siletz played with the collar of her blue shirt with trembling fingers and moistened her dry lips.

Sandry turned and looked up at the darkened east with a profound joy. He swept his eyes north to where the red heaven flared and staggered to his

"Three hours, ma," he croaked in a voice of warning, "only three hours sleep for all of us If you give us longer I'll never forgive you." It was true, as Collins said, that

they had only begun to fight

Through the hours, days, nights that across the tunnel's mouth. Smoke followed the saving of the East Beit they took no note of time. Up along gasping breath ended in a moan the blackened, devastated valley the soldiers moved their camp. Ma Daily trapped animals the men jumped here shut the cook-shack and suborned a and there, feeling for an opening, a wagon to haut her big range up and crevice to crawl into, away from the deposit it alongside the camp stoves agony of heat and suffocation. And of Company H, where she dispensed coffee to her men and all others with "My God" cried Murphy shrilly, "I impartial zeal. Miss Ordway, her skirts can't stand ut! Let me out an' I'll tucked up from the contamination of the burned earth which rose in hot. He came groping to the entrance, black puffs at every moving foot, was facing the increasing heat. His face compelled to help if she would hold that was a madman's, his mouth open, his espionage over Siletz from which she fingers crooked like talons. But at the hoped to realize her ambition. A bitmouth, that was as the gate of hell, he ter hatred sharpened her blue eyes met the Easterner, a straight figure upon the girl, and she ached to seize her and tear out of her blouse that "No," said Sandry sternly, "go back packet of proofs. She was angered at herself that all her cleverness had "What?" he shrieked, "what? You damned Johnny! You tenderfoot!

failed to recover them before this. So the hours passed with smoke and heat and a sun like a copper shield. Men came and went in relays, sleeping pushed its brazen menace into his upon the ground for short shifts, rig idly apportioned and obser ed. The flood of flame, runner after an arrant wind, had piled its forces in leaping billows in among the northern hills It seemed a thing of irresistible might. More than one of the fourteen but the toilworn men hung to its flank with a dogged persistence, emboldened of the lumberjacks from Sacramento and encouraged by the success on the

> Daily's warnings. At each fresh sight of his face the girl Siletz was wrung with anguish. It seemed as if he could bear no more and yet the spirit in him drove him on.

Once she ventured a timid protest. "What is the timber worth if you die?" she asked plaintively, and Sandry, still somewhat of a boy, parried muscles underneath, crawled out with the yearning question. the rest and one by one they rose to "Who would care?" he laughed

their feet. The great timber of the wryly, "would you, Little Squaw?" East Belt farther down stood serried The girl did not answer, but as she and green. The effort had not been in turned away the ready mist sprang to vain. The holocaust was checked, the her eyes and he reached a contrite hand to her shoulder. Back toward the north stretched a

"Forgive me! I know you would!" It seemed to Siletz as the horror swept north and the men were lost for hours in the dim fastnesses, that something was about to happen.

silent, listening, the muscles of each drawn taut. From time to time the benzine or carbon disulphid. The wax great mongrel would squat upon his thus obtained is then refined by being

And then came a dawn when no one lubricant or treated to obtain the sugar your promise-" came in for breakfast, when the sun, which it still contains. coming over the ridge to the east. turned the heavy canopy to shadowed pearl. The three women waited in that silence which ever attends the waiters accord between them. Ma Daily had long ago shut this "bird o' th' earth' out of her good heart and Siletz hated her with the fury of the woman whose mate is threatened.

At last a solitary Indian came down the valley, running, his mouth full of excitement and dolorous prediction The whole of the Siletz would go. It was the wrath of the Great Spirit turned loose upon a wicked world. It Collins' Big Voice Came Through the was the judgment. There was nothing verted to the ancient gods, and Siletz checked him sternly. burned steadily. The green canopy

"What do you mean, Quanna?" she was gone, every vine and bit of brush, said, "have you forgotten the Preacher every sapling and fer a. Only a thin and the Bible? There is only one God edge still crackled and snapped with and he holds us in the hollow of his hand. It is not the destruction of the "Mr. Sandry," said Harris, the saw- world. It will stop. What more has God the breed fills up the country!" | camp?"

features distorted in an expression of it had been here, a day, two days back. mingled gratitude and contrition, "I but ridge after ridge, valley after valtake it all back-every damn word I ley-the world, the earth, the heavens. ever said against you, an' it's a long Sandry was somewhere up behind the familiar to me, Higgins." Private-Hog Back.

wind that rose as the elemental ebb. flame. He whirled and glanced back his right to live and fight among them. ribbon between its gray and wilted the steps."

banks. Then she turned troubled eyes to the general. "Mother," she said, "I know it now. There's danger to Sandry, and I'm go-

"Child, you're wrong this time. Sandry's a man. Well as you know th' hills I can't let you go. I forbid it." They faced each other a moment while Siletz tossed back her braids and tightened her belt.

"I'm going," she said quietly. Ma Daily, who had raised her, said no more; but as she turned to the stove aimlessly—as was her wont in every time of trial, there was a deeper line about her tremulous old mouth. Swift as the wind the girl ran down

the valley toward the deserted camp.



She Felt a Prescience of Disaster Which Coosnah Shared.

her will, drawn by some subtle excitement, some urging power, she, too, gathered her skirts and began to run across the puffing ashes. At the leanto she came upon the other just leading out Black Bolt, a shining beauty. eager for the turf.

"I'm going too," panted Poppy, reaching for a bridle that hung behind

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Chemists Are Now Extracting Wax From the Refuse From Process of Sugar Refining.

More and more of the residues of industrial processes that used to be thrown away are being found to contain some useful substance. In some cases the value of what was originally considered a "by-product" has come to exceed that of the primary product itself. The residues of sugar refining gard as a ghost, stuck with the van- have been discovered to contain a valuable waxy substance in sufficient quantities to warrant its extraction on a commercial scale.

When a section of sugar cane is examined under the microscope it is seen that from the epidermis exude little protuberances, straight or curved Settled the Fate of the Disturbing and disposed perpendicularly to the surface. These are made of wax, which, the juice in the process of its extrac- estate, however, al! that was left was

carries them away in the refuse of the precipitation process, from which the

this extraction may be utilized as a basis. I want to release you from

pearance Carnauba wax, as also in its basis." hardness and high melting point. The

trial treatment of these residues. English Lawns as War Maps. value of certain positions in the pres- or took a quiet stroll. ent European war, because of the vast territory involved. Seeking to get around this difficulty, several English companion. lawns have been experimentally con verted into large scale, open air maps. stroll up and down the "firing line," gain a comprehensive idea of progress n warring operations. Small national

like it. He fell into jargon and re- On these huge plats one can actually old foolishness. You know a year flags mark the positions each country's the drought." armies occupy and the towns are indicated by small posts, also appropriatefiler, "if you're an Easterner I hope to happened, and where is Sandry of the ly flagged. Colored tape, staked down at intervals, shows the location of riv-He extended a hand which Sandry Everything had happened. The ers, and small stones set in the sod whole country was afire. Not only a spell out names of the various dis-"An me," said Murphy, his grimy ridge or two, a valley in between, as tricts.-Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Officer-"Your horse seems very "I don't wonder, sir, seeing the times "Forget it," said Sandry. He was no | For a moment the girl looked out | he brought you from the club. Why. East Belt was a wavering wall of longer Johnny Eastern. He had won across the slough, lying like a dirty you've kissed 'im before you went up

> Motorcyclist Riding Nightmare. C. H. Sargent, a motorcycle racer of Indianapolis, suffered a broken leg "He never wearled of preaching the in a race at Vincennes, Labor day,

> > He had a bad night shortly after bewas startled by hearing Sargent vell: "Hold her, Newt, hold her!" a catch saying among motorcyclists when a machine seems to be going too fast for the rider.

in, fearful that Sargent would fall out of bed. When he reached Sargent the rather foolish look on his face. "Did you call?" asked the interna

"Why, no," said Sargent, "but 1 could use a drink of water."

American Linotype to Africa. The first American linot;)e machine has recently arrived in 'fripoli, Afcolony.

That Careless Throw

> it wasted, though, when it cost money."

old shed where uncle used to store

tools, built right into the side of the

hill. I've had danger signs up all

around it and the door stoutly barri-

caded for over a year. Tomorrow I

think I'll take the stuff, package by

package, down to the ravine and sink

"Do be careful, John!" pleaded

Adria "-it is such dangerous stuff,

"Oh, I know how to handle it," de-

clared John confidently. "I hate to see

it in a deep slough."

borrow a wheelbarrow.

tramps.

plied John.

neared the shed.

"Bet you don't."

"Here goes"-crash!

"what's the occasion of guests, eh?"

our long tramp ahead, will you?"

John was always kind to the needy.

"Yes, we noticed the warning signs

around, boss," replied one of the men.

following him in the wildest excite-

"Fired it a-purpose?" panted the

the dynamite came to explode," re-

"Well, it's the last of your rainmak-

They passed the two tramps, rush-

ing away in vivid affright. They

"Hi! Look there, and here-I say!"

John shared his amazement and

halted and stared about them. Near by

were the blasted remains of a small

iron keg and the ground and paths

were spangled with glittering gold

The hidden store of the "miser's

gold" had come to light at last. Se-

creted in or near the old shed, it had

gone aloft with the explosion to come

They gathered it up and John took

"Keep it till we get married-next

LITTLE KNOWN OF THE RACE

History of the Letts and Lithuanians

Cannot Be Traced to Satisfac-

tory Conclusion.

The Letts and Lithuanians are two

kindred peoples of Indo-European ori-

gin, which inhabit several western

provinces of Russia and the northeast-

ern parts of Poland and Prussia. The

Letts are chiefly concentrated in

Vitebsk, Courland and Livonia. The

two races number about 3,500,000, of

whom 1,300,000 are Letts. Little is

known about their origin, and nothing

about the time of their appearance in

been able to maintain their national

character. Their ancient priests al-

ways worshiped in the forests, and

even now the veneration of great oaks

is a widely-spread custom in the vil-

lag . The Lithuanian, Lettic or Let-

tish, and Borussian languages together

constitutes a distinct linguistic group.

thought from German influence. This

movement has grown very much in in-

Large colonies of Lettic emigrants

have been established in the United

No Longer Menace to Humans.

but its occasional appearance among

human beings has never attracted any

attention until recently. Although it

is described in most medical text books

many physicians are not familiar with

its symptoms. This ignorance of the

disease is the chief source of danger

With preventive measures and cures

that have been perfected within the

it should be a menace to human life.

Growing Bodies Require Much Food.

Growing bodies have the most in-

nate heat, they therefore require the

little fuel, as it were, to the flame, for

Rube Was Homesick.

sonny! I ain't fed a hog or milked a

you do the chores this evenin'."-

Conductor-"Come out of it, mister.

most food, for otherwise their bodies

Anthrax as an animal disease has

States.-Montreal Herald.

down in an opulent shower.

shouted the constable. "Rain-why

there's been a golden rain here!"

you know."

"It's love that makes the world go round," proclaimed the wife of the vil

T. R. BENNETT

lage minister. "In the case of those two," replied the minister himself indulgently,

"that is certainly the case." "Those two" were manifestly happy and well-harmonized pair. They little resembled conventional lovers, however. John Burnham was thirtyfive and his studious face little suggested the ardent youth and sweetheart. Adria Newton was five years passing his own house, he saw two and indigestible material left over in his junior, gentle-faced and with a sort of spiritual beauty that kept her eyes girlish through which the true soul of a pure, loyal woman showed the men. "Sort of straighten us up for quick result is poisons and toxins

As they presented this lovely spring afternoon, so they had been in the public eye for over two years. Late out a plateful of bread and meat. in life love had come to glorify the ambitions of John Burnham. Adria had received his confession, proud and near that open shed yonder. It's danhappy. There had been in his life the gerous." simple wholesomeness of a real man and she honored and respected him. When Burnham had proposed to

Adria it had been in the presence of her three spinster sisters. At that time it looked as though the question picked up a rock. of geiting along was solved for John. His uncle had died leaving all he pos-



it over to Adria's home. Explosive. week," he directed, with a happy

with other waxy substances contained sessed to this favorite nephew. When in other parts of the plant, passes into the lawyers finished settling up the the ramshackly old house with twenty

acres of rocks and hills behind it. Old Daniel Burnham had been a surveyor and John had been his assistant idea of rescuing them was not long ever since boyhood. It was a dull life in a way, but John loved nature and For this purpose the slimy residue he took great enjoyment in his varied is placed in a receptacle, where it un- outdoor duties. When he learned that dergoes a fermentation which destroys a much mooted store of hoarded gold the fatty matters without attacking of his departed uncle had evaporated She felt a prescience of disaster the wax. The substance is then dried in moonshine and that all he had that which Coosnah shared, and they two in the sun and afterward in a current was practical was a leaky roof over

stood apart for long spaces of time. of warm air or in a furnace. The dry his head, he set at work to make the "My prospects have turned out pretty bad, Adria," he had told his haunches, lift his heavy muzzle toward extracted anew with petroleum es fiancee. "The surveying business is the dun-smoke heavens and bay with sence, and then by filtration through not what it used to be. It may be the land they now inhabit. Living in a long-drawn, silver note that was the clay or animal black. The residue of years before I can get on a settled a forested, marshy country, they have

> "No, John," Adria had replied, the Cane wax thus obtained is white or true levelight shining in her eyes, "we pale yellow. It much resembles in ap- will simply wait for the 'settled

dried slimy residue contains ten to business did not better with John for men who face danger. They were twelve per cent of it-a sufficiently Burnham. Like the current of an unused to the silence, for there was no large proportion to justify the indus ruffled stream, however, their love peacefulness. Twice a week evenings ary language). In the eighteenth cen-John called at the Newton home and It is often difficult to comprehend spent a pleasant hour with the four from a small map the significance of sisters. Twice a week he and Adria different movements and the strategic attended some village entertainment,

And now, John was gravely detailtensity during the last thirty years. ing a new trouble to his sympathetic

was saying. "It's a reminder of my ago I got it into my head that there observe how close one's position is to was something tangible to the theory that of the enemy, and, in general, of that scientist, whose lecture we atthe clouds to bring on rain and break

"I remember, John," replied Adria. sion on her gentle face.

All the town remembered, too, and smiled when they thought of it. Burnham had a mortar made and bought a prodigious lot of dynamite. He went last few years there is no reason why at his experiment carefully and scientifically. All the countryside invaded his little farm the day he shot the clouds. Lo. and behold! a drenching shower followed the bombarding of the clouds and John was triumphant. When, however, the signal service are wasted. In old persons the heart announced that the rain would have is feeble and therefore they require come anyway, there was a general

times in succession later on, John this account, also, fevers in old pertested his aerial artillery, it seemed to sons are not equally acute, because weazen up nature and the drought of their bodies are cold.-Health Culture. a decade ensued. "You see," John went on, "the town committeemen say that the dynamite which I have never been able to get You got to change here—this car goes

rid of is a menace to the community to the barn." Rube (seeing New York it and destroy it." "Why, what can you do with it?" cow in over a week, b'gosh. I'll help questioned Adria anxiously.

"Well, you know I have it in the Puck.

"California Pea Bean" Liked. genuine and most highly esteemed ar-Housewives who have mastered the ticle for conversion into Boston beans latter was lying comfortably with a fine art of baking beans testify that The integrity of the Boston Sunday by all odds the best raw material for breakfast has been preserved through the purpose is the "California pea the superlative medium. Had Been Unfortunate.

change of opinion. And when, four it would be extinguished by much. On

Old Gentleman (engaging new chauf;

Get the Habit of **Drinking Hot Water** Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally Next morning John proceeded to now instead of loading their system prepare to get rid of his troublesome with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" explosives. He went to the little shed you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perbuilt into the hill and proceeded to re- form miracles if you could believe move its doors. Inside, wrapped in these hot water enthusiasts.

old clothes, was a heap of the stuff There are vast numbers of men and which he had once fondly hoped would women who, immediately upon arising make him a successful rainmaker. He in the morning, drink a glass of real uncovered some of it, planned out how hot water with a teaspoonful of limemany journeys it would take to land stone phosphate in it. This is a very it in the ravine slough and started for excellent health measure. It is inthe home of his nearest neighbor to tended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and the thirty feet of intestines "Hello!" he observed quickly, as, of the previous day's waste, sour bile frowsy tramps seated on the steps- the body which, if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of "Just grub, mister," replied one of bacteria which infest the bowels, the which are then absorbed into the blood causing headache, bilious at-He went into the house and brought tacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleep-"Fill yourselves, friends," he spoke. lessness, impure blood and all sorts

"I say, though, one thing-don't go of ailments. People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone But after John had gone and the phosphate from any druggist or storemen had finished their meal, as they keeper. This will cost very little but were leaving the yard one of them is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sani-

"Bet the next dime I get that I hit tation. that sign nigh the shed first shot out Just as soap and hot water act on of the box!" bragged one of the the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach. liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vast-That careless throw, landing a mis- ly more important to bathe on the insile among the dynamite stores, had side than on the outside, because the settled the fate of the disturbing ex- skin pores do not absorb impurities inplosive. The fearful detonation to the blood, while the bowe! pores do.

brought John rushing back, a crowd -Adv. Inexplicable.

"I understand Scribson's latest novel is a failure, although he hoped it would

town constable, keeping up with him. "Oh, no, and I can't imagine how be a 'best seller.' "How do you account for that?" "I can't explain it. The binding of the book would make it an ornament for anybody's library table, and the ing experiment, hey?" submitted the illustrations were done by a well-

known artist."

'CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath Sour Stomach and constinution.

Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels

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bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery. A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children-their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Pienty of Material. "Do you think that society belle will

make much noise when she goes on

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a Lettic is divided into high (the eastern small box of Barbo Compound, and & oz. of dialects), low (spoken in northwestglycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any drugern Courland), and middle (the litergist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling tury a great educational movement hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. "Young Letts" has been prominent in It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or an endeavor to free their language and greasy, and does not rub off .- Adv.

Hamburg has an experimental plant that obtains power from the ebb and flow of North sea tides.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative-three for a cathartic .- Adv.

If some people knew how little they been carefully studied of recent years, know they would probably talk less.

When Housework Drags

Keeping house is hard enough when well. The woman who has a bad back, blue, nervous spells, and dizzy headaches, has a hard lot, for the family tasks never let up. Probably it's the result of kidney trouble and not the much-feared "woman's weakness." Strengthen the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills. They are as harmless as they are effective and may be used

for children with weak kidneys, too.

A Michigan Case

Mrs. Anna Wright, Mrs. Anna Wright, 412 Vermont Ave.. Detroit, Mich., says: "I had intense pains in my back and kidneys and the kidney secretions were full of sediment. I tired easily, lacked energy and had trouble in breathing. When I read about

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lose a rattle or two. His color varies from yellowish "Well dad?" brown to dark brown. The snake is "How much is this new venture of defeats, but in 1910 his efforts were markable parrot because he's a great Italia, the only newspafer in the darkest just before he sheds his skin, yours going to cost me?"

rattles. Now it is known that some tious father. "That's the way for you

year. When he makes an attack he doesn't "leap through the air," and he cannot strike farther than his own length, usually not that far. Since the common rattlesnake rarely grows be-Rare, indeed, are wild creatures of youd five feet in length, you see his this continent which are capable of range is limited.

causing the fear and respect that the enemy.

Point to Consider. "Dad," said the prodigal son, "now guished from other snakes. It used to that I'm home again and have had my be a common belief that the snake fling, I'm going to do something to added a rattle each year and that you make you proud of me." could tell his age by the number of "All right, son," answered the cau-

times he will grow three rattles in a to .alk, but I will reserve my conyear and that old snakes sometimes gratulations until you make one point clear.

William Dutcher Remembered for His cruelty." Unceasing Fight Against

Their Enemies.

health. Following is an extract from slightest interest in his hobby." the article about him:

"Nothing ever tired or discouraged nim. Ending a day's work in his oftice, he would jump on a train to go thought you said this parrot was a and do another harder day's work be remarkable bird." Bird Fancierfore midnight among the legislators at "Yes, sir. What I said was that he Albany. Politicians lived in terror of had been brought up in the company this bird crank' The aigrette trade, of learned men, and was full of phiwhich he fought from the first, spiked losophy and scholarship. Of course, his guns when it could with a paid he don't talk. Mere idle words have lobby. He got hard knocks and many no attraction for him. But he's a re- rica, and been installed by La Nuova

bidding the sale of 'the white badge of

great value of insectivorous birds to and was in the hospital there for sevagriculture; yet the farmers and fruit eral weeks. In the American Magazine appeared growers of the United States probably an article about William Dutcher, who never will realize how much his labors ing taken to the hospital. The ward Nor is he so hungry for human flesh did more than any other American to benefited them. He cared not a feath was quiet when the whole hospital as most percons would imagine. He's awaken people to the cruelty and stu er's weight who got the glory for any very well satisfied with his diet of pidity of slaughtering beautiful and of his work, so long as it was accom-He's dangerous, but there's no use of mice, rats—yes, and sometimes a squir useful birds. He and others finally plished. Even the millinery dealers being frightened at him. In the first rel or a rabbit. He eats enough mice succeeded in having laws passed so and the game heg, while they fought place, he ut ally gives you an unmis and rats every year to make him the tar-reaching that they changed the his reforms, admitted his unsellishtakable war ing, a little buzzing hiss farmer's friend instead of a hated whole aspect of millinery. In the hard ness. There was nothing be would struggle Mr. Dutcher sacrificed his not do for anyone who showed the

Was Thinker, Not Talker. Customer-"I've been cheated. crowned with success when the Em thinker."

One of the internes came rushing

bean." It is the ne plus ultra of the Boston bean pot, and its higher price is only a reflection of its distinct su-

periority. Compared with its delicacy feur)-"I suppose I can write to your and fineness all other beans are gross last employer for your character?" and commonplace. The Pacific coast Chauffeur-"I am sorry to say, sir, beans that saved Boston are not a each of the last two gentlemen I have nakeshift, a compromise or a substi- been with died in my service."-

ute for "native beans." They are the Punch.



No Change. "It's a scandal the way women dress nowadays. Our grandmothers never

wore any such immodest garments." "Perhaps not, but I'd be willing to plied the prisoner. bet that your grandfathers made just as big a fuss over the things they did wear as you men do about the present off a watch before I pawned it."

PREPAREDNESS I

To Fortify The System Against Grip when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken, as this combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S sig-

No Change. Evelyn-How old is Mabel? Edithe-Twenty-four her last six

ing to grunt while you lift.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria The Ones Benefited Jerson-Everyone is opposed to divorce, but-Higson-The married ones. Happy is the wife who believes that It is easy to find a man who is will- her husband is the best man on

earth.

"What brought you here, my poor

"Just plain absent-mindedness," re-

Important to Mothers

infants and children, and see that it

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man?" asked the prison visitor.

"Why, how could that be?"

THE NEWEST REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM AND DROPSY blue from gray. I cannot even tell entered the hole head first, dragging what occurred to myself in those and pushing with hands and feet, eager

Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid trou- eaten, and even from some vegetables. I know I fought madly, blindly—again and again bles bring misery to many. When The poor kidneys get tired and back- sweeping a space clear with my the kidneys are weak or diseased, ache begins. This is a good time to these natural filters do not cleance take "Anuric," the new discovery of the blood sufficiently, and the poisons Dr. Pierce for Kidney trouble and Backare carried to all parts of the body, ache. Neglected kidney trouble is There follow depression, aches and responsible for many deaths, and Inpains, heaviness, drowsiness, irrita- surance Company examining doctors bility, headaches, chilliness and rheu- always test the water of an applicant matism. In some people there are sharp before a policy will be issued. Have pains in the back and loins, distressing you ever set aside a bottle of water bladder disorders and sometimes obsti- for twenty-four hours? A heavy sedinate dropsy. The uric acid sometimes ment or settling sometimes indicates forms into gravel or kidney stones. kidney trouble. If you wish to know When the uric acid affects the muscles your condition send a sample of your and joints it causes lumbago, rheumatism, gout or sciatica. This is the time Buffalo, N. Y., and describe symptoms. to send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, It will be examined without any ex-Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for large trial pack- pense to you, and Dr. Pierce or his

During digestion uric acid is ab- Anuric is now for sale by dealers, in sorbed into the system from meat 50c pck'gs.

NOTHING FOR BROWN TO DO MAKES ICE IN HOT WATER

Only Minor Matters Came Up, and Those Were Wife's Privilege to Deal With.

Col. J. J. Irish, who is a strong antisuffragist, said in San Francisco: creating new substances by pressure "The recent elections show plainly the unpopularity of woman suffrage. has crystallized water at nearly the

Brown's boots. club on the question as to who should be at the head of the house—the man or the woman.

'I'm the breadwinner.' Black said firmly, 'and, therefore, I rule in my

"'Well, sald Brown, before we were the immense forces of geology. married no wife and I made an agree- He has produced black phosphorus ment that I should make the rulings in and 30 other new substances by presall the major things, and she in all

the minor ones.' replied, 'no major matters have come square inch.

The Seat of Trouble. "Toothache?" "Yeah. Something terrible."

up.' "-Exchange.

"Which tooth is it?" A That new false tooth in front. had it filled with gold so that it would look natural, and the gold doesn't show a bit. Wouldn't that give you a

The genuine woman never buttons anything that she can pin.

Boston Scientist Also Has Succeeded in Boiling an Egg in Freezing

Temperature.

water to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel.

medical staff will inform you truthfully.

making ice at a temperature of thouvery high pressure, such as exists in the interior of the earth.

Twenty-two other liquids also have been crystallized at high temperature under the doctor's laboratory use of bub ceased.

sure and also boiled an egg at freez-

Dobsons have separated. What was the cause?"

"Incompatibility. He absolutely detested all the moving picture stars Does anybody know?" she admired.'

Old-Fashioned. "She's an old-fashioned girl, isn't his lieutenant?"

"Dear me, yes! She had on a frock at least six months old."-Life.

Work A Pleasure

is largely a matter of health; and in this a big factor is eating the right kind of food-food that repairs the daily wear and tear of body and brain-keeps one in

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made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies all the rich nourishment of Nature's field grains, including their vital mineral salts, so lacking in many foods, but all-important in building up and sustaining brain, nerve and muscle tissue.

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A TALE OF CIVIL STRIFE GARANDALL PARRISH ILLUSTRATIONS GAC.D. RHODES

voice answered from the vestibule,

touched a little in one arm."

ered the cover to the floor level.

breathlessly on the upper step, listen-

a mere fragment, burned dimly in one

corner, revealing what appeared to be

platform built half across it, its outer

edge protected by a low rail. A small

ing in the side wall next the floor.

barely large enough for a man's body

to squeeze into. Nothing else was

visible; no evidence left of the two

pefore I realized the possibility, my

head and shoulders emerged into the

water. But the church itself must

The rock ledge extended to the right.

cautiously, finding no other available

passage. It led gradually downward

until it seemed to merge into a beater.

the stream. The way was intensely

black, yet not difficult to follow by the

sense of touch, while the incessant

roar of the nearby water blotted out all

sound from above. Once I heard the

distance, and, looking up, I could per

ceive the red reflection on the trees

these I was plunged in a black soli-

tude, through which I must grope my

way, each step liable to plunge me

into uncertain peril. A hundred yards,

two hundred, and the trail swerved

more to the right, and began to mount

noward, zig-zagging among the trees

Slowly, cautiously, my head arose

above the crest, and the moon, just

peering out from behind the edge of a

cloud, gave me giimpse along tue level

CHAPTER XXVIII.

With Nature's Weapons.

To the right of where I lay was the

outline of the church, the windows

great to permit any sound of voices

however, stood wide open, and a con-

siderable body of men were grouped

lining the bank far above. But for

who had already passed that way.

No one answered.

"but he went outside. I think he was

"Pity is wasn't in the mouth; has

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CHAPTER XXVII-Continued.

They were upon us, jammed in the narrow doorways, each man fighting for life. I used gun and revolver. In anyone seen a woman?" the red mist before me were black shapes, hateful faces. Twice I lost foot and fell, but was up again, fronting them I stepped on dead bodies. slipped in pools of blood; falling men caused me to stagger; a slug of lead tore burning through my shoulder; a glancing knife blade ripped my forearm. I had no time, no room, in which to reload; my hands gripped the hot carbine barrel, and I swung the stock

increasing tide. We were all together groped about in the dark until my fin- they're thar now." now-Harwood, Wharton-the sole gers encountered the ring embedded handful left, and we made a fight of it, in the floor. The light of the sputterthe best we could. There was a mo- ing torch still left the pulpit platform burst forth: ment's pause, the merest instant in in shadow; Fox was at the other end which to breathe, and my eyes met of the church, his sharp voice rasping Harwood's. He was naked to the out orders. I got to my knees, and waist, hatless, blood dripping from a lifted the trap barely far enough to cut over one eye, the stock of his car- squeeze through. There was a gleam bine shattered.

"Ah, gunner of Staunton," he called dark outline of the steps leading down. out cheerily, although his voice Some eye might distinguish the glimcracked with dryness. "Didn't I tell | mer, yet I thrust my body through the you if you wanted a good time to line narrow opening noiselessly, and lowthe cavalry."

"I forgot to scratch the monogram "Forward, men, forward!" It was Fox's voice, although I saw nothing of ing that the movement had been obhim. "Once more, and it's over with- served. I waited an instant, crouched Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for

"Now, lads, meet them!" burst out ing. My eyes surveyed those contract-Harwood. "About me, Third Kentucky ed surroundings curiously. The candle. here they come!"

They drove us in so as to encircle us, yet the jumble of benches served the interior of a huge box, with a as some protection to our rear. Perhaps the fact that there were Yankees between us and the pulpit prevented firing for we met hand to hand in a death grapple. I have seen battles wheel ingeniously arranged to operate a lever, occupied one end of the platform, and directly across was an opendeath grapple. I have seen battles, yet nothing like that; it was as though beasts of the jungle fought; men struggled with naked hands, struct death blows, fired into each other's faces, trampled over writhing bodies, cursing, or yelling defiance as they fell. I slipped down the steps, lowered We scarcely knew friend from foe, my body silently to the damp floor. I blue from gray. I cannot even tell entered the hole head first, dragging breathless moments. I know I fought to get quickly into the open. Almost sweeping a space clear with my weapon; hands gripped my throat my outer air and I hung suspended over hair, and I tore loose; fingers clutched a rock ledge, staring blindly down inat my legs, but I kicked free. I was to the unknown depths of a ravine. conscious of blows, of wounds: 1 The ledge itself was barely wide knew when Harwood fell, and was enough to afford foothold, yet I suctrampled under foot; I heard others ceeded in creeping out upon it, and scream; I saw the hated face of Anse | then in standing upright. The shoul-Cowan in the ruck and leaned for der of the hill was sufficiently steep him, but whom my mad blow struck I and high to shut out all view of the could not tell. Some rush, some quick log walls of the church, while below pressure of bodies, hurled me side was a black void, cut from which wise, caught me in a vise; I tripped arose the faint splashing of distant over a dead man, staggered to my feet again. I got footing on the pulpit have been lit up by this time, for a platform, and held it for an instant, reddish glow of light tipped the bank my gun-barrel crashing into the mass above, and bridged the dark ravine of faces below. Wharton joined me, a bull mad with rage; I saw him rend a fairly smooth path, and I followed it the pulpit stand from the floor and hurl it with all his strength into the ruck. Then twenty hands gripped him, hauling him down, a clubbed musket track, running directly south through descended, and the sergeant pitched a tangle of underbrush not far above

I went down, the very breath of life seemingly knocked out of me. I fell on the platform, back of where the pulpit desk had stood, and a body crack of guns, but they sounded at a I shink the voters were wise. There boiling point. Only the limitations of lay across me. If I lost consciousness are enough husbands already in his apparatus have prevented him from it was for no more than an instant, yet my whole body felt numbed and use-"Brown and Black," continued sands of degrees above zero, where less, I could scarcely move my fingers Colonel Irish, "were arguing at their the hardest metals melt. This hot ice to unclasp them from the gun barrel, is the permanent form of water under and every breath I drew was in pain. Still I realized all that happened, distinguished voices, and the shuffling of feet on the puncheon floor. I heard Fox shouting orders, as the mad hub-

forward like a log of wood There was

a shot, the blow of a rifle barrel, and

"That's enough! That's enough, men! It's ail over with. Here, sergeant, round up those prisoners; God knows there are few enough of the ing temperature by squeezing it with poor devils left. Guard those able to "Brown smiled wanly. 'So far,' he a pressure of 180,000 pounds to the walk outside. Now, Herzog, carry the wounded over here. What? Why, of course, you idiot, we are not savagesthose fellows fought like men, and are "I am surprised to hear that the to be treated decently, No distinction, mind you. Let the dead lie where alight, several blazing torches, bolbing they are till daylight, but don't over- about within, revealing passing figicox a wounded man. Where's Cowan? ures, although the distance was too

> somewhere." "See if the fellow is alive. Who is

"I am, sir; my name's Kelly." "Well get your damn crew of scoun drels out of here, what's left of them Do you hear! This is soldier work, and I want you fellows outside." "You used us all right when thar

wus fightin' ter do-" "That's enough, Kelly, I didn't use ant Raymond."

SURVIVALS OF OLD STYLES Interesting to Trace the Various Periods Denoted by the Clothes of English Servants.

lecture before the Ethnological society, dress illustrates the innate conservatism of humanity.

Among these survivals is the hatwas to hold a piece of cloth or linen the headgear of which consists of a piece of linen, with a band tied round it that terminates in two tails at the back. A survival of that is to be found in the tails of the present-day Scottish bonnet and of the sailor's cap Again, the clocks on stockings were originally a species of ornamentation put on to hide the seams where the stuff was joined together. The "points" on the backs of gloves originally were strips of braid used to cover the seams in the glores of early times.

particular suits of clothes, have 21ways given them away to their servants, and the practice has resulted in some styles of servants' costume familiar to us in modern days. The By a large number of interesting groom, for example, represents a gentleman of the beginning of the nineits report of Mr. Wilfred M. Webbs teenth century, and he still wears the belt that ladies used to hold on hy the heart as does that elusive qualities and the when riding behind on the pillion. The ity-the race mark in a face. And this footman, with plush breeches and pow. is true less of the obvious physical asdered hair, is a gentleman of the time | pect than of its thousandth secret conof George III; the sheriff's coachman, band, the original purpose of which with full-skirted coat and wig. is a round the head. A picture exists of and the Lord Mayor's coachman and an Egyptian figure cated 3500 B. C., suite are very fine gentlemen of the century we hand on our evening clothes to the waiters who stand behind us at the dinner table.

> Rats destroy every year at least a twentieth part of the sugar cane in Jamaica, amounting in value to little short of \$1,000,000.

It is a very common sight to see women street car drivers in Chile.

walted. Once he stopped, and called at the point where I had come up the out something; then came on along trail. They remained grouped there the edge of the wood, walking his for a moment, talking earnestly; theu horse slowly. The rider was not a soi- the shadow formed distintegrated, and dler, but beyond that fact, evidenced Rawmond and the horse alone reby lack of uniform, I could make no mained distinguishable. I knew the guess as to his identity, although I others had disappeared in the blackbelieved him one of Cowan's guerrillas. ness of the ravine, and that they were A gun, poised and ready, forked out destined to search its depths in vain, beside his horse's neck, and he leaned for what little trail I might have left forward in the saddle, peering into in my crawl upward could never be the shadows. A few feet beyond me, deciphered in that darkness. I waited he suddenly reined in his horse, and motionless for what I believed to be called again:

ten minutes, anxious that the fellows "That you, lieutenant?" get far enough down to be safely be-A single figure seemed to emerge youd earshot. At first I could hear rom among the trees—a mere shadow. them slipping and stumbling along the formless and silent. steep, stony path, but these sounds

grew fainter and finally ceased. The

to the limb of a tree; then took his

own position within the brush shadow,

I had no thought of going on and

insolence, but I wished to gain posses-

road in front, but there were sounds

indicating that the Federal forces

paring to resume their march. Satis-

be liable to frighten the animal. Trust

ing that the lieutenant's whole atten-

that he would anticipate no approach

from behind, I walked straight forward

and laid hand on the horse's head. He

on his guard. I stole forward step by

step, noiselessly. I was actually with-

revolver staring him in the eyes.

"You! Good God! I thought-"

to Kelly. Put up your hands. Ray-

mond! Yes, of course, but don't at-

tempt any play-I only need an ex

He glared at me savagely, yet his

der into the darkness of the ravine.

CTO BE CONTINUED)

Commissariat Department of the Brit-

ish Army Will Have to Move to

Keep Up With Them.

From close observation of the habits

of the young Maori men in training in

Auckland (New Zealand) for active

service, it appears that the modern

Maori has inherited, almost unim

paired, the genius for practical forag-

ing which was one of the vital qualifi-

cations of his forefathers in the stren-

uous struggle for existence. They have

scoured the country in the neighbor-

hood of the camp and won eels by the

score from places where the white

man never dreamed there was any edi-

The ability of the sturdy Maori re

cruits to assimilate comestibles is a

constant source of wonder to his paie

generous and sufficient in their way,

but the canteen is a pleasure resort.

and is patronized as such. Supper is

an institution, not a meal. Here is

one warrior's effort at 8:30 p. m.: Two

bottles of raspberry, a tin of sardines

and a big lobster This is a typical in-

stance, and yet everyone is up, merry

and bright, for physical drill at balf-

High School of Commerce.

In 1914 the city of Worcester, Mass.

an important business center, estab-

ber, 1914, 1,235 pupils were enrolled

schools of the city elected the high

school of commerce. The present en-

rollment of this school is nearly 1,

It is the policy of the school to offer

courses of studies holding a mutual

and the strictly vocational, and in

these courses are English, Latin.

are, of course, several sciences, and

and commercial geography, to the lat-

ter two years being devoted. There

keeping, typewriting, banking com-

mercial law, accounting and penman

ship. A course under consideration

soon to introduce the feaching of ad-

Don't parade your troubles before

vertising and window dressing

past six in the morning.

ble wealth at all.

cuse to burt you."

"Yes; who are you?" "Kelly-Dean told me you were lieutenant led the horse back a few here; the damn fellow has got away, yards, and fastened his rein securely and the gurl with him."

"How do you know?" "We've looked over every dead body, where he could watch the head of the "No! That's strange! Here Green, the wounded and prisoners, and trail. From where I crouched I could take a couple of men, and feel your searched every inch of the church- no longer see the fellow.

way along the walls; Jasper, make a they're not thar, sir." light of some kind-who wants me? By God! Where could they have leaving him there on guard. Not only Colonel Moran? Tell him I am the gone! They were there; he was any. did I feel an overwhelming desire to only officer present, and I can't leave. how, for I heard his voice. Did you punish the man for his treachery and By God! The place is a shambles!" talk with any of those living?"

The searching party was to the right | "There ain't many ter talk ter. The sion of the horse, Such an opportunity of me, against the black shadow of Reb leftenant is a goin' ter pull as this was the gift of God, and I was the wall. This was my chance, my one thro', I reckon, but he's hurt too bad only too eager to accept it. The wide and only chance to slip away unob- ter talk. Enyhow Fox wouldn't give plain in front of us was deserted, the Inch by inch they won through the served. In five minutes more the me no chance fer ter git nigh him. 1 cavalry troop having disappeared. The door; we could kill, but not stop them, searching party would find me there, asked a sojer, a young feller, an' he glare of torches had disappeared from and they burled us back, stumbling and bear me along with the others. I sed Wyatt an' the gurl wus both in within the church, which was now a over the dead, clambering across over- wriggled out from under the weight of thar; he seed 'em together just afore mere shapeless shadow in the moonturned benches, but unable to stem the the body lying across my legs, and we charged. But I'll be damned if light. My vision did not extend to the Raymond muttered something, a

smothered oath no doubt, and then were either going into camp, or pre

"Well, good God, man! They are fied that my own way was clear, ! both flesh and blood. If neither are crawled out to the edge of the line of there then they must have found a brush and arose silently to my feet way of escape. We had every side of To reach Raymond I would have to the church guarded so a mouse pass where the horse was tied, and to couldn't get through in this moonlight approach on hands and knees wou'd of light below; sufficient to reveal the -- I saw to that myself."

"There were no guards on the east" "Because there was no room to post tion would be devoted to the trail, and any. The church walls are on the edge of the ravine; Cowan said there were There was no cry, no sound indicatnone needed there."

"Wall," insisted the other, half angrily. "I didn't think so neither, no mor'n Anse did; but I reckon that's whar we made a mistake. Them two's skedaddled, an' thar warn't no chance fer 'em enywhar else. Thet's plain 'nough, ain't it? I don't know nuthin' bout what's thar, fur I never ain't been 'long thet edge, but if them two ever got out inter thet thar ravine they're thar yet, fer thar's no way leading out 'cept along ther trail yon-"What trail? Where?"

"Back thar, 'bout a hundred feet, ! reckon-an ol' hog trail thet leads down ter the crick. Thar couldn't nobody cum up it without ver seein' 'em from here"

"And so you think they're down "Sure; 'less they got wings they

couldn't a come up no other way." grasped the rein of the horse. I could his upturned face. "Then we've got them, all right," ha

HEARTY EATERS ARE THESE asserted, a new confidence in his voice. "You know the way down, don't you "Hell, yes: I hid out thar fer six

weeks onct. They call it the Devil's glen, an' I reckon tain't a bad name

"All right then: I've got three men

here who'll go with you. That will



be enough. I'll stay up here, so if the all of you come here. Come, Kelly, there's a hundred dollars in this for

"By God! It's worth it, fer somebody's liable ter get shot." He rolled "Shot, sir; he's here in this pile reaching my ears. The rear door, out of the saddle, but with evident reground between the purely cultural luctance. "I reckon I'll let one o' them I sojers go ahead. Yer must want thet Reb powerful bad, leftenant?" French, German and Spanish. There

there. Straight across from n.e. a squad of horsemen were moving north "I do," grimly, "dead or alive." ward, and a single rider was spurring Three other figures joined them; rapidly between them and the church. they were on foot, but I could see the The grove of trees where I was to guns in their hands, and the gleam of meet Nichols and Noreen was to the buttons in the moonlight. Raymond are also included stenography, book left. It was dark and silent, a shape- spoke swiftly, pointing with one hand less shadow, and the forest growth but his voice was towered so the words of the ravine extended far enough did not reach me. No doubt he was over the crest to hide my approach. briefly explaining the plan, and giving you-Moran did; and you can go to Satisfied that no searching parties orders. Kelly added a gruff sentence. him with your complaints. I know were near by, I advanced swiftly along and then the whole five tramped past how you treat prisoners, and would the edge of this fringe of trees, yet me, the lieutenant leading the horse, hang the whole of you, if I had my taking every precaution. "Twas well and Kelly coming so close to where I way. Now get out, and don't answer I did, for suddenly the horseman lay I could have touched him with an me—those are your orders. Lieuten- swerved, and rode straight toward me. extended hand. Scarcely venturing to the unsympathetic world. Bury them through the moonlight. I sank down breathe I watched their passage along as a dog does old bones, and growl if "He was here a minute ago, sir," a into the brush, revolver in hand, and the edge of the bluff, until they halted anyone tries to dig them up.

> Men of fashion, when they tired of RACE MARK IN THE FACE through dimming attentions to per Subtle Sign of Clanship That May

> > Have Had Its Origin Numerous

Centuries Ago.

No eloquence of tongue, nothing that sergeant at the Old Bailey that at one time his profession brought nim in £10,000 a year would find it difficult

notations. All the world knows the Hapsburg lip, the jaw line of the Bonagentleman of the time of George II; partes; the subtler marks of clanship to make that amount nowadays, re keep their eloquence for their own. marks the London Chronicle. The Conspicuously or not, each family time of George III. In the twentieth group stands before these symbols as tists have been unable to increase the small company of the learned their charges proportionately. Wheremight before some inscription on a as a tew years ago platinum could be desert ruin. Mere strokes and bought at 28 shillings an ounce, it scratches to you and me. To the few now costs not less than £9 10s an who understand here is the key that ounce. A dentist's chair with modern unlocks the past.

our lips at this particular angle, or to burt you."

petuate a gesture born a thousands years ago in joy or in some stark agony of body or of soul, The family look. The first we re-

member: the last we shall forget .-Elizabeth Robins in Harper's Maga

Reasons for the Dentist's Bill.

The dentist who told the common

cost of materials has gone up and denimprovements now costs at least £25 So the family look. In the arch of and there has also been a rise in the an eye orbit, the curve of chin, we price of drills, reflectors and sterilizread the signature of race. Chance ers, which all have to be bought beimprints maybe, maybe seal of some fore the dentist can start saying: "A struggle so profound as to have set little wider, please. I am not goine

cross, feverish, constipated. give "California Syrup of Figs."

be without true Mustarine, for it never without true Mustarine, for it never wils to give blessed relief. Use it for aches or pains anywhere, and for sore tiroat, bronchitis and pleurisy. There's relief in every rub. It stops pain and congestion. True Mustarine is made by Begy Medicine Co., Rochester. N. Z. A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartly, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a tew hosts all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently farm who is perfectly satisfied to remove out of the bowels, and you have main in town, a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all ough "inside cleansing" is offtimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

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printed on the bottle. Adv.

nor nobody?" "Dat's de kind of a pusson I always took Rastus to be "

"Lemme tell yo' something. Rastus was at de ball las' night, an' when de trouble started he didn't have nuthin' but a safety razor."

WHY SUFFER SKIN TROUBLES When a Postcard Will Bring Free Samples of Cuticura?

smelt of me curiously, but made no noise, and, looking acress his back. I Which give quick relief for all itchcould dimly perceive the man a few ing, burning, disfiguring skin troubles. paces beyond. He stood erect, his Bathe with the Cuticura Soap and hot back towards me, perfectly motionless, water. Dry and apply Cuticura Ointhis entire consciousness concentrated ment to the affected part. They stop itching instantly and point to speedy healment often when all else fails. in reach of him before some sense told Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Comhim of my near presence, and he wheeled about only to find a leveled Boston. Sold everywhere .- Adv. "We meet again," I said coldly, "and

What She Needed. Hazel-Do you really believe that

it seems to be my luck to hold the man is made of dust? Aimee-I don't know; but the one "I know what you thought, for I was you marry should be made of gold within ten feet of you when you talked

BIG EATERS HAVE BAD

Take a Glass of Salts at Once If Your Eack Is Hurting or Kidneys and Bladder Trouble You.

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys (confidential), Lynn, Mass, strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

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Suspicious. "Aren't you delighted that your hus band has given up smoking?" "I don't know. I am afraid he did it lished a high school of commerce. just for an excuse to give away those When the school opened in Septemcigars I bought him for Christmas." and in February, 1915, 48 per cent of

GENTLE RUBBING all the publis entering the high Rubbing the swollen veins nightly for

about two minutes with a gentle up-ward stroke brings benefit to sufferers and is mighty good advice, says ar authority.

After the rubbing, which should always be toward the heart, because the blood in the veins flows that way, apply Emerald Oil (full strength) with brush or hand.

Try this simple home treatment for a few days and improvement will be noticed, then continue until veins are reduced to normal. It is very concentrated and penetrating and can be obtained at any modern days. so powerful that it also reduces Goitre and Wens

Pretty Large. "What big ears he has." "So big that his head seems merely a connecting link between them."

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W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 5-1916.

them with open mouth and exclaimed: "They be play actors." "Hold your tongue," said the old sweep, "you don't know what you may come to yourself." It is the man who has lived on &

TO STOP TERRIBLE

RHEUMATIC PAINS

Get a box of true Mustarine in the original yellow box for about 25 cents at druggists. Rub it on the inflamed joints or muscles, and that almost unbearable agony will go at once.

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The Uncertain Future.

During a theatrical engagement at

Manchester, England, Kemble and

Lewis were walking one day along the

street when a chimney sweeper and

his boy came up. The boy stared at

A lawyer doesn't know everything. but he thinks a client thinks he does.

Other people's troubles bore more than our own.

WOMAN AVOIDS

Medicine Which Made Surgeon's Work Unnecessary.

Astoria, N. Y. — "For two years I was feeling ill and took all kinds of tonics. I was geting worse every day. I had chills, my head would ache, I was always tired. I could not walk straight because of the pain in myback and I had

pains in my stomach. I went to a doctor and he said I must go under an operation, but I did not go. I read in pound and told my husband about it. I said 'I know nothing will help me but I

will try this.' I found myself improving from the very first bottle, and in two weeks time I was able to sit down and eat a hearty breakfast with my hus-band, which I had not done for two years. I am now in the best of health and did not have the operation." - Mrs. JOHN A. KOENIG, 502 Flushing Avenue, Astoria, N. Y. Every one dreads the surgeon's knife KIDNEYS AND BACKACHE and the operating table. Sometimes

nothing else will do; but many times doctors say they are necessary when they are not. Letter after letter comes to the Pinkham Laboratory, telling how operations were advised and were not performed; or, if performed, did no good, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compoundwas used and good health followed. If you want advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co.

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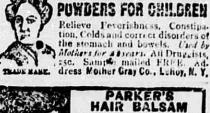
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Newsy Notes About People

You Know. Phone 6.

Grand Rapids. John Hatch is confined to his home by illness.

friends in Belding.

Fred DeWeert spent Sunday with his family here. John Post of Grand Rapids was Owosso is with her. in town Wednesday.

Read our adv. about the new Victrola needle. U.B. Williams. last week.

Born, January 21, to Mr. and ther announcements. Mrs. Dale Buttermore, an 8pound boy.

Wednesday. Miss Matilda Bieri was home

from her school near Saranac over Sunday. Miss Bernice Creaser spent the week-end with her parents in

Grand Rapids. Misses Mabel Allen and Freda Kropf were Grand Rapids visit-

bargains. Stylish 1915 suits all

of them.—Lalley & Shuter. Did you get in on those overcoat bargains at Lalley &

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Watters of Hastings are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dawson

and will visit other friends. With the new Tungs-tone needle you can play 50 to 200 records without changing, on your Victrola.-U. B. Williams, Agent. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Abraham

and two children of Douglas, N. Dak., spent the week-end with man and family.

29, at 3 p. m. Every member where he bore his intense suffer to trunk line specifications, alurged to be present.

baby of Greenville came Monday to care for her mother, Mrs. Milo Johnson, who is ill. Her husband joined her here Tuesday.

The home of George Hardy in Keene was the scene of a gathering of 83 in number in form of a surprise party Saturday night. A fine time was had and a beautiful chair presented a as reminder. Orlo Tillyer of Rochester, who

has been ill at the home of his parents near McCords since New Years, has been spending the past week with his sister, Mrs. Ward

Kent and Ingham Candidates

Mrs. T. J. Elerick has been quite sick the past week. Her sister, Mrs. Lotta Sullivan of Grand Rapids was here and took care of her. She returned home leaving ticket. Judge Howard A. Weist her feeling much better.

Mrs. James Baird entertained about 35 of her friends and neighbors Tuesday night of last week in honor of her birthday. Gamer,

for him on the street.

as R. D. Stocking's. E. Foerch of Kalamazoo was a Lowell visitor Monday. James Scott of Grand Rapids

was in town yesterday. Miss Myrtie Taylor spent yesterday in Grand Rapids.

Chas. Bancroft of Alto was s Lowell visitor yesterday. Mrs. E. Walker has returned to Grand Rapids for the week.

Paul Woodcock of Marco. Mont., is visiting relatives here. Mrs. Ira Sargent of Elmdale was a Lowell shopper Wednes-

Master Orrin White has been quite ill this week with indiges-

Judge Newman of Grand Rapids was in town a couple days this week on legal business.

days at James Woodcock's. itors in Grand Rapids Sunday.

Attention Oddfellows! Two candidates for second degree Thursday, Feb. 3. Supper too Meeting of the Supper too Otis Fuller the results. Meeting of Island City Rebekah ently satisfactory. lodge Tuesday evening, Feb. 1.

Initiation and light refreshments. Mrs. W. H. Davis of Burnips. E. C. Walker spent Sunday in definite visit with her sister, Mrs. with practically no risk of escape. Clayton Gunn.

The many friends of Mrs. J. A. Lyle Denick spent Sunday with her condition yesterday was very much improved.

Mrs. Chas. Alexander is recoving from an attack of grippe. Her daughter, Mrs. Hesse of

"The Price he Paid." a story in five parts, based upon the poem by the same name, written Lois Kellogg and sister were by Ella Wheeler Wilcox will be Grand Rapids visitors one day shown at the Idle Hour theater do the work and men who can be experimental stage; but now the Southern Michigan with one-February 12. Watch for fur-

The case of David Layer vs. William Wingeier closed yester-Miss Bernice Creaser entertain- day after a trial lasting one and way the Ionia warden plans to parts of the country as here, there ed her sister from Grand Rapids a half days before Justice A. M. furnish a large amount of labor is probably a very limited section verdict of "no cause for action." plans the men will be able to

have appointed an entertainment committee to arrange a program for their meetings twice a month. Last evening E. A. Anderson delivered a very fine talk, choosing for his subject "Taking Inventory," showing how it is necessary as in business.

Also A. L. Brower.

have appointed an entertainment committee to pay the state as much as it now gets from the prison as it now gets from the prison on one or two thousand dollars contract labor, 50 cents a day, and in addition 25 cents a day, for the prisoner himself. This is the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and the labor would be secured for 75 years, and as it now gets from the prison on one or two thousand dollars per acre and then some by grow-ing Northern Spy apples in a scillage way the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. In this way the labor would be secured for 75 years, and making the plan as at present considered by Warden Fuller. Don't miss those \$15.00 suit to make progress, casting out cents a day plus the cost of a pargains. Stylish 1915 suits all that which is bad and taking up guard. This would furnish exwere also made by John Archart and James Green. Light refresh-Shuter's? You had better, they ments were served after the meet-

ANDREW S. PATTERSON

Laid to Rest in Oakwood Cemetery Friday.

Andrew S. Patterson, born in South Bloomfield, Ohio, Sept. 12.

55 years, 4 months, 8 days. the former's uncle, F. G. Hoff- his life as a resident of Ohio. building are better than the av-Last November he was confined erage. Although not on a trunk meet at her home for a special afterward he was brought to the been laid out on the south side of business meeting Saturday, Jan. home of his mother in Lowell the river, the road is being built ing with patience and fortitude though only single reward will be

his spirit to the spirit world. tha Packard and one sister, Mrs. | ing credited with 50 cents a day O. C. Austin, of Lowell, also four on the prison books, which will step brothers and brothers, M. be to their credit when they leave D. Packard, Amarillo, Texas, L. | the institution. C. Packard, Grand Rapids, Mrs. Carson Reid, Reedley, Cal., Mrs.

S. Miller, Walitope, Cal. Funeral services were held at the residence Friday, Rev. A. H. ere are the first road workers to self" was his theme and that duty Orrin Sterkins followed with a

Ingham and Kent counties are the only two sofar to present two candidates for nomination to wants to be justice of the supreme court, while Charles W. Nichols, also of Ingham, wants to be at-torney general. In Kent, Judge McDonald is after the justiceship refreshments and social chat fur-nished enjoyment for the even-las launched a campaign for the attorney generalship.-News.

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WELCOME CHANCE TO

Warden Fuller's Charges Have Proved Their Efficiency as Road Builders.

Three gangs of prisoners from the Michigan reformatory at Ionia are at work on the highways of Easton township, in which the reformatory buildings are located, and are now carrying on a work of building state reward roads.

Thirty men altogether, the largest number that has ever been employed on road work for Mrs. Chas. Woodcock of Grand the institution, are busy. One Rapids has been spending a few gang is grading a mile and a half of road west of the prison, Mr. and Mrs. George Haysmer another is graveling three-quar-and daughter Florence were vis-ters of mile in the same neighborhood and the third is building a F. E. Perkins has purchased a sixty-four-foot culvert. Smaller crews of prisoners

his family to that place this week, have been worked on the roads

The population of the state reformatory at present is about 600. It is estimated that 10 per Mich., came last week for an in- cent or sixty men can be worked the formation of the fere mar-Working 15 per cent of the prisoners there would be slight risk Ecker will be glad to learn that of escape. Twenty per cent risk, perhaps an escape once a month. During the last two years there has been but one escape from the institution, while all of that time about forty men have been employed out of doors

on the farm. In embarking upon the road work the warden has selected picked men of strength who can trusted. They like the work, he growing of apples especially has fourth of the trackage gives the ays, and are capable of doing a first class grade of labor.

With the coming of the paved-Andrews, the jury returning a and according to the present The cause of complaint was an make something for themselves. automobile collision that took | Should they be put to work on place October 21, 1915. Attor- any of the roads outside, and ney Shivel appeared for the plain-tiff and Judge Newnham of Grand Rapids for the defendant. that means away from the town-land within reach of Lowell that located, the corporation or town-Three Island lodge of the Moose ship where they work would be from 75 to 125 dollars per acre have appointed an entertainment expected to pay the state as much be made to pay good dividends sary in lodge work as in business | the labor would be secured for 75 that which is good. Remarks cellent labor, safeguard the state and make it an object for the prisioner himself to lay up a little. No charge is now made upon Easton township for the la-

bor. The prison buildings and

considered that in furnishing the labor upon the roads there this tax deficiency is being made up. 1862, departed this life at Lowell, In the next year Easton will have Michigan, Jan. 20, 1916, aged nine miles of good state reward

Mr. l'atterson spent most of The roads the prisoners are Mrs. George W. Weckerly and till the messenger of death bore paid by the state, no double as is the case of the trunk line. At He leaves a mother, Mrs. Mar- their labor now the men are be-

> The roadbed is being constructed twenty-four feet instead of fourteen with sixteen feet of gravel bed. The reformatory prison- sions. "America's Duty to Her- public.

eleven in the last year. The men are efficient workmen and each gang goes out under the control of one foreman. When at a distance from the prison they take lunches and come in at night. The work is being well state offices on the republican done and a pavedway from Ionia city to the prison is one of the prospects for the not distant fu-

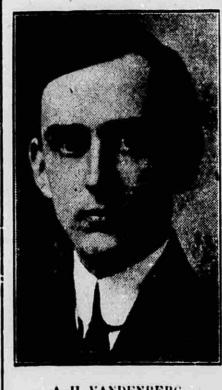
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ince its last report, as follows!

Who will be next?

IONIA PRISONERS HELP PAVEDWAY B. OF T. BANQUET WAS A BLINGER

CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE ful business. I do not favor pay ing a big bonus to get a full-grown business to leave some other



A. II. VANDENBERG

rounding farmers.

been brought to a science. While many varieties of apples can be grown as successfully in other of the United States where Northern Spys can be grown to such perfection as on the good loca-

There are several thousand while some of us before then may be playing a harp or shoveling coal, it would be a good monument to leave.

R. E. Springett as toastmaster proved himself a past master in the art. In his introductory remarks he enumerated the many grounds comprise a large valuation from which the township ell Board of Trade during the Pere Marquette 75 per cent of its City ball re-

San Marino with only 33 square He was accompanied by the ormiles and 11,000 population, the chestra. able about half that number. Lowell.

ley Yeiter, Matilda L. Yeiter,
James Woodcock, George Mesecar, Mrs. Mary Rolf, S. J. Carter,
Lloyd E. Jones, D. R. Whitney,
A. B. Cadwallader, Elmer Crocker, Lawrence Booth, Whitman
K. Kiel, F. & E. Priest, Maude
Ford, Chris Kilgus, William Ross,
Mrs. T. S. Lalley.

peace, you cannot keep it unless you want peace at any price.

Peace at any price would have prevented the Revolution and case of Detroit, where the protance than its size, citing the portion of foreign born residents were served. Seymour Coles. Their friends went on a body and gave them a gentle of the city was to provide for their education and assimilation into but to be ready for it if it does but to be ready for it if it does that history undone? The speaker plead for adequate national defense, not because we want war but to be ready for it if it does but to be ready for it if it does that history undone? The meeting broke up after the form the presented them and a good time defense, not because we want war but to be ready for it if it does that history undone? The speaker plead for adequate national defense, not because we want war but to be ready for it if it does but to be ready for it if it does the ments were served. Some china sets education and assimilation into good citizenship.

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Home Hubbel of Grand Rapids and the problem of the city was to provide for their defense, not because we want war body and gave them a gentle of the city was to provide for their defense, not because we want war body and gave them a gentle of the city was to provide for the remainder of the fact. Light refreshments were served. Some c departments do not bring on singing of America, in which our conflagrations. Not one man in good Citizen Hicks lead in his usual enthusiastic manner.

bay to cease communicating with the shore, that if he was looking fortrouble, he would get it in an hour, was cited as an example. The speaker closed with an eloquent appeal for an Uncle Sam who has no chip on his shoulder but shall be given two strong arms-a strong army and a strong navy. Geo. M. Winegar sang "Pals and responded to an encore with 'Isle of Green." R. D. Stocking accompanied him at the piano. The toastmaster introduced

Paul H. King, operating receiver

good in a herculean task, where

preparedness that the nations of

the world will not think lightly

of us. The Civil war was pro-

longed three years because the

prepared. Lincoln first called for

5,000 men because there were

only 75,000 muskets ready.

other able men, older and more experienced, had failed. Mr. King made no attempt at oratory. He gave a plain, convincing business talk to business men. The rule "Pay as you go" was adopted at the outset of his I would like to see the business management of the Pere Mar- Editor Johnson; the farmers to improve their at an expense of \$1.07 for every I would like to see some of the taxes, insurance and equipment and although many predicted business men buy a farm and run bills of previous years unpaid. that it would ruin the states, family Sunday. could be worked with only a fair the business man would be a of the receivership has they find quite the reverse. The the business man would learn been to render the public a good saloons in Portland are being something and possibly the sur- service, to run trains on time. turned into bakeries, etc., and the Governmental control-national owners getting more for rent

the center of a large fruit industry. gone too far. Rates are too low. business is getting more brisk but for the last few years the fruit With half the density of popula- every day. industry has been sadly neglected tion as New England and far and fruit men have had many greater trackage, the Pere Mar- benefited by prohibition, are the discouragments, for fruit grow-ing has been passing through an given the New England roads. Will enclose a



be paid by the residents. It is past ten years: The City hall re-revenue while Northern Michigan placing an old barn, concrete with three-fourths of the mileage sidewalks everywhere, the paved returns but 25 per cent of its street, improvement of the electrevenue. It is impossible for the tric light and power plant, its road to pay out under such connew buildings for help and equip ditions. Each department and ment, its eccumulating funds branch of the transportation ready for payment of bonds be-business, passenger and freight fore due, all paid for by the earn- and each class of freight, should ings of the plant. If the Board stand on its own bottom and from 8 to 9; assembly from 9 to of Trade had done nothing else pay its own expenses. The in-Mrs. M. C. Greene's circle will in a hospital in Cleveland. Soon line route, the trunk line having but prevent the sale of the people along its Hollister and Kendall Steketee to a private corporation it would lines and the interests of the Pere have been worth more than all Marquette are mutual. What its cost. All these things with hurts or helps the one hurts or the new schoolhouse were due to helps the other. The speaker the spirit fostered by the Lowell believed the Pere Marquette's equipment to be in the best con-Arthur H. Vandenberg, editor dition of any railroad in the of The Grand Rapids Herald, was state. While the company is not | not to do, but they do everything you easily the star orator of the yet "out of the woods," con. don't say anything about." evening and his brilliant address ditions are improving and its on preparedness, surprised and officials are hopeful for the future. pleased even the few friends who lad heard him on other occalinvites the co-operation of the

Lash officiating; interment in Oakwood cemetery, Lowell.

Oakwood cemetery, Lowell. "The Lights of My Home Town."

smallest republic in the world. A surprise number was then has an army of six men. A joke, sprung on the audience-musical but on the same basis the United glasses by Eugene Pippin, a pro-States should have an army of fessional entertainer of ability, 60,000, whereas, we have avail- who is spending the winter in

Preparedness does not mean war. The last speaker was Byres II. Galveston built a flood wall and Gitchell, secretary of the Detroit the second flood came, not be- Chamber of Commerce who was cause of the wall, but in spite of scheduled for an address, "The it, and the city was saved. Our Making of a Town." Mr. Gitcountry has the greatest re-chell is not a fluent speaker, but sources of any nation in the he has many good ideas on comworld and lack of preparedness munity up-building deduced from invites trouble. To man the his work in Detroit, He said that naval equipment we now have community interests are ad-71,000 men are needed and we vanced by individuals; each work-The Ledger herewith acknowl- have but 58,000. Our coast ing in his own line, citing as an edges receipt of subscriptions guns can reach an enemy only 12 instance Paul H. King, member miles distant while those that of the Detroit Board of Com-Mrs. Mary J. Spencer, Lewis can be brought against us cover merce, whom he had appointed Pottruff, Ed. Tucker, Elmer a range of 15 miles. An army of "A committee of one on the Pere Bowen, A. M. Barnes, Chester 460,000 men is needed. Rear Marquette," as the place where Bowen, A. M. Barnes, Chester 160,000 men is needed. Rear Marquette," as the place where danger, who has been quarantined Weldon, Jacob Layer, Mrs. S. E. Admiral Fiske says that America Mr. King could do the most and with small pox. Hoag, B. W: Wright, Maybelle is five years removed, from ability to meet a foe. An ostrich hiding his head in the sand is Solomon in all his wisdom compared to its members together in regular Mrs. Richard McGee, Mrs. A. C. We want peace but it takes or frequent meetings and inspire Raulds such Sunday with their par-Sherman, Robert Styles, E. W. two to keep the peace. If your them to greater and better efforts. English, F. G. Hoffman, J. Wes-ley Yeiter, Matilda L. Yeiter, peace. you cannot keep it unless James Woodcock, George Mese- you want peace at any price. He agreed with the toastmaster that the quality of a town's pop-ulation was of greater impor-

Michigan Farmer and Lowell any price. China under the iron Ledger both one for year \$1.25 heel of Japan was cited as an exceding the banquet the revision tf. ample of undesirable pacificism. of the constitution as proposed were entertained at the home of Mr.

Peace treaties are good but could and discussed at former meetings and Mrs. Albert Ryder of Lowell not have prevented the European was approved 35 to 0: and the not have prevented the European | was approved 35 to 0; and the conflict or our own Revolution following officers were elected: and Civil war. We need such

President, John Archart. Vice President, Clarence Collar. Director in place of H. J. Taylor, removed, U. B. Williams,

Federal government was not JUST TRY RHEUMA NO CURE NO PAY

Preparedness makes for peace. That is the Basis on Which Dewey's peremptory order to the Druggists Offer this Great Rem-German commander in Manila edy for Rheumatism.

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tors could do nothing for me. After taking three bottles of Rhenma, the rheumatism had entirely left me."-Guy Torley, 129 Summit Ave., St. for the Pere Marquette railroad, Paul, Minn. as a young man who had made Get the genuine in the trade-marked package—in liquid form—guaranteed. Lind, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Warner spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Morgan.

BUSINESS IMPROVES WITH PROHIBITION.

So Writes Mrs. E. W. English From Portland. Misses Anna Easterby and Leda and Mary Wingeler visited friends in

Portland, Ore., Jan. 24, '16

Dear Sir:-The states of Washington and dollar of revenues received with Oregon went "dry" on Jan. 1 A few years ago this town was and state-are all right, but has than when used for saloons and

Grand Rapids visited their son Arthur The only ones that are not Mrs. N. Hotchkies, of Hatch Hollow Saturday night and Sunday.

Will enclose a clipping from Washington which speaks for it

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 15 .- (Spec al.)—Two weeks after the closing of the saloons in Spokane, which was expected to throw 150 downtown ousiness locations on the market at reduced rentals, the larger realty offices of the city are reporting a vigcations and are closing more leases than at any similar period in two or

The most trying times for the prop erty manager in years appears to have been weathered successfully and the readjustment is being completed with far more rapidity than had been well supported as expected, but it

a'd to be the demand for favorable orners. Property owners have had the pleasure this week of seeing two O'Beirne and a vocal solo by Miss important downtown corners taken under long term leases. These are Ziegler corner, taken by the Joyner Drug Company, and the former Spokane & Eastern corner, at Howard and Sprague, leased by the Big Bend Land Company. Resp Yours,

Mrs. E. W. English.

METHODIST CHURCH Morning service, 10:30, Study

Sunday school, 11:45. Junior League, 3:00. Senior League, 6:00, Miss Chaf-

Vergennes services as usual. Tuesday prayer meeting at Mrs. Tidd's. Thursday at church. W. H. M. S. Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Loyal Taylor's.

Attend Miss Florence Hollister's dancing school next Monday evening at City hall. Instruction 11. Admission 50c each. Miss will give exhibitions.

Modern Children. In describing the children who had moved in next door little Helene said: they don't do anything you tell them

Explaining Baldness. D. C. T. Ewart, a Scotch scientist, believe that the loss of hair on man's head and other parts of his body is a certain indication of intellectual "explains to some extent the baldness which is always so prevalent among college professors and members of

Much the Same Principle. These South Sea islanders are a queer lot. They have many things which are taboo, mustnit be touched." It is the same principle on which we carefully plant a lot of grass for people to keep off of. '-Louisville Cour-

SEELEY CORNERS Rev. Berritt and wife of Ada at tended the church services at Snow Sunday morning.

Ira Westbrook has had a Citizen's telephone installed in his farm rest.

Rev. Luten was a visitor in the neighborhood this week. Mrs. C. Reynolds received news that her son Glen of Lansing is out

Rapids spent Sunday with their par Mrs. Sargent and daughter Arvilla

appointed to a government position in the civil service.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rose and Viola

Mrs. J. F. Sargent and daughter Thelma attended church at Lowell and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Rolf Sunday.

The B. Y. P. U. and their pastor and wife of Lowell and the young

people of this place gave Ward Hub.

bel a very pleasant surprise before his departure to Washington, D. C.,

and left him a token of their esteem

in the shape of a book entitled "G olden Treasures."

Mrs. Ola Myres and son of Saranac

were Sunday guests of Mrs. l'earl

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Morgan at-

tended a party at King Rickert's in Keene one evening last week.

Mrs. J. N. Hubbel was belping care

for her brother's wife, Mrs. I. Filkins

John Ross was in Grand Rapids

one day last week.
We extend a hearty welcome to

drs. W. H. Wisner, the new bride, to

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conklin have

the honor of being grandparents to a little boy, born to Mr. and Mrs.

Dale Buttermore of Lowell (nee

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boroughf

HICKORY CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dygert and

uy Durr were Sunday guests of Miss

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Burras and

Orrin Graham and family visited

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Russell left last

Wednesday for Detroit where they

expect to reside.
Miss Anna Easterby and Mrs. Geo.

Clarke were Lowell visitors last week

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Baker of

and wife over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blakeslee vis

ited the latter's parents, Mr. and

SOUTH BOSTON

children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yelter.

F. M. Godfrey was a victim

omewhat improved.

our neighborhood.

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Letha Blakeslee.

Thursday

grip last week.

Mrs. C. Conklin, Carrie, and J. N. Hubbel and Glenn attended the Wisner reception at Lowell last Friday

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Mrs. Sam McMullen is ill. Dr. Hay of Saranac is attending her. John Hill of South Lowell is visit-52 Rare Issues a Year—all of the very best—and the most also. ing his cousin, Mrs. George Tucker. Twice as much reading as any The Farmers' institute held at the W. Stuart. A paper by Mrs. N. M.

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