No. I

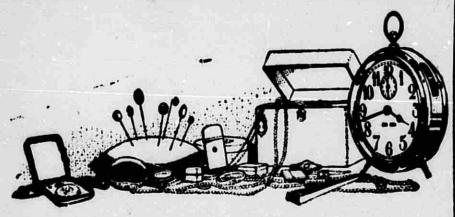
LOWELL, MICHIGAN, JUNE 15, 1916

Protecting Your Checks

This bank safeguards your checking accounts here by guaranteeing to pay only the checks you have signed in the original amount and only to the parties to whose order the checks are drawn or endorsed, and to return your canceled checks as receipts for payments made.

The check is one of the very greatest conveniences and safeguards of modern business.

Pay all your bills and accounts by check and let us handle your account.



GIFTS of QUALITY

HE high standard of quality, maintained by this store, is so well known that a gift bearing our label is instantly thought of as a gift of quality.

If you are contemplating purchasing a gift for any occasion it will be well for you to look over our superb assortment.

Our slogan is, "Always the highest quality merchandise at the lowest possible prices."

Kodaks and Brownie Cameras. We carry all that's bestin photography

Drop in the next time you are down town, and let us show you some of the new things.

A. D. Oliver.

Jeweler and Optometrist "Eyes Examined and Glasses Fitted."

Try One of Our Coffee Cakes.

Nothing tastes nicer for your Sunday breakfast. We also have 'all kinds of de-

licious rolls Saturday afternoon.

At STRONG'S

WE SELL SPONGES

The little bits fine sponges; The middle sized bath sponges; The great big wagon sponges; See that you always have a good sponge around in summer for cleaning purposes. Sponges are good for anything from washing windows to bailing out the boat. The unbleached sponges are what you want for rough work. The light colored ones are bleached. Bleaching weakens the fibre of a sponge. We sell a general utility sponge for 25c. Bath sponges 10 cents up.

W. S. Winegar.

THIRTY-FOUR H.S. GRADUATES Corset Factory Project Needs More Stock Takers.

ARGEST CLASS IN THE HISTORY OF LOWELL SCHOOLS.

Closing Eyents of School Year. Auditorium Filled for Commencement. Dr. Wishart's Address to Class.

The thirty-ninth annual com-mencement of the Lowell High school—the first in the new building, was a success—fully carried out according to program in the auditorium yesterday afternoon and evening, when thirty-four young men and women of Lowell and visibility whose names and are are mount required.

The committee appointed at their loss are Mrs. A. A. Dennis, thein and vicinity, whose names and portraits are printed on the insert page of this issue of The Ledger, received their diplomas and the congratulations of their wanted at Lowell, and for that wanted at Lowell, and relatives from

The attendance both afternoon

March, Selected, Royden Warner. Salutatory, Dora B. Getty. Class History. Mildred Oberly.

Class Poem, Carl Bank. Music, "Specialty," Bruce Stock-Class Will, Velma Sinclair, William Weldon.

Oration, "The World Power of the Future," Herman Speer-

eceptance, Howard Aldrich, '17 "In the Garden of the Gods," Brennan, Ruth Gibson. White. Class Prophecy, Carl Horn, Theo Bank, Pauline Behler,

Valedictory, A. W. Brown. Music, "Class Song." Seniors.

which the class and speakers in processional passed up the central aisle to positions on the plat-

After an invocation by Rev. A. Kellogg.

in social, political and religious realms, that the young people of the Class of 1916 must help to solve, with other problems that will arise in the "tomorrow."

The puerile editorials of basely partisan newspapers were scathingly denounced. Patriotism consists not alone in prating about the flag and marching in Preparedness parades. Some said after the Spanish-American war "Now America is a world power." The war with poor old Spain did not make us a world power. We were that long before. Up to that time twenty-two nations had patterned their

governments after ours. From tribes to groups and nations we have progressed to empires and we have yet to reach

the next step—humanity.

The national borders in wartorn Europe are unlike that beween Canada and the United States which stretches for three thousand miles of unguarded, unpatroled and unfortified territory, throughout which peace has reigned unbroken for a hundred years.

Our problem-America for humanity, as the founders of the Republic stood for the rights of men. Our religious teaching has failed, else why the death struggle of the Christian nations of Europe? Two thousand years ago the Master left his message of "Love, love, love," which has been recognized by individuals, communities, states and nations in the practices of peace, brother-hood and helpfulness. Why not between nations? How is it we have come to think that what is right between neighbors and countrymen is not right between nations? Why is it wrong for individuals to kill each other but grand and glorious for empires? The men killing each other in the trenches in Europe tonight be-lieve in and pray for help to the same God and the world wonders why Christianity did not prevent the greatest slaughter in the world's history.

Then, there is the economic side. Business men, competitors in all lines, meet in conventions for mutual helpfulness, exchang-ing their best ideas for commercial success. Why should this spirit extend only to the American border, with blood-thirsty compe-tition beyond? If Smith's store should be closed because the proprietor had typhoid fever and his competitors should sav: "Now is our chance to get his trade and put Smith out of business, every decent man would denounce them. Yet, because Europe is sick, some people de-clare this is America's opportun-

TIME NOW TO BOOST MRS. E. S. BURDICK OLD PIONEER GONE

The Wright corset factory proposition which has been fully set is halting for lack of co-operation of a part of our citizens. The soliciting committee makes

the following report:

reason unless more willing sup | Friends and relatives from port is given at once the matter abroad attending the funeral

per share not later than June 17, Young of South Boston. when, if necessary amount has not been subscribed the propo-

resentation of Spade, Walter sition will be given up.
Kropf, '16.

Board of Directors—John A. Arehart, E. A. Anderson, U. B. Williams, M. N. Henry, F. E.

New Industries Committee-R. VanDyke, P. C. Peckham, J. C.

The following subscriptions burial at Seranac. have been taken:

H. Lash and a solo, "This Would Five shares each—E. R. Collar, I Do," by Miss Belle Chaffin, R. M. Shivel, R. E. Springett, S.

audience with close attention welfare of the town and expresses his surprise that anyone should He spoke of the changing con- hesitate to endorse this project ditions in our own time, of the which our committee recomnew problems that have arisen mends as a profitable investment

This thing ought to go. F. T. King.

METHODIST CHURCH Morning service, 10:30, "The Test of Education."

Evening service, 7-8 o'clock. Children's day at Vergennes,

Thursday at church, 7:30. Ira E. Weldon, minister.

Passed Away at Daughter's Seventy Years a Resident of Home in Grand Rapids.

Anna M. Barclay, eldest daugh-ter of Charles and Esther Barosition which has been fully set forth at the Board of Trade monthly meetings and fully investigated and most favorably reported by the board's New Industry committee, R. VanDyke, P. C. Peckham and J. C. Smith, is halting for lack of co-operation in the control of the control married to Eli S. Burdick. One son was born to this union, William I. She passed away on her seventieth birthday at the home The committee appointed at last Board of Trade meeting to their loss are Mrs. A. A. Dennis,

and evening taxed the capacity of the large auditorium, which is greater than that of the City hall.

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon, 3 o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries

The afternoon o'clock, profully given by the New Industries given gi committee.

Those not having subscribed for stock and desiring same to insure the location of a new industry at Lowell, with every prospect of a good return on their investment, must notify M. N. Henry of the amount of stock wanted at ten dollare (\$10.00) wanted at ten dollare (\$10.00) Clarksville and Mrs. Robert

Mrs. Martha Miner Dead.

Mrs. Martha Miner, an old resident of Lowell, passed away last Friday at the home of Ellen Finch, who had cared for the aged woman during the past two years. Funeral services were held at the home Sunday, Rev. Jacokes, officiating clergyman;

The evening program opened with "Woodman's Grand March," played by the High school or chestra, during the rendition of P: C. Peckham.

have been taken:

Twenty-five shares each—R. 29, 1827. March 20, 1877 she married J. C. Post, who died Oct. 29, 1898. She was after-more discovered by the married J. C. Post, who died Oct. 29, 1898. She was after-more discovered by the married J. C. Post, who died Oct. 29, 1898. She was after-more discovered by the High school or chestra, during the rendition of P: C. Peckham. ward married to Albert Miner

Gregory, John O. Clark, John Notice to Village Taxpayers. Work on the new concrete road from the village limits on Hudson street to Grand River bridge is President Look of the Board of Education introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. A. W. Wishart of Grand Rapids with the topic, "Social Preparedness."

R. M. Snivel, R. E. Springett, S. Street to Grand River bridge is about to begin. It is proposed to extend same north from the limits to the pavement. All who hart of Grand Rapids with the topic, "Social Preparedness."

Our old friend F. T. King, attend the Council meeting Monday. topic, "Social Preparedness."

Our old friend F. T. King, attend the Council meeting Monhaving removed from Lowell. In
one and a half hours and held his
still retains a warm interest the have them. Committee.

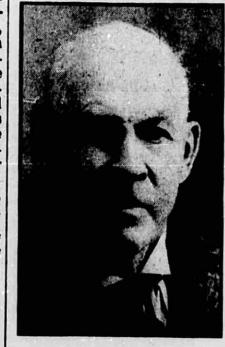
CONGREGATIONAL

Regular communion services at 10:30. Sunday school, 11:45. Y. P. C. E , 6:30.

Preaching services, 7:30. At South Boston-Children's day services at 3:00. A. H. Lash, Minister.

Fans, parsols and hammocks

at Weekes', adv Lowell real estate transfers: William T. Condon and wife to Seward E. Onan and wife, n w ! Tuesday evening prayer meet- sw 1/8 section 17, \$1,800; Arthur ing at the home of Otto Andrews. | Parker and wife to Harry Harr, lots 1 and 2 block 1, Fox addition, This Vicinity.



George F. White was born 'n Dumfries, Canada, July 17, 1836, and passed from this life June 9,

1916, at his home in Lowell. At the age of ten years he came to Michigan with his parents, locating on a farm near what is known as White's Bridge, deriving its name from the fact that his father, Rev. Levi T. White, with the aid of his older sons, constructed a crude bridge across Flat river in Keene township, Ionia county.

In October 1862 he was united in marriage to Adeline G. Barto. To this union were born three girls and one boy. At 6 years of age the little boy passed away and the oldest daughter, Mrs. Donovan, was taken away in her 29th year.

Since manhood Mr. White has lived in Kent county with the exception of two years spent in California.

Those left to mourn their loss are the widow, two daughters, Mrs: W. B. Brown of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. Newton Coons, one granddaughter, Miss Neva M. Coons, both of this village, one sister, Mrs. R. C. Wig-gins of Eureka, Kansas, and several nieces and nephews, besides a host of friends who will miss his smiling face.

Mr. White was ever of a sunny disposition, a kind and loving husband and father, and always pleasant in his home.—[Com.

CARD OF THANKS.

Wishing to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for their many acts of kindness and their expressions of sympathy and the beautiful flowers given in such abundance during the long illness and at the fineral of our dear husband and father we take this opportunity to sincerely thank you all. We especially thank Rev. I. T. Weldon for his comforting words, Miss Anna May-nard and Mr. Harley Maynard for their beautiful music, Mr. Mc-Kay, Mr. Lynn, Mr. Denny and Mr. Yeiter for their kindness.

Mrs. Adeline G. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Coons, Miss Neva M. Coons.

Death of Mrs. Frank L. Karr. Lottie E. Thornton, born in Iowa state in 1868, later moved to Canada and then lived at Greenville, Michigan, for the last thirty-five years. On September 5, 1885, she was married to Frank L. Karr, they living together for 31 years. On May 20, 1916, she went to Flint to visit her daughter, Mrs. Will Higgins. While there she

was taken very sick with erysipe-las, being unconscious until her death, Friday, June 2, 1916.

She leaves three children, Mrs.
Zelma Higgins of Flint, Mrs.
Mabel Main of Lansing and Lil-lian Mae Karr, besides a dear husband and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss. Funeral services took place Monday, June 5, in Greenville at the home of her brother, Ed-

Vergennes Co-operative Club. The Vergennes Co-operative club met June 1 with Mrs. Godfrey Kropf. It was a pleasant meeting as many of the members were present and several visitors. Roll call was responded to by How could I best spend 25c in

ward Thornton. Deceased was laid to rest in Forest Homeceme-

improving my home?"
Mrs. Carl Bieri gave a very interesting talk on the "Care of young chick" and conducted the discussion on same.

Mrs. M. B. McPherson read

You never can tell how numb a young skull is"-a little sermon we sometimes forget. Our friend from the West, Miss Freda Bailey, read that beautiful little poem by Arthur Chapman, "Where the West Begins."

Mrs. D. D. Krum, director. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Music and a "good visit" completed the afternoon.

Meeting will be held with Mrs.

M. B. McPherson July 6.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Preaching, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30

ALTO-Preaching, 2:30 p. m.

The pastor wants to see you there. J. E. Bodine, Minister.

INSURE YOUR BUILDINGS

Insure your buildings against decay by using Pure Linseed Oil Paints---prices are a little higher--but no chances of being lower and it only adds a few dollars cost on an entire job, not enough to pay for

Remember, a year's delay after your buildings need the paint costs you at least 15 per cent more for material to cover them--lumber is too valuable to neglect.

> A Record of Fifty Years is the Guarantee That Masury's Paints Offer for **Durability and Economy.**

If prices lower than ours are quoted, determine whether The Mausury Guarantee of Quality is given. If not buy "Masury Quality." It is less costly. Sold in Lowell by

D. G. LOOK,

The Rexall **Drug Store**

Sell The Stock or Move it Out

This I must do BEFORE JULY 1ST., when extensive alterations and repairs begin on our store. If you can use any of the goods at A PRICE this is your opportunity to save money. Our biggest cuts will be made on the bulky stock, pianos organs, sewing machines, bicycles, etc., but everything, excepting Edison goods will be sacrificed as the stock must be reduced as much as possible before moving.

R. D. Stocking.



THE BRIDE AND GROOM

and all the wedding party should be photographed by us. Each year such pictures increase in value and keep alive happy

ARTISTIC PORTRAITURE is our specialty. We give careful attention to every detail of our work and feel sure we can satisfy you.

AVERY

"The Photographer in Your Town."

Phone 287



ARE YOU A BRICK-LAYER?

IF YOU ARE YOU KNOW THAT ONE BRICK ON TOP OF ANOTHER FINALLY BUILDS A HOUSE TO PROTECT AND SHELTER.

IF YOU ARE NOT A BRICK-LAYER YOU KNOW THAT ONE DOLLAR ON TOP OF ANOTHER BUILDS YOU A FOR-TUNE THAT WILL SOME DAY PROTECT AND SHELTER YOU FROM ADVERSITY.

PILE UP YOUR MONEY IN THE BANK AND BUILD A FORTUNE.

BANK WITH US.

WE?PAY.4 PER CENT INTEREST ON YOUR SAVINGS.



Each represents the most value for the money. LET US PROVE IT. Gould's Garage

What Car Shall I Buy

ANSWER---

Overland 83, \$695

Overland 75, \$615

Dodge Bros. Car, \$785

Headquarters for FORD, OVERLAND and DODGE BROS.

Automobiles.

Citz. Phone 269.

ity to get the South American

(Continued from first page.)

Good Meats

We use all young stock and handle it in a sanitary way. Everything kept clean and the prices are as reasonable as the present high prices of stock will permit. Give us a trial.

Lee E. Jones.

on the Bridge. Phone 211.

LOWELL LEDGER

F. M. JOHNSON, Publisher. Entered at the Postoffice at Lowell as Second-Class Matter.

MICHIGAN

Harley Maynard PLUMBING

And all work in connection with City Water System.

Phone 182

C. MoDannell, M. D. Physician and Surgova FFICE IN NEGONCE BLK., LOWELL, MICH

M. C. Greene, M. D. Physician and Surgeon SPPICE IN REGONCE BLK., LOWELL, MICH

S. P. Hicks Leans, Collections, Real Estate and Ingurance

Mogonee Block

Lowell, Mich

LOST AND FOUND Advertise Found Articles.

The Michigan Law Says in Effect.

A person who finds lost property under circumstances which give him knowledge or means of inquiring as to the true owner, and who appropriates such property to his own use or to the use of another person who is not entitled thereto without having first made every reasonable effort to find the owner and restore the property to him, is guilty of larceny.-Section 5739-40 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan.

The most effective way of restoring found property to the owner is through The Lowell Ledger.

DR. J. P. DRAPER, V.S.



Treats all Diseases of Horses and other Domestic An mala

Calls Promptly A Vended to Day or Night. OFFICE and HOSPITAL-On Wash-Ington Street, Opposite Residence. PHONES-OFFICE 144-2, RES. 144-3.

Dr. W. B. Huntley

PHYSICIA AND SURGEON. Specialty: Eye, Ear. Nose and Thro it. Office: McCarly Blk. Lowell. Mich.

S. S. LEE, M. D. Physician and Surgeon

11 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m. Sunflays, 3 to 4 p. m. OFFICE: LEE BLOCK

Office Phone, 98

A. B. CADWALLADER

FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER

Lady Assistant.

LOWELL, MICH.

Roland M. Shivel ATTORNEY

LOWELL, MICHIGAN KING BLOCK

ASSOCIATED WITH

POWERS & SHIVEL, Houseman Building. GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

C. H. ANDERSON, M.D.

Physician and Surgeon

Office Hours-8 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M.

Office over Hill's Shoe Store, Lowe L Mick.

LL the reliable patent medicines advertised in this paper are sold by D. G. LOOK, the Lowell Drug and Book man.

Phone 200

Letter Heads, Bills Heads, Statements, Tickets, Invitations, Announcements, Menus, Envelopes, Sign Cards Programs, Rent Signs, Hand Bills, Tags, Inclosure Slips, Postere, Gummed Labels, Calling Cards.

WE ARE PREPARED TO GIVE YOU SATISFACTION AS TO PRICE AND QUALITY

THE LEDGER **PRINTERS**

LOWELL, MICH.

CALL US UP OUR PHONE IS CITZ. 200

For Best Results **ADVERTISE!** In This Paper

State and General News Section



Compiled and Condensed for Readers of Lowell and Environs

U OF M MEMORIAL FUND PLEDGES

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL BE PUT INTO FUND UNTIL THE YEAR 1925.

USE MONEY FOR ANY PURPOSE

Three Hundred Seniors Laid the Foundation With \$1,550 Already Pledged.

Ann Arbor.--In an effort to augment the annual income of the University of Michigan, 300 seniors laid the foundations of an alumni memorial fund. All graduates were asked to make a pledge to the university, payable annually beginning April, 1918, the money thus realized to be put into a fund which will be allowed to accumulate until 1925. It is expected that each succeeding class will make pledges to the fund. In 1925, one part of the accumulated fund will be set aside as a permanent endowment, while the remainder will be put into a special fund to be administered by a board composed of representatives from the alumni, the student body, the faculty and the university board of regents.

It is the plan of the originators of the scheme to allow the money to be used for any purpose, such as employing and raising the salaries of members of the teaching staff, funds, augmenting building appropriations and providing a fund which will be available for projects for which it is impossible to obtain appropriations from the state legislature. Thus far an annual contribution of \$1,550 has been pledged and it is expected that this sum will be greatly increased by addi- motor car at Lima, O. tional pledges of members of the senior class and alumni.

A BAFFLING CRIME

The Lansing Police Trying to Find the Murderer of a Citizen.

Lansing.—Although a half-dozen suspects have been arrested and let go since the murder, the police are still at sea regarding the identity of the two men who killed Alex M. Somengyi, the Hungarian banker and ice cream dealer.

Beyond the descriptions of the two men who entered the store as given by Mrs. Somongyi and a cap picked up near the scene of the killing the officials have nothing upon which to

The entire job appears amateurish and a Lansing young man, who is now locked up on a charge of violating the local option law, is suspected of knowing more than he will tell. Several petty robberies had recently been traced to a gang with which the prisoner was at one time intimate.

Two men suspected of being pickpockets, with criminal records, are being held at the station. They were taken at the Grand Trunk station. They practically admitted their calling, but denied they had anything to do with the killing of Somongyi.

So far as is known Mrs. Somongyi has failed to identify any of the suspects arrested.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Agitation has been started in Three Rivers for a manager-commission form of government.

Without a physician or a nurse present a healthy boy was born on a South Shore train. The mother is a Flint woman who was hurrying to her parents in Sault St. Marie. Mother and child are being cared for at a Soo

Attorney Oris W. Farrar, 65 of Gaylord committed suicide by hanging himself at his home Thursday afternoon. He had been in poor health for many years and was despondent. He was justice of the peace for several terms, and was a graduate of the U.

of M. law class of '73. Although the usual large numbers of men will be needed in Kansas and Oklahoma during the harvest season this year, comparatively few will go from Detroit. More positions are open in Detroit than there are men to fill them by at least 1,000, declares the U. S. Immigration bureau.

A coroner's jury in Mackinaw City has decided that Joseph Burden, 60, came to his death as a result of a kick on the head during an altercation with Louis Labean, a fellow employe of the Michigan Central, May 25. Physicians testified an abcess at the base of the brain was caused by the

Figures received by the Americanization committee of the Detroit Board of Commerce reveal that during the first five months of 1916 more than twice the number of aliens applied for citizenship paners in Detroit than did so during the same period in 1915.

Gladys Golf, member of this year's home of N. A. McDonald while the latter was at the G. O. P. convention. Mrs. McDonald was overcome with fright.

A former Clare salcon man has paid \$9000 for the lone bar at Oakley. a crossroads just over the line from "dry" Shiawassee county, in "wet" Saginaw county. This does not include the building, but merely the stock and trade.

Officers of the Eighth Michigan naval reserve corps of the University of Michigan have been notified of a fed eral appropriation of \$1,000 for a boat house. The government also has assigned three 28-foot sailing cutters and one 24-foot whaleboat for use of the corps.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS LETTER FROM

The governor has issued his annual proclamation setting aside June 14 as

Gerrit S. Ward, 74, president of the First State bank of Alma, dropped dead at Big Rapids Friday.

W. S. Kellogg has been appointed assistant secretary of the state board of health at a salary of \$1,500.

The first wet petition asking for a township local option amendment has been filed with the secretary of state. J. Walter Wood, who is mayor pro tem of Niles is expected to succeed his father, L. E. Wood, who died recently, as mayor.

Thirteen girls form the graduation class of the Wexford County Normal school. All who are not engaged to wed have positions as teachers.

Construction work on the new million dollar Michigan Union club house, Ann Arbor, will be started at formal exercises to be held June 28, Orris W. Farrar, of Gaylord, 65

sity of Michigan, hanged himself following a number of years of ill health. Charles M. Dargis, 31, Bay City, brakeman on the Michigan Central, fell under a train at Roscommon Fri-

died.

years old, a graduate of the Univer-

The next annual session of the Upper Peninsula league, Knights of Pythias, will be held in Hancock. Ivan Hart of Houghton has been chosen president.

Louis Knaf, 60 years old, a trustee of Trenton village, died of brain fever in his home Saturday. He had been year. ill for a week and had been unconecious during the week.

Edward Almar, 22 years old, of Lansing, and Dolph Curtis, 17 years old, of Grand Rapids, are under arrest at Muncle, Ind., for the theft of a

The body of Aviator Stevenson Mac-Gordon of Menominee, who was fatally burned in an explosion of his aeroplane at Newport News, Va., will be brought home for burial. John Smith, of Bay City, 60 years

took his own life when the latter asked him for \$2. A daughter and a son. Robert, of Detroit survive. Fred A. Aldrich, of Flint, elected grand commander by the Michigan

old, shot and killed his wife and then

grand commandery, was greeted by a band and members of the Genesee Valley commandery on his return. Midshipman John Adrian Gerard Kanaar, cousin of Miss Louise and

Ralph Kanaar of Muskegon, was on the British cruiser Hampshire which sank with Earl Kitchener and staff. Despondent because of illness, C. Spencer, 45, a guest at a Muskegon

hotel, and claiming residence at Grand Rapids shot and killed himself in his room. The body was found by a cham-Albert Seitz, 55 years old, was found dead in his room in a Detroit board-

ing house. Although he had \$5,573.12 in cash and bank deposits, he lived on stale buns and other food cooked over an old oil stove. George Fuller, 92, a pioneer farmer

of Macomb county, who had resided in Richmond 15 years is dead. He is survived by a son, Elmer, of Chesterfield, and brothers, William 82 and Hosea 85 of Richmond. There are now nearly 200 prisoners

of Sheriff Oakman registered in the country jail. Cell room is at such a premium that 26 men have been accommodated with cots in the inner corridors of the cell blocks.

Emerson A. Gordon, 27 years old, who is said to have confessed to absconding with \$4,600 from the Simon J. Murphy company of Detroit, waived examination and was held to the next term of recorder's court.

Wayne county circuit judges sitting en banc, Saturday denied a petition for the reinstatement of George W. Radford, Detroit attorney disbarred from practice in that court about six years ago for alleged illegal practices, and also denied a petition for a rehear-

ing of his case. Fifty thousand dollars worth of bonds were burned in South Haven city hall upon order of the council because city officials discovered that it was possible to issue four and onehalf cent bonds instead of five per cent bonds. The money when secured from the sale of the four and a half per cent bonds will be used in the erection of a new city hall and

Although Miss Mary E. Spaulding of Grand Rapids posed for a life-sized photograph in nothing but tights, a jury in the circuit court has awarded her \$2,500 heart balm against David McWhorter a retired business man. Miss Spaulding testified that for 12 years she was the "old man's darling," and then he threw her aside to marry a younger and fairer girl.

Fifty helpers in the foundry department at Michigan Alkali works, No. 2 Ford village, walked out 2 ' r a". when the company refused their demand for an increase in pay 1roin 25 to 30 cents an hour.

Lawrence F. Schwab, 80, of Muske gon, has invented a rapid-fire gun Newago high school graduating class, throwing asphyxiating gas projectiles clad only in a bath robe, with a loaded at the rate of 10 shots a minute, which revolver, chased a burglar from the he has offered to the United States per cent, cherries, 88 per cent, and has been a chemist in army ordinance board. The weapon has already received the tentative approval of Thomas A. Edison, chairman of the military advisory board.

Fort Wayne cannot be used to house Detroit's homeless hundreds, because the government needs it for military purposes, according to a letter from Adjutant General William Wright, of the United States army, to the Detroit Federation of Labor.

Miss Esther Barney, valedictorian of this year's senior class of Albion college, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barney, of Albion city will marry W. Howard Wilson, a recent Albion graduate and instructor in the mathematics department of the University of Michigan.

STATE CAPITOL

THE STATE COLLEGE SUMMER SCHOOL IS ASSURED OF A LARGE ATTENDANCE.

MORE MEN FOR STATE GUARD

Some Railroad Money for State and Counties, Some More Paroles, and Other Matters of Note.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing-According to the advance notices received at the office of the director of the summer school at the Michigan Agricultural college, the in the sum of \$130,578 course this summer, which extends filed in the two coun from June 19 to July 28th, will be more largely attended than ever.

A large enrollment is indicated in the special courses for teachers of agriculture, both for rural and county normal teachers. While the interest which is manifested in the course in agricultural business proves beyond a doubt, that this will be an intensely valuable addition to the regular work. day and was so badly mangled that he

Home Economics also occupies a prominent place in the inquiries that are coming in and a record attendance is for the Home Economics Conference, which is scheduled for June 10 to 14. The Conference for Rural Leaders, July 11 to 22, bids fair to rival the successful one held last

While a large number of the summer school students will be strangers to M. A. C., yet many of the regular students have signified their intention of staying to do advanced work in various lines. Some of these will work on the new engineering and gymnasium buildings which are in process of construction. The fact that the old students will be on hand to mingle among, and make the new comers feel at home, insures a social atmosphere teeming with life.

National Guard Pay.

With pay to be given to members practically no educa of the National Guard under the new! militia bill, officers of the Michigan he displayed remarka Guard believe that when the maximum called for by the new regulations November, 1914, at wh is reached, this state should have a entitled to file an a wonderful guard.

In the past the one thing which has cut down the attendance at drills and lessened interest has been the lack of compensation. But with a first class private, as created by the new bill, drawing \$1.12 and a regular private 93 cents for each of 48 drills a parole and was immed year the staff officers of the guard bylieve that their worst trouble has been a good position in De

The smaller towns in Michigan, in which a single company of infantry could easily be supported, are numerous. In the past it was hard to get farmers' sons interested. With automobiles common and the incentive of pay, the military authorities are satisfied that the small town organization will develop. And it has nearly always been the case that the small town companies, when properly officered, make as good a fighting unit as can be organized.

Detroit, when the maximum is reached in 1921, should have two regiments of infantry, a battery of artillery and a troop of cavalry, and possibly more of the latter two.

Above the rank of first-class private, non-commissioned officers will be well repaid for drills. A sergeant, for instance, basing his remuneration on the basis of 25 per cent of the regular army pay, should get close to \$3 for an evening's work at the armory. And this it is thought here, is a fair night's wage for such work.

The new law changes the personnel of the companies of infantry in addition to boosting each company to 100 men. The make-up of a regiment will be as follows:

One colonel, one lieutenant-colonel three majors, 15 captains, 16 first Two Prisoners Paroled. lieutenants, 15 second lieutenants, one headquarters company, one machine gun company, one supply company, and 12 companies of infantry, each 3 to 15 years in Jack with three battalions of four com- Crampton was given a panies of infantry.

Each company is to have one captain, one first lieutenant, one second was dying. Following lieutenant, one first sergeant, one returned voluntarily to mess sergeant, one supply sergeant, the governor released six sergeants, 11 corporals, two cooks, that he may return ho two buglers, one mechanic, 19 pri- care for his children. vates first class and 56 privates.

Condition of Crops.

The condition of wheat, rye, corn, and oats is a trifle less than was the condition of these crops a year ago. according to the monthly crop report issued from the secretary of state's department. For instance the condition of wheat

is 81 in the state as compared to 91 a year ago, while rye is four per cent poerer in outlook and oats the same Weather conditions during May was favorable to fruit according to the report and the prospect at the present time for a crop of the various kinds of fruit is as follows: Apples, 89 per department, Commission cent of an average crop, pears, 95 per ing appointed Miss N cent, peaches, 73 per cent, plums, 79 Lansing to that position trawberries, 91 per c

bushels of wheat was marketed and Efficiency and not politic consumed by growers during the ten appointment, the dairy i months period, August-May and corre- missioner says.

The Governor on Parades. Governor Ferris talks about the pre-

paredness parades staged in Michigan and other states. He not only does not favor such parades but says the people participating seem to be o' demonstration for Roose the opinion that they will march the streets and demonstrate to others why they should get ready for war "I would like to know how many in those parades would enlist if they were asked," declared the governor | The receipts in May i 'My private opinion is that they of auto licenses were \$31 would be few and scattering. I am 63 a total of \$1,300,000.

spondents report 161 keted during May.

The present condi about the same as ! The acreage of corn planted as compared 96 per cent while ba be 93 per cent of the Meadows are report condition, being far year ago.

The acreage of r pared with last year while the present co The number of ac planted this year is e

and 4,405 acres of ce Sugar beet plantii ceeds that of last yes centage.

Share in Railroad Ta Ingham and Kala will share with the

lection of \$32,841.50 New York Central rai road. One mortgag filed in Ingham cour state and county \$9,4 state tax commission out that amount as tl state basing the con amount of property which the mortgage v mazoo county will c from another mortga county of \$90,578,400. counties shores equa collected under the m Three other mortga proximately \$450,000,0 filed in the state and they will be filed i Joseph and Waste What proportion of covered by these me Michigan has not yet

Educated in Prison. Harry Lane left Ji

ed by the state board

free man, and but for desired to take advan cational privileges offe on school, he undoubt breathed the air of fre ago. Lane was sentend county in 1913 to serv from one to five yes He was then 30 yea the second grade of tl learning and was ad parole. However, he desire to complete th and in order to do this making an application Recently he completed having gathered all th prison school offered l by Governor Ferris.

Put Out of Business.

Insurance Commiss Illinois will not appr the insurance policies Illinois Surety compa reinsured in the Natio pany of New York and Commissioner Winship The Illinois company placed in the hands of its business in Michig sured with the New It was necessary for Winship to first secure the Illinois commission ficial informs the Mic sioner that he will n such reinsurance but I tervening petition in c be made a party to t ceivership litigation. commissioner says an the Illinois company r that it has assets suff its liabilities with the

liability to stockholde This would indicate policy holders of the de would be protected, by er Winship says the co be allowed to write a ness in this state.

A parole has been i liam Crampton, of Grar was sentenced in 1912 recently in order that h to his home and see

Frank Boston, senter from Cass county for serve 9 months to 15 was also given a parole issued a parole about 1 but after being out for he secured a quantity o proved his undoing. He as a parole violator a four years he express the governor that he we if liberated. He will chance.

For the first time i history a woman has b o the position of as analyst in the state di partment for the past i It is estimated that 10,750,000 will assume her new di

but am willing at this military tactics providi paredness is necessar however, that the Detr ness parade was nothing many if not all such de tre for show purposes ra arnest preparedness."

PURPLE TAFFETA

softening touch.

the navy satin.

high-grade tailored suits of silk.

Costumers account for the fancy for

that the war has discouraged the de-

trimmings, so that to offset the condi-

tion and do away with the possibility

head of the procession.

women command high wages.

could be used in this way.

Fashion has decreed that the conven-

to the natty linen shoe, light in

weight and attractive in appearance.

This shoe is of green linen and tips

est innovation in the sports shoe

pierced in the edge of the tin, securely

Painted Boots.

very modest little conventional berries

when occasion requires.

line. Its popularity is assured.

smart one.

TAKING PLACE OF THE MUFF

silk and metal thread with which the embroidering is dor e, and \$2 for sew-

ally selected for a dress of this type.

because it gives the support necessar;

ness, which feature is definitely op-

posed to the season's preferred styles,

even the tight little basque bodices frequently seen having an invariable

AFTERNOON COSTUME THAT yard, and allowing \$1 for three-quar-

WILL MEET WITH APPROVAL.

May Be Made by Home Dressmaker at

Comparatively Small Cost-Metal

Embroideries a Feature of Gar-

ment That Enhances Worth.

The pretty afternoon dress here

shown is made of purple taffeta, and

front and back widths are draped with navy georgette crepe. Bands of navy

satin trim the skirt, the same mate-

rial being employed for the narrow

Pretty Afternoon Dress.

modish revers. Silver and turquoise

embroidery adds a color touch and

decorative feature to the overdrapery

The dress may be made at home,

using materials of good quality, for

\$16, estimating four yards of taffeta

Many Uses for the Empty Hands

May Be Found if Women Will

Look for Them.

hands, now that she has no further

times irritated by this little problem.

One young woman solves it by be-

coming a student. She is seen for the

first few weeks of mild weather carry-

ing a book, magazine or newspaper,

which is not heavy, but finds a use for

the empty hands. At first a book is

used. Then she changes to a lighter

book, then to a magazine, and lastly to

the newspaper. In the meantime she

has been learning to carry a handbag

in the hand, and not slipped over the

arm, as is generally done by those

Another woman carries a bag con-

taining embroidery, while a third is

never seen without an embroidery bag

or basket. These articles are not

heavy, nor cumbersome, but are useful

for the purpose to which they are put.

It is always at this time that women

feel shabby, even though they may

have on practically new clothes, and

all long for the season's change of

dress. The bright new bags, or books,

serve to modify this dissatisfaction,

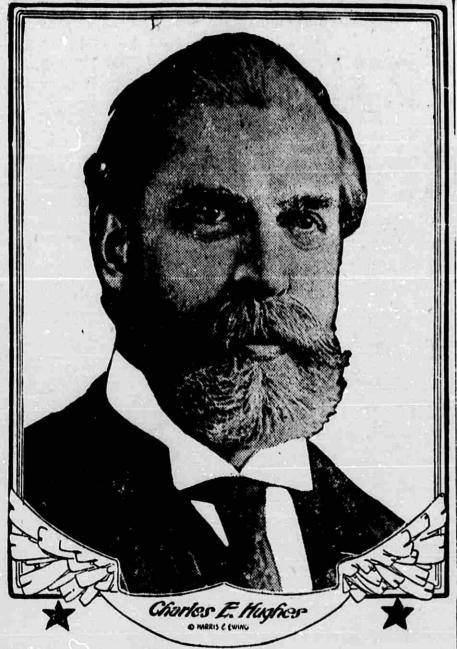
and women who carry such things go

Cozy That May Be Relied Upon to

who have carried a muff.

quality may be obtained for \$1.50 a | Star.

of georgette.



HUGHES NAMED AS LEADER BY

Associate Justice Made the Unanimous Choice of the G. O. P. Convention.

FAIRBANKS IS RUNNING MATE

Roosevelt's Suggestion of Lodge as Compromise Candidate Is Ignored by Republicans - Progressives Choose Former President as Their Candidate With John

M. Parker for Second Place.

Republican Ticket: CHARLES EVANS HUGHES, president. CHARLES WARREN FAIRBANKS.

for vice president. Progressive Ticket:

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, for president. JOHN M. PARKER, for vice pres-

Chicago.-Charles Evans Hughes, associate justice of the United States Supreme court, is the nominee of the Republican party for president of the United States, and Charles Warren Fairbanks, vice president during the

ning mate. The nomination of Mr. Hughes came

The vote was overwhelmingly

was given 9491/2; Roosevelt, 181/2; Du-Pont, 5; Weeks, 3; Lodge, 7, and La Follette, 3.

The nomination of Hughes came after the Republicans had turned down the proposal of Col. Theodore Roosevelt that United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge be named as a compromise candidate.

It preceded by a few minutes the he nomination of Roosevelt by the Progressive party national convention in the Auditorium theater.

John M. Parker of Louisiana was named by the Progressives as their en seriously by the Republicans. candidate for vice president.

By the time New Jersey was called on the roll of states, Hughes had Republican convention. polled a majority of the votes of the

The nomination of the New York Progressive "peace committee" had man was the signal for a wild out- agreed to put the name of Hughes burst in the Coliseum-the scene of before that convention hardly caused many wild outbursts in the last few a stir, nor did the news that came a are characteristics commonly attribdays.

Choice Made Unanimous.

velt, moved to make it unanimous. The nomination was made unanimous with a roaring chorus of "Ayes" and not a single "No."

motion for unanimity.

of Ohio seconded Fairbanks. former Senator Burkett.

of the Republican party.

Roosevelt administration, is his run-

gates. As soon as the presidential nomina-

HUGHES ACCEPTS AND RESIGNS OFFICE

Washington, June 10.—Justice Charles Evans Hughes accepted the Republican nomination for the presidency, and resigned from the Supreme court of the United States. He issued the following statement: "To the President:

"To the President:

"I hereby resign the office of associate justice of the Supreme court
of the United States.

"I am, sir, respectfully yours,
Hughes' statement of the acceptance of the Republican nomination

Hon. Warren G. Harding, Chairman Republican National Committee, "Hon. Warren G. Harding, Chairman Republican National Committee, Chicago, Ill.

"Mr. Chairman and Delegates: I have not desired the nomination. I have wished to remain on the bench, but in this critical period of our national history I recognize that it is your right to summon and my paramount duty to respond. You speak at a time of national exigency, transcending merely partisan consideration.

"You voice the demand of the dominant, thoroughgoing Americanism, with firm, protective, upbuilding policies essential to our peace and security; and to that call in this crisis I cannot fail to answer with the pledge of all that is in me to the service of our country. Therefore I accept the nomination.

"I stand for the firm and unflinching maintenance of all the rights of American citizens on land and sea. I neither impugn motives nor underestimate difficulties.

"But it is more regrettably true that in our foreign relations we

of American citizens on land and sea. I neither impugn motives nor underestimate difficulties.

"But it is more regrettably true that in our foreign relations we have suffered incalculably from the weak and vacillating course which has been taken as régards Mexico—a course lamentably wrong with regard to both our rights and our duties.

"We interfered without consistency and while seeking to dictate when we were not concerned, we utterly failed to appreciate and discharge our plain duty to our citizens.

"At the outset of the administration the high responsibilities of our diplomatic intercourse with foreign nations were subordinated to a conception of partisan requirements, and we presented the world a humiliating spectacle of ineptitude.

"The latest efforts have not availed to recover the influence and prestige so unfortunately sacrificed; and brave words have been stripped of their force by indecision.

"I desire to see our diplomacy restored to its best standards, and to have these advanced; to have no sacrifices of national interests to partisan expediency; to have the first ability of the country always at its command, here and abroad, in diplomatic intercourse; to maintain firmly our rights under our laws; insisting steadfastly upon our rights as neutrals and fully performing our international obligations; and by the clear correctness and justice of our position, and our manifest ability and disposition to sustain them, to dignify our place among the nations.

"I stand for an Americanism which knows no ulterior purpose, for a patriotism which is single and complete. Whether native or naturalized, of whatever race or creed, we have but one country, and we do not for an instant tolerate any divisions of allegiance.

"I believe in making prompt provision to assure absolutely our national security.

national security.

"I believe in preparedness, not only entirely adequate for our defense with respect to numbers and equipment in both army and navy, but with all thoroughness to the end that in each branch of the service there may be the utmost efficiency under the most competent administrative heads.

"We are devoted to the ideal of honorable peace. We wish to promote all wise and practicable measures for the just settlement of international disputes. In view of our abiding ideals, there is no danger of militarism in this country.

"We have no policy of aggressiveness; no lust for territory; no seal for strife. It is in this spirit that we demand adequate provision for national defense and we condemn the inexcusable neglect that has been shown in this matter of first national importance.

"We must have the strength which self-respect demands, the strength of an efficient nation ready for every emergency."

HOW STATES VOTED ON FIRST BALLOT

tAlabama Arkansas15 California26 Connecticut14 Delaware 6 Kansas20 Kentucky26 Louisiana12 Michigan30 Mississippi12 Missouri35 Montana 8 Nebraska16 Nevada 6 New Hampshire. 8 New Mexico..... 6 New York........ N. Dakota10 Ohio48 Oklahoma20 Rhode Island....10 Carolina11 Dakota10 Tennessee21 Texas26 Wisconsin26 .. Wyoming 6 Hughes from the moment the first state-Alabama-was called upon. He Totals 29 77½ 85 12

Missouri gave Frank B. Willis 3 votes; one Missouri vote recorded absent. tOne absent for Pennsylvania. Tennessee ½ vote absent. Texas gave McCall 1 vote, Frank B. Willis 1, William H. Taft 14 and Borah 1. Alabama gave Borah 1 vote.

mate of the Supreme court justice. Roosevelt Offers Lodge.

Lodge's name was not even for makers. mally placed in nomination before the

The report of the "peace" conference committees showing that the

few minutes later that the report had been tabled by the Progressives. Chairman Harding announced the Meanwhile Hughes was in the air, nomination of Hughes, and Alex. P. on every tongue. Delegates were im-Moore of Pittsburgh and Senator patient to get to balloting. The feel- try in 1855. Lodge, who voted for Theogore Roose- ing was everywhere that the third bal-

lot of the convention for president would be the last-and it was. Harding Is Chairman. The Republican convention opened Senator Lodge made an eloquent ap- at the Coliseum at 11 a. m., June 7. peal for Hughes in seconding the Scnator Warren G. Harding of Ohio

was elected temporary chairman, and New Mexico nominated Fairbanks he delivered a speech setting forth for vice president. Governor Willis conservative Republican principles. Following this the regular committees Nebraska was the next state to re- were appointed and organized and rouspond and H. H. Baldridge nominated tine convention business went forward. There was only moderate ex-

Charles Warren Fairbanks of Indi. pression of enthusiasm at any time. ana was nominated on the first bal- With the hope of agreeing an a presilot as the vice presidential candidate dential candidate whom both parties might support, the Progressives, in The fact that Roosevelt had been convention at the Auditorium, and the nominated by the rival convention, in Republicans appointed a joint conferno wise dampened the ardor or the ence committee Thursday, and this on the third ballot of the 1916 con- enthusiasm of the Republican dele committee met at the Chicago club. Shortly after midnight it was announced that no progress had been made toward fusion of the two parties.

The Republican members of this committee were Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, W. Murray Crane, ex-senator from Massachusetts; Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Nicholas Murray Butler of New York, president of Columbia university; A. R. Johnson of Ohio, a former congressman. The Progressive members were Gov. Hiram Johnson of California, Horace S. Wilkinson of New York, Charles J. Bonaparte of Maryland, former attorney general, John M. Parker of Louisiana,

Nominating speeches began in the Republican convention about three o'clock Friday afternoon, and nominations were closed before eight o'clock. Balloting began at once. Two ballots were taken before adjournment for the night.

George W. Perkins of New York.

Progressives in Session.

The Progressive convention opened at exactly the same time the Republicans started their meeting. Temporary Chairman Raymond Robins delivered the Progressive policy speech. Routine business followed—but it wasn't routine in the same way as the Republican session was. The Progressives, with such men as William Allen White, Victor Murdock and Hiram Johnson, were loudly enthusiastic. This convention was really an explosive affair-cheers, table pounding, radical talk and all that

It is said that George W. Perkins and some others of the Progressive group had a hard time keeping the radical element from nominating Colonel Roosevelt shortly after the show started. The conservatives lived in the hope of a fusion with the Republicans. The radicals said they didn't care what the Republicans did. They wanted "Teddy," and they wanted him quick. There was no dickering spirit in these fellows.

Most of the entertainment during the week was furnished by favorite an associate justice of the Supreme sons delegations and boomlets around | court, and he took office on October 1 the hotel lobbies and on the streets.

tion was out of the way, conferences | Fairbanks, Burton, Weeks, Root, Sherwere begun to fix upon the running man, La Follette, Cummins and one or two others were advertised by noisy supporters. Roosevelt men-Progres-The Roosevelt proposal to select sives and progressive Republicanshis friend, Henry Cabot Lodge, as a | were at it early and late. They probcompromise candidate was never tak- ably made the greatest racket. Mr. Hughes was unrepresented by merry-

> Career of Justice Hughes. Charles Evans Hughes' fame rests principally on his conduct of the insurance investigation and his career as governor of New York state.

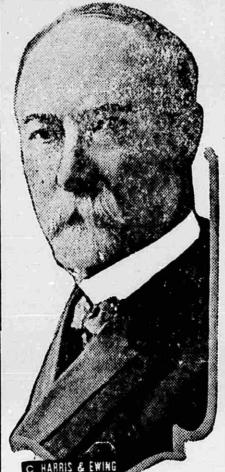
An iron will, incorruptible character and remarkable reasoning ability

N. Y., April 11, 1862, the son of a Welshman who had come to this coun-He graduated from Brown univer-

Mr. Hughes was born at Glens Falls,

sity in 1881. In 1882 he entered Columbia Law school, New York city. He was grad- use for a muff? Shall she carry a

uated two years later at the head of handbag, or shall she run the risk of his class and became a member of the feeling awkward and nervous through New York bar. not knowing just what to do with In 1888 he entered the law firm of them? Many women who are not ordi-Carter, Hughes & Cravath, and about narily affected by trifles are some-



Charles Warren Fairbanks.

the same time married Miss Antolnette Carter, daughter of Walter S. ing a tumbler of hot milk or other Carter, senior member of the firm. First Attracts Attention.

He first attracted newspaper attention in 1905, when he became counsel for the Stephens gas investigating committee. Mr. Hughes uncovered the ramifications of the gas and electric light monopoly of the metropolis and later assisted in framing several legislative bills to bring relief to bad conditions he had discovered.

In the same year started the famous life insurance investigation. When asked to take up the work of counsel to the investigating committee Mr. Hughes declined, except on condition that he be given free rein and allowed to handle the probe thoroughly. The investigation lasted four months

and resulted in a revolution in insur-

ance methods. In the autumn of 1906 Mr. Hughes was elected governor of New York | the tumbler or cup, and in the edge of state by the Republicans. In 1916 the lid pierce a number of small holes. President Taft appointed Mr. Hughes

now in use in Great Britain, against

mportant Matter That the Woman Fond of Embroidery Work Must Be Careful to Consider.

Women who do a good deal of embroidering should be most particular It is a common sight to see hoops in the hands of very particular women so dirty that they are a disgrace to their cleanliness.

The best covering for hoops is a very thin tape about an inch wide. wound so that one edge just barely laps oper the other. A bolt of tape can be bought for a very small sum, so that the expense is not much, and hoops often leave black lines on the material.

is spread on them. Fit the material cuffs.

smoothly over the lower ring before putting on the top. Unless you do this the material will sag or wrinkle and the effect will be much worse than

Embroidered Pockets There are many girls who prefer to wear tailored biouses with their coa suits, and yet they wish to keep them from being too severe. A satisfactory way to overcome this is to add hand embroidery to a blouse made on shirt waist lines. One blouse of old-rose crepe de chine has a pointed sailor collar which is neatly hemstitched. The same form of trimming is used to trim either side of the front to simulate s bolero. At about the middle of the

PURPOSE OF WOOL DEMONSTRATION CAR



Interior of Wool Demonstration Car.

embroideries as trimmings by the fact velopment of novelty fabrics and dealers that better wool means more been touring Montana, Idaho, Wyoof a dearth of decoration hand embroidery was given a place at the ming and Utah for the past several months. In the course of that time it If a woman is handy with her has given demonstrations in more needle the fancy for hand-embroid- than fifty towns and at least 6,000 ered frocks need not appall her, but persons directly interested in wool if she must depend upon someone else growing have had an opportunity to ducer to improve his flock, grade his to apply the stitches she must ex- study the exhibits. These consist pect to pay well for them. Manufac- chiefly of fleeces representing the vaturers say that because of the demand rious grades of wool, but, in addition, for hand embroidery as a trimming six head of live sheep are carried

ready-to-wear garments have gone up along as an object lesson in the value in price, as this class of work must of the different breeds. necessarily be slow and skilled needle-The purpose of the tour, in which the United States department of agri-Hand embroidery and fabric combinations play a very important part

The dress illustrated has the side wool. The prevailing practice in this knowledge of wool grades and of the flare effect with flat front and back country of marketing wool on a quan- ways in which the requirements of at \$1.50 per yard, the same amount that are commended as wholly cortity rather than a quality basis has in- manufacturers can be met most profitof georgette, of which a very fair rect by Dame Fashion .- Washington terfered with a full realization on the ably. It is to spread this knowledge,

(Prepared by the United States Depart-ment of Agriculture.)
In order to show producers and various grades of weel and their own various grades of wool and their own profits. The idea is not uncommon money, a wool demonstration car has that wool is wool and that the heavier the clip is, the bigger the profit will be.

It is this idea that the specialists

in charge of the car are anxious to dispel. The experience of Australian sheep growers has shown that it is clip in the shearing shed, handle it carefully and sell it not for a lump sum, but each grade by itself. Under existing conditions in this country it is not probable that the individual grower would profit immediately by adopting this system, for organized effort will be necessary to effect so culture is co-operating with the agri- radical a change in the prevailing cultural colleges of the four states, is practice. Before any such effort can in making this season's costume a to increase interest in the movement be made, however, it is essential that for the improvement of American growers should have a more complete part of producers of the factors which which at the present time is far more determine the real value of their clips. common among buyers than produc-



Many are unable to estimate accurate- ers, that the demonstration car has

ly the percentage of shrinkage in their | been sent on its tour.

Practical Object Lesson in Wool.

of flowered cretonne and is the lat. FEEDING CATTLE IN SUMMER MANURE USED FOR POTATOES

Practice Found to Be More Profitable Than Winter Feeding-Should Have Pasture.

Summer feeding while cattle are pastured, has been found to be more manure for potatoes, either rotted or profitable than winter feeding. So you fresh, is to apply it to some preceding see it pays to feed the beef cattle in crop. summer while running in the pasture, If the soil is poor, well-rotted maof flannel of sufficient length to reach as they should have, and need, a nure may safely be used just prior to planting. stronger feed than green grass.

CONCRETE FOR HOG WALLOW PUREBRED STOCK FAVORED The edge of the lid is finished off with a silk cord, and in the center Weekly Disinfectant Should Be Used First Cross Often Produces Satisfac-

three little loops of satin ribbon are During Summer to Keep Animals sewed on, which form a kind of handle Free of Vermin. by which the "cozy" can be lifted up A good hog wallow is a mighty good In the sick room a little article of investment for any farmer. Build it ety with another often produces very

this kind will be found very useful, as of concrete and connect it with the satisfactory stock, but further use of it forms a capital cover for a glass, well or tank. During the summer put such stock develops mongrels and whether it contains warm or cold in weekly a good disinfectant and you usually destroys the best usefulness of will keep the hogs healthy, happy and both breeds concerned. Purebred

We might have been prepared, and VERMIN ON LITTLE TURKEYS KINDNESS TO FARM ANIMALS in a way we were, but all the same everybody turned to gaze at a pair of Prevent and Destroy Pests by Frepainted boots that tripped down quently Greasing Fowls With Broadway the other afternoon. Some

were painted across the instep, but Look out for head lice and ticks on the heads and necks of little turkeys and prevent and destroy these lice and by the members of your family. It

Good Ointment.

Good for Brood Sows.

Respond to Good Care. Pigs are appreciative and always respond to good care.

In Case of Scours. If little pigs begin to scour, shut down on the sow's feed at once.

Trees With "Wet Feet." At no season of the year should water stand around the trees and vines. care and keep all males separate from

Their roots will not stand it. There the flock except during the breeding must be proper drainage. Soll Improvement. The soil is improved very materially

animals. Cause of Roup. Roup often accompanies the damp and dark poultry house.

preciated nearly as much by them as ticks by frequently greasing the heads has a money value with the animals and necks of the poults with some good head lice cintment, or with carbolic with the family a psychological value vaseline.

Most Economical Way is to Apply Fer-

tilizer, Fresh or Rotted, to Some

Preceding Crop.

The most economical way to use

tory Variety, But Further Use

Develops Scrubs.

The first cross of one purebred vari-

stock is more profitable for all uses.

It Has Monetary Value That Farmer

Cannot Afford to Overlook-

Will Work Wonders.

Kindness to the farm animals is ap-

A mixture composed of a basket of charcoal or fine coal, five pounds of sirelaked lime and two pounds of sulphur, kept constantly before brood sows will give good region birth.

Dairy Herd Prefits.

The best way to get a profit-producting dairy herd is to use only good with bride sires, take good care of the composed sows will give good region birth.

Strange Hoge. When turning strange hogs into a meh. It should be done in a large,

Keep Hogs Thriving.

Keep hogs thriving; strong, healthy hogs resist oholers.

Fertile Eggs. Handle fertile eggs with special season.

Pick Healthy Layers. Keep only strong, healthy breeders as a result of growing legumes, for or layers, thus avoiding many inherithogs and feeding extra grains to the ed tendencies to produce inferior eggs.

To Secure Clean Pork.

If you want clean pork, give you hogs clean pens.

INTERESTING FACTS

Nigeria has been added to the lands in which valuable deposits of coal have ben discovered in recent years. Silk fabrics heavily impregnated with the salts of lead or tin are being made in France for X-ray garments for physicians.

The ukulele, the national musical instrument of Hawaii, has become so That the human brain can withstand popular in the United States that the the strain of persistent work better orders cannot be supplied by the Ha- | than the muscles of the body has been waijan makers.

The Gilbert and Ellice islands in the Salubite, a new explosive, is 50 Pacific ocean, which were proclaimed times more powerful than dynamite a British protectorate in 1892, have and is much safer, for it will explode now been annexed to the British em- only by means of the percussion cap. pire as a crown colony. The population of these islands was reported in ent an 104-millimeter; anti-aircraft 1911 to be 26,417 natives and 446 for- Krupp gun, 45 calibers long, which eigners.

have been there" themselves.

of whalebone about with him. Water and fireproof barrels will be made in Hawaii from bagasse, a sugar mill by-product, for exporting sugar and importing potash.

As a deer-hunting state Vermont killed in 1915, compared with from 8, reducing the Siam crop.

proved by recent experiments.

sends a projectile weighing 151/2 kilo-The great demand for rubber in grammes, with a muzzle velocity of

nance which defends ' stend.

damp weather, the streets of San Francisco are sanded by a machine mounted on a motor truck.

About 2,000,000 natives of Siam are | wild animals are killed yearly for the engaged in the cultivation of rice, but | sake of their fur. the large increase in the production of now rivals Maine, with 6,000 deer American rice is having the effect of

Minneapolis has a new directory in which the longest name is Schimmelpfening and the shortest Elk. In all 360.357 persons are listed. There are nearly 5,000 families of Johnsons.

In British Columbia, half of the industrial capital is invested in the lumsession and measures less than two bering and woodworking business. square miles. Canada is the largest. half the pay roll of the provinces is derived from the forests and 37 per | cent of the annual wealth production is attribtued to the same source.

Great piles of junk are said to be lying about in western yards because Germany and its increasing scarcity 800 meters, to a height of 4,000 meters. of the freight congestion which makes are said to be making the garter ques- It can be fired at the rate of 15 rounds | rates so high that no profit could be tion a serious one, men and women a minute. The shraphel shell which it derived from sending the stuff to east-stopping frequently to clutch at their fires is said to bure into 625 frag- ern rolling mills. A single yard in knees and calves to the accompani- ments. Guns of this ype, as well as | Kansas City now has more than 2,000 ment of browing gring from all who those of 120 millimet is, are the ord- tons of scrap and must hold it until conditions change. in the house do at the burn.

Each whale carries about half a ton | . To prevent skidding and slipping in | More than 660 electric vehicles are 150 twelve months ago. It is estimated that nearly 70,000,000

> Our total production of lard amounts annually to 11.500,000,000 pounds, onethird of which goes abroad. Exploration has proved a long main-

> tained theory that Finnish Lapland contains vast deposits of the highest grade iron ore, equal, if not superior, to the best Swedish. Gibraltar is the smallest British pos-

> with 3,746,000 square miles. Kansas is said to have fewer millionaires and paupers than any other state in the Union. John Malia, deputy sheriff of Lewis-

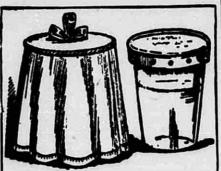
> ton, Me., owns a Shetland pony which is probably the oldest in Maine: she is thirty-five years old and has been the pet of three generations of Malia children. She is as affectionate as a dog and has been made so privileged a farerite that the is as much at home

Keep Liquid Warm for Any sew it in place. Then sew a flounce Required Time. to the bottom of the tumbler, and bind the flannel at the lowest edge with narrow ribbon.

liquid.

USEFUL IN THE SICK ROOM

An ingenious little device for keepliquid warm is shown in the accom-



panying sketch, and it could also be used for keeping warm the early morning cup of tea that is often left standing for a time.

they were quite sufficient to challenge To make it: Use the top of a round tin, large enough to cover the top of every gaze. Cover the surface of the lid with flan-

If the skin of the body is rough, a nel and turn the material over at good sand soap will be found more the edges, and, by means of the holes beneficial than the ordinary toilet soan.

there should be no excuse for not re- the deep cuffs. A line of hemstitchins wrapping the hoop occasionally. Soiled extends from beneath the collar down The two parts of the embroidery curved lines pockets are inserted hoops should fit so tightly that a cer- These add materially to the blouse be tain amount of pressure is necessary cause they are neatly braided. A to fit them together after the work touch of the braid appears on the

LOWELL LEDGE Published every Thursday afternoon at Lowell, Michigan

F. M. JOHNSON, Editor and Prop's Citisen's Phones | Office, No. 200, Twenty-third year under one management

Subscription by Mail, Postpaid

THE man who killed the ask William Alden Smith. He goose that laid the golden eggs knows. was Solomon in all his wisdom was Solomon in all his wisdom compared to the professional labor agitators who now seek to secure by referendum petition a constitutional amendment to prevent the courts from protecting the lives and property

JEHOSAPEAT WAYBACK of Punkinridge stuck his head in the Portland Review office Saturday and inquired:

"Is this the sanctum where the editor lives?"

WAYBACK of Punkinridge stuck his head in the Portland Review office Saturday and inquired:

"Is this the sanctum where the editor lives?"

WayBACK of Punkinridge stuck his head in the Portland Review office Saturday and inquired:

"Is this the sanctum where the editor lives?"

WayBACK of Punkinridge stuck his head in the Portland Review office Saturday and inquired:

"Is this the sanctum where the editor lives?" tecting the lives and property the editor lives?" of employers in times of lawless strikes and mob violence.

These paid agitators, the redrag fellows, who curse employers of labor and whose right hand man is the booze right hand man is the booze allowers wouldn't be astinfed.

Editor Mauren replied: "It is. Wont you come in?"

"Nope. I just wanted to see what a sanctum looked like. Looks like our garret, only will attend commencement exercises at Hiram college.

Wuss. Good day."

These paid agitators, the redrag fellows, who curse employers of labor and whose right hand man is the booze was a fellows. Good day."

"It is. CASCADE

Itev. M. C. Vanetter, wife and son Clyde are spending two weeks visiting relatives in southern Michigan and Ohlo. Mr. and Mrs. Vanetter will attend commencement exercises at Hiram college.

Mrs. Eunice Shuman is spending alinger, wouldn't be satisfied if factory owners would turn their holdings over to the anarchists. Nothing less than the blood of the capitalists will satisfy their demands. We asked one of them once: "After you secure "ten hours pay for you secure "ten hours pay for eight hours work" will you be satisfied?" "No." "What then?" "More pay and less work;" and so on to the day of ruin. Honest, fair-minded men, who believe in an honest day's work for an honest day's pay, should put the red rag men out of business. There is no use or excuse for them in this country. Property owners from the humble cottager to the capitalist in his mansion pay taxes and bear arms in time of war in support of the government in return for that government's pledge to protect them in their life, liberty and pursuit of hapiness. Those who do not like such a government can find all the hell they want in Europe ready-made to hand without seeking to start an Inferno here in America.

A DETROIT workman recently said in Grand Rapids that a wage of 45c per hour was better in the latter town than 60c per hour in Detroit, on account of the greater living expense in the metropolis, with its exorbitant and increasing rents, its long distances, street car fares, crowded tenements and scarcity of houses at any price. Here in Lowell the advantage is still greater, with low rents, short distances, no car fare, ample garden grounds and com-paritive low living cost. In sickness and trouble, the city workman is among strangers, while the country town man while the country town man is among friends. In the great city, one may be born, live and die unknown and uncared for by his ext door "neighbor."

The who have tried it in mantry or village need not be told the difference. Though our lives may seem tame and monotopous at times, before we yield to the lure of the city which glitters but is not gold, men and brethren, let us think on these things.

IT HAS been said that no two leaves in the forest are exactly alike; and now a scientist who has photographed 2,000 snow crystals declares that no two of them are alike. The Almighty is never short of patterns, moulds or designs and men's minds are doubtless as dissimilar as the leaves and snowflakes. Still, the President is expected to serve and please one hundred millions of people and the preacher, teacher and editor in their local fields are under like obligations to their nunerous constituents. Evidently, where there are so many men of so many minds. the sensible thing to do with irreconcilable differences, is to agree to disagree. Most peo
ARE there any graves of the relationary, 1812, Indian or Dr. Paap and with Mr. and Mrs. John Timber 1918. Will at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Andrews, Jr.

Dr. Paap and with Mrs. Orlow Weeks and daughter Angle left Sunday for a week's visit ple can find common ground up- ell? Anyone knowing of such mer. on which to stand on aimable will confer a favor by reporting terms with their fellows.

Some condemn Mr. Hughes much attention to these matfor not announcing his position ters. on partisan issues prior to his nomination; but in our opinion, he is to be honored for his devotion to duty, as he saw it, in the face of a tremendous temptation. He held a position on the Supreme bench, a non-partisan office; and felt in honor bound to abstain from mixing in politics in any way, much less to seek another office, even the highest in the land. Before accepting the presidential nome accepting the presidential nome.

SOUTH GRATTAN

June 12.—A large number attended the show to believe Family show Thursday who Sunday.

Children's day will be observed by the Sunday school last Sunday in Dune.

A. F. Cook of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in Cascade.

George Mason and family and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Telley visited relatives here Sunday.

Chas. Purdy and family attended the man who uses it, he knows.

Ask the man who uses it, he knows.

To think I suffered all these years when one 25 cent bottle of Sloan's Liminent cured me," writes one grate-land. he is to be honored for his deaccepting the presidential nom- Grand Rapids. ination, he resigned his judgeship, so that he might be con- Ira Warren and family Sunday. science free. That he refused to speak prior to that time, The Binks show even at the demand of Col. last week. Roosevelt, shows his wise prudence and devotion to principle, and is a matter for praise, not for censure.

who cares for his own lawn and parden at the age of 90 years. Without doubt his continued activity has contributed largely to his long life, illustrating the wisdom of the old saying:

Inveyears, and has been me known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Polson from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh, Send the wisdom of the old saying: the wisdom of the old saying:

""Tis better to wear out than to rust out."

"I be the wisdom of the old saying:

cine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggiets, 18c.

we see the enormous expense.
For, of course, The Herald knows. Didn't it know that Michigan was solid for William Alden? Sure thing! When we were boys, our fathers used to 'ell us, ''You can't tell who'll e president until after election;'' but that's all of the weight of the weigh tion;" but that's all changed now. If you don't believe it,

Mrs. Birt Sherman visited in Cale-donia Sunday with her mother who recently suffered a stroke of paralysis.

H. J. Herrington of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hardy and James Converse of

WELL COMPREN ARE ACTIVE
If your child is dull, pale, fretful and
wants to lie around, the chances are

"Nominated"

Only one ballot required. "Delegates"

all over the nation (assembled in con-

vention or individuals) unite in "har-

mony" on first ballot. The "roll call"

Varsity Fifty Five

the most popular suit in America.

"Preparedness," "Quality First," "Wear Defense"

Pleasing to Republicans, Moosers, Democrats and

Make "your selection" here from our "harmonious convention" of styles and

newest designs. Inaugurate a "new era

shows a unanimous choice for

are in the "platform" of this suit.

Roy Haines, Peter Peterson and Louva Church were in Lowell Satur-Gordon Frost's house burned to the ground last Saturday night, origin of fire unknown. A portion of

the household goods was saved. It Mr. and Mrs. R. B Davis were in Lowell last week Friday on business. Martin Davis and Mary Francisco have recovered from the measles and returned to school at Belding last

week Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Judd Hapeman and family of Lowell spent Sunday at Orlow Weeks'. Mrs. Hattle Herrington of Can-noneburg is now with her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Church.

Mr. Hoover and children and his sister of Lowell were guests at Mike McAndrew's Sunday. Jesse Frost went to Smyrna, last week, was taken sick there and is very low.

Mrs. Chas. B. Francisco was taken

Sold Under a Binding & Guarantee

Balsam of Myrth

For Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Sprains, Strains, Stiff Neck, Chilblains, Lame Back, Old Sores, OpenWounds, and all External Injuries. Made Since 1846. Ask Anybody About It. Price, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00

Duncan Anderson, of Barryton. Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Kropf visited C. Wiggins and family Sunday. Mrs. Russell Welch visited Jay Cummings and family last week. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rennells vis tted at Chris Kropf's Sunday. Ross Bignell and family of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. Lizzle Weeks and

All Dealers G.C. Hanford Mfg.Co. SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Sell The Stock or Move It Out!

This is Necessary for Work on the Building will Begin July 1st.

Therefore to move as much of the stock as possible I shall cut the prices on practically everything in the store except such goods as are sold under contract with the firms to maintain regular prices.

The articles most in the way are pianos. organs, sewing machines, bicycles, clocks, and also all goods that are in show cases, such as

Silverware, Jewelry, Watches, Etc.,

as the cases will need to be moved and the safe will not accommodate all of these goods. Surely there must be something in this stock that you can use at a price and I shall make every effort to make it an object for you to buy at this sale.

I also have an overstock of bicycle and auto tires that will be sacrificed, and do not forget the special I am offering on the best grade of auto oils.

You Know My Line and I Ask You to Come to the Store and Look Around Even Though You Do Not Buy.

This is a rare opportunity for the people of Lowell and vicinity to get good dependable merchandise cheap, and all goods carry the usual guarantee. The sale is now on so do

R. D. STOCKING

LOWELL, MICHIGAN.

A wonderful

of clothes satisfaction.

Prices are \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20 up.

Showing of Stylish Straws!

Up-to-the-second in style, our straws have a world of comfort and "head-ease" for those wise ones who come here for their summer hat comfort.

The values are more than evident at the very low prices we sell them.

Sennetts

Leghorns

Two Tones

It wins at EVERY election.

The Suits are Good.

\$1 to \$3.50.

"We'll make less on each hat, but we'll sell more hats."

IMPORTED PANAMAS

Panamas direct from the importer with one profit left out. Styles are varied, very neat and very stylish. None better and few as good at the low price of "Here, too, we make less per hat, but sell more hats."

Boys' Summer Suits in newest designs. Our 2-pant leader at \$4.85, and a special

Summer Ties and Wash Ties Boys' wash suits and "Sonny" suits Boys' straw hats Sport shirts; bathing suits, etc.

"Army" Khaki Pante \$1 and \$1 50

COONS

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes,



deo Robert Hardy.

Mrs. O. Vanderlip entertained her sister and husband from Alto Sun-

Ray Rickert and family vietted Sunday evening at Will Rickert's. Mrs. L. J. Hunter went to Grand Rapids Saturday to visit herbrother James Parks, and wife a few days.

DISTRICT NO. FIVE

Our school closed a successful term

Congratulations and best wishes

to Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wilcox of Lansing, who visited his parents

Farmers are now engaged in pre-paring their planting ground, a job that should have been done some three weeks ago, but for the late

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wilcox enter-

tained all of their children Sunday, the number including daughter-in-

a vs. parents and grandchildren, mounting to sixteen. A family group picture was taken.

SEELEY CORNERS

The Cascade township Sunday school convention will be held at the

A fine program was well rendered by the children and young people Sunday evening, Cascade, McCords, Whitneyville and Keene being repre-

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the Grange hall Wednesday, June 21,

County Agriculturist, Mr. Smith gave a very interesting talk at the Grange last Tuesday evening on

ortato growing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seeley visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

H. Coger and family and S. P

teynolds and family spent Sunday

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Ray Cornell in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewis last Tuesday evening. Fine refreshments

were served.

H. Wilsey and family of McCords
spent Sunday with G. Stephens.

THE COAL MAN

is talking -

To You

And the best thing you can

TO THE COAL MAN.

Place your order for the

winter's supply of coal now, and let us, fill your bin be-

fore the rush of orders be-

Everybody knows the grade

of coal we sell. There is

none better and we are

We've talked to you-now

you talk to us. It's good

Phone 127

keeping the price down.

for both.

Snow church Sunday.

shorn, Sunday.

i Grand Rapide.

Your clothes have so much to do with the way you feel about yourself; the impression you make on other people; with your financial welfare; that the clothing man has really an important duty to perform.

We sell Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes because they are made with the wearers' interest in mind.

Any man who wears these clothes is well dressed; he knows it and everybody knows it.

Our price renders a service of econ-

such cases to The Ledger. The state papers are paying

SOUTH GRATTAN

Mr. and Mrs. James Skillen visited Eloise and Frank A. Brooks spent

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken A MAN has been discovered five years, and has been me known as the

Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hernard Storm spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton
Carlyle on South Division road.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adams of Lowell were seen on our streets Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Johnson of Ada
were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Wood Sunday.

Children's day will be observed by
the Sunday school last Sunday in
June. Sunday.

ful user. If you have rheumatism or suffer from neuralgia, backache. sorness and stiffness, don't put off get-ting a bottle of Sloan's. It will give you such welcome relief. It warms and soothes the sore, stiff, painful places and you feel so much better. Buy it at any drug store, only 25 cents

GRATTAN CENTER Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Davies of Mesdames Flora Ockerburg and didred Donovan were in Belding Mrs. Alice Mason of New Mexico is risiting friends and relatives in this ricinity.

The Ladies' Aid society served supper Thursday at the home of Mrs. Peter Elkins. Proceeds \$5.70. Lyle and Paul Hessler have gone to spend a few weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

mer.

Rev. D. L. Berry and family of Mr. and Mrs. John Purdy of SmyrGrand Rapids were callers in Cascade na spent Sunday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dayls. The burial services of George F. White of Lowell, formerly of this place, were held here Sunday afternoon in the Alton cemetery. The family has the sympathy of all in

this place.

Peter Peterson of Moseley and Louva Church were Sunday guests of Edmund Ring of Greenville was a guest at Mike McAndrew's last week. He and his daughter, Mrs. Eunice Shoup, attended the funeral of Geo. F. White Sunday.

Anna Scalley of Grattan was in town last Friday. She had been in Clinton Week's oldest boy has the surance. Elma Jakeway of Belding spent

MOSELEY

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Frost had the misfortune to lose their house by fire Sunday morning. A large part of the contents on the lower floor were saved. The fire started about one o'clock at night from some unknown

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pickens of Rockford were Sunday guests of Mr. Saranac spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother Harley and Mrs. C. B. Francisco is very ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Andrews of Segwun. Helen and Eva Andrews visited

Mrs. Burr Davis Saturday. John Purdy and son Guy of Smyrna were at Burr Davis' Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Frost and daughter, Mrs. Oren Sayles and Helen Andrews were guests of Montle Sayles and wife of Lowell Sunday.

Mrs. George Lewis and baby are

Miss Louva Church is spending a week with her parents, D. A. Church The Lee, Hardy, Frost and Condon families spent Saturday and Sunday

at their cottages at Murray lake. George Heffner of Grand Rapids was at Moseley part of last week on

Will My Child Take Dr. King's New Discovery?

The best answer is Dr. King's New Discovery itself. Its a pleasant sweet syrup, easy to take. It contains the medicines which years of experience colds. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery longest are its best friends. Besides every bottle is guaranteed. If you don't get satisfaction you get your money back. Buy a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left for cough and cold in

KEENE HEIGHTS Mr. and Mrs. A. Chamblin, Garold.

Forrest and J. of near Clarksville and and Mrs. John Fisher and baby of Berlin visited at Frank Heether's Sunday. Mark Bowen visited at Will Rick

ert's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bigley, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Denny and Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hunter and L. J. Hunter were evening guests at O. Vanderlip's one night last week. Bert and Roy Goff and familles vis ited near Lake Odessa Sunday, going with their new auto.

night and Sunday with Maggle Dell Hardy and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs Fred O. Wingeler of Moseley, Saturday night and

Sabel Pinckney visited Saturday

Children's Day exercises will be held at the Keene M. E. church Sunday, June 18. Everyone welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gramer and Miss Theo were Sunday evening vicitors



Just imagine that instead of carrying a dirty smoky old lantern you simply step inside the door, turn a key and the entire place is instantly flooded with brilliant white light

Think how much easier it would be to work, and how much more quickly you could finish up the chores. Consider, too, the increased safety—if lanterns and matches were never again used in your barns. Then consider this fact, that you can now make these ideal conditions a reality by the installation of a

Pilot-Carbide-Outdoor Lighting and Cooking Plants

These plants are today furnishing this up-to-date lighting service to barns and out buildings on hundreds of thousands of farms in all parts of the country. In addition they supply the best light and cooking fuel for the home.

You will find the barn lighting feature alone worth the entire investment for the Pilot. Its use in the home, as well, means added happiness, comfort, safety and convenience for your whole family. You can well afford the little it will cost. Write for illustrated catalogs and descriptive booklets giving all the facts.

A. R. GRAHAM, Supervisor 810 Mason St., FLINT, MICH.

OXWELD ACETYLENE COMPANY, CHICAGO Largest Makers of Private Lighting and Cooking Plants in the World

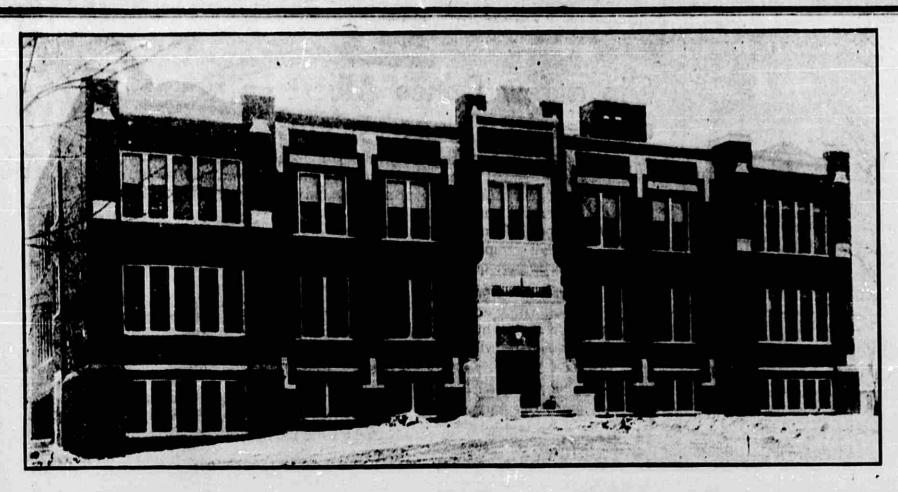
The Lowell Granite & Marble Works -sell the

MONTELLO GRANITE which is considered by experts to be the best ma-

terial for cemetery memorials in the world. We also sell all other good kinds of granite or marble. Call and see our display.

J. H. Hamilton Estate

Citz. Phone No. 20. Lowell, Mich.



Lowell's New High School Building, Erected in 1916

Class



Clyde Wood Dora Getty Margaret Gougherty



na Dickson na Sinclair rles Cuddeback yn Howard

licine.

the



Carl Bank Rega Brannan Lewis Lash



Bruce Stocking

Ruth Gibson

Walter Kropf Pearl Scott Warren Aldrich

Hazel Maynard



Carl Horn Mildred Oberly Harry Chaffee



Herman Speerstra Arthur Brown Theo Bank William Weldon



Doris Coles

Warner Roth

Ben Hardy

Agnes Murdock

Leo Buttrick Belle Tolhurst Robert White

Uncle Eben. Price of Drugs Fixed. "I'll bet dar wouldn't be nigh so German government has fo yearfixed the retail price of drugs much war," said Uncle Eben, "ef beeven the extent of designating wha fo' each battle ev'ybody had to stan' charged for bottle, cork, la up an' give a sensible explanation of bel dintment box used in dispensing what he was fightin' about."

This Is Free. want your advice to be apcharge money for it.-Los

Uncle Eben. "A well-fed hoss," said Uncle Eben, "is a better recommend foh de man dat owns him dan fancy harness."

Deserved Tribute. "You see, we have done everything possible to preserve the Plymouth Rock." "And I don't blame ye. New England owes a heap to that breed of hen."

They Beat Powder, Anyway. "This in favor of freckles," remarked the Man on the Car-"they won't rub off on a fellow's shoulder." -Toledo Blade,

Oldest and Best. Is not old wine wholesomest, old pippins toothsomest, old wood fire brightest, old linen wash whitest? Old soldiers, sweetheart, are surest and old lovers are soundest .- John Web-

Pleasure-Loving Italians. In Italy there are more theaters in proportion to the population than in Springs; second, Annis, Cedar Springs; any other country.

ROCKFORD ATHLETES

TWO TRACK RECORDS LOWERED. ONE FIELD MARK BROKEN.

Brown, Bank Brothers, Bruce Stocking, Horn and Brezina of Lowell Hot Constestants for Honors.

Rockford High school, with one of the most evenly balanced teams that has ever been turned out by that institution, won the track and field championship of the Kent County Interscholastic the Kent County Interscholastic association Friday afternoon with a total of 50 points. Cedar Springs, aided and abetted by one David Wheeler, captured second place with 41 1-3 points, while Lowell rung up 30 5-6 points, thereby getting third position. Sparta finished the day in fourth position, securing 12 1-3 tallies. South Grand Rapids was credited with 9 1-2 points. was credited with 9 1-2 points, mainly through the work of

Despite the treatening weather, which for a time made it appear that the field events would have to be postponed, the events were run off in splendid style, two track records and one field mark being broken by the athletes. The record for the 220-yard dash run made by Thompson of Rockford last year at 25 1-5 was lowered a second by Bender, also of Rockford. Brown of Lowell ran the best race of the afternoon in the 880-yard dash and cut two seconds off the mark made by Cramer in 1915, the Lowell laddoing the two-lap race in 2:10 on the heavy track. The other slash was in the standing high jump, the mark of Wheeler yesterday being 4 feet 8 inches, just one-half inch higher than the best ever before attempted in county meets, that of Carlyle of Rockford last year.

In speaking of the work of Wheeler, it might not be amiss just at this moment to state that the Cedar Springs lad was far and away the star of the exercises at Ramona. Twenty-three points were secured by this young man for his team, the up-country lad being particularly strong in the jumps and pole vault. On the track Theo Bank of Lowell and Cramer of Rockford shone brilliantly, their work being sufficient to land them in a tie for second place in individual honors. In the draw for the medal Cramer out-lucked his rival and carried the souvenir of the occasion back to Rockford.

The base ball title scheduled to be decided by South Grand Rapids champions of the southern division and Cedar Springs, the best of the northern section of the county, was postponed on ac-count of the condition of the grounds until a later date. This was true also of the basket ball games.

The morning events consisted of swiming and tennis, the points in the swiming contests being awarded as follows: South Grand Rapids, 19; Cedar Springs, 9. Lowell, 4. Rockford, 2. The 50yard dash was won by Bruce Stocking of Lowell, he crossing the line in 46 seconds. P. Rockwell of South Grand Rapids was second. Kennedy of South Grand Rapids made the 100-yard dash in one minute 45 1-5 seconds. Clark of Rockford finished sec-ond. The 200-yard relay race was captured by the South Grand Rapids team in three minutes, three-fifths seconds. Cedar Springs was runner-up and Rockford third.

Marie Squires of Rockford defeated Ruth Hart of Cedar Springs in the girls' singles, 6-0, 6-0. In the girls' doubles in tennis Marie Squires, representing; Rockford High, won from Miss Hart and Miss Miller of Cedar Springs in a pair of well consteted games, 6-3, 6-4. Rockford girls took a brace after dropping their first three games and the remainder of the

set was easy for them.

The boys' singles were easy for C. Horn of Lowell, he requiring but two sets for the game. Drues of Cedar Springs was the victim by 6-1 and 7-5. Horn and T. Bank had no difficulty in taking two sets from Fox and Irwin of Sparta in the boys' doubles. The summaries:

50 yard dash—First, T Bank, Low-ell; C. Bank, Lowelland Binder, Rock-ford, tied for second. Time—5 4-5 seconds.
Standing high jump—First, D. Wheeler, Cedar Springs; Spanenburger, Rockford, second. Height—Heet,

100 yard dash—First, Wolfe, S. G. R.; T. Bank, Lowell and Binder, Rockford, tied for second and third. lme-10 4-5 seconds.

Discus throw -Spanenburger, Rock-ford and Young, Sparta, tied for first and second; T. Bank, Lowell, third Distance—92 feet. 220 yard dash—First, Binder, Rock-ford; second, T. Bank, Lowell; third, Wolfe, S. G. R. Time—24 1-5 seconds. Running broad jump—First, Wheel-r, Cedar Springs; second, Annis, Cedar Springs; second, Annis, Cedar Springs; third, T. Bank, Low-ell. Distance—18 feet, 4½ inches.

880 yard run-First, Brown, Lowli; second, Cramer, Rockford; Brexina, | Court for the County of Kent. Lowell and Johnson, S. G. R. tled for third. Time-2 minutes, 10 seconds. Standing broad jump—First, Wheeler, Cedar Springs; second, Wolfe, S. d. R.; third, Aunts, Cedar Springs.

Distance—9 feet, 8% inches, 440 yard run—First, Cramer, Rock-ford; second, Binder, Rockford; third, Brown, Lowell. Time 57 2-5 secondr.
Running high jump—First, Young,
Sparta; second, Wheeler, Cedar
Springs; third, Amidon, Sparta.
Height—5 feet, 2½ inches.

True 57 2-5 secondr.
Running high jump—First, Young,
Sparta; second, Wheeler, Cedar
Springs; third, Amidon, Sparta.
Height—5 feet, 2½ inches.

True 57 2-5 secondr.
Running high jump—First, Young,
Sparta; second, Wheeler, Cedar
Springs; third, Amidon, Sparta.

Height—5 feet, 2½ inches.

True 57 2-5 secondr.
Running high jump—First, Young,
Sparta; second, Wheeler, Cedar
Springs; third, Amidon, Sparta.

True 57 2-5 secondr.

Height—5 feet, 2½ inches.

True 57 2-5 secondr.

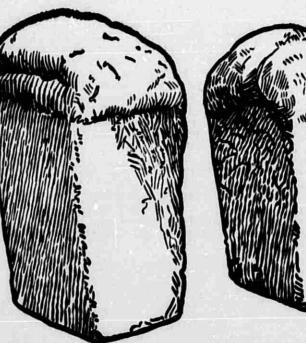
Running high jump—First, Young,
Sparta; second, Wheeler, Cedar
Springs; third, Amidon, Sparta.

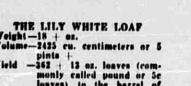
Height—5 feet, 2½ inches. Twelve pound shot put-First Spanenburger, Rockford; second,

Annis, Cedar Springe; third, Youngs, Sparta. Distance-35 feet, 7 inches. 220 yard low hurdles-First, Cramer, Rockford; second, Sedgman, Rockford; third, T. Bank, Lowell. Time-30 2-5 seconds. Pole vault-First, Wheeler, Cedar

feet, 2% inches.

The Story Of The Three Loaves







FLOUR No. 2 LOAF. Weight -17 = 9-10 oz. Volume-2150 cu. centimeters or 416

FLOUR No. 3 LOAF Weight-17% oz. Volume-2360 cu. centimeters or -357 ± 13 oz. loaves to the barrel of 196 pounds of

The above three loaves of bread were baked by Miss Grace McKinley of the Domestic Science Department of the Michigan Agricultural College.

Three different flours were used-Lily White, "the flour the best cooks use," and two of the best known Western flours. Lily White, "the flour the best cooks use," produces the biggest and best look-

Lily White flour produces the tenderest and best colored—the whitest bread. The flavor of the Lily White loaf is delicious. No flour in the world makes better

tasting bread. Mighty few, if any, equal it. Lily White

"The Flour the Best Cooks Use."

yields more loaves of larger size or at the rate of 362 + 13 oz. loaves (more commonly called one pound or 5c loaves) to the barrel of 196 pounds of flour. Flour No. 2 yielded 360 + and Flour No. 3 357 + loaves to the barrel of 196

pounds of flour. This test was made by an unprejudiced expert who makes a specialty of this

Facts are indisputable and our claim that Lily White, "the flour the best cooks use," produces more and better bread is substantiated by the facts.

WE SUGGEST THIS RECIPE It is pronounced the best by the Domestic Science Department of the Michigan Agricultural College. 1 pint of potato or 1 qt. potato water 1 pint of milk 3 quarts or 54 ozs. Flour (measured becake of compressed yeart

2 tablespoons of sugar

1 tablespoon of salt 1 cup mashed potato

2 tablespoons of shortening

Soak yeast with I tempoon of sugar in enough lukewarm water to cover it. Scald the milk. Place the rest of the sugar, the salt and the shortening in the mixing howl and pour the walding milk and potato water on them. (The water in which two or three medium sized potatoes have been belief may be used if one has not saved the water in which the potatoes were cooked for dinner.) When cooled to lukewarm add the yeast and about half of the flour. Set to rise in a warm place for a half to three-quarters of an hour, then add the rest of the flour, enough to make a dough that will not stick when kneaded with her a slight make a dough that will not stick when kneeded with but a slight sprinkling of flour on the kneeding board. Sir in the adviser smooth and velvely and neadly late loaves.

Put in this and when it has raised so that the volume or size has about doubled it is ready for the oven. Bake about 45 min-

This produces 86 ounces or 6 and 8-13 13-ounce loaves delicious home made bread, or 3 very large loazes.

> VALLEY CITY MILLING COMPANY, Grand Rapids, Mich.



Prices on Fisk Grey Non-Skid Casings 3 x 30 . . 10.40 41 x 35 . . 31.20 41 x 36 . . 31.55 31 x 30 . . 13.40 5 x 37 . . 37.30 4 x 33 . . 22.00 Fisk FREE service in more than 125 direct Fisk

Branches. Promptest attention assured both tire dealer and user. Gould's Garage

Fisk Branches in More I han 125 Cities

Time to Restire? (Buy Fisk)

One mile run—First, Walsh; Cedar Spring; second, Taylor, Loweli; third, Horn, Lowell. Time—5 minutes, 18

Half mile relay—First, Rockford; second, Lowell; third, Cedar Springs.
Time—1 minute, 462-5 seconds.
Officials—Starter, Upton; clerk of course, Luiders; announcer, Hodges; track judges, Wren, Hynnes, Olds; field judges, Berry, Churm and Balknan

NOTICE TO CREDITORS In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Brannan, deceased.

said deceased to said court for ex-amination and adjustment and that all creditors of said deceased are re-sell the interest of said estate in said on or before the 23rd day of September, of a copy of this order, for three suc-A. D. 1916, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Saturday hearing, in the Lowell Ledger, a newsthe 23rd day of September A. D. 1916 paper printed and circulated in said at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 23rd, A. D. 1916. Clark E, Higbee. 1 Judge of Probate.

Printing—the plain neat kindthird, Gardner, Sparta. Height-9 that is right-Ledger Job Dept. -Phone 200.

PROBATE NOTICE. TATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Kent.
At a session of said court, held at

the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the 17th day of May, A. D., 1916. Present Hon. Clark E. Higbee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ruth

Mattern, minor,
Jacob A. Mattern having filed in
said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said es-State of Michigan, The Probate tate in certain real estate therein described. It is ordered, that the 16th day of

June, A D., 1916, at ten o'clock in Notice is hereby given that four the forenoon, at said probate office, months from the 23rd day of May be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all peritors to present their claims against

Clark E. Higbee,

true copy. Judge of Probate John Dalton, Register of Probate.

The Lowell Ledger \$1.00 per



Plumbing,

Hot Water and

Hot Air Heating

General Repair Work.

Call Phone 202. I make

a specialty of hot air

Hoffman Shop. Train

Block.

year-a big paper at a little price. | Sold by H. Nash, Lowell, Mich

Poultry Wanted!

and we will call for same at any time. Just phone Citz. No 156, Lowell, that's all. Highest prices paid.

MEATS Fresh, Salt Smoked and Cooked

At Reasonable Prices.

CLAUDE STAAL East Side Market

SARANAC NEWS.

SARANAC NEWS.

The Children's day program held at the Congregational church Sunday morning was a very decided success. The church was beautiful with potted plants and flowers. The children gave songs and recitations that brought both smiles and tears from a crowded audience and the baptismal service was both beautiful and impressive. Among those baptised were the children of J. Clyde Watt, Lee Otis, Agnes Brown, Norman Oglivie, J. A. Page, Luke Harwood, Norton Johnson, Howard Olmstead and Armstrong Walters.

Mrs. F. J. Gifford has opened her home to the Mite society for Wednesday, June 14.

Mrs. John Whitby of Clarksville spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Benson.

The measles are rife in Saranac,

The Juniors of the High school had a motor party to Long lake Sunday where they had a picned dinner. The Ladies Literary club held their final meeting of the year ix miles into the country at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haster of North Adgate and Mrs. Harvey Lowrey entertained the guests with vocal duets and solos. A bountoous issat was spread and a happy day enjoyed by all the participants, who numbered neity forty.

Chas. A Stedman who has been living for the past four years in Toledo, tarted for his home near Frankfort in Newaygo county lasting ter, Mrs. Wm. Johnson, here in Barrance. He grew gradually worse and died at her home June 8, the services being held at the Congregational clurch on the 10th, interment being made in the Saranac cemetery.

Mrs. T. S. Barber spent several day of lasting held at the Congregational clurch on the 10th, interment being made in the Saranac cemetery.

Mrs. T. S. Barber spent several day of lasting held at the Congregational clurch on the 10th, interment being made in the Saranac cemetery.

Mrs. T. S. Barber spent several day of lasting the lasting state of the same work with his uncle, light condon of Smyras.

H. Converse and family of Keene with the case of rheumatism have turned to Renate the March and became so ill be could get to the state of the same so ill second graduated with high standings from the St grade and received her diplomates the Strate of the same so ill second for the same so ill second graduated with high standings from the St grade and received her diplomates the same so ill second for the same so ill second graduated with high standings from the St grade and received her diplomates and the same so ill second for the same so ill second f

FALLASBURG

Miss Lura Davenport of Keene graduated with high standings from the 8th grade and received her diploma last Friday when she attended the exercises at the Majestic in Grand Rapids with her mother and brother Lyle. J. Tower and wife accompanied them in the car and all were callers at A. G. Steketee's. The afternoon was spent at Ramona.

Our sincere sympathy is with Will Burdick of Lowell, who in so short a time since his wife's death, is called to follow the remains of his mother to their last resting place.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of the Denny place entertained a son and wife of Grand Rapids Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Lang visited her sister, Mrs. Skinner, and daughter Myrtle of Ionia from Saturday night until Monday night.

lonia from Saturday night until Monday night.

Mesers. Roebuck and Hooks of Coleman unloaded their goods from the car last Friday and are settling in their new homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tower were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Edith James of Wyoming Park Sunday and called on their nephew, Geo. Steketee and family, meeting A. G. and wife there.

Armstrong Walters.

Mrs. F. J. Gifford has opened her home to the Mite society for Wednesday, June 14.

Mrs. John Whitby of Clarksville spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Benson.

The mesales are rife in Saranac, many houses being resplendent in secarit signs.

Frank Noyes is having his house plumbed for all the conveniences of the new water works system.

W. H. Hunt and wife and Chas. E. Huhn and wife motored to Ionia Sunday with a general store, a black. Huhn and wife motored to Ionia Sunday with he worked under Don wife and conveniences of the worked under Don wife are visiting relatives in this conveniences of the worked works and day for dinner.

The mesales are rife in Saranac, many houses being resplendent in second trip to Fallasburg since he used to board here while running logs on the river in the seventies from the place, which was then thriving with a general store, a black. Huhn and wife motored to Ionia Sunday with a general store, a black. Smith shop, postoffice, gristmill and day for dinner.

At the church Sunday at 10:30.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents willed honday.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents willed honday.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents.

John Rittenger and mother attended the German church in Lowell Sunday.

Emerson Wieland called on Seymour Lape, who has been ill, Monday.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents.

John Rittenger and Floyd Foster, to Sunday with his parents.

John Rittenger and Monther attended the German church in Lowell Sunday.

Emerson Wieland called on Seymour Lape, who has been ill, Monday.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents.

John Rittenger and mother attended the German church in Lowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vingeter Navigues of their daughter, Mrs. Will William Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lape, who has been ill, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vingeter Wille as the county countencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vingeter Wille called on Seymo

W. J. Filkins has returned to his home in Clarksville and is rapidly gaining.

gaining.

Mrs. Della Keller went to Saranac Sunday to visit Mr. Keller's parents.

Miss Allie Story is staying with Mrs. F. M. Godfrey.

Effle McFail is staying with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Sargent.

Fred Godfrey has joined his family at Spring Lake.

Thelma Sargent is visiting her aunt in West Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christie of Grand Rapids visited the latter's parents last week.

Isaac Filkins and C. Hamlin of Clarksville were callers at J. N. Hubbel's Saturday. bel's Saturday. F. M. Godfrey is gaining.

SOUTH LOWELL

Eliab McDiarmid and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Schwarder were Sunday guests of J. Snyder and family of Clarksville.

Children's day exercises will be held at the church Sunday at 10:30.

Mrs. John Acheson visited her parents at Elmdale Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willette spent Sunday with his parents.

Amiel Johnson and family vielted Sunday with Ed. Hotchkies and wife of Hatch Hollow.

HICKORY CORNERS Miss Lens Yeiter closed a very successful school year in the Merriman district Friday, June 2, with a picnic on the school grounds. Nearly every family in the district was represented and the school board was in full attendance which shows the high estem which they hold for their teacher. A bountsous dinner was served followed by ice cream and cake. Mrs. B. S. Yeiter of Lowell was present and contributed a delicious cake in honor of the eighth grade graduates. After dinner a fine program was rendered by the pupils followed by races of all ages, Erwin Merriman carrying off the prize for the boys' race and Marion Blakeslee for the girls' race. Miss Yeiter comes back for another year with this district and her welcome will be sincere. Mrs. L. A. Hastings of South Dakota and Mrs. Marion McKee of Chicago of years ago.

Walter Wingster took the eighth Miss Lena Yelter closed a very suc

were present to recall reminiscences of years ago.

Walter Wingeler took the eighth graders, Charles King, Leele Graham, John Wingeler and Floyd Foster, to Grand Rapids last Friday to attend the county commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullen of Lowell were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Will Wingeler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yelter spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. W. V. Burras and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blakeslee visited Saturday night and Sunday with

Miss Edith Foster was the guest of her grandparents in Grand Rapids from Thursday until Monday night and attended the eighth grade commencement Friday.

Mrs. Chas Blakeslee and daughter Marion are visiting in Grand Rapids

of Hatch Hollow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Merriman came
Tuesday to make their home on the
farm for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Johnson were
Grand Rapids visitors Friday.

Visitors at George Clarke's during
the past week were Mr. and Mrs.
Simon Pender of Caledonia, Mr. and
Mrs. David Pender and son Malcolm
and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gerritt of
Middleville.

ADA VILLAGE Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Bennett entertained Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cramton's wedding anniversary.

While unloading freight at the depot Saturday Mr. Bronecole's horses became frightened, running away and injuring him quite seriously.

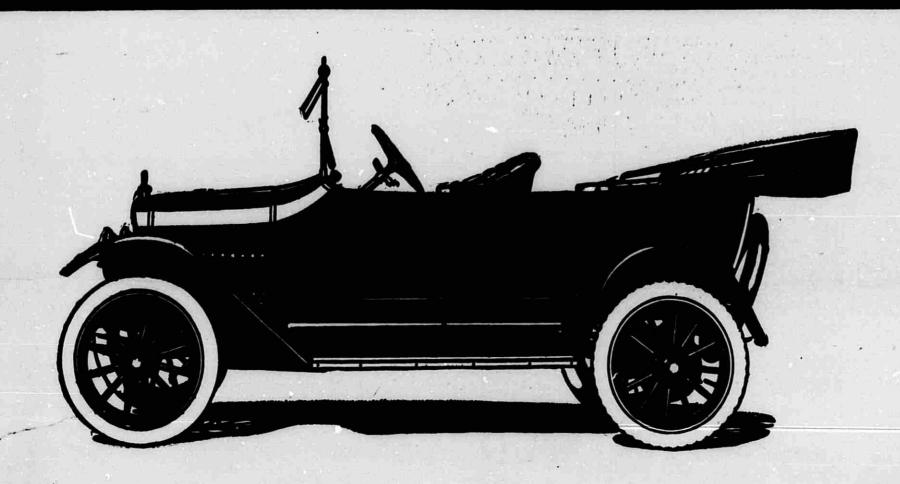
Mrs. Claude Crowe and children, George and Frances arrived Monday from Orville, Cal.

from Orville, Cal.
Several of the L. O. T. M. M. attended the Maccabee convention at Grand Rapids Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gulliford and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Burt and son Robert spent Sunday with friends at Rayanna.

delivered in town. Auto Service. Evening Delivery.

H. CHAFFEE

PHONE 68 18 11.



Impossible To Get So Much Motor Car Value For The Money

TE FIND this is the attitude of many people who come into our salesroombefore they know anything about the

Not until the Maxwell is shown and demonstrated to them—until they sit in it and examine the finish—until they ride in it—or perhaps not until they drive it themselves, do they realize what a tremendous value is offered in the Maxwell car.

It is not unusual that Maxwell value should not be known to everyone, because it is uncommon to find such a car for a good margin more than the Maxwell price.

The Maxwell stands absolutely alone in a highly competitive field, for the amount of value it offers for the price.

Appearance—The lines of the Maxwell are decidedly attractive. There is no break in the contour from the radiator to the back of the car. The fenders are gracefully shaped. All metal parts are enameled or nickel-plated. The upholstery is deep and well-finished. From any angle it is a car that the owner can be proud of.

Motor-The engine in the Maxwell car is not equalled by any other four-cylinder engine of its size. And we know of larger and more expensive cars that have less able power plants. The Maxwell engine carries its load through mud and sand or over the steepest grades without a falter.

Quality—The materials in the Maxwell car are the best that can be bought and the workmanship that turns them into finished parts is no less excellent. It is only the large production of the Maxwell factories that makes it possible to put such quality of materials and workmanship into a car selling at the Maxwell price.

Economy-With its other attractive features, the Maxwell is a most economical car to own. Owners get 22 to 25 miles per gallon of gasoline and 8,000 to 12,000 miles per set of tires. And the car is so durably built that repair expense is

We are sure you want a car such as we have described the Maxwell to be. If you will give us a few minutes of your time we are sure we can convince you that the Maxwell Car is an exceptional value. Come in today.

Touring Car \$655

Roadster \$635

F. O. B. DETROIT



DISTRIBUTOR

Time Payments if Desired



Slip a few Prince Albert smokes into your system!

You've heard many an earful about the Prince Albert patented process that cuts out bite and parch and lets you smoke your fill without a comeback! Stake your bank roll that

back up for a fresh start.

it proves out every hour of the day. Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!

There's sport smoking a pipe or rolling your own, but you know that you've got to have the right tobacco! We tell you Prince Albert will bang the doors wide open for you to come in on a good time firing up every little so often, without a



the national joy smoke regret! You'll feel like your smoke past has been wasted and will be sorry you cannot

You swing on this say-so like it was a tip to a thousand-dollar bill! It's worth that in happiness and contentment to you, to every man who knows what can be

gotten out of a chummy jimmy pipe or a makin's cigarette with Prince Albert for "packing"!

A. J. RETHOLDS TORACCO CO. Winsten-Selves, H. C.

Why Not Face the Facts **About Armor Competition?**

To the People:

The policy of the United States Government for many years has made real competition in armor-making ineffective.

The Government might have asked the three armor plants for bids and let the entire tonnage to the lowest bidder. That would have made competition effective.

The result of such a course would have been to drive two of the three manufacturers out of business, and leave the country with facilities of only one plant in time of need.

The Government in fact has always asked for bids from the three manufacturers, but no matter what the price quoted, each year's business was divided among them.

Armor makers serve but one customer—the Government, just as a public utility serves but one customer—a community.

The solution of the public utility problem is regulation of rates.

The solution of the armor problem is for the Government to fix the price.

We voluntarily agree to accept any price fixed by the Federal Trade Commission. Isn't acceptance of that offer better than the destruction of an industry built solely to serve the Government?

CHAS. M. SCHWAB, Chairman EUGENE G. GRACE, President

Bethlehem Steel Company

The Lowell Ledger

Classified Advertising. 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, % cent a word thereafter. No advertisement inserted for less than 12 cents.

Cards of thanks and obituary no deviation from this rate.

WANTED-More used Ford care in exchange for new. Square deal. E. V. Storey, Ford agent, Lowell.

Obituaries for non-subscribers

Women wanted full time salary \$15 selling guaranteed hostery to wearer; 25c an hour spare time. Permanent; experience unnecessary International, Box 122, Norris town, Pa.

A white hog, weight about 200, came to my premises about 10 days ago. Owner may have same by paying for this adv. Chas. Yeiger, c3

FOR RENT—Two good houses on West side, one with barn, both near Main street. G.o. M. Parker, Phone 181, Lowell, Mich. 48tf

FOR SALE-Good seed beans, good seed potatoes (pure seed-million-aire) and oats at my barn in Lowell. Geo. M. Parker.

OR SALE—Hup 20 automobile. first-class condition, price right. Smith's Garage. FOR SALE—Five brood sows and pige. Jake Staal, Phone 288. Lowell.

FOR SALE—A good house, fine lo-cation. Cash or easy terms. In-quire of E. A. Anderson.

FOR SALE—About 70 bushele Sir Walter Raleigh seed potatoes Phone 139-2s. C. Vergburg. 1 FOR SALE-No. 1 Round Oak heater. A. F. Frasee.

FOR SALE-Second-hand Oakland truck in good condition, high ten-sion magneto. Price \$180.00 Bil-linger Machine Shop. 20 FOR SALE CHEAP—One 7 year old horse, weight 1375; one 1913 Ford touring car, one single buggy.—E. V. Story, Lowell. Phone 68-1-4.



The after-cost is the real-cost of a motor car. Because Ford cars are carefully made, of the best materials obtainable Ford after-cost is low. And in the matter of service, Ford leads. 8,800 service stations in this country, where you get quick, courteous service at a fair, economical price. Runabout \$390. Touring Car \$440; Coupelet \$590. Town Car \$640; Sedan \$740. All prices f. o. b. Detroit. On display and sale at

Gould's Garage, Lowell Phone 269



FOR SALE—Heavy work horse, or will trade for other stock.—Tom Morrie, Smyrna. e52tf

FOR SALE—Strawberries. Mrs. Will Booth, R. 4, Lowell. 1p

Canopy-top surrey and light double harness—i a good condition—will be sold cheap. Chas. Kyser, Main and Oak streets. FOR SALE—1-year old Percheron colt. Nell Cameron.

FOR SALE—Big Durham cow and calf. P. Zylstra, Lowell. e1 AME CARDS printed in correct

styles, right prices. Ledger office

Many people hav paid for their homes taugh The LOWELL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCITION on small monthly payars, just about what rent would. This Association offers you same opportunity.

Regular Board meets th

Monday in each mouth

Talk it over with

M. C. GREENE, Proc.

Concentrate Upon Quality

Some grocers go along year after year doing only a fair business and wondering why.

Nine times out of ten the 50 per cent successful store owes its poor showing to an Absolute Lack of a definite store policy.

In building our business up to 100 per cent efficency we have found the policy of Quality Concentration a sure profit builder and holder. Our customers know that no competitor of ours can sell them the same quality food products.

"If you get it at VanDyke's it's good."

Saturday Specials

8 lbs. Good Bulk Starch.....25c Maple Flake 9c pkg., 3 for......25c

Van Dyke's

School's out.

Miss Cecil Barr is home from a visit with relatives in Ohio.

R. T. Ford's store has a new Miss Belle Chaffin was in Grand

Rapids Monday. home in this village.

Mrs. Alex Wingeier was in Grand Rapids Friday. Always at your call, McQueen's

bus. Phone 6. tf. adv Jesse Cahoon spent Sunday and begins The Ledger's twentywith his parents at Saranac. V. S. Raymond of Detroit was

in town the first of the week. A. A. Scott and Ward Willette were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Frank Hakes and Glen Martin were in Grand Rapids Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ruius Gregory were in Grand Rapids Monday.

Miss Luella Allen was home from Grand Rapids over Sunday. Miss Frances Drew is home

Misses Ida and Gladys Callier

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kerekes spent for appendicitis. Sunday with the latter's parents

out sale of his grocery and coal latter has been teaching.

ly painted.

Miss Henrietta VanLoo enterover Sunday.

in Clarksville Sunday to visit the in Grand Rapids. former's mother.

Allen, north of town.

B. C. Smith Monday.

Braisted.

Verne Pierce of Muskegon'spent

Sunday with his family here at the home of F. J. Morse. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Haysmer Newsy Notes About People and Mr. and Mrs. Will Stone were

in Grand Rapids Sunday. Misses Matilda Brunthaver and Elda Gonderman left Tuesday for

The Hagenbeck-Wallace circus is billed for Ionia July 14. Advertisement in this paper later.

Dr. C. H. Anderson has been apids Monday.

L. F. Chubb is quite ill at his convention in Detroit this week. Mesdames Orton Hill and A

H. Hill and little Janethave been spending a few days this week in This is No. 1 of Volume XXIV

fourth year under one manage-Mrs. Charles McMahon and two children of Detroit are visiting

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Kerekes spent Saturday and Sunday with

Rosa Kropf and Clara Abel spent the week end with Kather-Mrs. Katherine Stone of Grand ine and Esther Wingeier, south

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Whorley and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whorley from Albion for the summer va- of Ionia spent Sunday with rel- in town the last of the week, called

Miss Violet Langworthy came

F. J. Morse advertises a closing from Whiting, Ind., where the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruth-Mr. and Mrs. Herman Zeigler Lyle Gardener of Detroit spent

motor trip to Lowell Sunday. Mrs. Clarence Moses of Lapeer

tained her sister from Zeeland visited at the home of her cousin, were called to Casnovia Satur-M. B. Conklin, Tuesday, on her day by the critical illness of the family. Mr. and Mrs. E. S, White were way to the Maccabee convention former's mother.

Miss Freda Kropf spent part daughter Gay and son Robert of guests at the home of W. R. of last week with Miss Mabel Casnovia, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lew-Andrews last week. daughter Gay and son Robert of Casnovia, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lewis of Grand Rapids and Arthur Barnes of Muskegon were guests at the home of W. R. Bring us your old tires. We will allow you 15 percent off of list for be given.—Com.

Grand Rapids and Arthur Barnes of Muskegon were guests at the home of W. R. instead of June 16, the regular day. Reports of the state convention held in Grand Rapids will be given.—Com.

J. S. Thomas and Ray Thomas and wite of Lansing were home Thursday to attend the Thomas funeral.

Mrs. H. J. Taylor and son Stanley of Tomah, Wis., are here to spend the summer.

The Epworth League gave a party on the church lawn Monday evening, in honor of the Saturday, William Mesecar of Clarksville secured a license to wed Ida Ellis of Alto:

| Clarksville secured a license to were decorated with flags and Language lanters and Langu Japanese lanterns; the little com-

LeClear of Alto were Sunday city home and leased a cottage callers at the home of Frank W. at Manhattan (Reed's Lake) for the summer.



The Gift Store

137HEN you think of gifts for any occasion, you quite naturally think of a jewelry store as the place to get them.

We want you to think of our store. We want you to come in and give us the opportunity of showing you what a fine line of silverware, cut glass and novelties we carry for gifts.

If you are not in the habit of visiting our store regularly, we are sure you will be very agreeably surprised at the large assortment we

As to price—there is only one price in this store and that is the lowest at which high quality merchandise can be sold and still make a

U. B. Williams, Jeweler

No Alum-No Phosphate

Hakes' auto livery, phone 85. Paul Kellogg is home from De-

Frank Moore of Belding was n town Saturday.

Ed. Hoag was a Grand Rapids visitor one day last week. Mrs. Orton Hill was in Grand

Rapids one day last week. Harry Fuller was up from Grand Rapids over Sunday. Mrs. E. S. White was a Grand

Rapids visitor last Thursday. Mrs. J. C. Hatch was a Grand Rapids visitor one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Morgan of Grand Rapids were in town Sun-

Ruth Gibson was the guest of friends in Saranac Saturday eve-

Howard Burt entertained his lather from Grand Rapids over

Born, June 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones, a daughter, Maxine Elizabeth.

The farm home of Gordon Frost was burned to the ground Satur-

Mrs. Hattie Culver has gone to Grand Rapids for a short visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brunthaver were Grand Rapids visitors one day last week.

Glen Conklin of Grand Rapids spent Sunday here and his family returned home with him. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pickard and little son of Belding called on

Lowell friends Saturday. Fred Williams of Moseley was in town Sunday to attend the funeral of George White.

Miss Rebecca Boyce of Middle ville was the guest of Mrs. Ear McNaughton last Friday, their daughter Bessie in Grand

Mrs. Lewis Andrews of Benton Harbor came the first of the week to visit relatives here.

with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Wolfe. Walter White of Smyrna was

Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Walker were jovial a fellow can, were home from Belding over home Saturday from Ann Arbor, Sunday guests of her mother, where she underwent an operation | Mrs. Margaret Dodds, near Sar-

> Cecelia are home for the summer Rapids spent Sunday with her old friendships about town. erford.

Orville Austin is having his and daughter Ivie of Grand Rap- over Sunday and the first of the Monroe street tenant house new- ids, accompanied friends on a week with his parents and other friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Vaughan

T. H. Andrews of Muir and

Mr. and Mrs. William Coville, Leonard Andrews of Detroit were

John Brighton and mother of Clarksville visited Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Morse last B. C. Smith Monday.

Barnes of Muskegon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Morse last Sunday.

Bring us your old tires. We will allow you 15 percent off of list for them towards new ones.—Percy Gregory Phone 110.

In the case of

ell postoffice: J. A. Bell, C. S. defense. Nowland, Horace A. Walker, Mrs. H. F. J

Monroe street and it is being place next fall. painted and put into shape for

see picture of the lady below.

bottom of every shoe.

which is just as easy and much cooler.

Phone 35, Hakes' auto livery. Monday.

relatives in Alma.

Mesdames E. D. McQueen and R. VanDyke were in Grand Rapids Tuesday.

Mesdames O. C. McDanneil and Geo. Winegar were in Grand Rapids Monday. Dr. E. D. McQueen and son

Bruce have been spending a few days in Detroit. Miss Martha Mason of Ashland, Ohio, is the guest of her sister,

Mrs. A. H. Lash. Mr. Almroth, father of Mrs. W. J. Gonderman, returned to Norwalk, Ohio, Tuesday.

Mrs. D. A. Houser spent a couple days last week with Mrs. J. E. Tinkler in Grand Rapids.

Miss Muriel Andrews of Benton Harbor is spending commencement week with Lowell relatives. Take advantage of Stocking's big clearance sale and save mon-

Our old resident friend Mrs. H. Nash, who has long been an invalid, has suffered a stroke and

Misses Dora Getty and Hazel Maynard and Ben Hardy were among those to attend the track meet in Grand Rapids Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith of

Alto and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mc-Pherson of Vergennes visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scrambling Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilbur and

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulbert motored to Alma and Elwell Tues-Ruth Gibson leaves today for day to visit relatives, returning prepared for weakened kidneys. home Friday. Harry Shuter, feeling an ap-

Laundry basket goes Tuesdays. Leave laundry at Stocking's

and was accompanied home Monday by Mrs. S. M. Carr, who will

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Clark, accompanied by Mrs. R. D. Stocking and Miss Lena Murphy, spent Thursday in Grand Rapids.

The case of the Teople vs. Ora Metter of Freeport charged with a statutory offense, the respondent was acquitted last Friday at Ionia. The case arose Robert Whitehead, who has been recompanied by Mrs. Seadore and baby, and Mrs. Seadore and baby, Mrs. Hoover, daughter Etta and son Mrs. Grand Rapids. near Logan, Bowne township.

Lakeview, having finished her door games and Victrola music, and light refreshments were ser being a trip through Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa in the light refreshments were ser being a few days with the former's less and Mrs. Land Mrs. Land Mrs. Silas Daniels and Mrs. Silas Daniels mother. They have rented their less and Mrs. Orton Hill Sunday.

Nowland, Horace A. Walker, Mrs. H. F. Huntly has returned from a trip through Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa in the interests of the Fallas Canning died at the home of her brother, N. C. Thomas of Caledonta June 3. She was brought to Bowne Center church Wednesday alternoon, Rev. Isaac Weaver official trip through Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa in the interests of the Fallas Canning company with a good bunch of business and left yesterday for another trip to Missouri and other trip to Missouri and other parts of the West. Mr.

painted and put into shape for their occupancy. Mr. Buss is bookkeeper in the City State bank.

Petition for probate of the will of Peter Bergy has been filed by Moses E. Bergy, executor. The estate consisting of \$5,000 personal property is divided among the widow, Margaret, son Alvin, and daughter, Rosa E. Porritt.

The following is going the rounds of the state press: "Have you any use for a jail? Not a great big one, just a comfortable little one-room coop. The village of Lyons is anxious to get rid of its "jail" and the village clerk has been authorized to advertise for been authorized to advertise for bids for the same, which, it is suggested, would make a good and daughter. Rosa E. Porritt. and daughter, Rosa E. Porritt, barn. Dry campaigners say that of Alto, and sons, Moses E. and there will be a lot more jails for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert John E. Bergy of Boyne City.

—[Herald. Lyons is a dry town."

Dawson, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rolf and little son Robert spent Sunday with Mrs.

THE SCANDAL

gether. Art likes Martha and these hot days a good

many women with sore aching feet will say no wonder.

real Martha Washington. Look for her name on

ART H. HILL

THE SHOE MAN.

Martha Washington and Art Hill are going to-

Also have the Martha with straps across the front

KEENE CENTER.

The children will meet to practice Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for Children's day. All be present. Mrs. Elizabeth Daniels went to Belding Monday to visit her daugh-

ter.
Mr. and Mrs. Golds and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sparks.
Truman Pratt and wife of Saranac and Mrs. Dorothy Carr went to Grand Rapids Monday.
The Children's day exercises will be

The Children's day exercises will be held Sunday, June 17, at Keene church, at 2:30. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton White and Mrs. Lettle Hawley attended the funeral of George White Sunday. Frank Carr moved his house, an old land mark known as the Hopkins

Harvey Balcom went to Flint house, that was back in the field down to the road and is living in it. He tore down the house he did live Mrs. Geo. Layman is visiting in and is building an up-to-date bungalow on the north side of his

Mrs. M. C. Greene was a Grand
Rapids visitor Tuesday.

Big stock of tires to go cheap
at our sale. R. D. Stocking.

Mrs. Lottie Hodges of Grand
Rapids is visiting Mrs. Belle
Hodges.

Mosdawes E. D. McQueen and
Mrs. Marian.

Barn.

Robert Munger, Howard Kennedy,
Mrs. Wilkinson, Elste Kennedy and
Libble Lawrence motored to Grand
Rapids Sunday and were dinner
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowen
at 689 Rosewood ave. Had a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Daller spent Sunday
afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gon-

dors at Marian.

Mrs. McKotchen and little girl
who worked for Mrs. Adams have
gone back to their home in Kalama-

Fourteen people in three autos from Grand Rapids came to visit Mrs, Martha Adams Sunday.

Will Covert and family, Charles
Howard and wife of Belding, B. W.
Lind of Clarksville, Mrs. Frances Aldrich of Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. E.
P. Sweet of South Lowell were Sunday guests at Frank Carr's in honor
of Mrs. Sweet's birthday. She received some year nice presents. ceived some very nice presents, and the day was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. James Waldon of Florida, came Friday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. C. A.

Lee and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wikinson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wikinson, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Shipper of Ion'a, Mrs. Lena Wilkinson of Saranac and Geo. Golds and family were Sunday afternoon callers at B. F. Wilkinson's.

Miss Layman has returned to Lowell after a two months' stay at Corneling Verburg's.

nellus Verburg's.

Marshall Miche is very ill at the home of his sister in B iding.

Colds Affect the Kidneys

Many Lowell People Have Found This to be True. Are you wretched in bad weather?

Does every cold settle on your kid Does your back ache and become weak?

Are urinary passages irregular and listressing? These symptoms are cause to suspect kidney wenkness.

Wenkened kidneys need quick help.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially

Grateful people recommend them Mrs. J. H. Bannett, Ada, Mich., proach of his former ailment, had says: "Colds always settled in my his tonsils removed Sunday, and kidneys and the kidney secretions here by the death of Geo. White. is feeling about as mean as so were tregular in passage. I had pains in the small of my back and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith of twinges shot through me when I Allegan are spending several days stooped or lifted. My back ached at with her sister, Mr.s Frank Marsh; night, I was lame in the morning and Mrs. B. C. Noble and daughter Ida Bell Rutherford of Grand and the Mayor has been reviving easily tired. My head ached and I had occasional dizzy spells. Doan's

Kidney Pills gave me relief." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-get Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Will Fox of Port Huron spent Mrs. Bennett had. Foster-Milburn over Sunday with relatives here Co., Props., Buffalo. N. Y. adv

BOWNE CENTER.

spend the summer with the Fox family.

The Lowell W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Gunn Friday afternoon, June 23, In the chairman of the program was fine. The chairman of the program committee and the young ladies who helped should have a word of praise.

Mrs. Frank Colston of Grand Rapids is visiting her mother. Mrs. Mor-

Miss Besste Green of Eagle is visit In the case of the People vs. ing friends in Bowne for a few days.

sick for the past year, passed away Advertised letters in the Low R. M. Shivel was attorney for the Ward Boulard. Funeral services were held at Bowne Center church

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Buss have Fallas is planning to make the mourn that loss a heart of the work. rented Orville Austin's house on Lowell canning factory a busy sides her four brothers and sister and

on Robert spent Sunday with Mrs. Mrs. Columbus Jay is on the gain

ALTO VILLAGE NOTES Mr. Fuller of Fennville has bought the barness and shoe shop of John Kelser and has opened it for business Rev. Freeman of Grand Rapids was here last week to attend the funeral

of John W. Kline. Russell Nellis is driving a new Ford on the mail route. W. A. Rounds and daughter, Mrs. Foote, motored to Hart to visit friends over Sunday last. M. Vanderlip has improved his new place by draining, filling in and

ing filled and leveled and will be seeded.

Mrs. Addie Blakeslee and daughter Marion are visiting friends in Grand

Rapids this week.

A Children's day program will be given at the Methodist church next Sunday evening.

Miss Marjorie Nichols, formerly of this place, has gone to Boston, Mass., where she expects to remain for two Nearly one ton and a half of butter

was the record of last week Thurs-

day at our creamery. The officers report the largest business in the history of the creamery and the cream fe improving in quality.
Dr. G. J. Bond and family motored to Ann Arbor Monday. Mrs. Bond will visit friends there and the Doctor is attending the American Medical meeting at Detroit.

Patronize Ledgel advertisers.

Did it ever occur to you what a complete and classy line of FURNISHINGS we have gathered for the inspection of the people of Lowell and vicinity? Do you know that we can show you one of the most complete and up-to-the-minute stocks in this part of Michigan? Good, honest merchandise that will stand the test of style and wear.

Look these over and then come and see if we have exaggerated one jot.



You should see our new line of Hats---Felts, Straws or Madagascars. We are showing Fall styles in felt hats and we have the most complete line of straws we have ever displayed. Bankoks, Panamas, Leghorns, Splits and Sennetts in Sailors. Did you ever wear a Bankok hat? Lightest hat made. We have several prices and styles in Panamas.

Straws from 10c to \$6.00.

Cool, classy, comfortable. That's the way our Uneerwear looks and feels. You can get it of us in all styles, from 25c per garment twopiece, to the fine Lisle and Silk union suits. Porosknit and B. V. D. in several styles always in stock. Keep comfortable this summer in cool, breezy underwear.





You Auto Drivers! Get into a pair of Hansen's fine, wellfitting drivers and you will know a comfort in gloves that you have never experienced before. They make the best line of work gloves on the market,

Ide Silver Collars

We have them in several styles of soft collars, 15c and 25c. Cool and comfortable for the hot weather. styles in starched collars.

Do you need some snappy new Shirts for your summer wardrobe? Look our line over. Soft or stiff cuff. Collar attached if you want it, and a great line of silks. Best assortment of SPORT SHIRTS you ever saw.



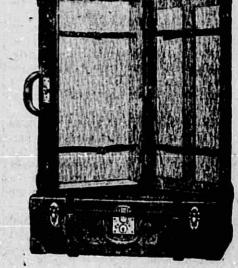


Hose---the kind that is made without seams and fits the foot and ankle, the kind that is guaranteed to give you satisfaction in wear, too. Black, Blue, Sand, Palm Beach or White. Cotton, Lisle or Silk.

10c to \$1.

From now on is vacation time! Have you a suitable Traveling Bag, Suit Case or Trunk? It is the right time now to buy, for they will surely be much higher. You will be surprised what a really fine Bag we can show you for \$5. We have a big stock of Suit Cases and Trunks for you to pick from.

Lalley & Shuler



Wool, Live Stock, Potatoes, Beaus and Seeds

For highest prices call Citisens Phone No. 80, or call at my elevator, Lowell, Mich. Shipping days for stock Tues-

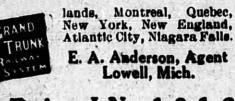
LOWELL, MICH.

TOURS GIRGLE Grand Trunk Circle Tours Make Absolutely

the Most Satisfactory Vacation Trips

OT only is the cost moderate, but by going one route and returning Another, with the liberal stop-over privileges granted, they afford a view and knowledge of this country and Canada unapproached by any other form of transportation.

The Grand Trunk is the leader in circle tours. We have CRAND 77 varieties and there is not a point of interest in the East which is not covered. Toronto, the Thousand Is-



SEE CANADA IN 1916

Farmers Attention! Am in the market for your

days and Wednesdays. CHAS. E. JAKEWAY

AUTHOR OF "WHISPERING SMITH," "THE MOUNTAIN DIVIDE," "STRATEGY OF GREAT RAILROADS," ETC.

SYNOPSIS.

Little Helen Heimes, daughter of General Helmes, railroad man, is rescued from imminent danger on a scenic railroad by George Storm, a newsboy. Grown to young womanhood, Helen saves Storm, now a fireman, her father, and his friends. Amos Rhimelander, financier, and Robert Seagrue, promoter, from a threatened collision. Safsbreakers employed by Seagrue steal General Holmes' survey plans of the cut off line for the Tidewater, fatally wound the general and escape. Her father's estate badly involved by his death, Helen goes to work on the Tidewater. Helen recovers the survey plans from Seagrue, and though they are taken from her, finds an accidentally made proof of the survey blueprint. Storm is employed by Rhimelander. Spike, befriended by Helen, in his turn saves her and the right-of-way contracts when Seagrue kidnaps her. Helen and Storm win for Rhimelander a race against Seagrue for right-of-way. Helen, Storm and Rhimelander rescue Spike from Seagrue's men. Spike steals records to protect Rhimelan ler, and Storm and Helen save Spike from death in the burning courthouse. Vein in Superstition mine pinches out. Seagrue salts it and sells it to Rhimelander. The mine is relocated. Rhimelander gives Helen and George each one-third of the Superstition mine stock, Seagrue's scheme to prayent bayment for the mine is spoiled. Helen, restored to home and soto prevent payment for the mine is spoiled. Helen, restored to home and social position, saves her departing guests from a threatened collision by a wild ride.

FIFTEENTH INSTALLMENT DRIVING THE LAST SPIKE

from the mountains with Storm to cut-off." announce to Helen the completion of achieve its successful building.

arrived, to join her two friends, and the train. all returned to the station to take the special train that was to carry gine cab, pulled the throttle slightly them with a party up the line to cele- and the drivers began to revolve; the brate the driving of the last spike- engineer then handed her carefully a responsibility that Rhinelander had down from the gangway and the train assigned, over all her protests, to started. Helen herself.

of the builders-getting out on the nooses were thrown suddenly over larged by the Signal contingent, again | pertly was the attack made that Spike

The morning newspapers at Oceanside had contained articles descriptive ance. of the prospective celebration, and it was in one of these that a headline fell under Seagrue's eye as he sat in his living room reading his paper.

CUT-OFF TO SUPERSTITION MINE

Helen Holmes to Drive Last Spike.

At noon today Helen Holmes, daughter of the late General Holmes, assisted by Superintendent A. Rhinelander and Construction Engineer George Storm will drive the spike that

defeat. And though he was still a Spike had, in fact-overhearing the

preliminary words. Ward read the flung Storm into a gondola. headlines hastily. "You see what's going on," exclaimed Seagrue, labor clared Ward, now alarmed for the want you to get busy."

He spoke the last words in a tone and crime, looked at him so under- cluded ominously. standingly that Seagrue had hardly need to add what he did: "This is my | call for his life in more than one dilast chance," he muttered, viciously, rection. A single slender chance gave Spike has double-crossed me at every Storm has been an enemy of mine ever since I began my cut-off work. If it hadn't been for him I could have won out in spite of the odds against me. Ward, I want those two men. Understand?" he demanded, violently, catching Ward's shoulder at the same time with his trembling hand. "I want them both. Get them. I'll make you rich."

two men out. In the street, Ward and Adams boarded a taxicab, gave running along the track. their orders to the driver and were whirled rapidly out on the desert.

At the cut-off, the roadmasters and of the Tidewater line were in waiting for the special. When it reached the scene a salute, arranged by an ingenious railroad man with dynamite, as the special came to a stop at the intersection, the guests descended ground. But he had hardly struck it deadly rush of the falling rock. It was described by Rhine. The control of the bringing up the rear as an important

fourth. But from a second hill, across from where the improvised salute had noisily greeted the gay special, two men looked with unfriendly eyes down on the interesting ceremony. A golden spike had been provided for Helen. awaited its completion at her hands. Rhinelander handed to Helen the

struck the spike the first blow.

NOVELIZED FROM THE MOV-ING PICTURE PLAY OF THE SAME NAME. PRODUCED BY THE SIGNAL FILM CORPORA-TION. COPYRIGHT, 1915, BY FRANK H. SPEARMAN.

taps, "that part of the agreement is

George must finish this." "I know," assented Rhinelander. 'Now let us see whether this wouldbe railroad builder of ours really can drive a spike. If he can't, this is where I show him up myself."

Storm took hold of the maul with a smile "For a man that's driven a mogul as many miles as I have, this ought to be easy; though I confess it's the first spike I've ever drivenexcept," he added, "that I once drove Spike Conners from the Superstition mine down to Las Vegas and jumped with him from the top of a box car into an automobile. And I want to tell you now," he declared, hammering the spike into the oak, between sentences, "I'll never take another all the way on foot."

are all here together," he said, "we'll slowly ahead. complete the celebration by starting a spike that will hold a rail joint for | could not tell whereabouts in the train | get him there " Ward nodded as coolan engine to run over it. If it fails, It was a week later that there were it shows them both up. Throw the social activities again in Helen's switch for the main line, George, and home. Rhinelander had come down let Helen start the first train over the

Storm walked toward the switch, the Superstition cut-off, the cause of so some distance away, followed by much enmity and bitterness between Spike. Standing together they threw the rival roads that had striven to it and signaled that all was right. Rhinelander helped Helen up on the Helen was making ready, when they engine and her guests started to board

Helen, quite at home inside an en-

At the switch, Spike and Storm en-The train, gayly decorated, pulled gaged thus intently, failed to notice in early and the party-railroad men, two men creeping up behind them, constructionists and personal friends ropes in hand. Taken unawares, platform at Signal, gave it for a mo- their heads and before they could stop was made only long enough to throttled, felled and dragged back exchange greetings, and the party, en- from the switch. So swiftly and exboarded the train to continue the jour- and Storm were choked almost at once and dragged down out of sight before anyone noticed their disappear-

> Tying their hands expeditiously, Ward speculated for a moment on what to do with them. Adams' proposal to throw them from the bridge he negatived. "They would find them too quick. We'll put them into the ore cars," he said cunningly. "When the cars are located at the mine the

The two picked Storm up. unconscious, and carried him along the to bring Spike in like fashion, they chances for escape were better. marks the completion of the Super- were surprised and upset to find he had disappeared. Running hurriedly Seagrue read with anger. To his around they were unable to find him disordered mind, now victimized by and fearing that he might soon be drink, it seemed as if the celebration back with help, they returned to make

wealthy man, he had gone to such fate in store for him-rolled, gagged criminal lengths in his efforts to win and bound as he was, along the track the fight for the cut-off that he was to the bridge below. Gaining this, he now ready for any course revenge continued to roll over and tried to drop out of sight underneath. But in get-In a furious mood, he struck the ting down, helpless as he was, his bell to summon Adams, his servant. hands caught by the rope with which When the latter appeared his master he was fastened on the head of a pro-"Bring Ward here at jecting spike and instead of dropping once," and turned to the decanter that to where he speedily could have hidhad latterly become his most intimate | den himself, he hung quite helpless in the air suspended by his wrists.

The ore train, meantime, had come ams, Seagrue picked up the newspalalong the mine spur and Ward and per. "Look at that," he said, without Adams, watching their opportunity, "We've got to get after Spike," de-

ing apparently under excitement. "I safety of himself and his companion. "That fellow couldn't get very far, tied up the way he was. He's rolled away minute," she reminded him patheticalthat left no doubt of his meaning. somewhere among the rocks. He won't And Ward, old in ways of intrigue get away from me again," he con-

"to get rid of Spike and George Storm, him hope of escape. The cord with which his hands had been bound, he turn of the road. I took that dog out | thought, might be sawed in two on the of prison. I helped him escape when spike against which it had caught. Acthe ought to have swung. George ing on this thought, he threw himself storm has been an enemy of mine from side to saw the cord against the iron. In spite of the intense pain suffered in sustaining the entire weight of his body on the thongs that bound his wrists, he kept desperately busy in the hope of releasing himself before his captors should return. For he had no doubt that Ward, as assistant director, would not hesitate to kill him on sight. With a resource and cunning developed through Ward was quick to assent. He was a long career of doubtful enterprises quick to act, and after conferring hur-riedly on details Seagrue started the wildly for freedom and life, and thus engaged he heard the footsteps of men

mean a knock on the head. There was , soon to be lowered for his death. officials of the operating department | Jerking himself convulsively, arms, but a moment left to effect his escape. force on the rope that the strands tumbled with a roar into the chute. was fired from an adjoining hill. And finally parted on the sharp iron face Storm, working to free himself, had in recent years, begins a bulletin pre-

every place of concealment, came on. hope. Their hurry, however, was too great, A cry outside, a woman's voice, hardhave looked, they passed. Even be next moment he felt a great shock. It least, they have statistics on their side country, with its great river, the Nile, waves and folds, were largely of fore they were well out of the way, seemed as if he were launched precipi. to prove that the per-acre production a magnificent, costless fertilization weaves of the fiber grown on the And the senior roadmaster, acting as Spike had released his feet and gain- tately into space; the world was fallthe master of ceremonies, was leading ing the track was running at full ing around him. Overhead, a mighty the greatest among all cotton-growing a forcing bell. Where water reaches cultivated in Egypt, however, is not the way to where she was to officiate. speed back to where Helen was wait- roar crashed on his hearing-con-On the spot where the last rail joint ing beside the Special with her friends. sciousness left him.

These latter saw a bareheaded man spike and the maul. And Helen, place arms. He might have been a madman gine almost before the Special, its of Egyptian cotton, by linking it with all the other products of the fields. tivated. American cotton is white, ing the golden emblem into position, so wild were his gestures and more wheels ground by the brakes, fully the name of their foremost colonial From 1804 to 1904 the cotton crop of where Egyptians' are cream colored

the minute it's loaded, he'll be killed!" her, "and run the train up to the mine without losing a minute. Hurry," she

ried. "everybody!" Rhinelander hastened the excited happening, not down on 'he day's program. But her friends knew the repu-

Rhinelander signaled the conductor and the Special, swiftly gathering speaking rapidly to Helen. "We must speed, started to catch the freight train at the mine.

In the gondola into which he had been flung, Storm, pounded and gradually recovered consciousness. He was not difficult for him to surmise the manner of death that had been apportioned to him by his unknown

then, if he were only able to cry out. But struggle as he would, he could not release his hands and feet nor the gag that half choked him. Every movement of the train was so familiar to him that it added to the horror of his situation. He understood when into Seagrue's room. drive like that if I have to carry him the car under him ceased to move that they had reached the mine switch. Friends crowded up as the spike He could picture the brakeman going went home and congratulations fell ahead to unlock, open and throw it: thick and fast on the winners of the he could see him signal the engineer long-drawn struggle. Rhinelander still to come on. In another momen, the had something to propose, "While we car in which he lay began to move

the first train. I want to see whether it should reach the deadly chute, for it savagely on Ward. "If Spike escaped, Miss Holmes and Mr. Storm can drive was this that constituted his peril. He he will be at Helen's home. We will

attack. She listened with consterns. knowing whether this car her lover. It was too late to "They've got Storm," exclaimed leverman, too late for him to ...ert the Spike. "They carried him off first, to disaster, if one were impending from throw him into an ore car. They his action—the chute was coming meant to throw us both in. If they've down. But at the instant the monster thrown George .nto one of those cars, maw was opened and tons of heavy quartz shot into the gondola, Helen. Helen blanched. To threaten Storm's outside the car, turned the dumping life was to touch her heart. "We must key and Storm dropped through the get aboard," she cried to those about opened car bottom under the trestle. The ore at the same moment was pour-

ing in at the top. When the young engineer returned to consciousness, Helen was raining guests into the care. Here was a tears and kisses on his upturned face. He lay under the trestle, freed from the cords that had so nearly caused tation of Helen and her associates for his death, mine men and the guests meeting emergencies and felt confi. of the day crowding around. He stagdent that the tragedy all feared might gered to his feet and greeted his de-

"They had Spike, too," he said, find him before he is smothered."

swer. Spike spoke for himself. "And what I want to do," he said with heat, shaken over the rough rail joints, when he had told Storm the story. "is to get that Special back to the realized his helpless position and it bridge and get after the guy that roped me."

The neighborhood was scoured for a sign of their assailants. They found where the taxicab had stood in which Seagrue's pair had come up. But the he should reach the mine, not even two had long ago made their escape and were running back to town to report to their employer.

> guiltily over their shoulders as if fearful of immediate apprehension for their crime, Ward and Adams burst Seagrue was in waiting. "We got

Hastening up the stairs, looking

Storm," Ward began. "Good!" cried Seagrue.

"Spike got away!" Seagrue struck his fist into his open hand. "I wanted that fellow worse than the other," he muttered between his teeth. For another moment no He was hoping it might stop before stood deep in thought. Then he turned



gondola would be the head car. In detail, "I'm going up there tonight, ing at the hind end of the train, his for the evening now. Adams has two tell. Revolving rapidly in his mind the table."

teatures of his situation, he felt the on until it seemed as if the train must preparations and were dismissed with have traversed twice the length of the switch-the track o: which he was familiar with-and the farther he was pulled, the worse his predicament

doing: pulling ahead to spot the last gondola under the chute. Storm saw, as the condemned man sees the blade of the guillotine poised above him. the chute itself come into sight. The next moment his own gondola drew under it and stopped. He was evidently in the first car to be spotted for loading. Only the turn of a lever now lay between him and death. Moisture beaded his forehead. With the

strength of a giant he strove to rend Helen, on the Special, had taken her place in the cab where she could urge the engineer to every burst of speed ly and more than once, "may mean a you can, won't you?" she pleaded. He Indeed, Spike was having a close urged the train recklessly around the curves, and the fireman, keyed to the excitement, pushed up the steam until the safety valve roared. Without easing the pace for obstacle or danger. the Special was rushed on until the power house of the big mine was

brought into sight. Tense and collected under the strain. Helen, staring through the open cab window, had only eyes for the ore cars, which in another moment she saw stood in on the switch with the last gondola spotted for loading under

the chute. What car had Storm been thrown into? The question racked her nerves and clutched at her heart. If she only could fly from where she stood and look for an instant into that spotted car. Perhaps, she told herself, he lay somewhere ahead in the string and was not in immediate danger; perhaps This might mean help; it might he was already lying under the chute

With Storm still struggling on the car floor, the foreman of the ore plant. legs and body—the cord cutting and taking a fresh chew of tobacco, sigsawing every moment into the quick naled: "Ore on!" A man below threw he, himself, had helped to install and

What had happened was that Helen, dashing down the track, waving his leaping from the gangway of the en- Englishmen emphasize the importance France and Germany, took rank over ton, where the latter is properly culthan one of them were alarmed when, stopped, had run swiftly up the switch statesman. This African crop is of Egypt doubled in quantity and value, or brownish. This, in years when "You know." she said, looking up heedless of Helen's surroundings, he track beside the gondola in which after she had given it a few more broke into ner circle to tell her of the Storm as Stor

his car lay. If he were in luck, his ly as if a further crime were a mer guns. Stop! There they are, on the

Seagrue, a little later, came in fore the murder was committed

When the special, on its return, the day that the evening festivities was an open secret among her friends that this occasion was to signalize the public announcement of her engage-

The evening assemblage was brilliant. Not alone with the guests of the day but a second special had come from the city bringing another car of friends and a procession of motor cars neighboring estates.

In the house, Helen, radiant in evening attire, was descending the stairs. doors he himself had opened on a mid-Storm waited at the foot to meet her night to a murderer. and after receiving her guests she left

reached Signal, those aboard were so turned away. Someone took Rhine best they could, did not slacken speed.

related what she saw. Seagrue looked once more toward the library. He directed his steps toward it. On the threshold he halted abruptly again, ing his machine to the limit, he tried as if rudely checked by an unseen hand. He looked about as if he saw The engineer seeing a collision unand heard what others did not see and avoidable, checked his train heavily. hear. Then, shaking himself loose It was too late. The engine was alfrom the seeming clutch of invisible fingers, he took a determined step, brought to the door guests from the strode into the library as one who the middle, threw the heavy limousine accepts a challenge, walked deflantly through the room and out of the French

He disappeared from sight in the the scene for a few moments with her shrubbery of the garden and walked imousine, turning in from the high- Even the two hiding men saw the emothreshold that night, a strange feeling Turning on his heel, he left them. The ful for their escape from assassina-

came over him. An Oceanside lady, an two murderers looked uncertainly at tion than Helen and Storm. Within old acquaintance, was the first to ex- each other. Something of his uneasi- the following week the guests of that tend greetings. She noticed the strained ness communicated itself to them. night, had they been gifted with viexpression of his face and the ravages In the conservatory, Helen and sion, might have seen Spike seated, made on it by his recent dissipation. Storm were conversing with guests. book in hand, in the garden, reading She was, indeed, shocked. "I haven't The guests left the room as Seagrue an account of a marriage ceremony. seen you for an age," she declared. came in and he returned, somewhat In it, surrounded by her friends and "And you're not looking a bit well, stiffly the greeting of Helen and Storm. given away by her foster uncle, Amos either, I can tell you. What's the mat- Storm, resolved now to be generous Rhinelander, Helen had become the ter?" she demanded. A shudder with his enemy, stepped to the punch seemed to pass over him as she spoke. bowl and filling glasses, crossed the (THE ENI



The Engine Struck the Limousine Squarely in the Middle.

open eyes.

face. He called up once more the old saw his silhouetted figure on the lowsmile. "Not a thing," he insisted. ered curtain. "Nothing whatever. It's a little cold outside tonight. Perhaps," he added ity was to prove his salvation and with a restless laugh, his eyes wandering over the gay faces all about, "some- the punch bowl was nearly empty he one's walking over my grave."

you superstitious?"

everything in it. Where is Helen?" and find her." She would have led him into the folded, fluttered to the ground.

ibrary He stopped on the threshold and refused to enter. He saw, as in a vision, what others-now that the com was filled with laughing men and women-did not see. He saw midplices in a death grapple with an old man. He saw that old man laid out a few moments later on a couch, a doctor bending anxiously over him to detect a heart beat. And he saw the surgeon's face as he looked up and gravely said: "General Holmes is dead!" he said brusquely, "I won't go in there -too much of a crowd for me. !"! encountered Rhinelander. The two men greeted each other briefly.

they two were the winners, they meant to be generous to the losers and to

"I am willing," declared Rhinelander, "and I think that Helen will stand with me in it, to give you an interest in the mine-it is big enough to make a dozen millionaires. Make a man of yourself, Earl, that's all we ask.

Seagrue regarded him with an expression so terrible that it shocked Rhinelander, but what was passing through Scagrue's mind, he could not

one hardly in possession of his senses. "not tonight-I'll talk to you tomorrow. Where's Helen?"

"She left here this moment for the conservatory with George Storm." Seagrue took a step forward, as if to go to her. Then he stopped and and Spike, keeping under cover as lander's attention and he lost sight of his nephew, but the woman who had first spoken to Seagrue afterward

lover. The last among the laggards some distance before he encountered the landscape in shadow. Adams' seemed to have arrived when a big those whom he had gone out to meet. body was found in a borrow pit. The way, was driven rapidly through the tion under which he was laboring. He against a tree, lay at the foot of it. grounds and stopped in front of told them what he had seen, told them mutilated beyond recognition. Helen's door. The car contained three of Storm's escape, the thwarting of men—Seagrue, Ward and Adams.

Of Storm's escape, the thwarting of bent over Seagrue, but the wretched bent over Seagrue, but the wretche "Wait in the garden," was Seagrue's orders as to what to do and how to victim of his own criminal intent lay command to his companions. "I will do it. He trembled with furious em- quite dead. go in, look the field over and report in phasis as he spoke on. "And when the coast is clear." he exclaimed, at events of that tragic night. It rose When Seagrue crossed Helen's last, "I'll drop my handkerchief." nowhere on two people more grate-

"Are you ill?" she asked with wide | conservatory with them to serve Helen and Seagrue. In the garden, Then a reckless look crossed his Ward and Adams, watching intently,

And Storm's trifling act of hospital-Seagrue's undoing. Having seen that excused himself and stepped into the

"Oh," exclaimed his friend "Are next room to summon a maid to refill it. The door of this room-a break-"No," returned Seagrue, almost fast room-opening on the garden, flercely, "only tired of the world and stood, for the evening, ajar. The maid, reaching up on the sideboard for "She's in the library," said his com- a napkin, when Storm spoke to her. panion. "You're awful late. Let's go let it fall from her hand as she turned. The white square of linen, partly un-

Where she stood, the maid could not be seen from Ward's hiding place in the garden. Only the figure of Storm beside her was visible and the highwayman mistook his figure for Seagrue's. When the napkin fluttered to the floor, Ward, mistaking it for the handkerchief, watched intently the two silhouetted figures in the conservatory.

Seagrue, at Helen's side, rose to his feet. Two shots rang through the night air. Seagrue, stricken, clutched Despite his reckless bravado, a his heart. With a ghastly expression shudder gripped him for an instant he looked at Helen. And as she again. He shook it off and braced screamed, he clutched at his heart himself with angry resentment. "No." again and fell headlong to the floor. Helen's frantic cries brought a crowd to the conservatory doors. try the reception room." Turning he Storm, nearest at hand, held back the thers and entered the room first. He

> come and Storm, followed by her, ran out into the garden. caped into a hole, carrying Stark's fa-The murderers had made good their vorite lenses.-Evanston (Ind.) Dischine was hidden, they jumped into it Oceanside. It was Spike's keen ear that detected the faint hum of their motor, "They're making their getaway in a car," he cried. "If we are to get

them, we've got to work quick." Commandeering the first car parked in the driveway and accompanied by Helen and Storm, Spike drove rapidly taxicab. No lights were visible on it. but some moonlight made it possible to follow the murderers accurately

way, turning sharply, crossed the railroad. It is a bell crossing and the sigexpress when Ward and Adams, looking behind at the headlights of Spike's car, saw they were hotly pursued. They opened fire with their revolvers on the pursuing car, but Helen, Storm The criminals thus pressed, saw there was a chance to put the railroad suers. The express was close upon them, but desperate men cannot be choosers. Ward took a chance, Crowdfor the crossing ahead of the train. most on the taxicab and the next instant the pilot, striking it squarely in fifty feet in the air. When Helen, Storm and Spike reached the spot, the engineer was backing down to inves-

tigate the catastrophe. Lanterns and searchlights were brought into play where the moon left shock had killed him. Ward, flung

COTTON IN EGYPT

proclaimed the cotton of the Nile ministrative reforms. delta as the finest in the world. At | Egypt is essentially an agricultural seems to dissolve in their diaphanous of the fertile delta fields can be made plant, and the clear, sun-flooded sky, Nile. The fiber of most of the cotton

countries.

Cotton, the staple of premier war, in short, it is the prize that goes with renown and of blockade notoriety, Egypt's possession. Irrigation works was the foundation and backbone of developed by English engineers made around his wrists—he threw such a the lever and the jagged quarts rock the prosperity that English administ large-scale cotton plantings possible; tration has been able to bring to Egypt cotton crops set Egyptian labor free; Egyptian's appraisement of his leadbefore he rolled, bounced and scram- only as the great chute—the one which Sudan, the English believe that they proprietors. It attracted attention and world—Egyptian sotton mercerises have discovered the most favorable capital to the land of the Pharaohs easier; so that it finds a special mar-Adams, searching with sharp eyes cy—slowly descended that he gave up cotton-growing country on earth; and and Mamelukes, and encouraged a ket among manufacturers turning semienthusiastic planters of Egypt have temper in the people willing for ad- silk and silk-gloss cotton goods.

> Egypt's soil crops smile forth in pro- as long or as strong as American Sea Cotton and Cromer made the regen- fusion, and cotton, neighboring the island cotton, nor does it yield so eration of Egypt possible, is the way mills of Austria, Italy, Great Britain, large a crop as American upland cot-

including the celebrated Sea island variety native to this country. Egyptian cotton is said to be remarkable for the soft quality of its lint, which. compared with American upland cotton, oakes the latter seem rough and harsh in quality. There is, however, a certain element of patriotism in the Gowne, whose unsubstantial fabric

WE PAY CASH FOR

MEDICINAL ROOTS, HERBS, LEAVES, BARKS, ETC.

We buy over two hundred different kinds of Medicinal Roots, Herbs, Leaves, Barks, Seeds, Flowers, Etc., for which we pay net cash on arrival. We make a specialty of Ginsong, Golden Seal Root, Soneka Snake Root, Star Root, Star GRASS Root, Bosswax, Etc. We pay top cash prices.

If you want to line up with a progressive, growing, honest, up-to-date concern who will handle your goods right, who will keep you well posted on market conditions, write us for our price list, shipping tags, and full information.

H. R. LATHROP & CO., Inc. 110-112-114-116 Beekman Street 194 Water Street Established 1910 New York City, N. Y.

COLDEST AIR OVER EQUATOR Redd-That fellow over there was ust talking about the horses. Do you know him? Greene-Oh, yes, well.

"How do you know he's up on the "Why, he's a college graduate." "What's that got to do with his

knowing the ponies?" "Why, he's a graduate of a veterinary college."-Yonkers Statesman.

WOMEN SUFFERERS NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease. If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. You may suffer a great deal with pain

nervousness and may be despondent and irritable. Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's pre-scription, obtained at any drug store, restores health to the kidneys and is just

the remedy needed to overcome such con- above the equator." ditions. Get a fifty cent or one dollar bottle im mediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr.

Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper .-- Adv.

Painless Dentistry. A tourist while "doing" California noticed a long shanty which displayed the following sign: "Teeth yanked out without a twinge." As he happened to be suffering from toothache, them?" he entered the shanty and asked the

"Do you extract teeth without giving afford to get behind the times any "Waal, I reckon so, stranger." "All right; pull this one out," indicating the offending molar.

The dentist whistled, and in walked his assistant with a club. "Now, pard," quoth the "dentist, 'Stun him!"

Rat Steals Man's Glasses.

yoke in the path of the rat, into which The glasses stuck and the rat es-

patch to Louisville Courier-Journal. Cow Eats \$300 in Bills. had no faith in banks. Now he has rooms in the house." no faith in cows. One prize Guernsey ate \$300 in bills which he had hidden in his barn. "Darn the cows," said Layton, "They have no respect for mizing. money."-Durham (N. C.) Dispatch to

Philadelphia Inquirer. The atmosphere contains traces of helium and peroxide of hydrogen. Caesar's wife didn't have to live in

the suburbs to be gossined about.

Scientist Discovers Interesting Fact as Result of Experiments in Upper Air. Winds blow not merely along the

surface of the earth, but upward and downward throughout the atmosphere. They whirl about in all directions. So it is impossible to construct a weather chart that will really show the directions of the winds, for such a chart would have to be in three dimensions. Prof. Alexander McAdie of Harvard, in an article in the Geographical Review, describes some of the recent experiments in the upper air performed by sounding balloons. The atmosphere has, roughly, two layers, the lower called the troposphere and the upper the stratosphere. The strongest winds are found just below the stratosphere, and it would seem that pressure

changes originate in this region. The stratosphere is highest over the equator and lowest over the poles, but in the back, headache, loss of ambition, its height varies with the seasons. "At the equator," says Professor McAdie, "as we rise in the air the temperature continues to fall to a much greater height than in temperate latitudes. Indeed, the lowest temperature is found

Up to Date.

"I'm sorry, mum, but I've got to leave you. I've taken another place." "Another place? Why, Mary, is it a matter of money?"

"No, mum, the new folks are going to pay me just the same wages as "Are they offering you easier work?" "No, mum, the work is just about

"Then why are you leaving us for "Well, you see, mum, they have a 1916 model auto, and we servants can't

more than other folks." His Mind Elsewhere. "Does it require mental concentration to write a 'best seller'?"

"I hardly think so," replied the man

who loves good literature. "The last popular novel I glanced through was dictated by the author to his secretary, I understand, while on a fishing John Stark, a grocer, struck at a trip, and judging from the style of rat in his stable, and his glasses fell the novel, he must have caught some

"Where do you intend to go to this

"I'm going to stay at home," re-

going away and I'm going to embrace the opportunity to sit in my shirt John Layton, a farmer near Durham, sleeves and smoke cigars in the best Easy Terms.

> Crabshaw-Yes; he doesn't buy any. thing now unless he can get it on

Correct Use of English. Mrs. Knicker-Do you keep help? Mrs. Bocker-No, we keep inter-



The Delight of Children

The self-developed, inner-flavour of New Post Toasties bear a unique attraction for the kiddiesthey even like them dry from the package for their lunches. A box of Toasties provides "eats" that will delight the children.

New Post Toasties are usually served with cream and sugar, in which form the flavour is more pronounced and the flakes more delicious. These New Toasties do not "chaff" or crumble in the package and they don't mush down in cream—both common defects of old-fashioned "corn flakes."

Then, too, notice the tiny bubbles on the flakes produced by the quick, intense heat of a new patented process of making which imparts delightful crispness and a substantial body to the flakes.

New Post Toasties are a vast improvement over any old-style "corn flakes."

For tomorrow's breakfast -

New Post Toasties

Sold by Grocers everywhere



No bother to get summer meals with these on hand

SYNOPSIS.

theory, do you believe a man

and woman of intelligence and

self-restraint know when the be-

ginning symptoms of love for

one another come? Is it simply

the blossoming of friendship or

is it the awakening of desire-

both spiritual and physical de-

........

CHAPTER VI-Continued.

"There is no opera on Thursdays."

It will take me hours to get clean."

the gurgle of laughter rise.

the slope to Bert's.

garded her sore palms.

them, anyhow!

win as I spoke.

's your room."

bit darker."

er looked puzzled.

laughed.

north."

eleven.

"Because," I answered, "there's a

CHAPTER VII.

Picking Paint and a Quarrel.

Evidently they had never greatly

troubled Miss Goodwin, or she was not

disposed to let them trouble her now,

for ten minutes later we went down

the road together, and found the paint-

"Now," said I, "I'm not going to pa-

per any rooms if I can help it. I want

the walls calcimined. What color shall

it be?" I turned toward Miss Good-

She shook her head. "I'm not going

"I suppose you want the woodwork

"Cream white, not dead white," said

I. "Walt a minute." I ran to the shed

and brought back two more of my pic-

"Now." said I, "the walls have got

to set off both these pictures, and books

besides. They've got to be neutral.

I want a greenish, brownish, yellowish

"You are so definite," said she.

"I'll get my colors," he said.

"But I want an indefinite tint."

Again she laughed, though the paint-

He mixed an olive tint, laid a streak

of it on the plaster, and something

We went into the little hall, where

the front door stood open, and we

the beautiful carved doorcap outside.

"This hall the same color," said I.

"with the rails of the baluster in the

"Same color here?" asked the painter.

"The lady's right," said the painter.

cream white of the trim."

the dining room behind it.

emerged which looked right to me.

to say a word," she answered. "This

white?" the painter suggested. "These

oid mantels, for instance."

with your aid I shall pump it out."

palms proudly.

Barring the love-at-first-sight

Sausage and Potted Meats Just open and serve.

Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago



NOT SOLD UNDER ANY OTHER MAME

Write for free booklet "Points to be considered before purchasing a Sewing Machine." Learn the facts. THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO., ORANGE, MASS.



BLUEJAY ENDS CHICKEN FIGHT

Interested Referee Finally Steals Prize From Hen, Rooster and Guinea.

A black hen, a game rooster and a guinea hen on the farm of Samuel Dodd, near the Passaic county line, discovered and fought for nearly an hour over a good-sized rat which had been crippled by the rooster.

Each bird asserted its claim to the prize in the best way it could. When the fighting was tiring the combatants, along came a bluejay which settled the ownership by picking up the rat and flying into a cornerib.

The farmhands and others who had watched the battle asserted that the bluejay's trick entitled the bird to all the honors that have been heaped upon the species.

Opposed to It.

"Yes, my son."

"I heard today that a complete milking, and had gone home. washing equipment for tourists, which stable was closed. Inside we could hear can be folded to occupy little space in the animals stamp. Suddenly I put an automobile, has been invented."

"That is very nice, my boy." "Very nice? Isn't there any place ing, she did so, and as I raised my in the world a fellow can go where he dripping head I saw her standing with doesn't have to wash?"

On the Contrary.

"What a lot of mail you've got this open at the throat so that I could see morning!" exclaimed the poet's wife. "But then, of course, this is your birthday, and those are 'many happy re- arrested, perhaps, by something in my turns of the day' from all your gaze.

"No." said the poet, pushing aside a heap of rejected manuscript. "These ere unhappy returns of the day from the publishers."

Disappointing.

"I read today," said the young man beside the girl on the sofa, "that the chance of two tinger prints being alike is not one in 64,000,000,000."

"That's awfully disappointing news, dear," replied the sweet young thing: "I thought we had everything in common."-Yonkers Statesman.

Mrs. Flatbush-Alexander the Great is said to have shaved his face, setting a style for his soldiery that enemies might have one less gripping place in

hand to chin combat. Mr. Flatbush-Well, come to think of it, we do see fewer beards among

married men nowadays. A Post-Nuptial Discovery. Doctor (to young wife who complains of headache)—Here, take this

medicine; it always helped you when we were engaged. Wife-Oh, I was perfectly well then. I only wanted you to call and treat

A Reason for Being Neutral.

"Why should we remain neutral?" "So's we can cheer for the winner. and say that we were for him ail the

The man who thinks he is the whole thing doesn't waste any time I afterward have discovered, was in trying to conceal it from others.

Confucius preferred pigtails to cock-

A Man's

Worth depends upon his power to produce what the world

recognizes as of value. And when you skirmish around you'll find that this power—which is just power of mind and body—depends to a remarkable degree on

the food one eats.

For highest accomplishment one must have the best values in food-food which builds well-balanced bodies and brains.

Grape-Nuts

has that kind of value. It contains all the nutriment of whole wheat and barley, including the important mineral elements so often lacking in the usual dietary.

Grape-Nuts comes ready to eat, is easy to digest, Aurishing, economical, wondtfully delicious -- a help in building men of worth.

There's a Reason"



on the stone wall.

"What was he saying?" I asked.

"My hands are all right," she said

with the faintest emphasis on the noun,

which made a variety of perplexing in-

terpretations possible and kept me

silent as I helped her over the wall in-

to Bert's great cauliflower field, and we

tramped through the soft soil toward

CHAPTER VIII.

I Write a Sonnet.

After dinner she approved the sun-

dial beds with a mock-judicial gravity,

quite know why. She said, with a

brief laugh, it was because she had

suggested the structure, and she could

"You live too hard," sald I. "That's

how to take things easy, because we

have the vague idea of so many other

things to be done always crowding

across the threshold of our conscious-

"Perhaps," she answered. "The 'J'

words, for instance, if they get 'I' done

pefore my return. Thank heaven, 'J'

hasn't contributed so many words to

"Forget the dictionary?" I cried.

You are going to stay here a long

time-till these roses bloom, or at any

rate till the sundial beds have come to

flower. Besides, there'll be a lot of

things about my house where your ad-

She darted a quick look at me, and

turned back to the trellis, where

she was nalling on strips. She

dld not speak, and when I came

over to face her, with a post

for the next arch, I saw that her

half away, blinking her eyelids hard.

bit her lip, then picked up the level and

set it with a smack against the post.

I put my hand over hers-both our

"No, I'm not tired. I'm a fool. Come.

is it time for the hero to pro-

pose? Is Stella playing a lit-

tle game to awaken his sym-

pathy and lead him on to the

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Five Kinds of Thunderstorms.

entanglements of love?

is the matter? Are you tired?"

replied.

"Are you tired?"

we must finish the arch!"

taken was completed.

science as 'Hy'!"

vice cannot be spared."

"About words in 'by'?"

about that?"

two fix up the color for this room, then. | spade it under, so I plodded up the We can decide on the other rooms after | road to dinner. As I passed my potato | "No," cried the girl, "I won't do any- the ground, and out under my lone pine thing of the kind! You might not like I saw a figure, sitting in the shadow

"Incredible!" said I. "I've really got to get to work outside now." And I ran the wall, and walked down the aisles off, leaving her looking a little angrily, of potatoes toward her.

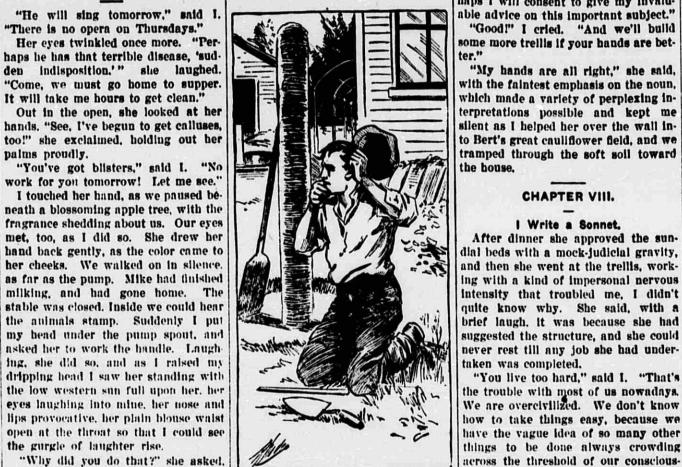
I grow tired of my work as a college instructor and buy a New England farm on sight. I inspect my farm and go to board at Bert Temple's. Bert helps me to hire a carpenter and a farmer. Hard Cider, the carpenter, estimates the repairs and changes necessary on the house. Mike commences plowing. I start to prune the orchard tree. Hard Cider builds bookcases around the twin fireplaces. Mrs. Temple hires Mrs. Pillig for me as a housekeeper, and announces the coming of a new boarder from New York, a half-sick young woman who needs the country air. I discover that Stella Goodwin will make a delightful companion and believe she ought not to return to the hot and dusty city for a long time.

We can decide on the other roo these downstairs are done."
"No," cried the girl, "I won thing of the kind! You migh what I picked."
"Incredible!" said I. "I've to get to work outside now." off, leaving her looking a little I thought, after me.

I was so impatient to see lawn was going to look that the shed to hunt up a dumm post. In a loft under the east the dusty end of what look. I was so impatient to see how my lawn was going to look that I went to listening to the old pine talk." the shed to hunt up a dummy sundial post. In a loft under the enves I saw the dusty end of what looked like a said she. Doric pillar poking out. I dragged the heavy column down, sawed off the upper four feet carefully, and took my nothing quite so stupid-but nearly as pedestal around to the lawn. Midway saddening." She rose to her feet, and between the trellis and where the edge her eyes looked into mine, enigmaticalof my pergola was to be I placed the ly wistful. pillar. Then I took out my knife and "I missed you after you went away thrust the blade lightly in at an angle, from Twin Fires," said I suddenly, "I to simulate the dial marker, and turned |don't know whether I got the sundial to call Miss Goodwin.

But she was already standing in the

"Oh!" she cried, running lightly down the plank and across the ground, "a sundial already, and a real pedestal!



Found Myself Wishing Miss Goodwin Were There.

ghost lives in this well, and maybe Come away from it a little, and see how it seems to focus all the sunlight "Don't you like the ghost?" she said. We stood off near the house, and "Very much," said I, as we climbed looked at the white column in midlawn. It did indeed seem to draw in That evening Mrs. Bert sent her off the sunlight to this level spot before to bed, and I toiled cheerfully at my the dwelling, even though it rose from manuscripts till the unboly hour of the brown earth instead of rich greensward, and even though beyond it was but the unsightly, half-finished, naked trellis. Even as we watched, a bird came swooping across the lawn, alighted on my knife handle, and began to

The next morning at breakfast a carol. burned nose confronted me across the "Oh, the darling!" cried Miss Goodtable, and the possessor ruefully re- win. "He understands!"

I was very well content. I had un-"No work for you today," said I expectedly found a pedestal, and was "You will just have to pick out colors experiencing for the first time the real for me. The painters are coming." sensation of garden warmth and inti-I spoke as if we were old friends. I macy and focused light which a sunspoke as if it were the most natural dial, rightly placed, can bring. I did thing in the world for a young woman not speak, and presently beside me I to accompany a young man to his heard a voice saying, "But I forgot house and pick out paint for him. I that I am angry at you." spoke, also, as if I had never cursed

"Why?" I asked.

the prospect of petticoats that advise. "Because you had no right to leave So soon can one pair of eyes undo our me to pick out the paint for your dinprejudices, and so easily are the coning room," said she. ventions forgotten, in the natural life "Why not?" said I. "You picked out of the country—at least by such per- the name of my house and the style sons as never were much bothered by of the rose trellis."

"That was different," she replied. "I don't see why." "Then you are extremely stupid."

she answered. "Doubtless," said I. "But that doesn't help me any to understand, you ers already unloading their wagon. The know."

reliable Hard Cider, true to his word. "Come." she replied, "and see if the had procured them for me, which, as paint suits you. Then I must go home something of a feat in Bentford, where and write some letters." promises are more common than fulfill-

set out thus early for an experiment, almost circular cyclone; storms which between threads of sprouting radishes, occur between two anticyclones; and lines of onion sets, and other succulent | those which occur on the boundary beevidences of the season to come. As I tween warm and cold waves. Of these, marked out the beds around the pedes all but the first are produced by the tal, I found myself wishing Miss Goodwin were there to advise me.

twelve, and consequently too late to of moist air to rise.

STOP MARCH FOR DEVOTIONS | lowed up the long column of the Black mountain's invaders - New

over and underrunning of winds of

different temperatures, which in some

Soldiers Halted to Light Candles at Wayside Shrine in Stricken Country of Montenegro. Birds Cannot Understand Glass.

War is not all horror and death, as the following little story illustrates: olive, with the old beam in the center On Christmas eve as a division of of the ceiling in the same key, only a Hungarian Honveds marching through The girl and the painter both the Tara district in Montenegro was the windows of country houses. descending the serpentine road leading down steeply from the mountains the first regiment passed by a little open window birds are particularly its. rises to his full dignity. Beaten openwayside shrine of the Virgin and ble to be deceived, and especially if ly, condemned without trial and verchild. Two men stepped suddenly frightened into thinking that they can dict, does not allow them to cover out of the ranks, lighted two small fly through it. candles and placed them before the

Many others followed their examples and the number grew to probably 1,000 altogether. It was dusk and the spectacle of the tiny flames flickcould see Hard on a ladder mending ering clear in the still wintry air was a dramatic spectacle to behold. So numerous were the gray worshipers that as the space immediately

images.

around the shrine gave out hundreds We went into the northeast room and of Honveds dug their tapers into the ground around it. The whole snow-covered meadow on

I was about to answer yes, when which the shrine stood had been con-Miss Goodwin spoke. "I should think verted into a mass of flickering you'd want these rooms lighter in flames. Silently the men stood, sendcolor," she said, "as they face the ing their Christmas prayers to the \$90. Now, wagers are two to one that | which was especially kind to Paul, and "Christkind."

probably much-desired publicity by the there was established in Philippi a assertion that the value of a baby is church which was dear to Paul and he has no baby of his own; or if he to which is directed one of his mos-Then the snow and the dark and has any, he is not ready to dispose o tender epistles. "They always are," I smiled. "You the slush of the road once more swal. any of them at the value named.

small bird through the open window

of a railway carriage in motion. In

panting fugitive it entangled its claws

in the meshes of the hat rack and was

ignominiously slain by an astonished

Safe Bet.

passenger with an umbrella.

INTERNATIONAL

(By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director o. the Sunday School Course in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR JUNE 18.

THE PHILIPPIAN JAILER. LESSON TEXT-Acts 16:16-40.

GOLDEN TEXT-Pelleve on the Lord thy house.-Acts 16:31. Dean Vaughn has said of this lesson

that in it "we have an epitome of the whole history of the gospel." The time was A. D. 50 or 52 and the place was Philippi, an important city, as before suggested.

I. The Damsel Delivered of Demons field. I saw rows of green shoots above (vv. 16-18). On their way to the praying place where they had met Lydia, the disciples met this maid who "had a I climbed through the brambles over spirit, a Python." Greek soothsayers were supposed to be inspired by Apollo, who killed a great snake at Mt. "It is time for dinner," I said meekly. Parnassus and left it to rot. The girl She looked up. "Is it? I have been was probably possessed of hysteria and thus spoke strange words, and her condition brought much profit to her "Things you wouldn't understand," masters, who professed to interpret her words. This evidence of evil possession awoke a sympathetic response She shook her head. "Not at all: in Paul's heart. "Her misery and from proposing. degradation were a symbol of the haps that they were the slaves of some | mirer drew near his sweetheart, made | day. The line jerked the hook down god, even as she was the slave of Apol- valiant by the sight of her beauty. | with such force that an alarm was beds right or not. Won't you please lo. The Gadarene (Luke 8:28) used come back to tell me? Or am I stupid again, and mustn't you advise me stop her (v. 8), perhaps to avoid a controversy, but his deliberation made Her eyes twinkled a little. "You are more profound the final deliverance still very stupid," she said, "but perhaps I will consent to give my invalucries, but taking no credit himself, able advice on this important subject." Paul spoke the name of Power which "Good!" I cried. "And we'll build had foretold just such acts (Mk... some more trellis if your hands are bet-

16:17; Lk. 9:1; Lk. 10:17). 24.) Of no further commercial value, the slave drivers sought revenge by inciting a mob to attack Paul and his companions. So today the liquor interests would seek remuneration for the loss of their "business," and anathematize their opponents, while the underworld tries to overthrow all who seek to restrain them. Paul and Silas were accused of "troubling" the city, for the trade has been interfered with. It, indeed, went hard with them thus to be unjustly set upon and finally, through the connivance of the spineless authorities, to be incarcerintensity that troubled me, I didn't the majority was against them, yet the mob was not right (compare 17:5; 18: 12; 19:28-29), and they had One on their side who was sufficient (Rom. never rest till any job she had under-

8:28). III. Deliverance and Salvation (vv. 25-35). Christ before Pilate was accused of sedition, and these flogged disciples were likewise innocent sufferers. (1) Prayer and praise (25-26). 'Praying, they sang hymns,"-in the oners they did not, could not, keep si. him." lent. The result was attentive listening by the other prisoners and by a loving Heavenly Father, who shook the place to evidence his interest (v. 26). (2) The jailed delivered. The an?" place was so shaken that every barred door was opened and the staples of the stocks were so loosened as to liberate every prisoner (3) The jailer saved. The brutal one is now the anxious inall to follow who are out of Christ. (a) He saw he was lost. He was subject to the same death as his escaped prisoners. "Supposing" (v. 27) has darkened many lives, and our greatest sorrows are often imagined. Face to face with death, the jailer would plunge into an eternity for which he was not prepared. Paul's clarion call brought the jailer to express his anxiety (v. 29), and it was not a trifling nor skeptically indifferent man who appealed to Paul. He was brought face

hands were dirty!-and said, "What to face with two holy men, with God "Please, please-level this post," she and with eternity. Those to whom he came knew the facts, had faith, and could meet the emergencies of life with confidence. (b) The jailer's question and its answer. This question is the most important of life, and the answer is very simple. What is it to believe on the Lord Jesus Christ? The same as to believe in any other person. He is to take him (John 1:12) as Savior, Lord and King, as the only One who can deliver from the renalty and power, and finally from the presence of sin (Acts 2:36; Heb. 7: 25). It is to commit all we have and are to him (II Tim. 1:12) Recent study of thunderstorms has for guidance; to surrender absolutely resulted in science's dividing them to him, cast all upon him and leave into five distinct types. They are the all with him. God is love, and we can heat thunderstorms which occur in safely trust in his justice, yet in his I went back to my sundial, between regions of high temperature and near- son the full penalty of sin has been two rows of cauliflower plants Bert ly uniform pressure; storms which met and through him we are saved had given to me, and which Mike had occur in the southeast quadrant of an from its depression and power unto a godly character and unselfish career. hates "-Sam Jones. (c) Those saved.

"Salvation is loving everything God loves and hating everything God Our trust makes a way for Christ to save and for us to make a trial of him. He does the rest. The result was first By then the hour was nearly way not yet understood, cause masses a service of ministration .v. 33), washing the disciples' stripes as he had been wasked from sin, and then a service of testimony by being baptised in the water reservoir or swimming bath common to such houses. "The purple-dealer of Thyatire; the native slave girl with the divining spirit; the Roman jailer-all alike acknowledged It has been frequently noticed that their new faith; one an Asiatic, the no wild bird can understand the propother a Greek, and the third a Roman" erties of glass, and great numbers, IV. The Humbled Magistrates (vv ranging in size from a pheasant to a ?5-40). The jailer evidences joy, hostitmouse, are killed by flying against pitality and a changed home, which

news must have reached the magisif a room possesses a large mirror trates. Their early command was to reflecting the view seen through an "let these fellows go." Paul here their crime and blunder by stealth. Sparrow hawks will sometimes The magistrates were liable to loss chase their intended victims into of position, goods, and even life, and strange places. Some years ago hence willingly did all that Paul re-

a member of this species pursued a quired. Thus the imprisonment turned out to the honor of the apostle and the its blind determination to secure the glory of God. Nor did Paul hasten at all in leaving

> the city. After recovering strength to travel and encouraging the members of the infant church they departed, taking Timothy (17:14) with them. Thus God gloriously delivered those

One Yale professor has secured who labored amidst sore trials, and

KEEP YOUNG Up to the Nineteenth Century There

Were Only Five Such Institutions.

Dr. Benjamin Rush, who was born

near Philadelphia of Quaker parent-

age, in 1745. Doctor Rush served as

an apprentice to a Philadelphia physi-

cian for six years, and then completed his medical education in Edinburgh,

London and Paris. He was a signer

of the Declaration of Independence,

one of the founders of the first American antislavery society and the great-

est physician of his day. During the

yellow-fever scourge in Philadelphia

in 1793 he visited more than 100 pa-

tients daily. Up to the nineteenth cen-

tury there were only five medical col-

leges in the United States, all in the

East. In 18 9 a medical school was

started in Cinconnati, and in 1825 the

first institution of this kind in the

South was founded in South Carolina.

the University of Georgia soon follow-

ing suit.' 'The first medical college

west of the Mississippi was established

Line Turns in Fire Alarm.

avenue, went fishing a few days ago

at Ivory slough. The fish did not bite.

so Brewer shouldered his pole and

At Marceau and Reilly avenues he

passed a fire alarm box. The door

Brewer heard the jingle of the alarm

and ran home. The police arrested him

ten minutes later and charged him

True Religious Spirit.

The church recently erected at Or-

leans, in the Sacramento diocese of

California, is the only sacred edifice

in a radius of 40 miles, and stands on

a half-acre given by an aged squaw.

made the present in the best possible

spirit, saying: "Go on and build the

church; I don't want any money." The

congregation is about 700 Indians and

Her Choice.

"His mother wanted him to become

"He seems to have compromised.

He's playing ministerial parts in the

Exposed Position.

"What do you suppose would hap

"I haven't got around to that yet."

"I've been too busy trying to figure

answered the citizen of a prosperous

young man finally adopt?"

Indian Fannie, who, though destitute.

Albert Brewer, eighteen, of Reilly

in St. Louis in 1842.

Louis Times.

halfbreeds.

a minister."

"Just so."

movies."

alarmist.

coast city.

As well be young at 70 as old

Many elderly people suffer lame, bent, aching backs, and distressing urinary disorders, when a little help for the kidneys would fix it all up. Don't wait for gravel, or Bright's disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands, young and old, and are recommended by thousands.

A Michigan Case



Then the Star Twinkled.

FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

tance, but his shyness prevented him Then, one night, for the sweet sake started for home. degradation, as Lydia's sweet and be of charity, a theatrical performance nevolent Christian character was of took place, in which the charmer was the transfiguration of womanhood."- the leading woman and more adorable was open. The line caught the hook. Stalker. Her cry after Paul was per- than ever. Afterward the shy ad- it was the first bite Brewer had all

Long had he worshiped her at a dis-

"You are the star of the evening," he sounded. similar language. Paul did not at once | said, as they stood alone in a corner. "You are the first to tell me so," said the damsel, with a happy blush. "Then," he retorted promptly, "may with turning in a false alarm .- St. wrought. Worn out at last with her I claim my reward as an astronomer?"

The woman looked puzzled. "What reward?" she asked. "Why, the right to give my name to the star I have just discovered!" the II. The Disciples in Prison (vv. 19. young man said, speaking boldly at last.—Answers, London.

> TORTURING SKIN TROUBLES That Itch, Burn and Disfigure Healed

by Cuticura. Trial Free, Bathe with plenty of Cuticura Soap and hot water to cleanse and purify. Dry lightly and apply Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal. This stops

itching instantly, clears away pimples, removes dandruff and scalp irritations, and heals red, rough, sore hands. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.-Adv.

Between Man and Wife. "You ought to go over and see Jim before the honeymoon is over and congratulate him."

"Yes, and then after the honeymoon is over he'll remember my congratulations and all his life he will think I am a hypocrite. I'll wait awhile midst of that heterogeneous lot of pris. and then go over and sympathize with "You brute!"

Rather Annoying. "Don't you admire a reposeful wom-

"That all depends on the circum "Some women cling to a strap in a ever heard of.

crowded trolley car with such an air Shimmerpate-Thank you. quirer, and becomes a good type for of dignity that against my better judgment I get up and offer them a seat." Like the Prodigal Son.

husband, a dissipated spendthrift, on Youngstown Telegram. his conduct. "Love," said he, "I am like the

prodigal son; I shall reform by and "I will be like the prodigal son, too," with your daughter?" said the trem she replied, "for I shall arise and go | bling suitor to my father."-Exchange.

The Impression She Made. Jack-Is Miss Strong an athletic Tom-Well, that was my impression when she threw me over.

The Art of It. She-Jack, you make love like an He-That's where the art comes in

IF YOU OR ANY FRIEND Suffer with Rheumatism or Neuritis, acute or phronic, write for my FREE BOOK on Rheumatism—Its Cause and Cure. Most wonderful book ever written, it's absolutely FREE. Jesse A Case, Dept. C. W., Brockton, Mass.—Adv.

Jeanne d'Arc never ran an inch o baby ribbon in her suit or armor.

Alaska and 19 states of the Union

THE WALL THE

Net Contents 15 Finid Deach

roduce copper.

out what would happen to our town." Where Memory Counts.

"What do you mean?"

Hemmandhaw-I must say that you have the most remarkable memory

"In fact. I would advise you to go into vaudeville "As a mental phenomenon?" "No, as a comedian. You could re A young wife remonstrated with her member the o'd jokes so well. -

Entirely Unnecessary. "I suppose it is hardly necessary for

me to tell you, sir, that I am in love "Not at all, young man," replied her father, "And furthermore, I've seen enough idiotic symptoms in the last

month to convince me that your passion is reciprocated." - Pittsburgh Chronicle. Heard in an Office.

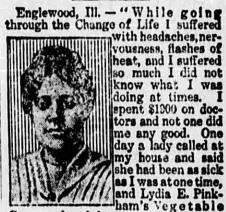
"Any money about you. old man?" "Money, I haven't enough to buy the right of way for a fireless telegraph."

Nearly every pretty girl is a piano thumper and nearly every homely girl is a good cook.

A man may be all right in his way. but he frequently gets in the way of

OUR FIRST MEDICAL SCHOOLS A REMARKABLE STATEMENT

The first medical college in the western part of the United States was Mrs. Sheldon Spent \$1900 for Treatment Without Bene-Rush Medical college, founded in Chicago in 1837 by Dr. Daniel Brainard, fit. Finally Made Well by who was been in Whitesborough, N Lydia E. Pinkham's Veg-Y., 104 years ago, May 15, 1812. Rush college commemorates the name of etable Compound.



vousness, flashes of heat, and I suffered so much I did not know what I was doing at times. I spent \$1000 on doctors and not one did
me any good. One
day a lady called at
my house and said
she had been as sick
as I was at one time,
and Lydia E. Pink-Compound made her well, so I took it and now I am just as well as I ever was. I cannot understand why women don's

cannot understand why women don't see how much pain and suffering they would escape by taking your medicine. I cannot praise it enough for it saved my life and kept me from the Insane Hospital."—Mrs. E. Sheldon, 5657 S. Halsted St., Englewood, Ill.

Physicians undoubted y did their best, battled with this case steedily and could battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E.

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

Latin American. Caesar sent his three-word message. "However," we cried, "you can't say, Veni vidi Villa.'"

As a matter of fact the sins of a large city haven't anything on a country village-if the truth were known.

The man who makes work of his pleasure doesn't always make pleasure

of his work. Snake bites cause comparatively

Make the Liver Do its Duty Nine times in ten when the liver is

few deaths.

right the stomach and bowels are right. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty. "But his father hoped he would Cures Constipation, Insome day make a great deal of "I see. What profession did the

and Distress After Eating. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature



ANTISEPTIC POWDER FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE Dissolved in water for douches stop: pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflam-mation. Recommended by Lydia E. Finkham I.ied. Co, for ten years. A healing wonder for naval catarrh

sore throat and sore eyes. Economical, Has extraordinary cleaning and gereick'al power, Sample Free. Ste. ell druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Paxton Toil-t Company, Boston, Mass. THE MODERN MMED

is a remedy for the evil effects of quick eating, over-eating and strenuous liv-ing. The medicine that meets this need-that tones the stomach, stimulates the liver, regula. . the bowels-is



For Piles Use Abell's Formalda Baim. Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded. For sale by all Druggists, or sent upon receipt of 25c postpaid. Send for free sample. HOME REMEDY CO. South Haven, Mich.

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 25-1916.



What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrheas. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

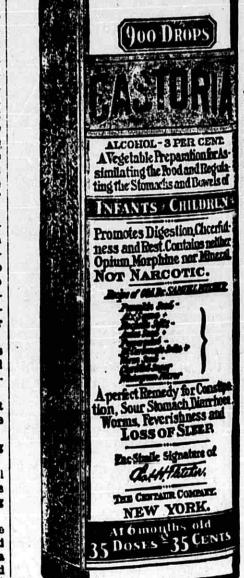
GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS



THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY,

The Kind You Have Always Bought Exact Copy of Wrapper

Children Cry For



Grand Trunk Grocery Bargains For SATURDAY

With \$2.00 order of other groceries except soap. With \$2.00 order of other groceries except soap. With \$2.00 order of other groceries are taking no chances. H. Nash.

Old crop Santos Coffee, lb.....25c 4 boxes crisp Corn Flakes.....25c 3 boxes Maple Wheat Flakes...25c 2 lbs. Fig Neuton Cookies24c home dealer—it will pay you in the long run. Boost your own town. R. VanDyke, grocer. 24% lbs. Lily White Flour

We'deliver goods. Phone 299

Newsy Notes About People You

Autoscaps and white hats at Weekes'. adv

Alumni banquet this evening. Full report next week.

Flag day was duly and appropriately honored by the W. R. C. and G. A. R. yesterday.

The ladies of St. Mary's Social club will hold a food sale at Jones' meat market Saturday, June 17, at two o'clock.

R. W. Slayton and family have located at 195 Tireman avenue. date gents' furnishings. Our Maurice Heydlauff accompanied prices will keep your money at them and the W. U. telegraph home. Lalley & Shuter. business has been turned over to

"Why didn't you show your amine our large stock." patriotism by displaying the flag yesterday?" We did. Didn't you see it? "Oh, I thought that was works will guarantee their ma-

and family of Durand spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wilcox. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs.

Among building contracts tak-en by the Wesfield & Fall River Lumber company of Lowell are two modern two-story frame farm houses, one 28 x 34 for Frank Carr, eight miles north of Lowell, ids Tuesday. and one 28 x 36 for Jake Layer, six miles south; also a dwelling house for Mrs. Charles Hoffman on East Bridge streets, this vil lage. Mr. Trowbridge is con tractor for the Lumber company and comes highly recommended

F. T. King made a liberal contribution to the Magazine Ex change this week, including many copies of Harper's, Scribner's, Sunset, Good Housekeeping, World's Works and Everybody's. Please remember that this is a free public benefit enterprise. Good reading matter for everybody without price or qualification. Simply help yourself, take | Parker. what you want and return while fit for circulation. Everybody who comes to Lowell is urged to participate.

Wilder Harvey Godfrey of the Saturday firm of H. L. Godfrey & Son of ell friends. McBride and Miss Lois Adaline Swarthout of Douglas were married in their own home at McBride by Rev. Mr. Bennett. They were attended by Bennett Swarthout, brother of the bride, and Miss Inez Dickson of Lowell, cousin of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Brighton were in attendance. Mr. Brighton returned home and Mrs. Brighton is staying for a few days with her parents. H. L. Godfrey and wife.

LOWELL MARKET REPORT.

	MING TO TO	10.	
Wheat (red) 60-1b			(0)
Wheat (white) 60 lb	••••		97
Corn, 70 lb	·· · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		27.6
Oate bu		**********	70
Oats, bu	• • • • • • • • • • • •		35
Rye. bu			10
DUCK WHORL, DII			77.
COLUMN CALK, LOD		41	
may baied, ton		10	
middings, top		90	m
COLU MOST. FOD		24	111
Dran. ton		*14	· ·
Timothy Seed. Dil		The second second second	
Clover seed, bu			200
Flour, cwt			OU
Potatoes, bu			3 20
Beans		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	, au
Hutter Ib			5 80
Hutter lb		·· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	24
Eggs, doz			20
Lard, Ib.	****** ***		16
Pork, live			9 00
Pork dressed		12	2 (10
rows, five to		14	111
rowi, dressed			14
Proof HAG CAL		. (1)	1.16
Deel, dressed		14) (MI
Caives, live			¥ 1/
veal, dressed		10 00 11	1 110
Lambs, dressed		10 00 1	
Sheep, live		400 8	00
Butter Fat. lb	******	1003	00
	••••		21
		Company of the Compan	

Che Ledger's "Buy-at-Home" Department

Don't be bamboozled with bargain counter grocery stock. Better buy from your resonsible

24% lbs Spring Wheat Flour...90c will give all your orders prompt attention. Call us up. W. S.

> Don't be a rainbow chaser. You will find the pot of gold by trading at home. We sell hardware, do plumbing and heating. Try our Paints, Oils and Var-nishes. Ford's Hardware Store.

Never buy jewelry from a picture book. Always buy at home, from your reliable merchants. See me first. Fine watch repairing a specialty. U. B. Williams.

How about furniture? We are showing a large variety. Can beat any mail order house for prices. Come in and see us. No trouble to show goods. Yeiter & Co.

Now that Easter is over, see moved to Detroit and a line from us for special summer suits. Our Mrs. Slayton says they are nicely line is complete. See our np-to-

the Moose flag." Thus we learn terial and workmanship to be of the best quality and can give as Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wilcox low prices and better service than any mail order house.

Give Me a Chance to clean, ress and repair your clothes. Harrison Wilcox of Lansing and Prompt work, low prices. Suite

New ribbons at Weekes'. adv

Fred Loucks of Belding was in

F. G. Hoffman of Grand Rap-

Rev. and Mrs. B. S. Shaw of

Walkerville were in town today.

and Mrs. Grant Sherman, a son.

Saturday and Sunday with Low-

and Mrs. Quiggle were in Grand

S. D., visited at the home of Geo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Walker spent

Miss Lenna LePard of Lake

Odessa is spending a few days at the home of E. C. Walker.

Figure with us on rugs, carpets

and linoleums. New patterns just in. A. W. Weekes & Son.

spent Sunday with their parents.

Rapids spent Sunday with the

latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Children's dresses and middle

Charles Lawyer.

at Weekes'. adv

Sunday with the latter's brother,

Rapids Saturday.

M. Parker last week.

Miles Dodds of Saranac.

ids spent Sunday with his family.

Lowell Saturday on business.

HOME MERCHANT

stitutions.

Home and Town-Some Should Be Cenecience Stricken.

[Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan. Only the home can found a state. It is the seminary of all other institutions. There is magic in that little word home. It is a mystic circle that |

We need not power or splender, Wide hall or lordly dome. The good, the true, the tender— These form the wealth of hom

The retail mall order houses are try ing to destroy your home and your paradise by inducing you to buy your necessaries from them instead of your local merchants, to the injury of your home industries, home market and

There is so much difference in buying goods of a home place of business and ordering them by mail from a catalogue house from a mere picture or description that I want to point out a few facts that many may never have

May Examine and Select. At the home store you make your wants known; the salesman shows you the desired article, helps select or suggest the article best suited to your

Thus you have an opportunity to examine the quality, to see the style, to grades, and then if everything is satis-

too large or too small, or a black inthe week after you go to your dealer and explain, and he will gladly ex-

And another matter worthy of serious thought is this: Supposing the dustry first, last and all the time.

Just simply insist on having

of Saranac and Misses Mabel Al

Mrs. Richard Martin and fam-

ily leave Monday for their new

home at Royal Oak where Mr.

day in Grand Rapids.

E.C. Walker was in Grand Rap- drich and Edith Parks spent Sun-

cheaper and everybody would order his

The local stores would soon exist only in memory. You would then be at the mercy of the mail order houses entirely and be obliged to send away

goods from them.

Buy Big Things at Home. Remember a store cannot be kept up with small purchases if the local mon-

ey is sent away for the big things.

This method will result only in ruin ing your home trade and in helping to build up an enormous corporation some faraway city.

The failure to patronize home me chants decreases the value of farms, and town property becomes less valuable, as you well know that if a town goes back both local and surrounding values decrease.

Send your money away; you get nothing but the goods. Spend your money at home; it will come back to you in better towns, better stores and

Help Build Up Your Own Town. Is it not more to your interest to belp build up your own little city or town than to contribute to the upbuilding of some faraway large city?

Is it not a fact that if your own town had 10,000 population instead of 1,000 it would be much better for all residents?

Would there not be much more em

ucts be greatly increased and consequently a farm within a radius of ten miles be worth from \$10 to \$50 an acre

This being the case, is it only a good thing for the merchant or tradesman If you buy from him?

True citizenship is not all in rallying round the flag of our country and singing "Hail, Columbia."

The true spirit of patriotism is shown by the man who patronizes home in-

When in Lowell stop at the

reach of everyone.

urged to be present.

Make up a \$10.00 order for groceries but don't send it to a mail order house; bring it to us. We can beat their prices on same terms. Geo. B. Shaw, Grocer.

Pure drugs are essential to good health—take no chances. See us first. Large line of sundries carried, and our prices will keep your money in Lowell.
M. N. Henry, Druggist.

Note the fine pictures in the mail order house catalogue, of harness. You had better see what you are buying first-it will pay, besides I can beat their prices. C. J. Bradish.

D. G. Look invites comparison of wall paper samples from any mail order house as to quality and price, with his stock of wall paper-He will beat them or give you the paper for nothing.

Automobile Supplies - Like Zit Polish, Gargoyle Mobiloils, U. S. Tires, Columbia Batteries, etc., all the best nationally advertised goods. Prompt, reliaole repairs. Smith's Garage.

Our bank is your bank. Our large capital and surplus is at your command. We pay interest on time deposits and solicit your patronage. Do all kinds of legitimate banking.

City State Bank of Lowell.

Do your banking here. We have every facility known to the banking business and can handle your account to your satisfaction. Pay interest on savings. Lowell State Bank.

We are showing a fine line of lress goods, cloaks and hosiery at present. Call in and see them. Our prices will please you. We are boosters for home trade E.

Millinery Special for Friday and Saturday, flowers and Trim med hats. You will find some real bargains-a chance to save some money. Mrs. E. S. White.

business has been turned over to the Pere Marquette agent.

The Ledger hung out a handsome new starry banner flag day and today S. P. Hicks asked to the first purchase.

When you are in need of groceries, consult us. We can do better by you than any catalogue house and you are taking no the enterprising among his descendants home is paradise.

When you are in need of groceries, consult us. We can do better by you than any catalogue house and you are taking no chances. Cash paid for hides and then if every fining is satisfied to proceed the purchase.

When you get home and upon a rigid the intervention is attention to proceed the purchase.

When you get home and upon a rigid the intervention is attention to proceed the purchase.

When you are in need of groceries, consult us. We can do better by you than any catalogue house and you are taking no chances. Cash paid for hides and then in every fining is attention to proceed the purchase.

When you get home and upon a rigid the price is right you will make the purchase.

When you are in need of groceries, consult us. We can do not the purchase.

To Adam paradise was home. To the enterprising among his descendants home is paradise.

To Adam paradise was home. To the enterprising among his descendants home is paradise.

To Adam paradise.

To Adam paradise.

And the in every finite is attention to proceed to proceed the purchase.

The Citizenship.

To Adam paradise.

To Adam paradise.

The Adam paradise was home. To the enterprising among his descendants have the purchase. hances. Cash paid for hides and pelts. C. H. Alexander & Son.

> Now is the time to order your winter's supply of coal. It will pay you, as the price is lower and we can give you better service. Earl Hunter, Coal, Tile and Coke Dealer.

Smoke Lowell made cigars the best in baked goods. Our Waverly. You will find every- Cigar Co. Only cigar factory in Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilcox of Saranac were Sunday guests at the parental home.

And overcoats \$15 up, a fit or no bread has now gained a reputation second to none in Michigan. Try it. Herman Strong, Baker.

Wavely. To will have your stay in Lowell and right from best stock. Why that Democracy is as efficient as Autocracy. The American peoful.

Burlington new fashioned seam Glenn Adgate and Ralph Eddy Daughters of Veterans to Orless gauze hosiery per pair 25c. Also Burson, Wayne Knit and The National Alliance Daugh-Black Cat hosiery here.

ters of Veterans will organize a A. W. Weekes & Son. tent in this village Friday even-Married, at the M. E. parsoning at 7:30, at G. A. R. hall. All lineal descendants of Civil war age, yesterday afternoon, by Rev. veterans are requested to be I. T. Weldon, William M. Lott of present even if they do not care Elmdale and Miss Edna Heavens The object of this organization was used. They were attended that asked that if he were not

Bert Silver's show played to a full tent Tuesday evening and tion-children of all races and While we still have a few of gave a good entertainment. The these old heroes left, let us show Silver Family band rendered til they are gone to tell about it. | trombone gymnastics customary The fees are small and within to show bands. The troupe and paraphernalia are transported Turn out and show how patri- now entirely by motor trucks. otic you are and show that you the horse and wagon outfit being are proud to be the daughter of used by Bert Silver's Snow No. 2. a veteran. All old soldiers are which is touring the thumb. Mr.

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes, Petos-kies and Roosevelts, Geo. Lake. 2p year is no exception.

Weir Guas on Consuming **Furnace** Will heat your home with clean, healthful, moist

Warm Air Heat without Ventilation **Breeds Disease Germs**

The dreaded germs of Tuberculosis and Pneumonia hate fresh air like the mischief. They die in it by billions ! That's why you should be sure your home is not only warm and comfortable but perfectly ventilated as well. You kill two birds with one stone and save a lot of money and trouble, too, when you install a

Weir Warm Air Furnace

HEATS—VENTILATES

A Warm Air Heating System is as durable, trouble-proof and satisfying as any standard high-grade heating system. But it has this added advantage: It VENTILATES! It stands for HEALTH!

Such a Warm Air Heating System as we recommend will renew the air in every room in your house on an average of once every twenty minutes. Poisonous, breathed-over air forced out—pure oxygen-laden air rushed in to replace it. And headaches and misery of oxygen starvation banished.

Demanded by Economy and Health First cost of installation insignificant. Not only means Warmth and Comfort and better HEALTH, but an actual yearin-year-out saving on fuel. Ask about it.

> Let Us Submit FREE a Made-to-Measure PLAN It won't cost you a red cent. No obligation to buy anything. See us AT ONCE. M. W. GEE CO.

Lowell High School Faculty, 1915-16.



Superintendeut—A. F. Frazee. 1st row, left to right-Susic Barrett, Principal Junior High; Bernice Creaser, Mathematics. 2nd row-Miss Fitz, Commercial; Miss Dorothy Blake, Languages; Miss Walker, English. 3rd row-Miss S. J. Huckle, English; J. E. Monks, Principal; Miss Chaffin, Music and Art.

in one case right in the other? The best preparedness is to make friends of the nations of the world. They will not forget it if we take unfair advantage of them

We admire the efficiency of the German army, the greatest fighting machine in the world and the magnificent highways with which "Hurley" cigars, made by Lowell Europe is threaded, built by government experts who know their Autocracy. The American people are idealists; but we can claim at least that our government is as good as the best on earth.

The speaker predicted that at the close of the great war there will arise a world-wide movement for peace, in which with her hands kept clean America should lead. Here the speaker "rapped" the Battle Cry of Peaceshow with its belittling exhibition of America of Clarksville. The ring service in battle equipment and said is to perpetuate the memory of by Miss Hazel Heavens and John ashamed of it he replied: "No,

am proud of it." What is the remedy? Educasects brought together and trained for good citizenship. The people of Europe were not born war machines and man killers, they have been so educated, in hatred of people across the border. Here the spirit of unity must be bred in the public schools, as brotherhood among men is promoted by living and working together. Where we have con-Silver's aggregation has always been welcome in Lowell and this there is wretchedness and discontent. The condition of the masses must be bettered.

Here, again addressing the class he, said of their aim to go nigher in the pursuit of knowldge: "Higher education will fit Fritz Bobsleigh, you to meet cultured people on a common ground." During a tour of Europe with a rich but Rill-Stuff Timbers. gnorant man, gazing upon works of art and historic scenes, the latter said he would gladly exchange his wealth for a knowledge | Heifer Calf, Durham, 4 mos. old of art and the world's history. The kind of world we live in de-

pends upon ourselves. Young people, get interested in some Horse Rake, Osborn, great cause and give yourself to Capitol Wagon, it. In giving one's self one finds Hay Rack, After a solo, "One Fleeting

Hour," by Mrs. M. N. Henry, Superintendent Frazee in a brief Little Giant Walking Cultivator, Sehler make. address of appreciation to the public reviewed the progress of the Lowell schools during the past four years and presented the graduates with their diplomas. The program concluded with a N. F. Gould, Auctioneer. selection by the High school orchestra, "Scarf Dance."

Closing Notes. While athletics have not flour-

ished in the Lowell high school this year to the extent that championship teams have been made, still the young people have a good alibi. Over eighty per cent of the high school boys and thirty per cent of the high school girls have been wholly or partly self-supporting (while attending high school.) Many young people that they may teach next year.

Seventeen of the present graduated into thio thick is seventeen of the present graduation and adjustment of the country of Kest.

State of Michigan, The probability of the Country o

this year to the extent that chamhave paid all their own expenses and some have even saved money. Commencement festivities opened very auspiciously with a splendid, sympathetic, dignified baccalaureate address given by Rev. Weldon at the City hall where union services were held. The first annual Junior High coram-neement was a success in

every way. The program was

KEEP COOL

The system of ice delivery must be as efficient as our mail service or other public utilities. Only when we remember that practically the entire current supply of household foodstuffs are at the mercy of the ice man do we realize the importance of the service rendered.

The cost of ice and necessary delivery service is small when compared with the actual saving of

Reliable ice service is the back bone of economy and health in the home during the summer months. Analyze the proposition fairly! Horses that serve on the ice wagon are only in service four months of the year. Other equip ment and putting up ice cost a large amount of money. Still the price of ice and service rendered is about one per cent of the actual cost of foodstuffs protected. Pretty cheap insurance when you stop to think it over. Figure this out for yourself and you'll decide that efficient ice service is worth while.

Ice Delivered Daily in Any Part of Town.

Rates for Ground Floor Service.

25 lbs. Daily, 40 lbs. on Sat. on walk...... \$2.00 per Mo. 25 lbs. Daily, 40 lbs. on Sat. in Box......\$2.70 per Mo. Weight Service, On walk...... 27c per cwt.

> Northern Ice Co. Phone 289.

AUCTION SALE The undersigned will sell at public auction at her home in

Wednesday, June 21, 1916

beginning at 1:30 p. m., the following property.

Belle City Incubator & Brooder, Spring-Tooth Drag.

Bill-Stuff Timbers, Three-horse Eveners, new, Stack Straw, Ohio Riding Cultivator,

Lear Riding Cultivator,

60-Tooth Steel-Frame Drag, 2 Single-horse Cultivators. Bissel Plow, 2-horse, Greenville Plow, 2-horse, Wiard Plow, 1-horse, Big Cauldron Kettle, Fanning Mill, with bagger, Deering Mower, 3 set knives, Good Portland Cutter. Single Buggy, Stoneboat, Double Buggy, Gale Bean Planter, No. 4 Corn Sheller, Brown &

2 per cent discount for cash.

Mrs. Nicholas Bozung

Will Condon, Clerk well prepared and rendered with Claude Berry of Lansing spent

enthusiasm. Particularly catchy was the class song, composed by Chris Leonard. A class of fortysix was graduated into the Senior

Come in

and pay that overdue subscription account.

> Don't wait until the paper stops.

little daughter at the home of ber parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Vieser. Buttons! Buttone! at Weeker'.

against said deceased to for examination and adjustment of that all creditors of said deceased required to present their said court, at the probate said court, at the probate the city of Grand Rapids, county, on or before the said county, or before the sa Dated June 5th, A. D. 1916.

F. J. MORSE Grand Trunk
Depot Crossing.

On account of failing health I am going to close out both

you and tempt you to buy your supplies for some time to come. I will endeavor to keep my assortment of staples in stock till July 25th, as after that date I shall be removing my building. I have about 20 tons of the best anthracite coal to sell. Call up if you want to secure

Closing Out Sale!

my Coal and Grocery business. I haven't room to quote prices here, but everything in my store, consisting of Groceries, Meats, Notions, etc., will be closed out at prices that, in the face of advancing costs, will astonish

Martin is in business. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nicholson and Miss Lucretia of Grand Rapids attended the commencement Born, Tuesday, June 13, to Mr. exercises here last evening. Wm Schneider of Akron, O., is our fathers who fought and saved | Lott. Born, Thursday, June 15, to home to spend his vacation with our nation and made us what we

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Heim, a his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. are now. Schneider, in South Lowell. Mrs. Frank Willette of Alto The Designer a whole year and one Standard fashion quarterly them how we appreciate them some fine selections in a free street spent Wednesday with Lowell relall for 50c if you subscribe during and their deeds, and not wait un-

Mrs. Dr. Wallace of Sparta is June. A. W. Weekes & Son. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. H. V. Getty drove through from Detroit Saturday with four new Mrs. C. A. Hammond of Grand | Maxwell cars and reports nine Rapids was in Lowell Monday on sales during the past two weeks. R & G, Warner and Nemo corsets. new styles at old prices. Miss Bessie Richmond spent

A. W. Weekes & Son. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Washburn Special June offer-Designer a and Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Chase of whole year 40c. Call at Weekes' Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the home of Austin Chase in South

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Parker Boston. Mrs. Clifford Long and little daughter of Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. J. B. Quiggle of Groton, are here for an extended visit with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. John Mills.

Mrs. A. H. Parks and Mrs.

Jessie Parks and two children are spending a few days in Grand Rapids, the former attending the Maccabee convention. I wish to close out the following at once: One drop end couch. one lawn mower, one drop leaf

table, one lady's bicycle, one

lady's watch, diamond rings and Misses Pansy Denton and Clara Hornbrook of Grand Rapids others. J. B. Yeiter, Admin. Mary A. Hunter Est. Miss Letha Dennis of Alto spent | Junior High Commencement. a few days this week with her Music, High School Orchestra. brother, Otto Andrews, and fam-Invocation, Rev. Weldon.

Salutatory, Walter Roth. Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Grand Instrumental solo, Gladys Walk-Oration, Archart Bank. Class History, Arthur Getty. Duet, Letha Rogers, Lester

> Prophecy, Misses White, Scott, Dollaway, Abel, Hawley. lass Poem, Robert Brown. Quartet, Letha. Rogers, Rose Kropf, Howard Rittenger, Lester Bailey.

Instrumental solo, Ellen Merri-Valedictory, Evelyn Curtiss. Class Song, Words by Christopher Leonard. Presentation of Diplomas, A. F.

Declamation, Frank Cummings.

Class Will, Beatrice Jones.

Benediction, Rev. Weldon. Orchestra. Class motto, "Launched But Not Anchored." Class Flower, Red Rose.

Miss Ruby Walker, Assistant.

A. F. Frazee, Superintendent.

Miss Sue Barritt, Principal.